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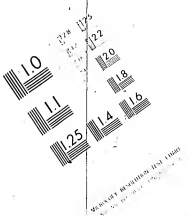

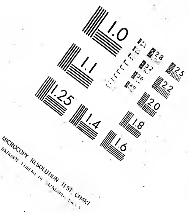
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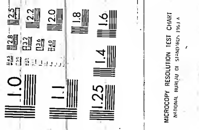
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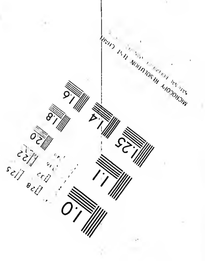

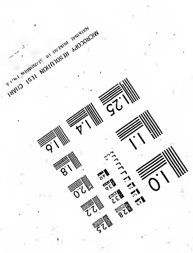
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Burkee, B E	2 29
Branum, J J	1 62
Blitz, Paul A	8 46
Berglund, August	2 43
Brink, O W	22 45
Cummings, Dr.	14 19
Crookston Lmbr Co	1,004 74
Collins, D J	3 30
Carpenter, F R	1 07
Duntley, Mrs A J	17 70
Dahl, J A	4 49
Eckhoff, Mrs E L	2 31
First State Bank	128 08
Forseen, John	2 19
Fellman, Chas	5 90
Fellman, Albert	2 87
Gilstad, K O	3 64
Gorgun, H	7 89
Hoff, E M	69 32
Holmes Bros	26 99
Holmes, Leonard	41 29
Hanson, M L	51 66
Hall, Andrew	10 48
Hanney, J K	18 94
Ives H E	7 58
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Miller, N	2 63
McKercher, R J	6 88
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Rolland, L M and Son	19 89
St Anthny & Dak Elev Co	23 61
St Hilaire Creamery	10 13
Swenson, R R	2 19
Sorsoliel, Wm	19 14
Standard Oil Co	9 28
Setterberg, A	3 40
Soll, J J	8 66
Sandmoen, Mrs C	9 17
Soderberg, Fred	5 97
Strom, C	3 40
Thompson, Tollef	13 04
Val Blatz Brewing Co	9 27
Wallen, Richard	2 53
Wilson & Stean Co	7 15

POLK CENTER.

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Johnson, Nels	5 43
Koidal, H O	4 10
Knaack, A R	1 76
Lindquist, G	1 11
Lubitz, Fred	1 22
Lubitz, Gustav	3 77
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Lillaboe, O G	2 48
Lorentzson, Olaus	3 48
Landa, Albert	6 21
Mello, C A	6 49
Meyer, Fred L	10 37
Maur, Nick	4 06
Naplin, S J	3 08
Naplin, C E	3 98
Ortloff, Wilhelmina	3 60
Olson, Ollina	1 80
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Person, Nels	3 86
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Person, Sam	3 37
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Schultz, Leo	9 23
Swenson, John E	4 71
Smidesang, P E	6 89
Sortedahl, M O	5 69
Sandberg, Anna M	7 24
Zutz, Chas	8 52
Dargan, M P	20
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Smidesang & Son	2 50
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The writer has known both of the contracting parties for a number of years and it gives us special pleasure to join with their many friends in wishing them God speed on their journey through life.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart will begin housekeeping at once in apartments in the Roesch Block in Crookston.

Crushed To Death.

Coroner Belair was called to Thief River Falls Sunday to hold an inquest over the remains of a man named Ole Fjoser, who was killed at that place Saturday. Fjoser was employed to unload a carload of coal which was standing on the Great Northern sidetrack at that place, and while engaged in the work was interupted by the freight crew who had some switching to do in that neighborhood. Fjoser descended from the car and in an effort to get out of the way of the moving cars sought refuge in the opening between the train and the coal shed which proved too narrow to accomodate him. He was caught by one of the cars and rolled along the side of the shed, the impact breacking several bones and inflicting other injuries from which he died shortly afterward.

MANY BOUNTIES PAID.

Auditor Ford Pays Sixteen Since December First.

Sixteen wolf bounties have been paid by County Auditor Ford since December 1st, the last being yesterday. Wolves are said to be quite numerous this winter, and the deep snow has made it easy to track them. The bounty is $7.50 for the grown wolves, which makes it worth the hunter's time if he can nab one occasionally.

The following have received bounties since December 1:

Jesse Luxemburger, 2; A. Audette, 1; A. Hemstad, 1; Jno. G. Hagen, 1; H. Runnestrand, 2; G. Kleven, 1; Emil Ostmo, 1; M. Madden, 1; Geo. Coe, 1; H. Cyr, 1; H. Halvorson, 1; K. Sall, 1; J. O. Johnson, 1; O. S. Breiland, 1.

The "I Lead" cigar will please you. Call for it at the leading cigar stands.

HANSEN IS ENDORSED

State Treasurer Block Compliments Treasurer Hansen For Efficeint Work.

County Treasurer Karl M. Hansen has received a communication from Julius H. Block, who has been state treasurer for six years past, in which Mr. Block compliments him on his work as county treasurer of Red Lake county.

Mr. Block has had much to do with the treasurers of Minnesota and his letter of indorsement which follows naturally pleases Mr. Hansen:

Dear Sir:—My services as State Treasurer terminate with the close of this term. My relations with you as County Treasurer covering a period of the past two years, have been indeed pleasant, and I take this opportunity of thanking you for your promptness and uniform courtesy in your dealings with this department. Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year, I remain,

Yours very truly,
J. H. Block,
State Treasurer.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Wylie Farmers Elevator & Mercantile Co. will be held at Wylie on Tuesday, January the 8th, at 1 o'clock p. m. All stockholders are requested to be present.

C. B. Cruzen, Secy.

WINKJER HOLDS JOB

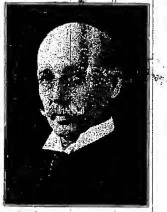
State Dairy Commission Announces That He Will Still Be Inspector.

Inspector Joel Winkjer has received notice from the state dairy commission that he will still retain his office as inspector. It was announced that five men would be dropped, beginning the first of the year, as they would not have inspectors after that date. The people throughout the valley, however, set up an energetic protest with the result that Mr. Winkjer will still keep his office.

The result will be gratifying to the dairymen throughout the valley who realize how much Mr. Winkjer has done to advance dairying in this part of the country and who wished to see him retained.

The Professor Pinned.

St. Hilaire Spectator: At the close of the school term last Friday afternoon the school children presented Prof. J. B. O'Brien with a handsome diamond pin as a token of their personal appreciation of his services. In leaving Prof. O'Brien has the good will and esteem of all of his new position. He has ably conducted the schools here as principal for the past twelve years and leaves with the best wishes of all who know him.



"The Footprints of the Centuries"
By HON. G. A. GEARHART
Metropolitan Opera House, Friday Evening, Jan. 4

A SUDDEN CALL.

Joseph Noel, of Louisville, Dies After Brief Illness.

Joseph Noel, of Louisville township, son of O. Noel of this city, died at his home Saturday evening after an illness of but a few days with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. The young man was well during the early part of the winter, but when the fatal illness came on it made short work of its victim, the rheumatism settling at the heart.

Deceased was about 30 years of age and leaves a wife and two children to mourn him. He has been a resident of this part of the county for a long time, and was highly respected by all who knew him.

The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church Monday morning, the remains being interred in the Catholic cemetery west of town. The Catholic Order of Foresters, of whom Mr. Noel was a member, turned out to the funeral in a body, and acted as an escort to the hearse.

The bereaved family has the sincere sympathy of all in their affliction.

Woodmen Will Dance.

The members of the local lodge of Modern Woodmen, with their wives and sweethearts, will have a social hop at their hall Tuesday of next week. Good music will be provided, and the members and their ladies are invited to attend.

KELLIHER IS OPTIMISTIC

A Center for Logging and May Become One for Mining

One of the most important transactions of the year for Kelliher, one that will possibly change the entire manner in which that village will develop, is the work being done in prospecting for iron ore. A crew has been drilling for ore since last August, and it is believed that Kelliher is located directly on the range that contains the vein which extends westward from the Mesaba iron mines.

This crew has on several occasions struck ore, but not in sufficient quantities to be considered "pay dirt," as yet. However, in the past two weeks the drill has worked through a vein four feet in thickness.

Much logging is being done around Kelliher. The Crookston Lumber company, the Grand Forks Lumber company, R. E. White and Ross & Ross are getting out large quanitics of pine, cedar, tamarack and pulp wood, and many homesteaders are also logging their timber and selling it in Kelliher. These operations necessitate the employment of a large number of men.

Kelliher will go to the front with rapid strides in 1907 is the prediction of her citizens.

We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times.—First State Bank.

SCOTT HALL MARRIED.

Former Red Lake Falls Boy Weds Last Week.

Scott C. Hall, well known to the people of this city, was married at St. Thomas, North Dakota, last Wednesday, to Miss Clara J. Pearce a charming young lady of that place.

The St. Thomas Times gives the following account of the wedding:

"A quiet home wedding occurred at high noon Wednesday, December 26th, 1906, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pearce, when Miss Clara J. Pearce and Mr. Scott C. Hall, were united in marriage. The ceremony occurred in the parlor where the groom and officiating clergyman, Rev. L. B. Crosby, awaited the bride who appeared on the arm of her father. The wedding march was played by Miss Beatrice Emard, of Red Lake Falls, Minn. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties and a few intimate friends. After the ceremony the guests repaired to the dining room, which was tastefully decorated in green and white, and partook of a wedding dinner, The bride was the recipient of a long list of beautiful and valuable presents. The groom is a young man of promising future, who is employed in the construction department of the Great Northern Railway line. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pearce and has lived the greater part of her life here. She is a young lady of engaging presence and charming disposition. The happy couple will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pearce for a few days before going to their future home at Crookston, Minn."

TEACHERS' EXAMS.

Semi-Annual Tests Will Occur Last of This Month.

Superintendent McAnulty announces that the semi-annual teachers, examinations for Red Lake county will be held at Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 31, February 1 and 2.

All teachers who expect to teach and haven't at present sufficient state certificates will be obliged to take this examination, as Superintendent McAnulty states positively that no teacher holding only a county certificate will be allowed to take a school, until after all teachers holding state certificates are engaged.

He feels that this is no more than justice to those who work hard for their state honors, and to this end is desirous of seeing every teacher in the county not already qualified take the January examinations.

The complete program will be published soon.

Thief Riverite In Limbo.

Pat Kinney, a Thief Riverite, was arrested yesterday on a charge of stealing $26 from a bar-keep at one of the saloons up the line. County Attorney Germo was called and went up to attend the hearing. The fellow was arraigned, but owing to some delay the case was continued until Saturday. It seems that Kinney saw the barkeeker go to an adjoining room and place some cash under the matress of a bed, and as soon as convenient he went in and swiped the deposit. It is likely that he will get a term in jail, but of course he deserves it. The fellow who steals at all should steal enough so that he will be sent to congress instead of the pen—but it apparently takes a long time to educate them to it.

The Argues Entertain.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue entertained a number of friends at their North Side home, at a six o'clock dinner last Friday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Johnson, of Park River. The dinner was an elaborate one and after the guests had done ample justice to the many choice viands the evening was pleasantly spent in social intercourse.

DEATH OF MRS. WALTER

Aged Mother of Mrs. H. M. Kaus and Mrs. M. Skala, of This City, Passes Away.

Mrs. Margaret Walter, widow of the late John Walter, and an old and highly respected resident of this city, died at her home on north Main street Monday morning at 9:30, after an illness of two weeks with inflammation of the bowels.

While well advanced in years, Grandma Walter had always enjoyed the best of health, and was as hale and hearty as many a younger woman. About two weeks ago she was taken sick with an attack of inflammation of the bowels, and while all the medical skill to be obtained was at hand to stay the progress of the disease, her advanced age was against her, and death came Monday to drop the curtain on a life that had been full of adventure and usefulness.

Mrs. Walter was one of the pioneers in what is now the great state of Minnesota, and her early life was one that the generation of today can realize only from history.

Margaret (Hoffman) Walter was born in Brolzdorf, Bavaria, Germany, in 1822, and immigrated to America in 1846, coming to Red Wing, this state. After living there several years the family moved to Fergus Falls and remained there until 1882, when they came to Red Lake Falls, then a small inland village in nearly a wilderness. Her husband died but a few years ago, and since being parted from her partner of so many years, the good lady had lived a life of retirement, spending her time with those of her children who were here.

She leaves to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother and companion the following children: Andrew Walter, of Fergus Falls; Philip Walter, of Tagus, N. Dak.; Mrs. Richard Adler, of Cambridge, Maryland; Mesdames M. Skala and H. M. Kaus, of this city.

The funeral was held from St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock this morning, the Rev. Father Ansgar conducting the services. The remains were laid at rest in St. Mary's cemetery.

QUIST NAMES DEPUTY.

Miss Bertha Lafreniere Will Be His Assistant.

Register of Deeds-elect, E. L. Quist has named Miss Bertha Lafreniere, of this city, as deputy Register of Deeds, and the young lady will assume her new duties next week.

Miss Lafreniere was formerly employed in the Register's office, and was considered a first-class deputy. Her many friends here will be pleased to know of her good fortune.

She returned home from Grand Rapids last Thursday, and is spending the week visiting with her many friends here.

A BASKET PARTY.

M. B. A. Lodge Will Give A Public Entertainment.

The local lodge of M. B. A's. will give a basket social and dance at their hall on Monday evening the 14th inst.

The affair will be for the public, and the ladies are asked to bring baskets, which will be auctioned off to the members of the sterner sex. After the supper a social dance will be given, and the event promises to be an enjoyable one for all who attend.

Messrs Joseph Belair, Samuel Gibeau, Frank Brouillet, George Guerin and J. R. Patnode are the committee on arrangements, and will see that everything is fixed so that all who go will enjoy themselves every minute of the time.

Finest line of case pipes to be found in the city at Freund's Confectionery.

Lillibridge's famous Chocolates, fresh and delicious, just received at Freund's Confectionery.

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Coroner Belair was called to Thief River Falls Sunday to hold an inquest over the remains of a man named Ole Fjoser, who was killed at that place Saturday. Fjoser was employed to unload a carload of coal which was standing on the Great Northern sidetrack at that place, and while engaged in the work was interrupted by the freight crew who had some switching to do in that neighborhood. Fjoser descended from the car and in an effort to get out of the way of the moving cars sought refuge in the opening between the train and the coal shed which proved too narrow to accomodate him. He was caught by one of the cars and rolled along the side ot the shed, the impact breaking several bones and inflicting other injuries from which he died shortly afterward.

MANY BOUNTIES PAID.

Auditor Ford Pays Sixteen Since December First.

Sixteen wolf bounties have been paid by County Auditor Ford since December 1st, the last being yesterday. Wolves are said to be quite numerous this winter, and the deep snow has made it easy to track them. The bounty is $7.50 for the grown wolves, which makes it worth the hunter's time if he can nab one occasionally.

The following have received bounties since December 1:

Jesse Luxemburger, 2; A. Andette, 1; A. Hemstad, 1; Jno. G. Hagen, 1; H. Runnestrand, 2; G. Kleven, 1; Emil Ostmo, 1; M. Madden, 1; Geo. Coe, 1; H. Cyr, 1; H. Halvorson, 1; K. Sall, 1; J. O. Johnson, 1; O. S. Breiland, 1.

The "I Lead" cigar will please you. Call for it at the leading cigar stands.

HANSEN IS ENDORSED

State Treasurer Block Compliments Treasurer Hansen For Efficient Work.

County Treasurer Karl M. Hansen has received a communication from Julius H. Block, who has been state treasurer for six years past, in which Mr. Block compliments him on his work as county treasurer of Red Lake county.

Mr. Block has had much to do with the treasurers of Minnesota and his letter of indorsement which follows naturally pleases Mr. Hansen:

Dear Sir:—My services as State Treasurer terminate with the close of this term. My relations with you as County Treasurer covering a period of the past two years, have been indeed pleasant, and I take this opportunity of thanking you for your promptness and uniform courtesy in your dealings with this department. Wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year, I remain, Yours very truly,

J. H. Block,
State Treasurer.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The annual meeting of the Wylie Farmers Elevator & Mercantile Co. will be held at Wylie on Tuesday, January the 8th, at 1 o'clock p. m. All stockholders are requested to be present.

C. B. Cruzen, Secy.

WINKJER HOLDS JOB

State Dairy Commission Announces That He Will Still Be Inspector.

Inspector Joet Winkjer has received notice from the state dairy commission that he will still retain his office as inspector. It was announced that five men would be dropped, beginning the first of the year, as they would not have inspectors after that date. The people throughout the valley, however, set up an energetic protest with the result that Mr. Winkjer will still keep his office.

The result will be gratifying to the dairymen throughout the valley who realize how much Mr. Winkjer has done to advance dairying in this part of the country and who wished to see him retained.

The Professor Pinned.

St. Hilaire Spectator: At the close of the school term last Friday afternoon the school children presented Prof. J. B. O'Brien with a handsome diamond pin as a token of their personal appreciation of his services. In leaving Prof. O'Brien has the good will and esteem of all of his new position. He has ably conducted the schools here as principal for the past twelve years and leaves with the best wishes of all who know him.

"The Footprints of the Centuries"

By HON. G. A. GEARHART

Metropolitan Opera House, Friday Evening, Jan. 4

A SUDDEN CALL.

Joseph Noel, of Louisville, Dies After Brief Illness.

Joseph Noel, of Louisville township, son of O. Noel of this city, died at his home Saturday evening after an illness of but a few days with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. The young man was well during the early part of the winter, but when the fatal illness came on it made short work of its victim, the rheumatism settling at the heart.

Deceased was about 30 years of age and leaves a wife and two children to mourn him. He has been a resident of this part of the county for a long time, and was highly respected by all who knew him.

The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church Monday morning, the remains being interred in the Catholic cemetery west of town. The Catholic Order of Foresters, of whom Mr. Noel was a member, turned out to the funeral in a body, and acted as an escort to the hearse.

The bereaved family has the sincere sympathy of all in their affliction.

Woodmen Will Dance.

The members of the local lodge of Modern Woodmen, with their wives and sweethearts, will have a social hop at their hall Tuesday of next week. Good music will be provided, and the members and their ladies are invited to attend.

KELLIHER IS OPTIMISTIC

A Center for Logging and May Become One for Mining

One of the most important transactions of the year for Kelliher, one that will possibly change the entire manner in which that village will develop, is the work being done in prospecting for iron ore. A crew has been drilling for ore since last August, and it is believed that Kelliher is located directly on the range that contains the vein which extends westward from the Mesaba iron mines.

This crew has on several occasions struck ore, but not in sufficient quantities to be considered "pay dirt," as yet. However, in the past two weeks the drill has worked through a vein four feet in thickness.

Much logging is being done around Kelliher. The Crookston Lumber company, the Grand Forks Lumber company, R. E. White and Ross & Ross are getting out large quanities of pine, cedar, tamarack and pulp wood, and many homesteaders are also logging their timber and selling it in Kelliher. These operations necessitate the employment of a large number of men.

Kelliher will go to the front with rapid strides in 1907 is the prediction of her citizens.

We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times.—First State Bank.

SCOTT HALL MARRIED.

Former Red Lake Falls Boy Weds Last Week.

Scott C. Hall, well known to the people of this city, was married at St. Thomas, North Dakota, last Wednesday, to Miss Clara J. Pearce a charming young lady of that place.

The St. Thomas Times gives the following account of the wedding:

"A quiet home wedding occured at high noon Wednesday, December 26th, 1906, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pearce, when Miss Clara J. Pearce and Mr. Scott C. Hall, were united in marriage. The ceremony occurred in the parlor where the groom and officiating clergyman, Rev. L. B. Crosby, awaited the bride who appeared on the arm of her father. The wedding march was played by Miss Beatrice Emard, of Red Lake Falls, Minn. The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives of the contracting parties and a few intimate friends. After the ceremony the guests repaired to the dining room, which was tastefully decorated in green and white, and partook of a wedding dinner. The bride was the recipient of a long list of beautiful and valuable presents. The groom is a young man of promising future, who is employed in the construction department of the Great Northern Railway line. The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pearce and has lived the greater part of her life here. She is a young lady of engaging presence and charming disposition. The happy couple will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pearce for a few days before going to their future home at Crookston, Minn."

TEACHERS' EXAMS.

Semi-Annual Tests Will Occur Last of This Month.

Superintendent McAnulty announces that the semi-annual teachers, examinations for Red Lake county will be held at Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 31, February 1 and 2.

All teachers who expect to teach and haven't at present sufficient state certificates will be obliged to take this examination, as Superintendent McAnulty states positively that no teacher holding only a county certificate will be allowed to take a school, until after all teachers holding state certificates are engaged.

He feels that this is no more than justice to those who work hard for their state honors, and to this end is desirous of seeing every teacher in the county not already qualified take the January examinations.

The complete program will be published soon.

Thief Riverite In Limbo.

Pat Kinney, a Thief Riverite, was arrested yesterday on a charge of stealing $26 from a bar-keep at one of the saloons up the line. County Attorney Germo was called and went up to attend the hearing. The fellow was arraigned, but owing to some delay the case was continued until Saturday. It seems that Kinney saw the barkeeper go to an adjoining room and place some cash under the matress of a bed, and as soon as convenient he went in and swiped the deposit. It is likely that he will get a term in jail, but of course he deserves it. The fellow who steals at all should steal enough so that he will be sent to congress instead of the pen—but it apparently takes a long time to educate them to it.

The Argues Entertain.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue entertained a number of friends at their North Side home, at a six o'clock dinner last Friday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Johnson, of Park River. The dinner was an elaborate one and after the guests had done ample justice to the many choice viands the evening was pleasantly spent in social intercourse.

DEATH OF MRS. WALTER

Aged Mother of Mrs. H. M. Kaus and Mrs. M. Skala, of This City, Passes Away.

Mrs. Margaret Walter, widow of the late John Walter, and an old and highly respected resident of this city, died at her home on north Main street Monday morning at 9:30, after an illness of two weeks with inflammation of the bowels.

While well advanced in years, Grandma Walter had always enjoyed the best of health, and was as hale and hearty as many a younger woman. About two weeks ago she was taken sick with an attack of inflammation of the bowels, and while all the medical skill to be obtained was at hand to stay the progress of the disease, her advanced age was against her, and death came Monday to drop the curtain on a life that had been full of adventure and usefulness.

Mrs. Walter was one of the pioneers in what is now the great state of Minnesota, and her early life was one that the generation of today can realize only from history.

Margaret (Hoffman) Walter was born in Brolzdorf, Bavaria, Germany, in 1822, and immigrated to America in 1846, coming to Red Wing, this state. After living there several years the family moved to Fergus Falls and remained there until 1882, when they came to Red Lake Falls, then a small inland village in nearly a wilderness. Her husband died but a few years ago, and since being parted from her partner of so many years, the good lady had lived a life of retirement, spending her time with those of her children who were here.

She leaves to mourn the loss of a kind and loving mother and companion the following children. Andrew Walter, of Fergus Falls; Philip Walter, of Tagus, N. Dak.; Mrs. Richard Adler, of Cambridge, Maryland; Mesdames M. Skala and H. M. Kaus, of this city.

The funeral was held from St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock this morning, the Rev. Father Ansgar conducting the services. The remains were laid at rest in St. Mary's cemetery.

QUIST NAMES DEPUTY.

Miss Bertha Lafreniere Will Be His Assistant.

Register of Deeds-elect, E. L. Quist has named Miss Bertha Lafreniere, of this city, as deputy Register of Deeds, and the young lady will assume her new duties next week.

Miss Lafreniere was formerly employed in the Register's office, and was considered a first-class deputy. Her many friends here will be pleased to know of her good fortune.

She returned home from Grand Rapids last Thursday, and is spending the week visiting with her many friends here.

A BASKET PARTY.

M. B. A. Lodge Will Give A Public Entertainment.

The local lodge of M. B. A's. will give a basket social and dance at their hall on Monday evening the 14th inst.

The affair will be for the public, and the ladies are asked to bring baskets, which will be auctioned off to the members of the sterner sex. After the supper a social dance will be given, and the event promises to be an enjoyable one for all who attend.

Messrs Joseph Belair, Samuel Gibeau, Frank Brouillet, George Guerin and J. R. Patnode are the committee on arrangements, and will see that all who go will enjoy themselves every minute of the time.

Finest line of case pipes to be found in the city at Freund's Confectionery.

Lillibridge's famous Chocolates, fresh and delicious, just received at Freund's Confectionery.

INTENTIONAL DUPLICATE EXPOSURE

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RED LAKE FALLS GAZETTE.

RED LAKE FALLS. - MINN.

SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

Ten representatives and one senntor sailed on the steamship Allianca from New York for Colon, for the purpose of making a five-day inspection of the Isthmus of Panama and learning for themselves the existing condition relative to the digging of the canal.

A mob at Las Animas, Col., vainly stormed the county jail in the attempt to lynch a tramp who had brutally murdered a farmer.

A maniac held possession of the switch tower at Cavanagh, Ind., for hours, disorganizing traffic on three railways.

Quiet has been restored at Scooba and Wahalak, Miss., where race riots have been going on.

Nearly all trains were sent out on schedule time by the Southern Pacific and the firemen's strike seemed about broken.

Minnesota began action to prevent the contemplated stock issue by the Great Northern railway.

Archbishop Ireland's statement on the Franco-Vatican conflict did not please the pope.

It was rumored that a big deal was about to be closed whereby a Minneapolis company will consign a large quantity of Minneapolis flour for Russian consumption.

Commissioner of Immigration Sargeant says fewer Japanese are coming to Hawaii now.

Half of the town of Arica, Chils, was destroyed by an earthquake.

Capt. James E. Lennan, a famous Pacific coast pilot, was drowned at Juneau.

Harrison Parkman, who first brought alfalfa from South America and planted it in the United States, died at Emporia, Kan., aged 73 years.

Benjamin Brown, financial manager of the American and United States Express companies, shot and probably fatally wounded himself.

The Chicago Bar association committee found that Judge A. H. Chetlain had committed improprieties and merited severe censure.

Count Eugene Zichy, the Hungarian statesman and Central Asian explorer, died of apoplexy. He was born in 1837.

The residence of Gov. McInnes, of the Yukon, at Dawson, known as Government House, was burned. Loss, [illegible].

George Davis, aged 25, of Morristown, N. J., lost his life in an unsuccessful attempt to rescue John Arke, an eight-year-old boy, from drowning.

Hiram Mullins and his son William were shot and fatally wounded in a feud battle fought at their home in Kentucky with a gang of desperadoes, headed by Charles and Bud Little and Jim Brewer.

The cotton harvest in central Asia is extremely good, 17,000 carloads instead of the usual 12,000, being available for export. Railroads will require special facilities to transport the cotton.

French, German and Russian expeditions have arrived at Tashkent, Asiatic Russia, to observe the eclipse January 14.

Gen. Joseph K. Hudson, editor and publisher of the Topeka (Kan.) Herald, is ill at Topeka and his physicians say his recovery is doubtful.

Fire originating from a defective gas lighting system destroyed three business blocks in Perry, Ia. The loss aggregates $100,000.

The employes in the blast furnaces in the Mahoning and Shenango valleys have been notified that they will receive an increase of ten per cent. with the beginning of the new year. The increase will affect about 4,000 men.

Henry Newman, 65 years of age, founder of the cotton firm of H. & C. Newman and a member of the cotton exchange, died at his home in New York.

A heavy snowstorm in Great Britain has delayed trains and several schooners off the coast were wrecked by the gale.

The Zionists congress, in session at Craiova, Roumania, was invaded by members of the anti-Jewish society. A riot ensued, during which many Jews were injured.

A strike of locomotive firemen went into effect on the lines of the Southern Pacific company in Texas and Louisiana. About 300 or 400 men are involved.

James Bryce, who is to be British ambassador to Washington, has declined a peerage.

As a result of a fight at a country dance on Cane Creek, Breathitt county, Kentucky, Thomas Gullett was shot through the body and instantly killed; Walker Cole was shot through the arm, shattering the bone and necessitating amputation, and Bill Little was shot through the back.

Several persoas were seriously injured in a McKeesport (Pa.) boardiag house ia a riot over a Christmas turkey. The bird was not cooked to suit the boarders and the cranborry sauce was missing.

Falling into a sponge mixer full of dough, which he was feeding, H. D. Van Kirk, Columbus, O., was whirled round and round until every bone in his body was crushed before the machine was stopped and he was extricated, a corpse.

A duel with pitchforks between two grooms employed in a fashionable riding academy in New York resulted in probably fatal injuries to Thomas Connolly, whose eye and brain were penetrated by the prong of the fork wielded hy James Cassidy.

Mrs. Susan Kelly, aged 50 years, was burned to denth nnd her husband bnrely escaped with his life in a fire which destroyed their apartments in West Sixtioth street, New York.

Just as he presented a Christmas gift to his wife, Thomas Cardia, of Philndelphia, dropped dead of hesrt disease.

Rev. T. K. Crowley, of St. Patrick's church, Denisoa, Tex., while putting on his vestmeats to celebrate high msss, dropped dead.

Three men were killed and four wounded in s bsttle between guards employed by the West Kentucky Coal company at Sturgis, Uaion county, Ky., and the striking miaers at that place.

Edward H. Judson, Dr. Emanuel L. Hess, Thnmas Cochran and Dr. L. W. Babcock, all prominent pioaeer residents of St. Paul, Minn., died.

Announcement is aiade of a gift of $110,000 to defray tho expense of the construction and equipment of a new home for Marquette college, Milwaukee, the donors beiag Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Johustoa, in conjunction with their son, Rev. Robert Story Johnstnn, S. J., of Florissant, Mo.

The touring car of Joseph Leiter, in which were riding Mr. Leiter, Mrs. Levi Z. Leiter nnd Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Remington, of New York, ran dnwn and instnntly killed Ssmuel West, a 14-year-old negro boy, in Washington.

Manager Iso Abe, of Wnsedn university, Japan, has accepted the challenge of Stanford university for nn internatinnal baseball contest to be plnyed in Tokio some time in Msy.

David C. Webb, president of a big mercantile company in Kansas City, Mn., died aged 72 years.

Sailors from the United States cruiser Clevelaad caused a panic in a public park in Cienfuegos, Cuba, where a concert was going on, by engaging in a fight and firing maay shnts. The police arrested several of the sailors.

Otto Yogieslsky, a contracting plumber, shot nnd instantly killed his wife aad then committed suicide in New York.

Mrs. Gertrude Rose, wife of Henry M. Rose, assistant secretary of the United States sennte, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. B. F. McReynolds, in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr., formerly Miss Martha Hichborn, who secured a divorce in South Dakota several days ago, announced that she would soon be married to Paul S. Pearsall, of New York, a lieutenant in the regiment of rough riders during the war with Spain.

Neil Florence, an actor 45 years old, was found dead in his room at a New York boarding house. The apnrtment was filled with illuminatiag gas which was escapting from two open jets.

Rnse Bros.' department store at Manistique, Mich., was destroyed by fire, the loss being $75,000.

E. L. Larrimore of Atlanta, Ga., accidentally shot nad killed bis niece, Miss Tymena R. Freemnn.

In a head-on-collision at Brookville, Ind., between two Big Four freight trains, Fireman Frank Morris of Muncie, Ind., and Bert Day, a fnrmer of Cedar Grove, Ind., who was riding on one of the engines, were killed, and H. Beesley, another farmer, was fatally injured.

Earl Northup, aged 22, was probably fatally stabbed duriag a saloon brawl by Privnte Howard of Troop K, Tbirteenth cavalry, at Fort Sill, Okla.

The Roman Catholic church at Otsego, Mich., was burned followiag a Christmas celebration.

The Mississippi race war has broken out nfresh nt Scooba and troops have been sent there. Already the deaths there nad at Wnhalak number probably a dozen.

Leading citizena of New York addressed a letter to Secretary of State Root on the conditioas in the Coago Free State, asking that the moral support of the United States be given to correct the abuses there.

A sergeant of the Ninth cavalry, colored, killed a corporal in a fight about n woman at Fort Sheridaa, Ill.

Rear Admiral Nebogatoff nnd three other officers were sentenced to death for surrendering to the Jnpanese in the battle of the Sea of Jnpan, but the court martial will ask tbe czar to commute the sentences to ten years' imprisonment.

Governnr Magoon signed the decree appointing a commission to revise the laws of Cuba.

Count Alexis Ingatieff, a member of the council of the empire and ex-governor general of Kiev, Volhynia and Podolia, was shot and killed by an unknown man at Tver, Russia.

Mrs. James G. Blaiae, Jr., who is a daughter of Rear Admiral Hichborn, retired, nbtained a decree of divorce from her husband on the grounds of desertion and non-support.

President Roosevelt issued a proclamation calling on the people of the United States to coatribute funds for the relief of millions of famine sufferers in China, who are on the verge of starvation.

A petition has been presented to the Belgian parliament asking that every motor vehicle in the country be buraed in oae great boafire befora 1908, and the resultaat scrap metal sold for the benefit of those who have been maimed or crushed by automobiles.

The coal house of the Northwestern railroad at Pierre, S. D., with all railroad coal on hand, was totally destroyed by fire.

Negroes of Wahalak, Miss., threatened the 25 white residents of tbe town snd state troops were ssnt from Meridian to protect them.

A sail boat with 25 persons on board was overturned near Montego bay, Jamaica, and 16 of the passengers were drowned.

The Standard Oil company won a victory in common pleas court at Findisy, O., when Judge W. S. Duncan decided that tha probate court had no jurisdiction in the suit brought sgaiast it in the probate court, and threw out the recent verdict of guilty against the company.

Secretary Taft has appointed a board of officers to meet January 15 at the Springfield armory, Springfield, Mass., for the purpose of ascartaining a design of automatic pistol or revolver best adapted to fulfill tha requirements of the military service.

The state department was officially advised in a dispatch from Guayaquil of the election by the natioaal assembly of Eloy Alfaro to be constitutional president of Ecuador.

J. E. Woodward & Co., Omaba coal dealers, operating a mine at Dietz, Wyo., brought suit for $20,000 against the Burlington Railway company for coal alleged to have been confiscated.

Frank Hair, for 13 years in charge of the musical department of the Baker university at Baldwin, Kan., and composer of choir music used all over the country, died suddenly at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

General Superinteadent Kimball, of the life saving service, shows in his annual report that the number of marine disasters was 849 in the waters of the United States. In these, 49 vessels and 29 lives were lost and 811 persons were succored at the various statioas. The total vaue of property saved wss $12,266,100, while that lost was $2,775,400. In the disasters 5,320 lives were imperiled.

Tbrce men were killed and a dozen seriously injured in a wreck on the Sugar Pine branch of the Sierra railroad near Stockton, Cal.

Two masked men held up 17 occupants of the lobby barroom of the Columbia hotel at Goldfield, Nev., and secured $825 from the gambling games, but overlooked $3,000 which was in the safe.

Colonel J. E. Pepper, the distiller of Kentucky, died in New York.

Gordon McDonald shot and killed Coley Cheaey and Perchel Burns at Cochran, Ga., as a result of a quarrel.

Mrs. A. U. Popolaski, a woman of Polish birth, aged 104 years, died at Fairmont, Minn.

Clyde King, aged 25, shot and killed Elis Jobes, his brother-in-law, at Osseo, a town a few miles from Minneapolis.

H. Cashman, Charles Slaight and Dan Slaight drove into an air-hole in the Missouri river opposite Fort Randall, S. D., and were drowned.

Commander Alfred B. Canaga, in charge of the steam engineering department of the Charlestown navy yard, died suddenly of apoplexy at Boston.

Henry Watterson and Mrs. Watterson, of Louisville, Ky., are at Barcelona, Spain, whence they will go to Egypt.

Col. Obrowcheff, commander of tha Eighty-first Russian infantry, has been killed on his estate near Lukow, Poland, by an unknown mnn.

Two women and two children were burned to death at Morris Neck, Va., and two women and an infant were suffocated in a fire at Steubenville, O.

Harlan Cleveland, one of the leading lawyers of the Cincinnati bar, died from Bright's disease.

Commander Peary's steamer Roosevelt has arrived at New York.

The Illinois snpreme court entered an order disbarring John Stirlen, of Chicago, and Arthur Keithley, of Peoria, for unprofessional eonduct.

Frank J. Russell, private secretary to John M. Dubois, the millionaire lumberman of Dubois, Pa., committed suicide because of finaneial trouble.

A cheek for $75,430.20 was sent to State Treasurer William N. Berry in full payment of the claim of the state of Pennsylvania against the Farmers' and Drovers' National bank of Waynesburg, Pa., which was recently closed.

Nine men were killed and 37 badly injured in a collision between a passenger train and a freight at Enderlia, N. D.

The steamer Strathcona was burned 60 miles from Halifax, N. S., but the engineers and firemen stuck to their posts until she could be beached nnd the 380 passengera wera aaved.

Henry Biesterfeld, n retired business man of Elgin, Ill., was killed in the woods near tbat city while cutting down trees. A tree fell on him and crushed him.

Resolutioas denouncing President Roosevelt's messaga to congress on the Japanese situntion in San Francisco, resenting hia interference in tha domestic affaira of the state, and expressing want of confidence in Secretnry Metcalf were adopted at a mass meetiag in San Francisco.

Four persons were burned, three fatally, early Sunday as the result of a natural gaa explosion in the home of John Carvel, at Washington, Pa.

Bishop Henry Cosgrove, of tha Catholic diocese of Davenport, Ia., died after a long illness from cancer of the kidneys.

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Looking to the Fair.

With New Year's at hand and every inch of farm land in the state frozen a foot or so deep, prepartions are being made for the agricultural exhibits at the Minnesota state fair for next year. And, oddly enough, the first move comes from St. Louis eounty in the far north. The Duluth Commercinl Club is taking steps already to see thst St. Louis county is properly represented and by beginning now will have plenty of time to organize and ses that the farmers are interested before planting time in the spring.

The best sgricultural exhibits at the Minnesota stnte fair ars those which are planned long before spring. The successful eounties frequently organize enrly in the winter, assigning to individual farmers the production of one or more grains or vegetables, and even arranging for special seed so thnt there msy be no slips in the program. By beginning this way nothing is left to chance. All varieties are planned out and a little supervision nnd checking up during the plnnting and growing season assures a successful exhibit. The farmers who mnke individual exhibits with success are, generally, the ones who plan in the winter and order their seed for the special purposes in mind.

St. Louis county will doubtless have more than an agricultural display. The Duluth News-Tribune advocates a permanent exhibit in Duluth as well ns a full showing of the resources of the county at the state fair, and the proposed semi-centennial exposition of 1908.

Lost Three Days.

Black Duck—After wandering about in the woods for three days, Alex Brunski turned up at one of the camps of the Beltrami Cedar and Land Company, about ten miles from here.

Brunski, who is a homesteader, started to come to Blnck Duck to purchase supplies. Instead of traveling over the old logging road, with which he was familiar, he attempted to take a short cut through the forest and became lost. When he did not return home that night his wife becamo nlarmed, nnd, informing the neighbors that her husband was missing, a searching party set out to look for him. They found no trace of hlm, but last evening, just ss the men in the cedar camp had finished their supper, they heard a noise outside the cook's shanty, and on investigating found Brunski lying helpless in the snow.

Vote Canvassed.

St. Paul—The cnnvassing board wound up its work and the official vote of the state is now on file. The cnnvsss gives Gov. Johnson a total of 168,480 and a majority over Cole of 72,818.

The road amendment is lost by 313 votes and the tax amendment is carried by n comfortable margin.

The amendment to the law governing peddling wns carried by a large mnjority.

Attorney General Young received the largest vote east on either ticket, his plurality being 84,754. The smallest plurality was 30,938, polled by Lieut. Gov. Eberhart. C. M. Start, the only esndidnte for ehief justice of the supreme court, received 200,167 votes.

The total number of votes cast was 304,021, of which 284,366 were cast by men nnd 19,655 by women.

Sold by Uncle Sam.

St. Paul—"Bond," a brown and white pointer, held as unclaimed at tbe customs house store, was yesterday sold at public auction for $40, James Dent of the rsilway mail service being the successful bidder.

"Bond" was sold on approval to a sportsman in Calgary, Alberta, Can., who recently shipped him back after using him, as the seller says, during the hunting season. The man to whom the dog was consigned lives in Osceola, Iowa, and he did not care to pay the 20 per cent ad valorem duty. The only alternative of the customs authorities was to sell the dog at auction.

The auction took place in the customs house store room, pursuant to advertisement. The bidding was brisk.

Railway Strike.

Virginia—Several hundred men who were employed on the construction of the extension of the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg railroad have struck because the company has lowered the scale of wages.

The wages were lowered from $40 per month to $35 and $30, and from $2.25 to $2. The eompany has succeeded in shipping a hundred men to fill the places of the strikers, and it is expected that the strike will be broken. No serious trouble is nnticipated.

Most of the men are Austrians, Italians and Finns.

News Notes.

Lake City—O. G. Potter, of Pepin, was dragged under the wheels of a loaded wagon and his leg was broken. He is in a critical condition.

St. Paul—Burglnrs broke into the saloon of B. R. Peterson at South St. Paul and stole $15, some whisky and eignrs. The place was thoroughly ransacked.

Dent—A petition which has been generally signed has been forwarded to Governor Johnson asking that he clap a "lid" upon the saloons in this town.

Duluth—Horace B. Moore, 63 yenrs old, secretary and treasurer of the Duluth board of trade, mayor of Duluth in 1885, nnd customs officer for Duluth during Cleveland's first term, dropped dead at his home in this city tonight, after supper.

Mankato—The city council voted to instruct the eity attorney to take steps for the suppression of bueket shops and so-called commission houses. The move hnd the eommendation of Mayor Taylor and was taken with a unanimous vote.

Crookston—A. J. Rolfstad was badly burned by the explosion of a gasoline stove. Rolfstad is a bachelor and lives alone. While preparing his evening meal upon a gasoline stove it exploded.

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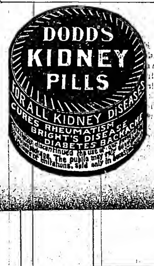

THE HISTORY OF POLICEMAN FLYNN

BY ELLIOTT FLOWER

HE CELEBRATES CHRISTMAS.

"Oho!" Exclaimed Policeman Flynn, "I See Ye're Not a Woman iv Ye-er Wor-rd."

As Policeman Barney Flynn differs little—at least, in one respect—from the average man of limited means, the approach of Christmas found him troubled, not to say pessimistic. He heard the customary talk about Christmas; he saw the Christmas advertisements in the papers and the Christmas goods in the shop windows; he read the accounts of Christmas plans for feeding or otherwise remembering the poor, and the only effect it had on him was to make him jingle the "lucky half dollar he carried in his pocket, and shake his head dolefully.

"'Tis th' da-ay iv th' rich," he said to himself. "'Tis th' time whin ye wa-ant twinty thousand dollars f'r to do th' r-right thing be all th' good people ye know. 'Tis th' da-ay iv give an' ta-ake, an' if ye can't give ye're ashamed f'r to ta-ake, an' there ye are. 'T was diff'rint in th' ol' days whin I was a la-ad, but now ivery wan who ha-ands ye out a two-bit sca-arf ixpects f'r to ha-ave as good or betther ba-ack from ye, an' th' ray-sult is we all go br-roke givin' things that's iv no gr-reat use to anny wan, but th' shtorekeepers that sells thim. 'Tis f'r me to shtall th' good woman be a little ta-alk iv har-rd times befoor she spinds th' rint money buyin' r-red ties an' six-f'r-a-nickel see-gars be th' box."

With this object in view Policeman Flynn entered upon a systematic campaign to discourage Christmas shopping, and he did it with his usual diplomatic ability.

"Ye can't impriss a thing on th' mind iv a woman be sayin' it wanst an' lettin' it go at thot," he told himself. "Ye must ding-dang it into her head without lettin' her know what ye're doin'."

So he began to drop incidental remarks about poverty and hard times, with a casual suggestion from time to time to the effect that there would be no Christmas in that house. Later, whenever the moment seemed propitious, he aired his Christmas views more at length, and even illustrated them with occasional stories. All in all, he congratulated himself that he was accomplishing his purpose with exceptional cleverness and strategy.

"Think iv th' bargain days that follies Chris-mus!" he remarked one day at breakfast. "'Tis th' wa-ay iv th' wor-rld. Whin ye ha-ave no money th' lads in th' shtores is thryin' f'r to ha-and things out to ye at liss than ha-alf th' cost to ma-ake thim. Oho! they're sma-art min, those fellies. All th' year ye're sayin' to thim that they niver thruly sell annythin' at liss than cost, an' th' day afther Chris-mus they come back at ye an' say: 'We'll prove to ye now that we can do that very thing be offerin' th' goods at liss than cost whin ye're not in sha-ape f'r to buy thim.' I tell ye, Mary, th' wise wan is th' felly that plans f'r to ta-ake thim up whin they ma-ake th' bluff."

The logic of this seemed unanswerable to Policeman Flynn, and a few days later he supplemented it by reminding her that the year before she was "near dead f' thinkin' iv th' things ye c'u'd ha-ave an' comparin' thim with th' things ye did ha-ave, all because iv th' ba-ad habit iv goin' br-roke wanst a year." Next, after a reasonable interval, he told her about Cullen, one of the men at the station.

"Th' only throuble with Cullen," he said, "was that his hea-art was so big an' ray-sponsive that he c'u'dn't button his vist over it whiniver anny wan or annythin' appealed to it. He had a good head, too, but 't was nawthin' beside iv his hear-rt. His head was always givin' him th' r-right tip, but his hear-rt w'u'dn't l'ave him listen to it. That's why th' byes at th' station has f'r to dodge him reg'lar afther Chris'mus. He come to me on th' twinty-sivinth da-ay iv last Day-cimber—I ducked him on th' twinty-sixth, knowin' th' kind iv a la-ad he was, but he cornered me on th' twinty-sivinth—an' he says to me, he says, 'Barney,' he says, 'I ha-ave up to th' house,' he says, 'a br-right green nick-tie, an' a red nicktie, an' a polky dot nicktie, an' two pipes, an' a box iv see-gars, an' ol'-gold pair iv suspinders, an' some shlippers, an' a fut-rist,' he says; 'an' the good woman do be havin' a sort iv a dolly thing, an' a silk pitticoat, an' some shtockins with pale-blue clocks on thim, an' a pink shirrt-waist, an' a little statoo iv Vanus f'r to put on th' kitchen shelf, an' a' wather-caraffy, an' a new taypot,' he says, 'an' th' childher has a r-red sca-arf, an' a shled, an' a pair iv ska-ates, an' a toy gun, an' a little pathrol wagon, an' some blocks, an' a shteam injine.' Thin he sighs an' says: 'Barney, I niver intinded f'r to do it, but ye know how it is ye-ersilf. Will ye lind me th' loan iv a two-dollar bill so's we can ate till th' nixt pay-day?' That's th' wa-ay iv th' ma-an with th' big hear-rt, Mary, an' so I've had me hear-rt ossified."

This naturally had its effect on Mrs. Flynn. "Th' poor ma-an," she said to herself; "he do be ha-avin' a ha-ard time iv it over th' money, an' 'tis f'r me to help him out." So she gladdened his heart by proposing that they ignore Christmas entirely. As that was the very idea that he had in mind all along, he readily acquiesced. And yet, even in the hour of victory, he began to modify the compact, thus deliberately disproving his previous pessimistic assertions about the expected return favors.

"A bit iv something f'r Maggie an' Terry," he said, "but nawthin' ilse."

Here, however, Maggie objected. If there was to be any such arrangement she wished to be included in it. There was no reason why she should receive any presents if she was expected to give none; indeed, as she was receiving an independent salary for her work as a teacher, she told herself that there was all the less reason why her parents should incur any Christmas expenses on her account. As for her own money, she could do with that as she saw fit. It was right that they should be relieved of a burden that was rather hard to bear in the existing circumstances, but that was no reason why she should be deprived of the pleasure of giving. Here, it will be noticed, was another blow to Policeman Flynn's views of the selfishness that marks the modern Christmas, but of course he didn't know it. Maggie kept her opinions to herself, and merely insisted that she should be included in the compact.

Now this is an agreement that many people of limited means have entered into at various times, and they will appreciate the difficulties that confronted the parties to it. The Christmas spirit is contagious, and more than once Policeman Flynn regretted that he had been so far-sighted. When he saw anything that he wanted to buy for Mrs. Flynn or Maggie, he tried to console himself with the reflection: "Niver mind! 'T will be ma-arked down afther Chris-mus." But with this came the haunting fear that the stock might be exhausted before the day of bargain sales arrived. The occasional queries at the station: "What are ye goin' to buy th' good woman?" also worried him, for he feared a truthful answer would be misconstrued, and he would be put down as a miserly wretch with little affection for his family. He had one consolation, however. By tacit agreement Terry had been left out of the arrangement, as being too young rightfully to appreciate it, and so there was an opportunity to make some family purchases. Thus it happened that Christmas eve Policeman Flynn told his wife that he must get something more for Terry.

"But ye ha-ave a plinty f'r him," argued Mrs. Flynn.

"Are you th' wan that's doin' this, or am I?" he demanded, with some asperity.

"Oh, g'wan, if ye wa-ant to," she returned, "but ray-mimber wan thing."

"What's that?"

"Ray-mimber Cullen, th' la-ad iv th' big hear-rt that niver meant f'r to do it."

Policeman Flynn departed with the uncomfortable feeling of a criminal who fears he has been found out, and Mrs. Flynn chuckled. Then she retired to her room and made an investigation of one of the bureau drawers.

"'Twill niver do," she commented, as she held up one of Policeman Flynn's socks and regarded it critically. "'Tis a sha-ame th' min don't wear shtockin's. Now what'll I ta-ake f'r to ma-ake it seem r-right an' proper?"

Terry noted his mother's mysterious movements that night, but he was absolutely barred from the kitchen until morning, and Mrs. Flynn kept a close watch of him. Maggie was superintending or assisting to superintend a waifs' Christmas celebration, and did not get home until late. When she did come she made a mysterious trip to the kitchen in the dark and deposited some packages on the table. With the stealthiness of a thief Policeman Flynn came still later, and his movements were the most extraordinary of all. He removed his boots before going to the room where Mrs. Flynn was peacefully dreaming of the surprise she had in store for him, and after leaving that room he crept into his daughter's. Then he went to the kitchen, and felt along the wall until he found two pan-hooks, to which he carefully fastened certain things that he was carrying.

He was awakened the next morning by an outcry from Mrs. Flynn.

"Barney!" she cried. "Wake up! They's been a burglar here."

Policeman Flynn rolled out of bed and hastily reached for his Sunday boots, his only other pair having been left near the outer door when he took them off the night before. This feeling that he had only to put on his boots to be fully dressed was the result of sleeping at the station on reserve duty in times of great public excitement. But now he received a shock.

"Oh, th' murtherin' divil!" he cried. "He's shtole wan iv me boots!"

"Niver mind th' boot," retorted Mrs. Flynn. "He's shtole me only pair iv silk shtockin's that I had last Chris'mus! An' I hear him now," she added excitedly. "He's in th' kitchen, th' thief! Hear him laughin' at what he's done. F'r th' love iv Hiven, Barney, go down an' gra-ab him quick, an' I'll folly ye with a broom. Bad luck to him! He's afther r-robbin' Santy Claus!"

By this time Policeman Flynn had got part of his uniform on over his usual night attire, and was half-way down the stairs with his revolver in his hand. Mrs. Flynn, somewhat more nearly dressed than he, followed, and Maggie, who boasted of a really pretty house robe, joined them.

"Did he get anything from you?" Mrs. Flynn found time to ask.

"I don't know," answered Maggie. "He mussed up everything in one of my bureau drawers, anyway."

"'Tis Terry!" broke in Policeman Flynn, from the foot of the stairs.

The next moment he pushed open the door of the kitchen, and the three entered. Terry was actually rolling on the floor in a paroxysm of laughter.

"What's th' matther with ye?" roared Policeman Flynn.

For answer Terry simply pointed to a row of pan hooks on the wall, and laughed some more. From the first hung the silk stockings that Mrs. Flynn had missed, stretched all out of shape by the statuette that protruded from one and the patent egg-beater that looked over the top of the other, with incidental lumps of large size to indicate where a little china clock, some candy, and various other things had been crowded in. Next to this was a stocking that Maggie promptly recognized, although she blushed to note the knobby shape it had assumed in its efforts to provide room for the regulation box of candy, a bottle of perfume, a glove box, a fantastic little pincushion and a ready-made light-blue shirt waist rolled up and simply jammed in. But it was the last thing in the row that tickled Terry the most. This was Policeman Flynn's missing boot, and loose cigars filled to the top, with one pipe and two neckties, held in place by the cigars, nodding over the edge. There were also various packages on the table and on the floor.

"Oho!" exclaimed Policeman Flynn, "I see ye're not a woman iv ye-er wor-rd."

"An' ye f'rgot about Cullen," retorted Mrs. Flynn.

"Niver a bit," answered the policeman, "but wan might as well spind th' money himsilf as lind it to thim that does spind it. An' annyhow, 'tis no use thryin' f'r to f'rget whin 'tis Chris'mus."

"He Says to Me, He Says—"

"I'm glad," said Mrs. Flynn, "f'r to see ye ha-ave a bit iv sinse in ye-er head now an' thin."

A moment later she and Maggie were hurrying back upstairs, and Policeman Flynn was looking about him in a bewildered sort of way.

"Terry," he remarked, "I ha-ave a sort iv an idee that some wan kissed me. Was it Maggie or ye-er mother?"

"'Twas both," said Terry.

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The Indispensable "Well."

Across the club luncheon table a man looked up from his grilled sole and proclaimed that no man in England can carry on a conversation without saying "well," says the London Chronicle. The usual bet was made. For a week the two friends glared at each other, knowing that "well" is the beginning of most casual sentences. . . . You may not have noticed that! Dumbly they parted day by day, with a handshake, and the word "well ——" frozen on their lips. After a week one of the two had to confess that the language had got the better of him. "Well," he said, "I'd rather drop a sovereign over that dinner than choke that 'well.' I can't talk without it!"

UTES ONCE POWERFUL.

FAMOUS INDIAN TRIBE FAST BECOMING EXTINCT.

Something About Red Men Who Recently Left Their Reservation—Marriage Customs of the Race.

Washington.—Whether the band of Ute Indians, who were brought to a halt recently, after trailing some 500 miles diagonally across the state of Wyoming, were really out on the warpath, or merely playing truant, seems to be open to question. Indian Commissioner Leupp believes they were only "out visiting." The episode serves, at any rate, to draw public attention not only to the history and characteristics of an interesting tribe, but to the infrequency with which our red-skinned wards figure in the day's news. Two decades ago such a performance as this of the Utes would have passed all but unnoticed.

The Ute, or Utah Indians, form a division of the Shoshonean family, formerly occupying the region which extends from the Salt Lake basin in Utah eastward to the highest ridges of the Colorado Rockies.

When, in the early days of the last century, American hunters and pioneers first came in contact with them, the Utes were a powerful nation of some 25,000 souls. By the year 1841, however, when John C. Fremont made his first pathfinding expedition across the Rockies, they had been reduced through constant warfare with the Cheyennes and the Comanches to something like 18,000 persons. More fighting, amalgamation with neighboring tribes, and disease continued to deplete their numbers fearfully. In 1881 they numbered but 4,000, and in 1901, when the last enumeration was attempted, there were scarcely more than 2,500 of them.

The Utes have never been known either for their docility or their tractability, and whenever they have come into close proximity to the palefaces there has been trouble.

The Ute Nation consists of 15 direct tribes, but for many years it has been divided into three greater divisions. Of these the Southern Utes have retained their residence in Colorado while the branches known as the White River Utes and their kinsmen, the Uncompahgres, have lived since 1880 on the Uintah reservation in Utah. The very interesting customs and laws of the Utes, however, are common to all three divisions. There is a certain appropriateness in their living in Utah from the fact that a significant domestic practice of the people is polygamy. Time was when it was very much commoner than it is to-day, but that was when warfare kept the number of braves down, and the women outnumbered the men by more than three to one. The men marry at 18, the women at from 13 to 16, and if a Ute squaw remains unmarried at 20, she is treated as a pariah and stands a very good chance of being put to death as a witch before she is 40.

Ute marriage customs are peculiar. When a young girl reaches a marriageable age her parents shut her up in the tepee, where she is compelled to fast for four or five days. At the end of that time invitations are sent to the friends of the family, who gather about the tepee, where they are feasted, and then all, men and women alike, engage in a weird dance, shaking rattles, blowing on reed pipes and singing incantations. The parents feign disgust and go frequently to the door and bid them disperse. A commonly practiced procedure is to place the maiden on a couch of boughs over heated stones. Upon these stones water is poured and the victim is given a thorough steaming. After that she is led to the river for a plunge, and is then considered worthy of a husband.

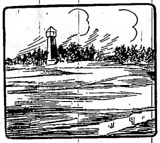
A Ute Indian Chief.

The courting time is ordinarily during the harvesting of the Utes' greatest crop, the mesquite bean. The young man approaches the father of the maiden humbly and asks the hand of the daughter. The father simulates rage and orders him away. The youth obeys, but returns shortly decked out in his gaudiest feathers, beads and paint. It always happens that the maiden is alone, whereupon they become acquainted, and then, if she is favorable to his quest, they go for a long walk or ride together in the woods. When they return they are considered married. They at once begin housekeeping in the home of the bride's mother, where they remain until the first child is born. The young brave then sets up his own tepee.

WHERE JOHN D. WILL SKATE.

Rockefeller to Have a Private Pond at Lakewood, N. J.

Lakewood, N. J.—Next to golf, John D. Rockefeller's favorite outdoor pastime is skating. Although he is within three years of attaining the Biblical fulness of age, threescore years and ten, Mr. Rockefeller, when he puts on a pair of skates and gets on the ice, is as agile as a boy of 12.



Site of Rockefeller's Artificial Lake.

In order that he may indulge his fondness for this pastime, and at the same time avoid the publicity which attends his every movement, Mr. Rockefeller is making at his country place here an artificial lake, four acres in extent. A small army of workmen is now engaged in making the excavation for the lake.

The site of this skating pond was chosen with much care by Mr. Rockefeller. His estate at Lakewood comprises 500 acres, most of it pine forest. It is back from the road about an eighth of a mile and the house is screened from the view of observers by a thick barrier of pine trees. Mr. Rockefeller has chosen a sheltered spot for his lake, about 100 yards beyond this barrier. Should any curious visitor succeed in getting through this pine hedge, he would find himself in a patch of thickly grown nettles through which it would be impossible to break his way.

Beyond this nettle patch is to be the skating pond. On the border of the further shore of the lake is a water tower, which serves also the purpose of a watch tower. A balcony has been built around this tower, and whenever Mr. Rockefelller is out on the grounds, whether playing golf or riding his bicycle over the miles of smooth roads that he has built, a watchman is stationed in this balcony to give warning of approaching intruders.

SOCIETY LEADER CARRIES CANE.

Pretty Pauline French Starts Fad at Newport.

Newport, R. I.—Miss Pauline French, the pretty niece of Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt, has taken on the cane-carrying habit, and every morning and afternoon, when she is not speeding her high-stepping pony she may be seen hiking up and down Bellevue avenue, using a handsome walking stick, man-fashion. As Miss French is a leader among the young set of girls, it is probable that the fad will be taken up generally among the young people and that in the near future the society belle without her cane will be an uncommon sight.

Tall and stately, as well as pretty, Miss French, with her cane in her hand, presents a very attractive picture.

Cane carrying among women appears to be a natural development of a tendency of the time. After the manner of the London girls, society belles tried carrying stuffed bears during the summer, but the American girl is too vivacious to keep steady company with such an inanimate object. Then more than ever the women took to carrying their pet poodles about in their arms, but the little fellows did not like it, and their constant squirming became a menace to lace sleeves. The cane, however, is a help in itself, and now that women must carry something to really be in style, it is evidently to be the thing.

Miss Pauline French.

Miss French's cane has a handle shaped like a shepherd's crook. It is bound with gold splendidly chased and is adorned with a ribbon bow which is changed daily to match the costume.

The best remedy against annoyance from small things is to battle with great.—Ivan Panin.

Sporting Gossip.

George B. Dovey, the new owner of the Boston Nationals, is a real fan. He is likewise a player. Like every one else who ever played ball, Dovey feels that he is as good to-day as he ever was, and one day he laughingly told Fren Tenney that if things go bad next summer he himself will don the uniform and get into the game. At that, Dovey isn't too old to play ball. He was born in 1862, but he doesn't look his age by any means. In his day Dovey was a star player. He never entered the major league for the simple reason that he would never play professional ball. As an amateur Dovey was a wonder, and for three or four years the St. Louis and Louisville big league clubs tried hard to sign him. He was born near Philadelphia and attended school in that city. During his school days he played for nearly all the fast local amateur teams. In 1886 he broke into real baseball. He pitched and played shortstop for the Paducah club. He made Barney Dreyfuss secretary of the club and ever since then Dreyfuss has been prominent in the game. Up to 1890 Dovey was in the mining business, and in the summer time always found enough time to play a little ball. In 1890 he embarked in street railroading, and has been at it ever since. Dovey bought the Boston club as a business investment. He didn't go there for his health; this he frankly admits. At the same time he is a real fan. He loves baseball, he knows most of the managers and players, and with the Boston Nationals under his care, Boston fandom may rest assured that he will do his utmost to get together a fast club.

A Japanese is the champion sprinter of the world. Minoru Fujii, a student in the Imperial University of Tokio, is the man. Since the Russian-Japanese war Americans have come to look on the Yankees of the orient as a people not only of promise, but of performance, and now it seems the little brown men are about to take the laurels of the athletic field. Fujii's record for 100 yards is 9 and 56-100 seconds; his time is considerably faster than the best time of Arthur Duffey, who ran 100 yards in 9 and 60-100 or 3-5 seconds, a record which has been stricken from the amateur record books because Duffey was a professional. The Japanese athlete ran really 100 meters, a distance equal to a little more than 10 yards, because the meter is the Japanese standard of measurement; his time for 100 meters was 10 and 24-100 seconds, the equivalent of 9 and 36-100 seconds for 100 yards. The remarkable performance of this modern mercury is certified to by Arata Hamao, L. D. D., president of the University of Tokio. Fujii was timed by an electrical mechanism, which makes an error in timing the runner very unlikely. Mr. Fujii is a strongly built and well proportioned man. He is 25 years old, 5 feet 7½ inches tall and weighs about 160 pounds. As a pole vaulter he has shown great athletic skill, vaulting with a bamboo pole over a cord, without touching the cord, at the height of 3.66 meters, or 12 feet and 94-100 inches. This vault won him the Japanese record. He also holds these records of the University of Tokio: 200 meters run (on turf), 25 and 74-100 seconds; long jump, 5.92 meters; throwing the cricket ball, 93.98 meters. If Fujii visits the United States our athletes will need to step lively.

Minoru Fujii.

President Stanley Robison of the St. Louis National league ball club has announced that "Sandow" Mertes would not be a member of the 1907 Cardinals and that Catcher Mike Grady would return. "Mertes is dissatisfied with his berth here and Manager McCloskey does not want a dissatisfied player on the team, so we deem it best to rid ourselves of him," said President Robison. "Grady was a hard worker last season and the reports that he won't return are not true. He has promised to give McCloskey his best efforts."

ANNOUNCEMENT.

We wish to call the attention of the public, our friends and patrons, that we are now doing business at the old stand (next door to the First State Bank) under the name of the HUNT HARDWARE COMPANY.

While our stock is somewhat broken in some lines just at present, it will be only a few days before our line will again be complete.

We desire to thank you for the patronage you have given us in the past, and we hope to merit a continuance of your trade in the future.

Wishing you a prosperous and Happy New Year, we are

Yours respectfully,

FRANK E. HUNT,

SAM E. HUNT.

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Y'ER BOTH RIGHT.

A. G. Bernard, of State Drainage League fame, is one of the promoters of another drainage association, this last one to be national in character. Bernard and his graft were too soon found out to suit him in his state drainage league maneuvers, and he is now going to work his graft over a larger area. You can always depend on old Bernard when it comes to grafting in his own interests.- Grand Rapids Independent.

Bernard has a way of "getting there," however, that is exceedingly vexing to his many enemies. Now, if he will just remain in Washington with his select little "four hundred" the north half of the state will be duly thankful. He is the most successful "butt-in" we know of.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Write it 1907.

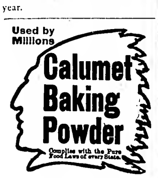
Did you turn over a new new leaf?

Congress reconvenes today and the people will again be treated to a war of words—mere words.

Carnegie says that an income tax makes liars. Any kind of a tax seems to create liars nowadays.

A Pennsylvania Russian who killed his wife seeks to justify his act this explanation: "I had a right to kill my wife. It's nobody's business but my own. She was mine." He must be some relation to the Czar.

Reports now being compiled indicate that there is an increase in this state this year of seventy creameries. There are said to be 800,000 dairy cows in the state. The production of butter this year is estimated at 90,000,000 pounds, compared with 80,000,000 pounds in 1905. The value of butter produced in 1905 was $20,000,000, and owing to the increase in the snpply and higher prices this year, the material increase over the preceding year.



Used by Millions

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The vote on the amendments at the last election was as follows: For the wide-open tax amendment 156,051, against 46,982; for good roads 141,870, against 49,232; for peddler's license 190,897, against 34,074. The road tax amendment is thus lost by about 300 votes.

The new freight tariffs issued by the Great Northern and the Northern Pacific railroads whicb went into effect on November 15 give northern Minnesota for the first time in its history as low freight rates as those effective in the older sections of the upper Mississippi valley, including southern Minnesota, Iowa and Wisconsin.

About everything that the farmer raises to sell has increased in price in the past few years—except wheat. About everything that he buys he has to pay more for than he used to. But he still sticks to wheat. Of course, the rsising of wheat is the easiest kind of farming—but wheat, and wheat only, has had its day as a profit-making business. The farmer who diversifies—sticks to the farm and works—works as many hours, the year round, as his wife does, will make money.

The Minnesota state legislature convenes next Tuesday, the 8th inst. There are many new members in both houses this time, much needed legislation that can be enacted to the everlasting good of a greater Minnesota, and it is undoubtedly true that never in the history of the state have the results of the work of the legislature been watched more carefully by the people than tbey will be this year. Minnesota solons can well afford to get into tbe game with the other western states as in favor of legislation for the people as against "the interests," and it is to be hoped that they will do so at every opportunity presented.

The daily papers of the middle west have been endeavoring to convince J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern systems, that he had announced tbat he would retire from the active management of the road, and that his son, Louis Warren Hill would be advanced to the presidency next July. When interviewed Mr. Hill was very empbatic in his denial of the story published in Minneapolis papers last Friday. "Nothing to it," was the terse comment of the financier. "But," came the afterthought, tersely as before, but with a hesitancy and weariness quite uncharacteristic of the Hill style of speech, "I'd like to retire tomorrow." The up-building of a vast transportation system has become the vitalizing force which directs his life's course, and will be imbued with his individual personality until natures forces causes him to falter or death calls him to cross the great divide.

WHEELOCK IS BACK.

Ralph W. Wheelock, who for a number of years conducted the "Thoughts on Things" column in the Minneapolis Tribune, but who a couple of years ago quit newspaper work to accept a position as private secretary to Mayor Jones of the mill city, has again come back to the fold and Tribune readers, and more especially tbe newspaper fraternity, will now and forever on enjoy again the witty personnel of this eminent writer. So many of the literary gems of tbe present day are the exclusive property of the newspaper man, and the public misses so much that is good in this line, that the Gazette takes pleasure in submitting to its readers Mr. Wheelock's greetings to the fraternity with his assumption of a place among them, which without doubt will be recognized as something out of the ordinary grind of the caterer to the public's literary tastes. Mr. Wheelock's "Personal Foreword" follows:

"To the Brethern of the Northwestern Press—Greetings:"

In the language of the Heathen Philosopher:
"What Is Mind? No Matter,"
"What Is Matter? Never Mind."

So, whether it is material or immaterial to you, who in times past have been kindly wont to treat your bumble servant with sweet patience, not to say most generous appreciation, I beg leave to address you once more from the Tribune tripod, which I have remounted as gracefully as I know how.

Two years is a short time in the history of a nation, a newspaper or an individual, and yet in this rapid age the world takes big jumps every few moments, and it may hump me some to cetch up with even my former modest place in tbe procession. If the old time long felt want should happen to be filled it will be up to me to create a new one, by much tbe same metbods used by tbe patent medicine promoter, who suggests so many symptoms that the public is forced to turn to bis panacea for relief from some of them.

There is notbing new under the sun, but the viewpoint of the old tbings changes witb every successive whirl of tbe wheels of time, just as tbe landscape seems to shift itself witb kaleidoscopic rapidity when viewed from the windows of a swift moving express train. Therefore, through "Thoughts on Things," as well as other channels of communication, I hope to revive my erstwhile agreeable relations with the Tribune constituency, and especially the Tribune exchange family, which has ever been an inspiration, and encouragement, a check upon pride and a means of discipline to, Yours Fraternally,

Ralpb W. Wheelock.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Tbe government department of agriculture has issued its report of the grain yield of the United States for the year 1906. It gives winter wheat 492,888,004 bushels, spring wheat 242,273,966 bushels, corn 2,927,416,090 bushels, oats 964,904,522 bushels.

The Lengby Star and Climax Tribune both suspended publication last week. The Beltrami Graphic and Mentor Herald also quit within the last month, making four less publications in the county. There still remain eight papers in the county.—Fertile Journal.

Congress reconvened today at 12 o'clock after the Christmas recess, but it is not expected that much business will be transacted in either branch until next week, as before the opening there was not a sufficient number of either senators or representatives in Washington to outline a plan of action. It is the purpose in a general way to proceed with the appropriation bills as rapidly as possible. but as neither house has any of these measures before it, both will be forced to take up other matters or adjourn from day to day until the committees can bring in some of the supply measures. There is an ever increasing tendency on the part of the national congress to move with deliberation when they wish to avoid taking up matters of momentary interest, and it would not be surprising to the people if nothing happened at Washington until the motion is put to adjourn in the spring. Then the whole body will sit up and take notice.

Every newspaper man, says an exchange, has at some time or other in bis business experience met the man who 'now takes mure papers tban he can read.' He wiped bis nose oo tbe awning, tried to blow out the light at the hotel, tried to light bis cigar on it, paid 25 cents for an almanac, put a nickle in the slot at the postoffice and kicked because the mail didn't appear, wanted to lick the banker because be closed at 4 o'clock, and watched the clock sign in front of a jewelry store waiting for it to strike, and still he 'takes more papers than he can read.

Occasionally a man gets dissatisfied with Minnesota. The milk is too yellow or the honey too sweet and he does'nt like to have them fluw over his land. Anyway he parts with his farm, sells his live stock and other articles too numerous to mention aod moves out west. Then he takes his good Minnesota money and buys a farm which is today, and tomorrow is not, or he tries Colorado and slouches around in the mud irrigating a strip so narrow that cow couldn't jump in a field because she jumps over it. Then he hears of Texas and goes down to hunt the bag of gold on the rainbow. In the daytime be scratches sandburs out his flesh and at night the tarantulas nibble at his feet and the centipedes crawl on his face. When his money is gone he feels like he did oo the first night that he stayed away from his home. He yearns for 'good old Minnesota and the yearn sticks in his throat and chokes him until tears come to his eyes. He would give a months work to see the old cows atanding at the bars on his old Minnesota farm and hear the horn blow for supper.—Ex.

CROOKSTON COLLEGE is an oid reliable achool that has established a reputation for turning out competent help and as a result of this, they have inquiries from all over the Northwest for bookkeepers, stenographers, teachers, clerks, etc. They have now several good positioos that tbey cannut fill. Write to J. C. Sathre, President

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BIDS FOR WOOD.

Paoposals will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county until 5 o'clock p. m., January 8, 1907 for fuanishing and delivering at at the court house in Red Lake Falls, sixty cords of green body poplar word. The Board reserves the rigbt to reject any or all bids.

James E. Ford,
County Auditor.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., for the purpose of electing Directors for the year 1907, will be held in the banking room, on Tuesday, Jan. 8tb, 1907, between the hours of 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

G. F. Hennings, Cashier.

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Tools, Guns, Ammunition,
Paints, Varnishes, Oils, Greases,

And everything you will want these lines. We intend to make the new store one of the finest in the county, and respectfully solicit the public's patronage. Come in and look over our line and get our prices.

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The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Jens Olson, of St Hilaire, was a caller here Monday evening.

Just received a car of Hocking Valley soft coal. See Salley for your supply.

Attorney Perl W. Mabey spent last night in the city attending to legal matters.

A good New Year's resolution—to smoke nothing out the "B. B." cigars this year.

Miss Anna Sutter returned to Crookston last evening after a week's visit here.

Chas. N. Bourdon and wife spent Tuesday evening with relatives at Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Nap Miller and family spent New Year's with their relatives and friends in this city.

Attorney Sam Cooke of Thief River Falls transacted business at the Judge of Probate's office Monday.

Dan Shaw and D. P. O'Neil of Thief River transacted business at the court house Friday of last week.

George Jarman was down from Thief River Falls over last night, looking after some business matters.

Mrs. Matt Maher came up from Crookston and spent New Year's day with her sisters and other relatives here.

Miss Mayme Linnihan spent several days the first of the week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lytle of Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bray are spending the week with relatives at Grand Forks, Crookston and other points in this neighborhood.

John and Oscar Naplin and Gus Lindquist were among the St. Hilaire people who attended the New Year's ball here Monday evening.

White Wyandottes cockrels and a few pullets for sale. Best thoroughbred stock. Will trade cockrels for macaroni wheat, buckwheat or barley.
7-4 Fred L. Farley.

Dr. Spofford is at Grand View Hotel, Red Lake Falls, the 7th day of every month. Latest scientific methods in examining eyes and fitting glasses.

J. E. Bray returned last Saturday from his visit at points in Eastern Canada. Mr. Bray will locate in that country and expects to leave with his family for that place on Wednesday of next week.

Mrs. G. H. Tibbetts left Tuesday evening for Flandreau, to spend the remainder of the winter with Mr. Tibbetts. Mrs. A. O. Davison and family accompanied her and will visit there several months.

Abner Fletcher went over to Grand Forks last evening, and next week will enter the University of North Dakota to take up the study of law. Ab is a bright young man and will without doubt make a success in his chosen profession.

Dr. J. W. Schram, of Park River, North Dakota, was a visitor at the A. P. Tonpin home from Thursday until Tuesday evening. This was the Doctor's second visit here, and while on this occasion he couldn't attend any "fishing parties," nevertheless there was enough doing to make his stay an enjoyable one.

Dr. N. M. Watson was called to St. Hilaire Thursday of last week, for a consultation with Dr. Nelson over the case of Leonard Holmes, who had been sick with a severe attack of the grippe and suffered a relapse. As yet the patient is still quite ill but all danger of typhoid, which was threatened, has been averted.

Mrs. J. M. Bray arrived here Monday from Calgary, N. W. T., to spend a couple of weeks with her many Red Lake Falls friends. Mrs. Bray reports that she and J. M. are very well pleased with Calgary as a place of abode, and that they have been prospering since leaving here. She also brings news of the health and happiness of the other Red Lake Falls people now living at Calgary.

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Noel Delorme spent New Years at his home in Lake Pleasant.

Rev. Father Ambrose was a visitor at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Wanted—A girl for general house work. Inquire of Mrs. S. M. Siverton, north side.

Ed L. Healy went down to the cities Tuesday evening on a brief business mission.

The Big Store has a long list of price quotations in their ad in today's Gazette.

A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. I. Lemieux, of Red Lake Falls township on Monday.

Dr. J. E. Argue went to St. Hilaire this morning on his regular monthly professional visit.

Mrs. C. N. Bourdon came home this morning from a brief visit with Crookston relatives.

J. F. Mathews, the Dorothy merchant, spent New Year's day with his Red Lake Falls friends.

For the next thirty days all Christmas and holiday goods will be sold at cost at Freund's confectionery.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ludolf Jahnke, living west of town, is reported quite ill with pleura pneumonia.

Walter Robbecke and Leon Bourque of Thief River Falls came down Monday evening to attend the Firemen's ball.

A set of book shelves is being built in the court room at the court house to accommodate the library of the court.

Mrs. Chas. E. Boughton and son left last Thursday for a week's visit with Mrs. Boughton's sister at Battle River.

Mrs. Selvan Hall departed last evening for her home at Cass Lake, after a pleasant visit with her parents in this city.

Orson Doe left Tuesday evening for Wimbledon, North Dakota, where he has accepted a position with the Crowley Drug company.

Miss Laura Delert, of Faribault, has been engaged by the school board to fill the unexpired term of Miss Ada Foote, who resigned several weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnson expect to leave tomorrow for their home at Park River, North Dakota, after a delightfully pleasant holiday visit in Red Lake Falls.

School will commence again next Monday, after a two weeks' holiday vacation. The teachers will all arrive here the last of the week from their holiday visits.

Notice the new ad of Paul's hotel elsewhere in today's Gazette. This popular hostelry is making a bid for the public's trade, by keeping a strictly up-to date place.

Miss Clarice Duffy was badly bruised by being thrown from a sled while coasting the first of the week. The injuries were quite painful, but the little Miss suffered no serious consequences.

Prof. E. W. Chamberlain attended the session of the Minnesota State Educational association at Minneapolis Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week, returning home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Prudhomme, of Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. C. Prudhomme, of Winnipeg, and Ed. Fournier, of Argyle, arrived here today for a visit of a week or so at the Leon Laurent home in this city and with Joseph Laurent and family at Terrebonne.

County Attorney and Mrs. Thomas Germo entertained a few friends at a six o'clock dinner at their Third street home Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Johnson were the guests of honor. The menu was an elaborate one, and was fully enjoyed by those fortunate enough to be present.

Judge of Probate Tarrant received notice from the superintendent of the state school for the feeble minded at Faribault this week, that Wm. Juneau, of this county, has been transferred from the insane hospital to that institution. The patient was committed to the Fergus Falls asylum some time back, but was judged by the authorities there as a subject for the feeble minded home, hence the transfer.

Frank E. Hunt left Monday evening for an extended trip throughout the eastern states, and will spend the next month with relatives and old-time friends residing there. Most of the time he will spend in Rhode Island, but he expects to visit all of the principal eastern cities before returning home. During Mr. Hunt's absence, M. A. Converse will have charge of the store, and will be assisted by Sam E. Hunt, who will be in off the road a day or two every week.

Salley sells coal. Phone 79.

The days are growing longer.

Luc Duhuc visited over Friday night at Crookston.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

"Bad Bill" Ittner 's spending today with his brother, A. F., at St. Hilaire.

An eight year old horse for sale cheap. Inquire at office of Germo & Farley.

Mrs. Selvan Hall visited between trains Saturday with relatives at St. Hilaire.

Miss Anna Verboncour, of Grand Forks, is a guest of her sisters here this week.

Attorneys Grady and Germo transacted legal business at Crookston last Friday evening.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher returned to Grand Forks last evening, after a week's visit here.

Olaf Floan returned home Monday evening from a few days' visit with Thief River relatives.

If your eyes don't feel just right call and have them examined.—Henry W. Anderson, Optician.

Tella Morin left Monday evening to spend several days taking in the sights of the Twin cities.

Wm. Erb, jr., went down to Minneapolis Monday evening where he will spend a month or so with relatives.

Miss Emma Allard came over from East Grand Forks Monday to spend a week with her many young friends here.

Ernest Fletcher returned to Langdon, North Dakota, last evening, after having spent a couple of weeks at his home here.

Miss Ida Miller, the popular saleslady at the Busy Store, is spending the week at her home in Hillsboro, North Dakota.

The directors of the Plummer Creamery association will meet at Plummer on Tuesday, January 8th, at 10 o'clock a. m

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Adams, of St. Hilaire, took in the firemen's ball here Monday evening and spent New Year's day with friends.

Several young people from town attended a card party at the Androis Delorme farm home in Lake Pleasant New Year's evening.

V. M. Higinbotham left last Thursday evening for his old home at Forest City, Iowa, to spend a few days at home of his parents there.

Miss Esther Kretzschmar came down from Thief River Monday evening to attend the firemen's New Year's ball at the Metropolitan.

Mrs. Carl Kretzschmar and son returned to their home at Thief River Falls Tuesday after a week's visit at the W. A. Schreiter home in this city.

John B. O'Brien and family are now residents of Red Lake Falls, occupying the Ed Bray residence on Third street. It will be Auditor O'Brien after next week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wander, of Spring Hill, this state, departed last evening for their home, after having spent a pleasant week at the home of their son, J. C., in this city.

FARM LOAN:—We have money of private parties to loan on improved farms at 7 per cent. Liberal terms of payment. No delays. Come and see us before placing a loan. Germo & Farley. d13 4w

Carl E. Peterson, of the Gazette force, received a message yesterday morning, telling him of the death of his father, Ole Peterson, at his home in Evansville. Deceased was about 85 years of age, and had been in poor health for some time past.

Mrs. Frank Sirois left the latter part of last week for her home at Ripple, after a pleasant holiday visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul and many Red Lake Falls friends. Miss Rose Cyr accompanied her for an extended visit at Ripple.

The promenade concert by the band last Thursday evening, was as usual well attended and highly enjoyed. The band acquitted itself very creditably, and besides the regular program played a number of extra dance numbers. Following the concert the orchestra furnished music for an hour's hop.

State Superintendent Olson says in a letter written to him by a teacher that a teacher cannot be required to prepare kindling wood, build fires or do ordinary janitor work around the school house. A teacher is hired to teach school, he says, and it is good economy to see that fuel is provided and that fires are built so that the building may be ventilated before 9 o'clock.

Octave Lefeivre one of the prosperous farmers of Garnes was in town Saturday and remembered the Gazette by calling at this office and renewing his subscription. Mr. Lefeivre is one of the farmers of this section who has abandoned the "one idea" of farming—that of raising wheat year after year—and has adopted the diversified method of agriculture with the result that today he is free from debt and is one of the most substantial farmers of Red Lake county.

See Salley for your coal supply.

'Phone 7—Groceries—SPILLANES.

E. G. Storaasli spent Friday at Crookston.

C. O. Kankel and wife of Terrebonne, were callers here Monday.

Will Brady came down from Itasca county Saturday for a visit with his relatives here.

See Salley for your hard and soft coal. Large stock on hand and delivery made promptly.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Sheriff Dan Linnihan went down to Lake Park Saturday evening for an over Sunday business visit.

You will like the "B. B." better after you have tried other cigars. The "B. B." is there with the goods all the time.

The Misses Iza Tibbetts and Dorretta Matthies left Tuesday evening for Moorhead to resume their studies at the State Normal.

Frank Latendresse, of Overly, N. Dak., and Joseph Houle, of Gilby, arrived here Tuesday to spend a week with their many friends.

James Brady and family returned to their Olmstead, North Dakota, home Friday evening after a holiday visit with relatives here.

The annual meeting og the stockholders of the Emardville Creamery association will be held at Plummer on Monday, January 14th, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Peter Benoit, taxidermist, can mount any animal or bird. Will buy all kinds of hides and furs. Third door north of postoffice. Call and see him. tf.

Chas. Koch, an employee of the general office of the Great Northern railway at St. Paul, spent New Year's with his brother, William, of the Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dupont returned to their Crookston home the first of the week after a pleasant visit at the home of Mrs. Dupont's sister, Mrs Simon Paul.

Arthur Lacoursiere, son of O. Lacoursiere, was taken to the hospital at Brainerd Tuesday evening, where he will receive treatment for an attack of typhoid fever, with which he is suffering.

The annual exhibition of the Red River Valley Poultry Assn., will be held in Crookston on the 7, 8, 9 of February and the program will be one of the most interesting ever announced by association.

County Treasurer-elect Tandberg came down from Thief River Falls Friday evening and spent the night here. Mr. Tandberg will move his family here just as soon as he can find a tenant for his Thief River property.

The annual meeting of the state agricultural society will be held in Minneapolis, Jan. 8th, 9th and 10th. This includes also the live stock breeders, the state farmers club, the field crop breeders, and the food and dairy commission. Reduced rates have been secured on the railroads.

Fertile Journal: At the late annual meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society, held in Minneapolis, Mr. Otto Kankel, our enterprising miller, was elected vice-president of that society for the Ninth Congressional district, without a dissenting vote. We congratulate Mr. Kankel on his election to the position.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson and son, Leslie, left Friday evening for Iowa Falls, Iowa, to spend a week with the doctor's mother and sisters who reside there. Burt Wilkinson, of Poplar River, also went down last week, and for the first time in several years the family was all together on New Years day. The Doctor will return home tomorrow or Saturday.

Sam E. Hunt left Tuesday evening on his initial trip on the road as salesman for the Marshall-Wells Hardware company, of Duluth. Sam has been given territory in this section of the state and will make his headquarters here, being at home over Sunday nearly every week. Sam will make a popular travelling salesman, and will get the business for his company.

Agent Tracy and Operator Hall of the Great Northern received an Xmas present from the company in the shape of an increase in salary of ten per cent, dating from December 1. Agent Mizen of the Northern Pacific received a like raise on January 1. There is nothing too good for these fellows, and if the raise had been 100 per cent. it would please the people all the more.

Roadmaster Ed Regan and Foreman Con Kehoe went down to Crookston last evening, and today are taking a snow plow and flanger over this line. This branch of the Great Northern is about the only one on the system that has not been blockaded this year, which fact is due to the diligence and experience of Roadmaster Regan, who is one of the cleverest railroaders in the business. The trains on this line have not been delayed an instant so far this year, and Ed proposes to see that they are not if he can help it.

200 cords dry poplar wood for sale, delivered at your door. C. E. Boughton. d8tf

Miss Amelia Berget returned here Saturday after a week's visit at her home in Crookston.

Jack Pahlen was in from Plummer over Sunday and New Year's visiting with his many friends here.

Onezime Lacoursiere came up from Crookston to spend New Year's with his relatives and many friends here.

Manager C. D. Carter of Crookston was in the city Saturday looking after business for the Northwestern Telephone Co.

Mesdames J. J. Cahill and Wm. Koch, jr., and children, arrived from St. Paul Monday to spend some time with their husbands here.

F. R. Creglow left Saturday evening for Rock Rapids, Iowa, where he will spend the next few months with his family who are living there.

Guy A. Auboi, deputy revenue inspector, was checking up Brunelle Bros., cigar factory and looking after other government business here today. As usual he found the cigar shop compling with every regulation.

Miss Ada Foote came over from East Grand Forks to take in the firemen's ball and spend New Year's with her many friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Farley rejoice in the arrival of a handsome new girl baby at their home late Sunday afternoon. Congratulations are extended.

A family reunion was held at the Joseph Patnode home in Gervais township on New Year's day. All members of the family living in this neighborhood were present, and a very pleasant time was had by all.

C. W. Johnson moved his family in from Polk Center last week, and is now comfortably settled in the Gunligam house on Third street. Mr Johnson will assume his duties as Clerk of Court of Red Lake county next Tuesday.

Mrs. Ovide Emard and daughter, Beatrice, and Mrs. D. W. Brown, returned Friday from St. Thomas, North Dakota, where they attended the wedding of Scott Hall and Miss Clara Pearce, mention of which is made elsewhere in today's Gazette.

The new pure food law is to go into effect January 1st and after that date only pure goods will be allowed to be shipped into the state. This will be a hard blow to the catalogue houses and will place them on equal footing with the merchants. Adulterated goods must be labeled as such.

Lost—Left my premises on Tuesday Dec. 11th, a yellow bitch with a white spot on nose and white under neck, which will answer to the name of "Beauty." She had a leather collar with the name H. St. Yves cut in the collar. Anyone knowing her whereabouts please notify me. L. O. Cadieux, Terrebonne, Minn.

George Curran came down from the Upper Falls Monday to take in the firemen's ball and visit with friends in the city. George is one of the old "war horses" of the diamond at Thief River and has participated in many hard fought battle on the local field, reminiscences of which are still legend when any of the old fans get together. George claims that he is out of the running as a ball player, but we fear that when the spring time comes and the aroma of the "horse hide" tickles his nostrils, the fever will get in its work, and he will be the first one out on the village common giving the old "Indian" war cry and yelling to some small boy to "put 'er first."

The New Year's ball given by the Red Lake Falls Fire Department at the Metropolitan opera house Monday evening, proved to be all that was anticipated, and was one of the most enjoyable social events held in Red Lake Falls for several years past. An exceptionally large number of people turned out to trip the light fantastic as the old year passed into oblivion, and the hall at all times rung with the laughter and joy of the dancers. The firemen had decorated the auditorium in neat style, and every arrangement was looked after that would tend to make those present enjoy themselves. The Red Lake Falls orchestra was its best, which is saying much, and the spirit of the evening was fully entered into by all. Several from St. Hilaire, Thief River and other neighboring points were present, and were shown a good time. Supper was served at midnight at Mrs. Hall's restaurant and Paul's hotel, and both spreads were well patronized. The dancing continued over several hours into the new year, and it was with reluctance that the people finally dispersed and left for home. The department netted a neat sum for their efforts, and established themselves in the hearts of all as princely entertainers

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Red Lake Falls Co-operative Creamery Ass'n. will be held in the City Hall on Monday, January 7, 1907, for the purpose of electing officers.

G. F. HENNINGS, Sec'y.

Bemidji Pioneer: Z. A. Cadieux who has been running on the Duluth-Crookston line night train as mail clerk, has resigned his position and will engage in some other line of business. The work on the road is getting to be very strenuous for mail clerks, and numbers are daily quitting and the positions are not sought after as formerly

Roy Blake of this city, who is at present working with the Tri-State Telephone company at Casselton, N. Dak., met with what might have proven a serious accident last week. He was at work at the top of a 'phone pole, when his hatchet slipped and struck him in the neck, nearly severing his jugular vein. His injury was attended to at once, and he writes that he will be all o. k. again in a few days. Roy has "made good" in the fullest sense with the Tri-State people, and was recently promoted from line work to work in the office out there. His friends here are pleased to learn of his success.

Right Prices for the ..New Year..

We want to start the New Year right by making special prices all along the line. We want your trade, but not out of sympathy; we want it because we will try to deserve it. Here is a list that will save you money:

Sewing Machine Oil per bottle	4c
Heinz 40c Celery Sauce for	29c
Gillett's 30c Vanilla Extract	19c
1 pint bottle of good Catsup	10c
Preserved Red Raspberries	12c
3 lb. can of Hominy	10c
Justrite Can Peas early June	9c
25c can of Cove Oysters	22c
1 gallon of good Catsup	58c
Half-gallon of good Catsup	35c
1 gal Carol Syrup best made	40c
Calumet Coffee, worth 20c	18c
Best Soda Crackers made	7½c
12 oz. Royal Baking Powder	35c
16 oz Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder	20c
Lion Coffee, per package	15c
Walter Baker's Chocolate	35c
Best Saleratus, package	6c
1 package good Figs	6c
Best Gloss Starch, package	7c
Corn Starch, per package	5c
Navy Beans, per pound	4c
Best Cocoanut, per pound	20c
2½ lb Oriole Rice, finest rice grown	25c
1 package Cabin Pan Cake Flour	9c
Egg-O-See, per package	9c
Triumph Corn, 3 for 25c; per dozen	75c
Puffed Rice, per package	9c
German Dill Pickles, lb. best ever sold	10c
Monarch Plum Pudding better than the best	25c
Mixed Sweet Pickles, per quart	15c
Pure Minnesota Sorghum, per quart	20c
Log Cabin Maple Syrup, gallon	$1.35

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Full cream, Old cheese and Maple Leaf.

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER I.

The Dead City.

The city without life lay handsomely along a river in the early sunlight of a September morning. Death had seemingly not been long upon it, nor had it made any scar. No breach or rent or disorder or sign of violence could be seen. The long, shaded streets breathed the still airs of utter peace and quiet. From the half-circle around which the broad river bent its mossy current, the neat houses, set in cool, green gardens, were terraced up the high hill, and from the summit of this a stately marble temple, glittering of newness, towered far above them in placid benediction.

From a skiff in mid-river, a young man rowing toward the dead city rested on his oars and looked over his shoulder to the temple on the hilltop.

Landing presently at the wharf, he was stunned by the hush of the streets. This was not like the city of 20,000 people he had left three months before. In blank bewilderment he stood, turning to each quarter for some solution of the mystery. Perceiving at length that there was really no life either way along the river, he started wonderingly up a street that led from the waterside—a street which, when he had last walked it, was quickening with the rush of a mighty commerce.

Soon his expression of wonder was darkened by a shade of anxiety. There was an unnerving quality in the trance-like stillness; and the mystery of it pricked him to forebodings. He was now passing empty workshops, hesitating at door after door with ever-mounting alarm. Then he began to call but the sound of his voice served only to aggravate the silence.

Growing bolder, he tried some of the doors and found them to yield, letting him into a kind of smothered, troubled quietness even more oppressive than that outside. He passed an empty ropewalk, the hemp strewn untidily about, as if the workers had left hurriedly. He peered curiously at idle looms and deserted spinning-wheels—deserted apparently but the instant before he came. It seemed as if the people were fled maliciously just in front, to leave him in this fearfullest of all solitudes. He wondered if he did not hear their quick, furtive steps, and see the vanishing shadows of them.

At last, half-way up the next block, he thought his eyes caught for a short half second the mere thin shadow of a skulking figure. It had seemed to pass through a grape arbour that all but shielded from the street a house slightly more pretentious than its neighbors. He ran toward the spot, calling as he went. But when he had vaulted over the low fence, run across the garden and around the end of the arbor, dense with the green leaves and clusters of purple grapes, the space in front of the house was bare. If more than a trick-phantom of his eye had been there, it had vanished.

He stepped inside and called. There was no answer, but above his head a board creaked. He started up the stairs in front of him, and, as he did so, he seemed to hear cautious steps across a bare floor above. He stopped climbing; the steps ceased. He started up, and the steps came again. He knew now they came from a room at the head of the stairs. He bounded up the remaining steps and pushed open the door with a loud "Halloo!"

The room was empty. Yet across it there was the indefinable trail of a presence—an odor, a vibration, he knew not what—and where a bar of sunlight cut the gloom under a half-raised curtain, he saw the motes in the air all astir. Opposite the door he had opened was another, leading, apparently, to a room at the back of the house.

Determined to be no longer eluded, he crossed the room on tiptoe and gently tried the opposite door. It was locked. As he leaned against it, almost in a terror of suspense, he knew he heard again those little seemings of a presence a door's thickness away. He did not hesitate. Still holding the turned knob in his hand, he quickly crouched back and brought his flexed shoulder heavily against the door. It flew open with a breaking sound, and, with a little gasp of triumph, he was in the room to confront its unknown occupant.

Then, from behind the door he had opened, a staggering blow was dealt him, and, before he could recover, or had done more than blindly crook one arm protectingly before his face, he was borne heavily to the floor, writhing in a grasp that centered all its crushing power about his throat.

CHAPTER II.

The Wild Ram of the Mountains.

Slight though his figure was, it was lithe and active and well-muscled, and he knew as they struggled that his assailant was possessed of no greater advantage than had lain in his point of attack. In strength, apparently, they were well matched. Twice they rolled over on the carpeted floor, and then, despite the big, bony hands pressing about his throat, he turned his burden under him, and all but loosened the killing clutch. This brought them close to the window, but again he was swiftly drawn underneath.

As the light flooded in, he saw the truth, even before his now panting and sneezing antagonist did. Releasing the pressure from his throat with a sudden access of strength born of the new knowledge, he managed to gasp, though thickly and with pain, as they still strove:

"Seth Wright—wait—let go—wait, Seth—I'm Joel—Joel Rae!"

He managed it with difficulty.

"Joel Rae—Rae—Rae—don't you see?"

They looked at each other in panting amazement, until the older man recovered his breath and spoke:

"Gosh and all beeswax! The Wild Ram of the Mountains a-settin' on the Lute of the Holy Ghost's stomach a-chokin' him to death. My sakes! I'm a-pantin' like a tuckered hound—a-thinkin' he was a cussed milishy mobocrat come to spoil his household!"

The younger man was now able to speak, albeit his breathing was still heavy and the marks of the struggle plain upon him.

"What does it mean, Brother Wright—all this? Where are the Saints we left here—why is the city deserted—and why this—this?"

A Staggering Blow Was Dealt Him.

"Thought you was a milishy man, I tell you, from the careless way you hollered—one of Brockman's devils come back a-snoopin', and I didn't crave trouble, but when I saw the Lord appeared to reely want me to cope with the powers of darkness, why, I jist gritted into you for the consolation of Israel. You'd 'a' got your come-uppance, too, if you'd 'a' been a mobber. You was nigh a-ceasin' to breathe, Joel Rae. In another minute I wouldn't 'a' give the ashes of a rye-straw for your part in the tree of life!"

"Yes, yes, man, but go back a little. Where are our people, the sick, the old, and the poor, that we had to leave till now? Tell me, quick."

The older man sprang up, the late struggle driven from his mind, his face scowling. He turned upon his questioner.

"Does my fury swell up in me? No wonder! And you hain't guessed why? Well, them pitiful remnant of Saints, the sick, the old, the poor, waitin' to be helped yender to winter quarters, has been throwed out into that there slough acrost the river, six hundred and forty of 'em."

"When we were keeping faith by going?"

"What does a mobocrat care for faith-keepin'? Have you brought back the wagons?"

"Yes; they'll reach the other side to-night. I came ahead and made the lower crossing. I've seen nothing and heard nothing. Go on—tell me—talk, man!"

"Talk?—yes, I'll talk! We've had mobs and the very scum of hell to boil over here. This is Saturday, the 19th, ain't it? Well, Brockman marched against this stronghold of Israel jest a week ago, with 800 men. Tuesday, along comes a committee of 100 to negotiate peace. Well, Wednesday evening they signed terms, spite of all I could do. I'd 'a' fought till the white crows come a-cawin', but the rest of 'em wasn't so het up with the Holy Ghost, I reckon. Anyway, they signed. The terms wasn't reely set till Thursday morning, but we knew thay would be, and so all Wednesday night we was movin' acrost the river, and it kept up all next day—day before yesterday. You'd ought to 'a' been here then; you wouldn't wonder at my comin' down on you like a thousand of brick jest now, takin' you for a mobocrat. You'd 'a' seen families druv right out of their homes, with no horses, tents, money, nor a day's provisions—jest a little foolish household stuff they could carry in thair hands—sick men and women carried on beds, mothers luggin' babies and leadin' children. My sakes! but I did want to run some bullets and fill my old horn with powder for the consolation of Israel! They're lyin' out over there in the slough now, as many as ain't gone to glory. It made me jest plumb murderous!"

The younger man uttered a sharp cry of anguish. "What, oh, what has been our sin, that we must be proved again? Why have we got to be chastened?"

"Then Brockman's force marched in Thursday afternoon, and hell was let loose. His devils have plundered the town, thrown out the bedridden that jest couldn't move, thrown their goods after 'em, burned, murdered, tore up. You come up from the river, and you ain't seen that yet—they ain't touched the lower part of town—and now they're bunkin' in the temple, defacin' it—that place we built to be a house of rest for the Lord when he cometh again. They drove me acrost the river yesterday, and promised to shoot me if I dast show myself again. I sneaked over in a skiff last night and got here to get my two pistols and some money and trinkets we'd hid out. I was goin' to cross again to-night and wait for you and the wagons."

"Do you know, Bishop, I've thought that he might mean us to save ourselves against this Gentile persecution. Sometimes I find it hard to control myself."

The Bishop grinned appreciatively.

"So I heer'd. The Lute of the Holy Ghost got too rambunctious back in the States on the subject of our wrongs. And so they called you back from your mission?"

"They said I must learn to school myself; that I might hurt the cause by my ill-tempered zeal—and yet I brought in many—"

"I don't blame you. I got in trouble the first and only mission I went on, and the first time I preached, at that. When I said, 'Joseph was ordained by Peter, James and John,' a drunken wag in the audience got up and called me a damned liar. I started for him. I never reached him, but I reached the end of my mission right there. The Twelve decided I was usefuller here at home. They said I hadn't got enough of the Lord's humility for outside work. That was why they put me at the head of—that little organization I wanted you to join last spring. And it's done good work, too. You'll join now fast enough, I guess. You begin to see the need of such doin's. I can give you the oath any time."

"No, Bishop, I didn't mean that kind of resistance. It sounded too practical for me; I'm still satisfied to be the Lute of the Holy Ghost."

"You can be a Son of Dan, too."

"Not yet, not yet. We must still be a little meek in the face of Heaven."

"You're in a mighty poor place to practice meekness. What'd you cross the river for, anyway?"

"Why, for father and mother, of course. They must be safe at Green Plains. Can I get out there without trouble?"

The Bishop sneered.

"Be meek, will you? Well, mosey out to Green Plains and begin there. It's a burned plains you'll find, and Lima and Morley all the same, and Bear Creek. The mobbers started out from Warsaw, and burned all in their way, Morley first, than Green Plains, Bear Creek and Lima. They'd set fire to the houses and drive the folks in ahead. They killed Ed Durfee at Morley for talkin' back to 'em."

"But father and mother, surely—"

"Your pa and ma was druv in here with the rest, like cattle to the slaughter."

"You don't mean to say they're over there on the river bank?"

"Now, they's a kind of a mystery about that—why they wa'n't throwed out with the rest. Your ma's sick abed—she ain't ever been peart since the night your pa's house was fired and they had to walk in—but that ain't the reason they wa'n't throwed out. They put out others sicker. They flung families where every one was sick out into that slough. I guess what's left of 'em wouldn't be a supper-spell for a bunch of long-billed mosquitoes. But one of them milishy captains was certainly partial to your folks for some reason. They was let to stay in Phin Daggin's housa till you come."

"And Prudence—tha Corsons—Miss Prudence Corson?"

"Oh, ho! So she's the one, is she? Now that reminds me, mebbe I can guess tha cute of that captain's partiality. That girl's been kind of lookin' after your pa and ma, and that same milishy captain's been kind of lookin' after the girl. She got him to let her folks go to Springfield."

"But that's the wrong way."

"Well, now, I don't want to spleen, but I never did believe Vince Corson was anything more'n a hickory Saint—and there's been a lot of talk—but you get yours from the girl. If I ain't been misled, she's got some ready for you."

"Bishop, will there be a way for us to get into the temple, for her to be sealed to me? I've looked forward to that, you know. It would be hard to miss it."

"The mob's got the temple, even if you got the girl. There's a verse writ in charcoal on the portal:

"'Large House, tall steeple,
Silly priests, deluded people.'

"That's how it is for the temple, and the mob's bunked there. But the girl may have changed her mind, too."

The young man's expression became wistful and gentle, yet serenely sure.

CHAPTER III.

The Lute of the Holy Ghost Breaks His Fast.

In his cautious approach to the Daggin house, he came upon her unawares—a slight, slender, shapely thing of pink and golden flame, as she poised where the sun came full upon her. One hand clutched her flowing blue skirts snugly about her ankles; the other opened coaxingly to a kitten crouched to spring on the limb of an apple tree above her. The head was thrown back, the vivid lips were parted, and he heard her laugh low to herself.

Stepping from the covert that had shielded him, he called softly to her.

"Prudence—Prue!"

She had reached for the kitten, but at the sound of his low, vigorous note, she turned quickly toward him, coloring with a glow that spread from the corner of the crossed kerchief up to the yellow hair above her brow. She answered with quick breaths.

"Joel—Joel—Joel!"

She laughed aloud, clapping her small hands, and he ran to her—over beds of marigolds, heartsease and lady slippers, through a row of drowsy looking, heavy-headed dahlias, and past other withering flowers, all but choked out by the rank garden growths of late summer. Then his arms opened and seemed to swallow the leaping little figure.

"You dear old sobersides, you—how gaunt and careworn you look, and how hungry, and what wild eyes you have to frighten one with! At first I thought you were a crazy man."

He held her face up to his eager eyes, having no words to say, overcome by the joy that surged through him like a mighty rush of waters. In the moment's glorious certainty he rested until she stirred nervously under his devouring look, and spoke.

"Come, kiss me now and let me go."

He kissed her eyes so that she shut them; then he kissed her lips—long—letting her go at last, grudgingly, fearfully, unsatisfied.

"You scare me when you look that way. You mustn't be so fierce."

"I told him he didn't know you."

"Who didn't know me, sir?"

"A man who said I wasn't sure of you."

"So you are sura of me, are you, Mr. Preacherman? Is it because we've been sweethearts since so long? But remember you've been much away. I've seen you—let me count—but one little time of two weeks in three years. You would go on that horrid mission."

"Is not religion made up of obedience, let life or death come?"

"Is there no room for loving one's sweetheart in it?"

"One must obey, and I am a better man for having denied myself and gone. I can love you better. I have been taught to think of othera. I was sent to open up the gospel in the eastern states because I had been endowed with almost the open vision. It was my call to help in the setting up of the Messiah's latter-day kingdom. Besides, we may never question the commands of the holy priesthood, even if our wicked hearts rebel in secret."

"If you had questioned the right person sharply enough, you might have had an answer as to why you were sent."

"What do you mean? How could I have questioned? How could I have rebelled against the stepping-stone of my exaltation?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Gambling Mania a Menace

Margaret Sangster Sees Evil in Fashion's Sanction of the Custom of Playing Cards for Money—The Fatal Folly of Imitation.

BY MARGARET E. SANGSTER.

Playing cards for money has become a very common occurrence with women of fashion. Whatevar the sum hazarded tha principle remains the same. Gambling has crept in by imperceptible degrees and has familiarized itsalf as a society pastime.

A generation ago, it would have been regarded as shocking and disreputable in tha extreme for decent and virtuous women, mothers and wives and sisters to play at games of chance, here in America. People knew that such thinga were done at Monte Carlo, and that the feverish lust that is tha fatal poison of the inveterate gambler sometimes found its way into the life of a woman otherwise moral. But, taking it all in all, is was not supposed that decent women would stoop to card playing for money or would lend themselves to the excitements that follow in its wake.

In Edith Wharton's spectacular novel, "The House of Mirth," a glimpse is given of the desolation that may come to an individual life when a girl at once poor, proud and beautiful, sits down at the card table and presently finds herself in the clutches of debts that she cannot pay. There are those who fancy that Lily Bart's predicament is exaggerated and who have no toleration for her temptations. They do not see that Mrs. Wharton's book is less a work of imagination than a succession of photographs. She simply told in narrative form, that which she had seen in the society of a big cosmopolitan city.

Since bridge whist became popular it has monopolized the attention and time and formed the chief diversion of elegant women in homes where luxuries abound and a golden stream flows in a full tide from the pockets of men whose names are potential in Wall street, and in the finances of the world. The money kings make possible the costly amusements of the money queens and the money princesses. When a little country cousin comes to town for the season with a trunk filled with pretty furbelows and the sweet enchanting grace of youth in her dimples and her bright eyes, she is set down at the card table, and perhaps innocently begins to play, not imagining that losses are to be taken seriously. Sometimes there comes to her a moment of extreme bitterness when she discovers that her losses are so large that to settle them will absorb all that her father gave her for the winter'a outfit, or that she must apply at home for a cheque to save her from disgrace. Yet this is better for her as an experience than to receive a generous sum in tha opposite direction. Winnings are much too apt to turn a youthful head and to lead the fortunate player away from discretion and into greater hazarda.

A few months ago, a girl visitor at a country house found herself singled out for observation and treated with patronizing insolence and ridicule by fellow guesta because she had the courage of her convictiona and her training and absolutely refused to be a partner in any game that waa played for money. If only young girls and older women in society would accept the position taken by this conscientious and fearleas young woman an enormous amount of misery and suffering would be prevented, and the tide of reckless passion in society gambling would be stemmed.

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At the root of gambling lies the falsity of trying to get something for nothing. So long as we pay our money for value recaived we are in the right. The gambler is little better than tha thief, and has in rectitude no advantage over the latter, except in so far as his operations are conducted in the open. To cheat at cards is regarded as the lowest depth into which a civilized human being can sink. This degradation doea not often befall the fair gamblers of society. They do not condescend to cheat their opponents. Thia is the one bit of honor they can claim. They are spendthrifts of money, of time, of temper and of brains. Little by little they grow sordid and cruel, and cease to care for the ideals that shine before womanhood and make it radiant in purity and exalted in tone.

Possibly there are those who do not think it necessary to sound a warning note against the evils of gambling as engaged in by our women of wealth. They say with some show of truth that the smart set has its narrow limitations, and that its manners and customs do not particularly affect or impress the rank and file of the nation. In a measura this may be taken for granted. Only in a measure. Gradually, but certainly, there has happened to us in this republic a deterioration in our standard. Most of us condone many things on which our mothers and grandmothers sternly frowned. The newspapers chronicle the doings of society, and women of small incomes as well as working women who earn their bread by long hours of toil, eagerly read about the women who live in splendor, and, like the lilies of the field, take no anxious thought for their raiment. Why should they? Their only difficulty is to secure brilliant costumes for brilliant occasions from the dressmakers whose styles are paid for at prices per gown that would keep a poor man's family the larger part of a year.

Imitation is the fatal flaw in a country where there are no well defined social ranks.

Every one is reaching up to climb the ladder. To do as those do who are better off than we, to have things as they have them, are the aims and ambitions of far too many of us. So it comes to pass that in little villages, in small towns and select circles that have not the faintest expectation of ever seeing anything beyond the glittering outside of that society which is spelled with a capital S, there is an evident strain to do as people do there.

The sober common sense of American women may be trusted not to go too far in this alien and lamentable line. Still it is worth while to safeguard our daughters and our sons against a manifest peril.

The social fabric cannot be moth eaten by indolence and dishonesty anywhere without injury that extends throughout its entire length and breadth. Society in a way may be compared to the human body. The physical life is menaced more terribly by blood poisoning than by any other form of disease known to the medical profession. When blood poisoning enters society at any point it is apt to permeate the body politic.

It rests with women of culture and education, with women of leisure and gentle breeding, to set the right pace for their sisters throughout the entire country. Women cannot be too austere in virtue, nor too exacting in morality. With them must remain the responsibility for keeping pure and noble the atmosphere and the life of the home. It is therefore a tremendous misfortune that women who preside over our most beautiful homes should suffer them to be invaded by gambling.

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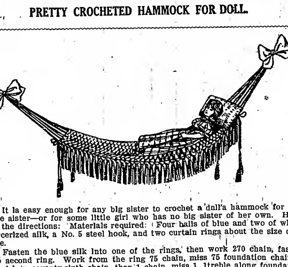
PRETTY CROCHETED HAMMOCK FOR DOLL.



It is easy enough for any big sister to crochet a doll's hammock for her little sister—or for some little girl who has no big sister of her own. Here are the directions: Materials required: Four balls of blue and two of white mercerized silk, a No. 5 steel hook, and two curtain rings about the size of a dime.

Fasten the blue silk into one of the rings, then work 270 chain, fasten into second ring. Work from the ring 75 chain, miss 75 foundation chain, 1 trebel into seventy-sixth chain, then 1 chain, miss 1, 1 treble along foundation chain to within 75 of the end. Work 75 chain, and fasten into ring; turn 75 chain, 1 treble immediately before the first treble of last row, 1 chain, 1 treble in small space; repeat 1 chain, 1 treble to end of last row of treble, then 75 chain, join into ring. Repeat from turn for three more rows of blue, then join on white and work four rows of white, five rows of blue, four of white, and again five rows of blue. The sides are fringed with the blue silk, cut into strands 2½ inches deep, or longer or shorter, as desired.

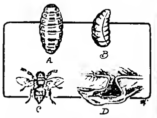
The Pillow.—Work 42 chain; turn with two chain, 1 treble into each chain to end of row. Work 15 rows of treble, taking up the back thread of each stitch, and join the last row to commencing chain with double crochet. Stuff the pillow with wadding, and join up both ends. Make two lengths of 100 chain, run through the ends of pillow, and attach to hammock; finish the chain ends with small tassels. Finish off the top ring with a short chain and tassel.

THE OX WARBLE.

Parasite Which Burrows Through the Hide of Cattle.

Among the many insects parasitic upon domestic animals none are more annoying than the various species of botflies which infest them and depreciate their value. The species which infest cattle is known as the Ox Warble (Hypoderma lineala) and is particularly harmful because of the great damage it perpetrates upon the hides and beef. It belongs to a family all the members of which are parasitic upon mammals.

The most evident exterior manifestation of the work of the Warble is what is known as "licked beef," which consists of pus and discoloration of the flesh just beneath the animal's skin. The larvae feeds upon the pus and bloody serum which surrounds it. As the grubs approach maturity, lumps or running sores appear on the animal's back. The perforations supply it with air. When mature this grub or larva is over an inch long, quite thick, whitish in color, and covered with rows of strong spines with which it works its way out through the breathing hole and drops to the ground, sometimes entering it, where it contracts, hardens and turns black, thus forming the puparium. After about a month in this stage the perfect fly has developed, pushes off the end of the puparium and emerges.



Ox Warble—(a) Larva; (b) Pupa; (c) Fly; (d) Section of Skin of Ox Perforated by Warble.

The fly is about the size and general appearance of a dark colored honey bee, its hairs being blackish with white cross lines on the edges of the thorax and base of abdomen, and having the latter reddish tipped. Just how the larva reaches its position under the animal's back has been a matter of dispute. Until recently it was generally believed, says Farmers' Review, that the eggs were deposited on the backs of cattle and that the young larva burrowed through the skin and developed there. Recently, however, others have asserted that after most careful investigation they find that the eggs are deposited on the legs, especially around the hoofs, at the time when the cattle are shedding their hair, and are then carried into the mouth when the animal licks itself. The larva now penetrates the oesophagus by means of its spines, then moults its spined skin and works about in the connective tissues of its host, down along the neck, and at last reaches its final position on the back under the skin. Another moult is passed and a second spiny coat is assumed by means of which the hide is penetrated and a breathing hole formed as mentioned above. The presence of the grub causes inflammation and the accumulation of serum, thus forming the "lick." The whole period of development, from the egg to the dropping of the mature maggot, is nine or ten months; and the animal, because of much suffering during this period, loses greatly in flesh, and this is of very inferior quality. The losses on cattle brought into the Chicago markets alone during the "grubby" months (January to June), in 1889, were determined to approximate over three millions of dollars, due exclusively to this insect. The loss to the entire country must be several times that amount annually.

About the only remedies as yet suggested are the lancing of the "licks" and squeezing out the grubs with tweezers, or killing them by smearing such substances as turpentine or kerosene mixed with carbolic acid over the breathing holes and shutting off the supply of air. As a preventive, strong smelling oils, such as train and fish oils or common axle grease, are smeared or sprayed on the legs and flanks of the animals to prevent the flies laying their eggs there.

Breaking a Horse.

When kindness and patience fail in subduing a horse or colt that has not been properly handled when young, a method used in France in the eighteenth century might be tried. This consisted of fastening the animal in a way that would prevent his lying down, and then keeping him constantly awake until the desired meekness had been induced. To do this, he must be watched day and night and disturbed in some manner every time he gives evidence of going to sleep. It is said the generality of horses were soon tamed in this manner, though some would hold out for a week or more.

Save Best of Ewe Lambs.

No matter what you are offered for them, save some of the best ewe lambs for your own flock. Take those from the middle-aged, thrifty mothers. They will raise larger and better lambs themselves.

THE HIGH VALUE OF OATS.

Prof. Thomas Shaw Says It Has No Equal as Feed.

No cereal grown on our farms is equal to the oat in general feeding value. This arises, first, from the varied animals to which it may be fed and the various ages at which they like it; second, from its general healthfulness and further from the many combinations in which it may be used.

Oats may be fed satisfactorily and with safety to cattle, sheep, swine and horses at any age. This does not apply equally to other grain grown on the farm. Oats may be splendid feed on which to start young calves, lambs, pigs and colts, when ground, and the hulls sifted out. A little later it is not necessary to sift out the hulls except for young pigs and still later it is unnecessary to grind the oats for calves, lambs or colts. The same is true of ground oats for milch cows and cattle that are being fattened.

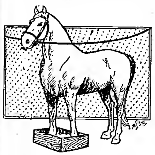
The only objection to feeding oats is that of cost. They are not a real good food for fattening swine but are fine for brood sows with young pigs. Oats are very healthy and no one ever heard of them making an animal ill when dried enough to keep safely in bulk.

Oats may be fed in any combination that may be desired. They make a fine food for bringing cattle and sheep up to full feed along with concentrated feeds and other grains such as corn and barley. Even during the later stages of fattening some ground oats along with corn help greatly to keep the animal on feed. It is unfortunate that so valuable a food is not more grown. The oat crop is usually given the poorest land on the principle that it can fight its own way better than other grains. The average yield of oats would be much higher if it were given an even chance with other cereals.

SOFTENING THE FORE HOOFS.

Here is a plan for softening the fore hoofs of a horse which has stood too long upon a dry hard floor in the stable, recommended by a correspondent of Prairie Farmer. He has made a small plank trough, three feet long, two feet wide and six inches high, after the manner illustrated in the accompanying sketch. This trough is filled about half full with clay soil and then thoroughly soaked with water.

The horse is so tied from either side that he can just nicely stand his fore feet in this trough, where he may be left for two or three hours a day. This plan is said to be very satisfactory for softening a horse's feet and will greatly relieve a good horse which has become tender in front.



Box for Soaking Horse's Hoofs.

At first, the correspondent says, a horse may object to standing in the trough, but as soon as he finds that the trough will not hurt him and is actually making his feet feel better the average horse will not make any serious objections to standing in the mud and water.

STOCK NOTES.

Sheep have come to be about the best property in the live stock line.

Lamb or mutton is one of the most wholesome of meats and is most economical for the farmer's use.

If the teeth are bad, feed finely ground meal and the best clover aftermath, or early cut clover.

A moderate ration of beets, four to five pounds per head, daily, is conducive to the healthfulness of the flock and improves the quality of the mutton.

The most prolific flock is one where no ewes are kept that are over eight years old, unless there may be some wonderfully prolific ewes and some that are extra good.

Keep the brood sows in separate quarters. Don't allow them to feed with fattening swine nor let them run after cattle. They are likely to become too fat to breed well.

Keep the pigs busy growing when they are not busy eating, but watch them closely and do not over feed. Miss a meal once a week if they allow feed to lie untouched before them.

Correctives in the way of charcoal ashes and salt should be in every hog pen to ward off disease.

It is hard work to get a horse up into good flesh after it has once run down. Easier to keep up than to get up.

Intelligence of Horses.

The degree of intelligence in horses varies greatly. The higher the intelligence, the more a horse is worth for use on the road or in the field and the more he is worth for breeding. We need to consider intelligence more in the selection of breeders. The higher the intelligence the more easily does the horse adapt himself to the uses for which he is designed. Fortunately the owners of horses have it in their power to increase the intelligence of the equine race through selection in breeding.

WORD IS MODERN ENGLISH.

"Chap" To-Day Has Not Meaning Old Writers Gave to It.

The name of the new play at the Criterion, "Prince Chap," would have been quite unintelligible to an Englishman of Shakespeare's time. Not until the end of the sixteenth century did "chapman," a trader or peddler, get contracted into "chap" even in vulgar speech, and even then for a long time it did not advance beyond the meaning of buyer or customer.

In this sense Steele speaks of "hunting after chaps," and Wilkes writes that "perhaps Mrs. Mead would buy, but she would be a hard chap." "Chap" seems to have reached its ultimate stage as a casual equivalent of "man" through the intermediate sense of a man with whom one has dealings, not of business, but of good fellowship.

The case of "customer" is very similar. Shakespeare used it to mean a boon companion, but "a queer customer" now means little more than "a queer man." There is a trace of the old companionship idea, however, when a young woman speaks of "my chap," and in "Prince Chap" itself.—London Chronicle.

DISFIGURING SKIN HUMOR.

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Money in Popular Songs.

According to a celebrated composer, the popular song, though sneered at by the superior, is in reality the ambition of most composers. Thousands of them, he says, "would give their ears to write a tune that reached the barrel-organs." And when it has been on the organs some little time a good many other people would wish to dispose of their ears.

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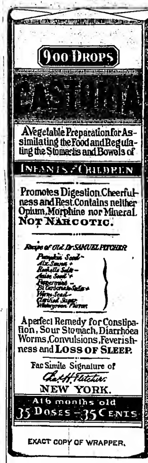

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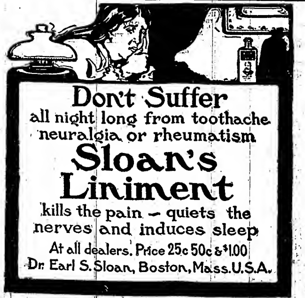

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Bray.

C. P. Swanson and Iver Johnson transacted business at St. Hilaire Monday.

Richard Melin of Polk Center was in Bray Wednesday.

E. J. Akerlund drove to the Saintly City Friday.

O. P. Johnson left for Barnesville, where he resumed his work on the Great Northern railroad.

Messrs. N. K. Anderson of Sanders and Ed. Aubol of St. Hilaire, president and treasurer of The Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Co., met at the home of the secretary, C. P. Swanson, Friday and Saturday to settle the account of the company. They report its policies in force up-to-date with an amount of $382,295 insured.

Last Friday evening a debate was held in the school house, district 180. The subject: 'Resolved, That a married person is happier than a single person,' was ably handled on both sides by the speakers. The judges decided in favor of the "bachelors"

Thrist Person drove to St. Hilaire last Saturday.

C. E. Aas of the town of Norden was in Bray last Sunday.

Messrs. Ernest Akerlund and Alfred Johnson drove to Wylie last Saturday.

Badger

Frank LaBissoniere of Badger spent a few days of this week in Red Lake Falls on business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Prudhomme of Gentilly were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Ducharme Sunday.

A number of young friends from Terrebonne and Badger pleasantly spent Sunday evening as guests of the Misses Alice and Anna Quesnell. Games were the amusement of the evening.

M. Quesnell and wife spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. A. Laurent.

Ed. St. Ives called at the Dolphis Champein home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Celina Ducharme, who has been seriously sick for the past several weeks, is reported as somewhat improving.

Roy Walker arrived Monday from Marshall, Lyon county, where he went after grain and stock of different kinds. Mr. Walker left Monday of last week and reports the immense falling of snow as causing much damage on different railroads points, principly at Fargo, and its around abouts

Miss Cora Laurent is at present visiting with her sister, Mrs. Rob. Quesnell.

Roy Walker drove to the Falls Tuesday on a business mission.

Origin of Ox Tail Soup.

During the reign of terror in Paris in 1793 many of the nobility were reduced to starvation and beggary. The abattoirs sent their hides fresh to the tanneries without removing the tails, and in cleaning them the tails were thrown away. One of the noble beggors asked for a tail, and it was willingly given to him. He took it to his lodging and made (what is now famous) the first dish of ox tail soup. He told others of his good luck, and they annoyed the tanners so much that a price was put upon them.

Ambition.

Ambition becomes displeasing when it is once satisfied. There is a reaction, and as our spirit till our last sigh is always aiming toward some object it falls back on itself, having nothing else on which to rest and having reached the summit it longs to descend.—Corneille.

Easy Work.

First Transient—If you had got to go into business, what line would you choose? Second Ditto—I'd open an employment agency. It would be so nice to be getting other people to work without being under any temptation to do any yourself.

Still Time.

Burroughs—Say, old man, there was a time when you promised to share your last dollar with me.

Bibbley—That's all right. I haven't got down to it yet.

Though the sun scorches us sometimes and gives us the headache, we do not refuse to acknowledge that we stand in need of his warmth.—De Mornay.

The Fashionable Dinner.

Eight men exclusive of the butler are required to serve a dinner of twenty-four covers, one being allowed for every three diners. Another is stationed in the pantry to "run in" the courses. Absolute order and silence reign among these men, who perfectly understand the butler's cabalistic signs. Electric signals pass constantly between chef and butler. From the seating of guests until the ladies leave not more than eighty-five minutes should elapse, for long dinners are considered bad form. Upon these occasions scarcely a member of the domestic corps escapes some special duty. The housemaids assist the pantry maid. After each course twenty-four silver plates and countless small silver must be carefully cleansed, wiped very dry and then polished with chamois before being put away. Nearly 200 pieces of engraved crystal ware must be washed and polished, and it is too costly and brittle to be hastily handled.—Everybody's Magazine.

SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open wall. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl in '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

ESTATE OF ANDREW R. PETERSON

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Red Lake }

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew R. Peterson, decedent:

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO Mathilda Krane, August R. Peterson and Clause Peterson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent:

The petition of Clause Peterson being duly filed in this court, representing that Andrew R. Peterson, then a resident of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, died on the 14th day of December, 1906, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters of administration with the will annexed be issued thereon to Andrew R. Peterson.

NOW THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE N. W. TARRANT, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 18th day of December, 1906.

(Seal) N. W. Tarrant,
Judge of Probate.

J. K. Hannay,
Attorney for Petitioner,
St. Hilaire, Minn. d20-j3

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of sixty ($60.00) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Henry J. Endorle, a single man, mortgagor, to the First State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the first day of April, A. D., 1903, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, A. D., 1903, at two o'clock p. m., in Book 29 of Mortgages, on page 26 thereof, which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by said First State Bank of St. Hilaire, mortgagee, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) by written assignment, dated the 9th day of October, A. D., 1903, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deed on the 9th day of October, A. D., 1903, at 2:05 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages, on page 52.

AND WHEREAS, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions of the said mortgage, the assignee or the mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable.

AND WHEREAS, Under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said assignee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Two and 40-100 ($1,102.40) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The North-west Quarter (N. W. ¼) of section twenty-four (24) in Township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-four (44) west of the 5th principal meridian, in Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 18th day of January, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One hundred two and 40 100 ($1,102.40) Dollars, and interest thereon, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-Five ($75) dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 1st, 1906.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank.
(The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank)
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota. d6-j17

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred, Fifty-six and 4-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by C. A. Steen (a single man) Mortgagor, to Sadie O. Elwood, Mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1903, at 2:10 o'clock P. M., in Book 21 of Mortgages on page 142.

That since the execution and delivery of said mortgage the mortgagee, Sadie O. Elwood has married and that her name is now Sadie O. Grady, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The northeast quarter (NE¼) of section number twenty-eight (28), township number one hundred and fifty (150) north, range number forty-four (44) west of the 5th Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, according to the U. S. Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of five hundred, fifty-six and 4-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, A. D., 1906.

Sadie O. Grady,
formerly Sadie O. Elwood,
Mortgagee.

Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for the Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. d20-f24

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It is to be remembered that the houses are real houses and not tents and that the settlement is not a camp, but a village. The traveling house of the Turcoman is a marvel of skill and ingenuity and is really much lighter, more portable and can be packed into a much smaller compass than any of the so called portable houses that are manufactured and sold in some parts of our country.

The frame is made of strong, light wood laths about an inch broad by three-quarters of an inch thick, crossing each other when set up in position at right angles about a foot apart and fastened at each crossing by the thongs of rawhide so as to be movable, and the whole framework may be opened or shut in the same manner as those toys for children that consist of a squad of wooden soldiers and will expand or close at will so as to form open or close columns.

One part or more made in this way and all inclosing a circle fifteen or twenty feet across form the skeleton of the walls and are firmly secured in place by bands of ropes made of hair or wool fastened round the end of each rod. From the upper ends of these rods similar rods bent near the wall and into something less than a right angle are so disposed that the longer portions slope to the center and, being tied with rope, form the roof.

Over this is thrown a covering of black felt, having in the center a large hole which answers both for a window and a chimney. Large pieces of the same coarse black felt are wrapped round the walls, and outside these, to keep all tight, is bound another frame of split reeds or canes or of some very light, tough wood bound closely together with strong cords.

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10:35am	RED LAKE FALLS		5:25pm
11:05am	St. Hilaire		4:55pm
11:35am	Thief River Falls		4:30pm
12:01am	Steiner		4:05pm
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HEALY HAS MORE TIME

Grand Forks Council Grants Additional Thirty Days For Filing of Acceptance Bond.

At a special meeting of the city council of Grand Forks held Tuesday afternoon Ed L. Healy, of this city, was granted an extension of time to February 4 in which to file his acceptance and bond for his lighting contract with the city of Grand Forks. The bond is for the completion of the work and it is to be for $5,000. According to the franchise granted Mr. Healy he should have filed his acceptance and a bond for $5,000 within 90 days after the passage and approval of the ordinance granting the franchise.

Tracy R. Bangs of Grand Forks appeared for Mr. Healy who was unable to go on account of pressing business and told the council that Mr. Healy would require a short time additional to complete the arrangements for his contract, when the bond would be filed and the matter closed up. He asked that Mr. Healy be granted 30 days in which to file his acceptance and bond. He promised that there would be no further time asked by Mr. Healy.

The resolution to extend the time was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Healy has been in close correspondence with a concern of capitalists, who have agreed to finance his proposition if certain conditions would be complied with. Ed L. has been fixing matters so that he could comply with their wishes, and for this reason he asked for additional time for the filing of the bond and acceptance of the contract.

Talking to a Gazette scribe Monday, Mr. Healy stated that he now had things in just the shape he wanted them, and that there was no longer a question of a doubt as to the work being started early in the spring.

He has assurances of all the financial aid he needs, and with this backing will proceed at once when spring comes to commence work on the new plant. Gazette readers have been told much about Mr. Healy's project in the past few months, but few yet realize the magnitude of the plans, and what they will mean to Red Lake Falls when completed.

The people here should feel satisfied that Mr. Healy has things in shape to start with the work next spring, and will hope that he may meet with greater success than he anticipates.

ARE GETTING READY

Standard Drainage Company Will Operate Many Dredges In North Country Next Year.

Capt. Beard, ot the Standard Drainage company, of Windom, is at present engaged in getting things ready for his ditching work in the north country next year and has been out in eastern Polk and Red Lake counties investigating the fuel conditions along the line of proposed judicial ditch number 4 the big inter county ditch between Polk and Red Lake counties. Capt. Beard will have three big dredges in this immediate vicinity next year. He has purchased in the eastern portion of these counties over five hundred cords of wood for the use of his machinery along the No. 4 construction next season. He will use 800 cords for the entire contract. Owing to the swampy condition of the ground he will be compelled to use the utmost ingenuity in gaining access to the field of opeartions in the spring with his heavy machinery.

A dredge will be placed by the Captain on the ditch near Erskine. He will have under his control the excavation of over 500,000 cubic yards of dirt in the north country to be entirely completed during the coming season. The Judicial No. 4 is 13 miles long and a roadway is to be built along the side of the ditch out of the excavated material.

GREENBUSH EXTENSION

Indications Point To The Extension of The Great Northern This Winter.

The Roseau County Times is of the opinion the Great Northern will commence the construction of the Greenbush-Warroad extension during the present winter. The Times states that the construction department of the Great Northern believes that more rapid progress can be made while the ground is frozen. It would be easy work to lay the rails at this time and the grading in the wet places could be handled to better advantage after the track is in position. Thousands of ties have already been purchased and hauled to different points along the right of way between Greenbush and Warroad., and all indications point to the beginning of active operations within the not distant future. While the intentions of the G. N. concerning this line are as yet a matter of conjecture as far as the public is concerned, it is known that Jim Hill is desirous of tapping the Rainy Lake country before the M. & I., extending north from Bemidji, and the D. V. & R. L. extension running west from the iron range, complete their lines to International Falls, both of which roads are making active preparations to complete construction to that point the coming spring.

The extension of the Greenbush line to Warroad has been looked forward to with considerable interest by the towns along this branch as it not only means increased business for the Great Northern, but will undoubtedly mean better train and mail service, thereby putting us in closer touch with the world at large, and give us a new and remunerative field for all classes of farm products—the Rainy Lake country, which is dependent almost entirely upon outside sources for butter, eggs, vegetables, poultry and other products of the farm.

It is quite likely that with the completion of the Greenbush line to Warroad the passenger service will be doubled, giving the patrons of this branch two passenger trains a day each way, which will make it possible to transact business in neighboring towns to the south, as well as the north, and return the same day, instead of having to remain over night as at present.

Infant Dies of Croup.

The year and a half old son of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Wolfe died last Friday night, after a short illness with croup. The attack was a very severe one, and despite the efforts of medical aid resulted fatally. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church Sunday. The bereaved parents have the sincere sympathy of all.

A New Ditch.

The county board yesterday ordered Ditch No. 28 established, and the necessary steps will at once be taken by the auditor to get the work under way. The ditch will be about four miles long and will drain some wet lands in Red Lake Falls township, emptying into the Red Lake river. The ditch was petitioned for by J. A. Duffy et al.

BASKET PARTY MONDAY.

M. B. A's. Will Have A Good Time at Their Hall

Everything is in shape for the basket party and good time planned by the M. B. A. lodge at their hall next Monday evening, and those in charge have assurances that a big crowd of people will attend. The party will be a public affair and all are invited to attend. The ladies are asked to bring baskets, which will be auctioned off at fancy prices by that successful auctioneer, Joseph Belair.

After the supper feature, dancing will be indulged in and a good time is assured to all who attend.

Have Chance To Win.

Peter Lachance and Medore Robillard, of Terrebonne, left Monday for Minneapolis where they will spend a week taking in the sights of the cities. The young men were the winners of first prizes in the wheat and oats contest in the recent seed grain fair held here, and their transportation was given them by the Great Northern as an additional prize to the winners. The State Seed Grain Fair was held at Minneapolis yesterday and the young men went down principally to attend this fair.

All the samples that won prizes at the recent seed grain fair held here, were sent to the state contest at Minneapolis, and there is an excellent chance that one or two of these samples will be awarded prizes in the state contest. It was the opinion of the grain experts present at the fair here that two or three of the winning samples would be hard to beat, and there is an excellent show of their receiving some of the state honors. The prizes are very large in the state contest, and it would be a nice feather in the cap of Red Lake county should samples from here get the high honors.

Mrs. Marshall Re-Appointed.

Dispatches to Tuesday's dailies report that Mrs. E. F. Marshall has been recommended for appointment as postmaster of Red Lake Falls, by President Roosevelt. Mrs. Marshall's petitition for re-appointment was liberally signed by the business people, and no opposition developed to her desires. The postoffice has been conducted in a highly satisfactory manner during her tenure in office, and the re-appointment will give universal satisfaction.

IS OFFICIAL ABSTRACTER.

E. G. Buse, of This City, Gets The Appointment.

E. G. Buse, one of Red Lake Falls' leading young men, received a nice New Year's present from the commissioners yesterday, when he was appointed by them as official abstracter of Red Lake county for the ensuing two years.

Ernest is considered an expert in the abstract line and is fully deserving of the honor conveyed.

It is probable that he will remain in the employ of the Sortedahl Abstract company, and work from there.

Ernest will be bonded to the county with a surety bond of $2,500.

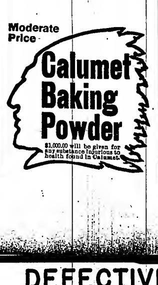
NEW LEADER HERE.

Prof. Bruckman, of New York City Takes Charge of Band.

Prof. Emile Bruckman, of New York city, arrived here Monday morning to take up his work as director of the Red Lake Falls Concert Band, and Tuesday evening gave the band their first rehearsal under his baton.

Prof. Bruckman is of German extraction, and comes recommended as an efficient musician and competent leader. He has had many years of experience as a director of bands and orchestras, and his work here will without doubt result in great benefit to the local organization.

The regular monthly concert will be given during the latter part of the month, when the band will appear for the first time under Mr. Bruckman's leadership.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Foresters Hold Social Session

North Star Court, Catholic Order of Foresters and the members of W. C. O. F. held a joint open meeting at their hall Tuesday evening and entertained Peter Loskiel, of St. Paul, state organizer and auditor of the society. Mr. Loskiel gave nice talk during the evening, and told some interesting facts about the order. He told how the order has at present over 125,000 members in good standing, and how it is fast attaining a place among the greatest fraternal insurance societies of the world. The order today has a reserve of over $1,500,000, and its insurance features and protection is considered one of the finest in the world. It is growing rapidly, and the outlook for its future development is exceptionally bright. The local court has about one hundred members, and is adding new ones at nearly every meeting, being one of the big lodges of the city. After Mr. Loskiel's talk an hour or so was spent in visiting and merry-making, and the evening was an enjoyable and profitable one to all.

HAD A GOOD BUSINESS

Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Red Lake Falls Creamery Association Held Monday

The annual meeting of the officers and shareholders of the Red Lake Falls Creamery association was held at the offices of the First State Bank Monday afternoon and a large number of those interested were present.

Secretary Hennings submitted his report of the condition of the creamery for the past year, and gave those present a detailed statement of the business done. The report showed that the institution has had a very successful season, and in the five months run approximately $9,000 worth of butter was sold, which is a substaintial gain over that of any other year for the same period. The feeling toward the creamery by the farmers of this neighborhood is a good one, and those behind the movement are in hopes that the coming year will be a record breaker for the institution.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President—Frank Greniere,
Vice-President—A. D. Reopelle,
Treasurer—Ildage Baril,
Secretary—George F. Hennings,
Trustees—Alex Emard, H. Putnode, Wilfred Chatel.
Manager—Jeff Porter.

As yet no buttermaker has been engaged for next year, but the officers have several good men in sight and will have a competent man in charge of the plant. It is their intention when they start up again to keep the creamery running the year round, and a strong effort will be made to get every farmer in this neighborhood as a patron.

Another meeting of the association will be called about the 15th of March at which time a five per cent dividend will be declared.

NEW DIRECTORS CHOSEN.

First State Bank Held Their Annual Election on Tuesday

The annual meeting of the First State Bank was held at their banking rooms Tuesday, when the business of the year was gone over, new directors chosen and matters of interest to the concern were discussed.

The election of officers for the ensuing year was not held, owing to the fact that other matters claimed the attention of those interested. The election will take place at a latter date. The directors chosen for the coming year were as follows: Theo Garceau, A. P. Toupin, Chas. N. Bourdon, W. A. Schreiter, N. M. Watson, Frank E. Hunt, G. F. Hennings.

The affairs of the bank were found to be in excellent condition, and the present officers were highly complimented for the successful manner in which they have conducted the business of the institution.

OLD DITCH MATTER UP

Rocksbury-North Ditch Will Now Be Completed, After Several Years of Waiting.

The board of commissioners at their meeting Tuesday, took up the old matter of Rocksbury-North ditch No. 1, and a lively discussion ensued over this much-talked-of waterway. Several Rocksbury farmers appeared before the board in the matter, and demanded that something be done, and after a lengthy discussion the auditer was authorized to advertise for bids and re-let the contract for the completion of the waterway.

Rocksbury-North ditch No. 1 was established over four years ago, and the contract was let to Wm. Eickhoff, of St. Hilaire, with Geo. Ralph, of Crookston, as the engineer. The work proceeded very well at first, but for some reason not apparent the waterway was never fully completed. The county paid out nearly all of the cost of the ditch, on the recommendation of the engineer, it apparently being thought at that time that the work was to be finished. When the engineer put in his final estimate, the board refused to accept the ditch, and some $200 remaining due was never paid.

The matter was passed over from time to time until last May, when the board realizing that some steps should necessarily be taken to complete the waterway, instructed the county attorney to take such steps as he deemed necessary to inforce the completion of the work. Attorney Germo took the matter up with the bondsmen and had assurances that the desire of the board would be complied with. It seems that men were sent up to make a bluff at doing the work, but it resulted in no good to the people who are daily being damaged by the ditch.

The matter was again laid before the board, this week, with the result as above stated. The contract for completion will be let as soon as possible, and steps taken to give the farmers some benefit for the money they have been paying for this ditch.

No announcement is made as to what action will be taken, if any, against the engineer and bondsmen, but it is probable that some effort will be made to save the county from further expense in the matter.

New Barber Coming.

E. A. Nelson, of Brandon, was here Monday and made arrangements to lease the H. J. Knufer barber shop and bath parlors, and will open up for business Tuesday of next week. Mr. Nelson comes recommended as a fine tonsorial artist, is a hustling young business man and will undoubtedly be accorded a good patronage. He is a man of family, but does not expect to move his folks here during the cold weather.

LOGGING NOT PROFITABLE

J. F. Grey of This City Working Near Blackduck.

Joe F. Gray returned to Blackduck Monday after a week's visit with his family here. The firm of Gray & Gray are at present engaged in getting out a big logging contract near Blackduck, and while they have been quite fortnate with their work so far, Mr. Gray states that conditions are extremely bad for the loggers this winter. There is snow galore, it being about three feet deep on the level. The snow fell, however, before the ground had frozen to any extent, and there was no foundation for heavy hauling. During the past month only light hauling was done and this only to a limited extent. The logging firms are laying their men off daily. Mr. Grey stated, however, that his firm would commence the heavy hauling the last of the week, and that with the tightening up of the weather coincident with this season of the year, they hope to escape further trouble.

NEW MEN IN CHARGE

Recently Elected County Officials Take Up Their New Duties Tuesday and Yesterday

Red Lake county now has practically a new set of officers, the change from the old to the new taking place Tuesday after the bonds of the incoming officers were approved by the board.

John B. O'Brien is now in the auditor's chair, succeeding James E. Ford, who has served two terms. Mr. O'Brien has been engaged in school work in Red Lake county for a long term of years, and is well liked by all who know him. He has appointed A. A. Lateadresse of this city as his deputy.

C. W. Johnson of Polk Center, succeeds Joseph Perrault as Clerk of the District Court. Mr. Perrault has served in the capacity of clerk since the organization of the county ten years ago.

Ernest L. Quist of Kratka township, takes Frank Jeffers' seat as Register of Deeds. Mr. Jeffers only served one term as Register, having been County Superintendent of Schools for eight years until elected Register two years ago. Miss Bertha Lafreniere and K. M. Hansen will assist Mr. Quist.

O. T. Tandberg is again in charge of the county funds, succeeding Karl M. Hansen who has been Treasurer for two years. Mr. Tandberg served in this capacity for six years until two years ago, and is well known to the people of the county.

Lewis A. Nelson, of Thief River Falls, takes the sheriffship from D. Linnihan, who has served as Sheriff since the death of Sheriff Sampson some three and a half years ago. Robt. Lee of Thief River Falls, is Mr. Nelson's deputy.

S. T. Johnson of Thief River Falls, succeeds A. P. Toupin as Court Commissioner, Mr. Toupin not being a candidate at the last election.

Judge of Probate Tarrant, County Attorney Germo, Surveyor Wood, Superintendent McAnulty and Coroner Belair all hold their jobs for two years more, having been the lucky ones at the November killing.

The new officers are all competent fellows, and will without doubt conduct the affairs of the county with the same good judgment as has marked the career of the old ones.

The Gazette wishes both the old and new officials success in their different pursuits.

NEW LAWS IN FORCE

Important Legislative Acts Took Effect the First of the New Year.

January 1st marked the beginning of the life of several legislative acts of congress, important alike to the nation as a whole and to the citizens of the District of Columbia. These are the free school law, the pure food law, the anti-pass section of the interstate commerce law, the modification of the navigation laws to simplify enrollments and licenses, and a law with reference to the licensing of druggists in the District of Columbia.

The pure food law contemplates the barring interstate commerce of foods that are injurious to health. The free alcohol bill is intended to assist farmers and smaller users of power to have a fuel that in efficiency and costs shall be cheaper than gasoline or kerosene. The anti-pass provision of the interstate commerce law forbids commission carriers, directly or indirectly, giving interstate free tickets or passengers, except to their employers and families, agents of the carriers and their surgeons, physicians and attorneys, to persons engaged in religious and charitable work and to certain other specified classes.

200 cords dry poplar wood for sale, delivered at your door. C. E. Boughton. d6tf

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RED LAKE FALLS GAZETTE.

RED LAKE FALLS. - MINN.

NEWS OF A WEEK TERSELY OUTLINED

A SUMMARY OF THE MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ABROAD.

TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM

Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest from All Parts of the Globe—The Latest Foreign Information.

Federal Judge Landis decided in Chicago that the Standard Oil company must stand trial on eight of [illegible] indictments returned against it.

Fire destroyed the big furniture store of Cowperthwaite & Sons at Third avenue and One Hundred and Twenty-first street, New York, entailing a loss estimated at half a million dollars and causing the injury of four firemen.

A sweeping investigation into the question as to the compliance with the new corrupt practices act by candidates and party committees concerned in the November election in New York is promised by the new attorney general, William S. Jackson.

Mines in the Bullfrog district of Nevada valued by the owners at over [illegible] were awarded to E. A. Montgomery by Judge Z. Seawell at San Francisco, against the claims of C. B. Fleming.

Will Harvey, a negro was hanged at Maysville, Miss., three minutes before notice that his sentence had been commuted reached the sheriff of Issaquena county.

Senator Culberson of Texas defended the order of the president dismissing the colored soldiers for the shooting affair at Brownsville.

Maj. Gen. von der Launitz, prefect of police of St. Petersburg, was shot and killed by a young man at the Institute of Experimental Medicine. The assassin was killed by officers.

Snowstorms and blizzards of exceptional severity are prevailing throughout southern and southwestern Russia. According to some accounts 160 persons succumbed to the cold.

Parisian clubmen created a riotous scene in the Moulin Rouge in an ineffectual effort to prevent the Marquise de Morny, niece of Napoleon III., presenting an improper sketch on the stage.

Federal Judge Sanborn sentenced to jail several leaders of the striking molders in Milwaukee for violating an injunction.

Mrs. Clara S. Heyl of Milwaukee was granted a divorce from Jacob Heyl and the property was divided.

A fire which started from the flash of a miner's blast in the Ellsworth mine No. 3 at Cokesburg, Pa., owned by the Lackawanna Coal company, caused a loss of $100,000.

Eight persons were injured, two perhaps fatally, in a street car accident at Cleveland, O. While running at a high rate of speed a car jumped the track and ran into an iron trolley pole.

Southern Pacific passenger train No. 14, northbound, known as the Portland express, ran into a washout near Comstock, 25 miles south of Eugene, Ore. The engineer is reported missing, a mail clerk seriously hurt and several passengers injured.

W. K. McDougal, a railroad man, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head in the City of Mexico. He was well known in railroad circles, especially in Chicago and Toronto.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Kurdy, 79 years of age, who lived with her son in St. Paul, Minn., was found in the cellar of the residence dead with her head beaten to a pulp. The house had been robbed of $500.

Prof. Otto Benndorf, the archeologist, is dead in Vienna. He was noted for his discoveries of antiquities in Ephesus.

In a Madrid counterfeit coin factory, raided by the police, it was found that women were used to distribute the spurious product.

The Paris Journal says that Jacques Lebaudy, the self-styled "emperor of the Sahara," is making a tour of the United States.

Prof. Albert William Berg, for 40 years organist at the Church of the Transfiguration, commonly known as "The Little Church Around the Corner," in New York, died in that city, aged 81 years.

Another break occurred in the Colorado river, and Washington officials say the $300,000 set aside for repair work by E. H. Harriman will be insufficient to protect the Imperial valley in California.

A Chinese imperial edict has been issued raising Confucius to the same rank as Heaven and earth which are worshiped by the emperor alone.

Samuel W. Martin, proprietor of a well known all-night Broadway, New York, restaurant, died suddenly from heart disease.

Sidney Kaufman shot and killed Mrs. Eva Totten, of Staten Island, and probably fatally wounded himself in the Hotel Knickerbocker, New York city.

Former United States Senator Donelson Caffery of Louisiana, and Thomas Bowen of Colorado, died.

William R. Hearst, speaking before the New York city committee of the Independence league, said: "I myself am not and will not be again a candidate for any office."

The Louisiana railroad commission will investigate the complaint of lumbermen that they lose $1,000,000 a year by railroads charging in axcess of weight.

Dekalb, Ill., has 40 cases of scarlet fever. The normal school and other public institutions are closed.

A report which gained currency throughout Cyrenaica, Africa, that the mahdi is still alive caused great excitement. He was reported to have died four years ago.

Andrew Carnegie made a gift of $50,000 to Lafayette college, with the promise of more.

A $500,000 fire, resulting in the death of one man and the injury of six firemen, occurred in Montreal, Quebec.

The Nebraska house of representatives adopted a resolution barring lobbyists from the floor.

Interstate commerce commissioners report that the recent car shortage and consequent fuel famine were caused by the abundant west-bound traffic at the head of the lakes.

Charges of fraud were filed with Postmaster General Cortelyou against the officials and members of the New York Cotton Exchange by Representative Livingston, of Georgia, and Harvie Jordan, president of the Southern Cotton association of Atlanta, and an order asked barring them from the use of the mails.

Two white Americans, a negro train porter and about 32 Mexican laborers lost their lives and 55 persons were injured when two passenger trains on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad collided head on four miles west of Volland, Kan.

James H. Willock, 53 years of age, former president of the Second National bank of Pittsburg, Pa., and a director in over two score of corporations died after an extended illness.

Joseph K. McCammon, once assistant attorney general of the United States, United States commissioner of railroads during President Hayes' administration and prominent as a lawyer and clubman in Washington, died of heart trouble.

The employes of the state railroads of Bulgaria have gone out on strike because of the refusal of their demands for increased wages.

Miss Rose Weil, a disappointed litigant, fired at Judge J. A. McDonald with a revolver in a St. Louis courtroom, but missed him.

Gov. Hughes urged the New York legislature to order a recount of the votes cast for mayor of New York in 1905 when Hearst was defeated.

The Armour company plans to build car shops in Minneapolis to cost $2,000,000.

Charles M. Floyd, Republican, was elected governor of New Hampshire by the legislature.

While Gen. A. A. Chaffee and the members of his family were at dinner in Los Angeles an unknown man gained entrance to the upper story of their home and stole $1,000 worth of jewelry.

Depressed over his defeat for reelection as registrar of deeds, a position which he had filled for 25 consecutive years, Thomas Temple took his own life at his home in Neponset, Mass., by inhaling illuminating gas.

President McCrea, of Pittsburg, first vice president of the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg, was elected president of the Pennsylvania railroad company, to succeed the late A. J. Cassatt.

The London Daily Mail quotes a friend of the late Lady Burdett-Coutts as saying that the bulk of her great fortune will go to her husband, and that it is unlikely that her will contains large bequests to charity.

Counsel for the estate of the late A. J. Cassatt issued a statement to the effect that Mr. Cassatt by his will left his entire estate to Mrs. Cassatt and, in equal shares, to his children.

Two terrorists shot and killed two gendarmes in Warsaw, Poland, and fled. Soldiers opened fire on them and wounded four pedestrians.

Brig. Gen. George A. Bell, U. S. A., retired, died at his residence in Washington. He was a native of Maryland and was graduated from the military academy in July, 1853.

Fred Zimmerman, accused of shooting Mrs. Quam in Owatonna, Mich., committed suicide by hanging himself in his cell in the jail.

Tremendous rains fell in Arkansas, doing much damage in Hot Springs and causing a general suspension of railway traffic.

Conrad Rausch, a baker in Downey, Cal., accused his wife of unfaithfulness and killed her and himself.

Joe Gans and Jimmie Britt were matched to fight at Tonopah, Nev., for a purse of $25,000.

President Roosevelt shook the hands of thousands of persons at his New Year's reception.

Thomas Harris shot and killed his stepfather, Henry Miller, at the latter's home in St. Louis, because his mother had been severely beaten by Miller.

William Grant was killed and a half dozen other passengers on a New Orleans street car were injured in a collision between the car and a wagon loaded with poles.

Three men were blown to pieces and three mortally wounded by the explosion near Parral, Chihuahua, Mexico, of two boxes of dynamite.

John D. Rockefeller gave the University of Chicago $2,917,000 for a New Year's present.

It is declared that knighthood will probably be offered to James Bryce, the newly appointed British ambassador at Washington.

St. Louis is prepared to furnish 3,000,000 cubic feet of gas for the international balloon races there next October, and a test inflation and ascension were made successfully.

Charles E. Hughes was inaugurated as governor of New York.

Archbishop Ryan of Philadelphia, scored the French officials, calling them infidels and worse than pagans.

The Interstate Commerce Commission decided to investigate the block signal systems on the Southern and Baltimore & Ohio railways.

Roy Swartzer, a telegrapher, confessed he caused a fatal wreck on the Oregon Short Line at Peterson, Utah, because he wanted to see the train plunge into the river.

Gustave Bye of Duluth, tied the American record for ski jumping at the tournament at Munising, Mich. His record was 106 feet.

F. W. Troy fatally shot his wife and wounded Ralph Quinn in a boarding house in Joplin, Mo.

Joe Gans easily whipped "Kid" Herman at Tonopah, Nev., knocking him out in the eighth round.

Fire did $100,000 damage in a row of buildings in Cincinnati owned and occupied by the Diamond Distilleries company.

In memory of her husband, Mrs. Thomas J. Emery has given $100,000 as an endowment for the Cincinnati art museum, on condition that Saturday be made a free admission day to all parts of the museum.

Aunt Dorcas Harris, colored, died in Mineral Wells, Tex., aged 129 years.

The chief of police of Akron, Ill., ordered the police to shoot mashers who attempted to escape arrest.

Shippers in Oklahoma petitioned President Roosevelt to have a receiver appointed for the Rock Island railway because it cannot handle the traffic offered to it.

Harry Ray, an animal trainer, was seriously injured by a lion in an animal show at Toledo, O.

With a single blow of his fist Charles Smith of East St. Louis, Ill., killed D. F. Myers and made his escape. Mrs. Smith told her husband that Myers had attempted to flirt with her on the street.

Elmer McClelland, a joint railroad rate inspector and the son of H. R. McClelland, a wealthy resident of Newark, O., committed suicide at Decatur, Ill., by cutting his throat with two razors.

The treasurer of the Military Club of Madrid has disappeared and a fund of $56,000 is missing.

The Stirling Boiler company of Barberton, O., has been taken over by the Babcock & Wilcox company, thus merging the two largest boiler companies of the world.

The first division of the British armored cruiser squadron, under Rear Admiral Neville, has been selected to represent Great Britain at the Jamestown exposition.

Sir William Pearce Howland, formerly postmaster general and finance minister under the upper and lower Canada union, and later lieutenant governor of Ontario, died in Toronto, aged 96.

Judge McCall, of the federal court at Memphis, declared the Lafollette fellow servants' law unconstitutional.

Frederick S. Camp, one of the most prominent millmen in eastern Connecticut, took his life by shooting at Norwich, Conn.

Acting on information furnished by a traitor, the Russian police captured over 100 leaders and members of the St. Petersburg military organization of the social democrats who were conducting a propaganda in the army and navy.

Bands of negroes are pillaging estates in Cuba and it is believed they have arms that were landed recently in Pinar del Rio province.

Simon Guggenheim's candidacy for the United States senate was indorsed by the Republican legislators of Colorado.

Israel Zangwill explained that the Jewish Territorial organization proposed to have Jewish immigrants from Russia land in Galveston instead of New York, and he distributed from there.

President Roosevelt and party returned from their outing at "Pine Knot," in the Virginia woods.

An attempt was made to wreck the Northern Pacific west-bound flyer near Big Timber, Mont.

The Algeciras convention was formally signed at Madrid in the presence of representatives of all the nations that took part in the conference.

C. C. Marris, night agent for the Burlington road at York, Neb., was victorious in a fight with two masked robbers.

The countess of Clancarty, who was at one time well known on the stage as Belle Bilton, died at her residence at Garbally Park, County Galway, Ireland.

Herman Guldnest, a well-known fresco painter, hanged himself in New York.

Announcement was made in Paris that a rich man, impressed by reading "Paul and Virginia," bequeathed $10,000 for a statue of Bernardin de Saint Pierre. The commission was given to Sculptor Holwock, whose cast has been made.

One man was killed and 30 persons were injured when a street car in Cincinnati ran away, struck a telegraph pole and turned turtle.

Rev. E. D. Eaton, pastor of the North Congregational church of St. Johnsbury, Vt., announced that he had decided to accept the invitation to return to Beloit college (Wisconsin), to resume the presidency of that institution.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science elected Prof. E. L. Nichols, of Cornell university, president, and selected Chicago as its next meeting place.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered In the Gopher State

Aid for Chinese.

Minneapolis—The Minnesota Red Cross society is making an effort to meet the need of famine sufferers in China and has issued a call to the citizens of the state for contributions. Disastrous floods in China have rendered many people homeless and dire need is felt for food of every description. The United States consul at Shanghai has cabled the state department that conditions are continually growing worse and that many people are actually starving. An appeal has been made to President Roosevelt from a relief committee of foreign consuls and prominent men in Shanghai for flour and food supplies. The Red Cross society has taken up the work of collecting supplies which will be sent to China, with the consent of congress, on government transports. At the time of the San Francisco disaster the Chinese minister received $222,000 for relief fund only a portion of which, however, went to the relief of the Chinese in San Francisco. All contributions should be sent to Kenneth Clark, St. Paul, treasurer of the Minnesota branch of the National Red Cross society.

Good Showing.

A very material improvement in the state's finances is shown by the report of State Treasurer J. H. Block on the condition of the treasury at the close of business, the 31st. The report shows a cash balance of $536,499.15, while the revenue fund shows an overdraft of $171,295.30.

While there is an overdraft in the revenue fund, it is much smaller than that of a year ago, being $171,295.30, as compared with $419,083.77 last year. Another item which shows the relative condition of the finances of the state is the amount of auditor's warrants outstanding. On Jan. 1, 1906, these warrants amounted to $1,715,683.08, which, added to the overdraft of $419,083.77 in the revenue fund on that date makes a total deficit of $2,134,766.85. There has been during the year a reduction of nearly two-thirds in the amount of auditor's warrants outstanding, the amount in the banks yesterday being $597,502.85. This amount, added to the revenue fund overdraft as it stood yesterday, makes the deficit $768,798.15, a reduction of $1,365,968.70 in the deficit during the year. As these warrants are held by the banks and draw interest at the rate of 4 or 4½ per cent, the saving in the interest charge on this item is a very respectable sum.

A Busy Year.

St. Paul—The police court has had a prosperous year and the amount of business has increased materially over that of preceeding years. During the year 10,025 offenders stood before the judge, and of this number 1,477 were committed to the workhouse for an aggregate term of 30,530 days. There were 205 released from the workhouse on paying their fines.

A total of $29,166.50 was received from the criminal and civil branches of the court, of which $27,581 was contributed by the criminal branch. Of the money taken in $28,346.50 went to the city treasury and $370 to the state. There were 1,016 cases tried by the police court judges and there were seven jury trials. There were 593 people arrested on warrants and 5,820 summarily. There were 195 felonious offenses and 3,504 misdemeanors; 759 warrants were issued and 946 criminal complaints filed.

Buried Treasure.

Winona—No more buried treasure has been found on the farm of the late Lemuel Hill in the town of Pleasant Hill in this county, but it is believed that there is considerably still to be unearthed. Mr. Hill, an eccentric old bachelor, died last fall, and shortly after, several thousand dollars in cash and securities was found buried in the wheat in the granary. Mr. Hill had sold little grain for a number of years, and thousands of bushels had accumulated. To make room for the new crops each year, he has shoveled out hundreds of bushels on the ground around the granary, and much of this has spoiled. Many bushels of the grain under cover has been allowed to go to waste by becoming old and musty and not fit for sale.

That New County.

Bemidji—The newly organized county of Koochiching will not be hewed out of the northern portion of Itasca county and allowed to remain permanently as a self-governed "bailiwick" without overcoming serious obstacles in the line of contests and legal protests against the manner in which the establishing of the county was obtained.

A notice of contest has been filed with the clerk of court of Itasca county at Grand Rapids, in which allegations are made as to the legality of the recent election, which was declared to be in favor of the establishing of the new county of Koochiching.

News Notes.

Owatonna—The state convention of the Young Men's and Young Women's Christian association, will be held in this city Feb. 7 to 10. It is estimated that between 400 and 500 delegates from all parts of the state will be in attendance, and among these will be many well-known church and college workers.

St. Paul—The firemen had a busy time of it last year and responded to 907 calls. During the year three serious fires occurred of which the Palace Clothing house fire in June was the worst.

Minneapolis—The state railway and warehouse commission issued an order debarring James Manahan from appearing before the commission.

Cokato—Mr. and Mrs. John P. Chelgren of this place, both at the age of seventy-one years, celebrated their golden wedding in this village.

Minneapolis—The state board of control will ask for an emergency appropriation of $335,500.

St. Paul—The district court issues an order for the Great Northern to show cause in the attorney's general's suit.

St. Cloud—Governor and Mrs. C. A. Gilman celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home here on New Year's day.

Battle Lake—At a special election held today the village of Battle Lake voted $8,000 bonds to buy an acetylene lighting plant and waterworks system for the village.

St. Paul—A blaze at 2:30 yesterday afternoon in a Christmas tree at the home of R. A. Alexander, 86½ Park place, called out the firemen. The furniture of the room was damaged to the extent of $100.

Grand Meadow—Peter M. Kerst, public examiner, today authorized the Exchange State Bank to begin business. The new bank has $25,000 capital and succeeds the Exchange bank, a private institution.

Minneapolis—Crime is decreasing in Minneapolis, the county jail people say. They base their opinion on the fact that only 500 prisoners have been behind the bars this year. In 1905 there were 529 entries on the jail lists.

St. Paul—Benny Cates, alias Tim Kelley, colored, was arrested by the police. He is charged with smashing the show window of C. E. Danneberg's fur store, 76 East Fifth street, Dec. 5, and making away with a lot of furs.

St. Paul—W. E. Williams, 989 North Seventh street, was struck by a switch engine in the Milwaukee yards at the South Side junction, early today, and painfully injured. He was thrown to one side of the track and his leg was fractured.

Eveleth—Matt Maki, a Finn employed as a laborer by the Drake & Stratton company in stripping operations at the Fayal mine, was instantly killed by a stone which was blown from a blast 500 feet away from where Maki was working.

St. Paul—George Brooks Young, a former associate justice of the state supreme court, died Sunday afternoon at his home, 324 Summit avenue. The end came suddenly in consequence of a severe cold contracted on a trip to New York a week ago.

St. Paul—Master Theodore, Miss Irene and Miss Alice, the triplets born to Mrs. Frank Blachowski, 469 Topping street, Oct. 28, passed their first Christmas engrossed in the occupation of absorbing nourishment and in sleeping.

St. Paul—Judge Hallam filed a decision in the case of the state against the Twin City Telephone company, holding that the payment by the company of its 3 per cent gross earnings tax exempts it from any other form of taxation on real estate used in its business.

Virginia—William Rantz, a brakeman on the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg road, is dead as a result of injuries received in making his first trip on the road. Rantz, who was twenty-four years old, came here a short time ago and secured a position as brakeman.

Fort Snelling—Gen. A. W. Greeley, acting commander of the department of Dakota, has remitted the unexpired portion of the sentence of Loren W. Chapman, who has been serving at Fort Snelling on an eighteen-month sentence for desertion. He had served about two-thirds of the sentence.

St. Paul—St. Paul had an exceptional year in 1906 so far as building operations are concerned. In fact, it was a record year, with the largest aggregate since the boom period back in the eighties. The building permits for 1906 aggregate $7,000,282, an increase of $809,223 over the figures in 1905.

Minneapolis—Several men and women living in apartments over the Custom laundry, on Sixth street south, narrowly escaped being suffocated late the other evening as a result of a fire that did about $500 damage to the laundry property. Luckily all were rescued before completely overcome by the dense smoke that filled their rooms.

Minneapolis—The aggregate cost of the buildings this year is $9,452,300, which is more than a half million ahead of the magnificent record made last year. These figures include only the actual cost of construction and do not cover the plumbing, heating and electrical permits, which will probably run over $1,000,000.

International Falls—Determined that this city shall not follow the example of other towns which during their mushroom growth have become hotbeds of vice and crime, and believing that the saloon is largely responsible for such conditions, the city council has passed an ordinance limiting the number of saloons to ten until the city shall have passed the 2,000 population mark.

Mankato—F. W. Johnson, quartermaster general on the governor's staff, was given a surprise at his home at New Ulm when a number of his friends gathered unannounced. Gen. Joseph Bobleter of the brigade staff was spokesman, and in a neat speech presented to Gen. Johnson a sword. The donors were of the general's immediate military and political friends, and after the presentation Mrs. Johnson entertained those present at luncheon. Gen. Johnson is a brother of Gov. John A. Johnson.

St. Paul—An increase of twenty-six deaths over last year is the record of the coroner's department for 1906, the total number of natural deaths and of a violent nature coming to the attention of Coroner Miller being 406, while the list for 1905 was 380.

Jesup—J. S. Beam was found dead in his stable by his wife. He was found lying face downward behind the horses, his right arm extended between the hind feet of one of the animals.

Battle Lake—Mrs. L. H. Herness was found dead in bed at her home in this village this morning. Death resulted from heart disease.

JAP YOUTH ON SCHOOLSHIP.

Will Get Thorough Training on an American Boat.

The first Japanese youth to be admitted to the crew of the schoolship St. Mary's is Katzern Artyoshi. Artyoshi, who is 17 years old, has been in the revenue cutter service on the Pacific for the last three years.

As it is necessary for all foreigners who wish to become members of the schoolship's crew to have a guardian, Artyoshi was forced to get one before he could be admitted to the crew. He succeeded in getting Capt. Osborn to act in that capacity. Capt. Osborn will coach the boy along and help him over the hard points in his lessons.

Artyoshi has not made up his mind yet whether he will remain in this country or go home to Japan after he has been graduated from the schoolship. A term on the schoolship fits a boy for service in the merchant marine. Artyoshi says he likes the United States and may stay here, but if Japan ever goes to war he will return home quickly as possible to take part in it.

ELEVEN YEARS OF ECZEMA.

Hands Cracked and Bleeding—Nail Came Off of Finger—Cuticura Remedies Brought Prompt Relief.

"I had eczema on my hands for about eleven years. The hands cracked open in many places and bled. One of my fingers was so bad that the nail came off. I had often heard of cures by the Cuticura Remedies, but had no confidence in them as I had tried so many remedies, and they all had failed to cure me. I had seen three doctors, but got no relief. Finally my husband said that we would try the Cuticura Remedies, so we got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment, and two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent Pills. Of course I keep Cuticura Soap all the time for my hands, but the one cake of Soap and half a box of Cuticura Ointment cured them. It is surely a blessing for me to have my hands well, and I am very proud of having tried Cuticura Remedies, and recommend them to all suffering with eczema. Mrs. Eliza A. Wiley, R. F. D. No. 2, Liscomb, Iowa, Oct. 18, 1906."

Monarchs as Linguists.

Monarchs must know more than one language. King Edward, who traveled so much, speaks French better than some Frenchmen, and also German. The czar of Russia speaks French as well as his native tongue and knows the numerous dialects. Emperor William of Germany speaks French and English correctly, and is also well versed in Latin. The king of Spain, the youngest of all, speaks German with ease and also French and English. Because of his marriage he now practices the latter. The king of Portugal speaks French, English, German and Spanish. The king of Italy is a master of French and German and is also well versed in the various Italian dialects.

HAD THE ROBBER'S SYMPATHY.

Chivalrous Brigand Commiserated Woman's Life Partner.

Lancia, the noted Italian automobilist, was asked the other day if he did not think motor racing too dangerous.

"Dangerous—yes," M. Lancia replied. "Too dangerous—no. For nothing that benefits mankind—and automobiles benefit mankind inexpressibly—is too dangerous for a man to undertake.

"I have a good deal of contempt for men who are not brave to the point of rashness. I am like a highwayman who held up a gasoline runabout on the outskirts of Rome.

"This highwayman stopped the runabout with a shot in the air. Then he ran forth from the tomb that had concealed him—the hold-up happened on the Appian Way—and found, to his surprise, only a woman in the little car.

"'Where, madam, is your husband?' he demanded, sternly and suspiciously.

"'He's under the seat,' she answered, flushing.

"'Then,' said the highwayman, 'I won't take nothing. It's had enough to have a husband like that without being robbed into the bargain.'"

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FIRST STATE CAPITOL.

BIRTHPLACE OF WISCONSIN IS STILL STANDING.

Erection of Imposing Structure at Madison Recalls Humble Building Where Territorial Administration Was Organized.

Madison, Wis.—Wisconsla's new capitol will be a sumptuous structure compared with the building the state fathers occupied when they gathered in legislative session ia 1848. The development of the great commonwealth is shown in the required amplification of its statehouse. The legislature of Wisconsin has far outgrowa the modest little building which at the time of its erection was considered the finest of its kind. It has demands that the enlarged capitol could not meet, and so the old will give place to the new.

Work on the new structure is being rapidly pushed, and at the meeting of December 27 specimens of the best grades of building material for the outside walls were submitted by Architect Post.

In the early days many towns were anxious to have the capitol building located within their limits, and many a bitter contest was waged over its location. None of the seventeen applicants succeeded in securing it. A town was laid out especially adapted to its needs, a site unrivaled in natural beauty by any Wisconsin towa.

The location of the present state capitol was selected by James D. Doty in 1836, and in December of that year when the legislature coavened at Belmont, an act was passed to establish the statehouse at Madison. There were many reasons why this site was selected, and chief among them was the central location. Milwaukee, Green Bay and the lead mining region in the southwestern part of the state were the principal centers of immigration and of activity, so in selecting Madison the distance from any one of the points would be about equal. The Wisconsin territory had belonged to the Michigan tract. It was partitioned and organized at Mineral Point July 1, 1836, into the territory of Wisconsin. The first legislative body met at Belmont and there was a long struggle as to where the capitol of the new state would be permanently located. Seventeen towns desired it and each had inducements to offer. Fond du Lac, Dubuque, Portage, Helena, Milwaukee, Racine, Belmont, Mineral Point, Green Bay, Platteville, Cassville, Belleview, Koshkonong, Wisconsinapolis, Wisconsin City, Peru and Madison. Some of these towns were, ns yet, not laid out, but their promoters had hopes for them if the capitol was erected at the point advocated.

It was decided that the permanent structure would be at Madison and a commission consistlag of James D. Doty, A. A, Bird and John O'Neil was appointed by the government to begin work at once. On July 4, 1837, ths cornerstone was laid with ceremonies appropriate to the occasion. The legislature of Wisconsin met for the first time at Madison in 1838, hut, as the capitol buildiag was not at that tima in a suitable condition for occupation the session was held in the hasement of the American house, where tha annual message of the goveraor, Henry Dodge, was delivered. During 1836 and 1837 the national government appropriated $40,000 for the capitol building, Dane county $4,000, and the territorial legislatura about $16,000, making the complete cost $60,000. The building, when finished, was a substantial structure, which in architectural design and convenience of arraagement compared favorably with capitols of the adjacent states.

First Legislative Hall of Wisconsin.

Tho building was enlarged from time to time to provide for the growing wants of the state.

In 1904 n portion of the north wing and the greater part of the laterior of the capitol was destroyed by fire.

The first legislative hall of Wisconsin is still standing and there are many earnest people in the state who are pleading for its restoration, or at least, to have it saved from the desecration it is at present subjected to. At the time when the first legislative body sat in conference, the building was a story and a half frame house, battlement fronted. It was at the meeting in this humble place that the territorial administration was organized, the territory divided into counties, county seats established, ways and means of borrowing moaey discussed. This birthplace of the great state of Wisconsin must always be of interest to its citizens, who can never forget the wisdom and forethought of the pioneers who, meeting to establish a great commonwealth, laid the foundatioas for the good of posterity. The old building at Belmont is perhaps nothing more to many than any other old landmark, but to the earnest-minded it stands for something more.

Woman on Hospital Board.

Unique Distinction Held bp Miss Bullard of Virginia.

Richmond, Va.—Dr. Irene B. Bullard of Radford, recently appointed by the general hospital board as third assistant physician at the Eastern State

Dr. Irene B. Bullard.
(Southern Girl Who Has Had An Unusual Career.)

Hospital for the Insane at Williamsburg, is the only woman physician in the state nnd probably in the south holding a responsible official position under a state government in n professional capacity as a doctor of medicine. Dr. Bullard, who is yet in her twenties, looks younger than her years. Her social standing is so high and her beauty so marked that she could long since have blossomed into a belle, but she would have none of it. She has been a bookworm from n child, devouring subjects far beyond her years, while other girls were yet with their dolls and their toys.

Dr. Bullard gradunted from Wadsworth high school, Radford, where she was born and reared, at an early age. She attended a school at Madison, Wis., afterward taking the professional course at Farmville, teaching three years in the public schools of Pulaski after her gradution. But the science of medicine, to which the child had been attracted, now lured the girl, and, broadening her studies as her years ndvanced, she in timo obtained her degree as a doctor of medicine. To achieve this end she became a trained nurse, practicing her profession at tho bedside of her patients for several years with great success.

Dr. Bullard is the youngeat daughter of Mrs. Meta G. Bullard, and the late Daniel Bullard, who settled in Virginia prior to the civil war. Though a native born Virginian, she comes from Puritan stock, uniting the energy and progressive traits of the Yankee with the warm-heartedness and generous impulsiveness of the south.

IN MEMORY OF THOMAS MOORE.

Artistic Celtic Cross Erected on His Grave in England.

London.—Recently in the churchyard of Bromham, Wiltshire, England, the Celtic cross shown in the illustration, which stands over the grave of Thomas Moore, the renowned Irish poet, was unveiled with imposing ceremonies. Thousanda nttended the ceremonies and green flags and scrolls bearing quotations from the "Irish Melodies" were abundantly in evidence. Among the speakers were Justin McCarthy and John Dillon, M. P. Moore was born in Dublin on May 28, 1779, and died nt Bromham on the 25th of February, 1852. His famous "Irish Melodiea" were published between the yeara 1807 and 1834.

The Memorial to Moore.

HIS GENTLE REMINDER.

Dinner had heen cleared away, and the head of the establishment was trying to settle down to the evenlag paper, while his wife busied herself with some fancy work, and at the same time endeavored to interest him in the gossip of the neighborhood.

"Mary," said the sorely-tired man at last, glancing up from his paper, "did you ever hear the story of the precious gems?"

"Why, no," she replied. "What is it?"

"It's a fairy legend that my grandmother told me when I was a hoy," he continued. "It was about a woman from whose lips fell a diamond or a ruby for every word she spoke."

"Well?" said his wife, as he paused.

"That's all there is of it, my dear," he replied. "But I was just thinking, if such things happened nowadsys, I'd open a jeweler's shop first thing in the morning."

And this is wby, for nearly four whola minutes, silenca rsigaed supreme.

A Reporter Knocked Out.

Reporter (breathlessly)—The people say there has been n suicida here.

Landlady—Yes; a young woman—Ann Blank.

Reporter (rapidly writes)—"Miss Annie Blank, the young and beautiful daughter of——." Who was her father?

Landlady—Mr. A. Z. Blank, of Chicago.

Reporter (continues writing)—"A. Z. Blank, of Chicago, killed herself at her boarding house, No. 1234 909th street, yesterday, because—" What did she kill herself for?

Landlady—Because she was so homely.—N. Y. Weekly.

SO DID HE.

Edith—I do so admire a man who says the right thing at the right time.

Harold—So do I—especially whea I'm thirsty.

Different.

He'd hear her voice by telephone
From early morn till night,
And in his mind had conjured up
A vision of delight;
But when they met he found her not
A "vision," but a "sight."
—Houston Post.

A Juvenile Taste Explained.

Little Boy—Our cook has gone away, and I'm awful glad. Now mamma will have to make the cake, and mamma's cake is always heavy.

Guest—Well, I declare! Do you prefer heavy cake?

Little Boy—Yes'm. You get more chewin' in one piece.—N. Y. Weekly.

Wanted to Know.

"I hope," said the fond parent kindly, "that you fully realize the value of the prize you are getting in my daughter."

"I can't say that I do," replied the young man. "What is she worth in round figures?"—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Playground Knowledge.

Teacher—What are parallel lines?—Micky Mulherry, what nre you grinning at?

Micky Mulberry—'Scuse me, Miss Sharpe, but any loidy might make de same mistake;—yer means parallel bars, don't yer?—Puck.

Deeply Stirred.

Deacon Drybones (enthusiastically)—Does not this congregational singing stir you up?

Prof. Note (n musician)—Stir me up? Indeed it does. Makes me swear.—N. Y. Weekly.

As to An Acquaintance.

Blanche—Well, he likes to hear her sing. Music ia the food of love, I suppose.

Belle—Hm! I should think love would be more or less in danger of dyapepsia.—Puck.

He Tried It Once.

"What made your husband'a hair turn so gray? He's still a young man. Wns it the result of some terrible fright?"

"No. He once tried to have a house built."—Judge

Started In For Himself.

Acquaintance—Were you ever buncoed?

Skinflint—Was I? Why I was buncoed ao many times that it taught me the game.—Detroit Free Press.

After an Explosion.

De Style—Does your auto cover much ground.

Gunbusta—One of them did. Why, parts of it were found in three different counties.—N. Y. Times.

PROUD OF HIM.

The young man felt that he was in love, and wisely decided to consult his father in the matter.

"She's heautiful, of course?" said the old gentleman, after hearing his son and heir's confession.

"Oh, father, she's—"

"Never mind that," interrupted the old gentleman. "I know it all. Good family?"

"One of the hest in the city," exclaimed the young man. "Why, her father, when he was alive, was—"

"Father dead?" interrupted the old gentleman again.

"Yes. She's an orphan."

"Um—well, that's no fault of hers. Have you stopped to think how you will provide for her?"

"Oh, hut she's rich, father!" exclaimed the young man, joyfully. "She's worth $100,000 in her own right."

The old man shook his head doubtfully.

"Never marry a girl for money, my boy," he said. "You'll be sorry if you do."

"But, father—"

"Never marry a girl for money," repeated the old gentleman, meditatively. "It makes more trouble in this world than anything else. But," he added, suddenly brightening up, "if you can love a girl who has monay, do it, my son, do it!"

"I can, father, I can!" exclaimed the young man.

"My hoy, I am proud of you."

Lesson From the Past.

Noah Webster was compiling his spelling book.

"I want to get spelling reform on the market," he said, "before Andy Karnaygy and Brandy Matthewa get to monkeying with the language."

Wherenpon he began with feverish haste to scratch the "u" out of "favour," "honour," and other words of like orthography, thereby achieving a clean scoop on the authors of tha 300 amended spellings.—Chicago Tribune.

The Ruling Passion.

Wild-Eyed Lover—This is your last chance, Cold Beauty. Speak quickly. Do you see that can? It's full of dynamite. Promise to marry me, or I will touch it off.

Cold Beauty—Will you promise to keep me in hetter style than that horrid Miss Pert is going to live in when she marries Mr. De Rich?

"Impossible!".

"Touch it off."—N. Y. Weekly.

After the Honeymoon.

"Dear me!" exclaimed the hride of a month, as she glanced out of the parlor window. "There goes the old locksmith. We haven't paid him for mending our hell."

"Oh, what's the use?" chuckled her husband.

"What's the use?"

"Yes; you know 'love laughs at locksmiths.'"—Chicago Daily News.

Thrift.

Manager—How many of these 15-cent ladies' hose have we in stock?

Salesman—Four pairs, sir.

Manager—Then advertise a special sale on them at five cents a pair, and when we run out we'll offer the hungry moh our 12-cent hose at 19 cents a pair. The hose-buying public must he accommodated at any cost.—Judge.

ALL AROUND.

Helen—So it was a cross-country chase?

Harry—I should say so. Everybody was cross when we struck the mud and the farmers were cross when we struck their fences.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Quickest Way.

To telephone or telegraph
Is always futile labor;
If you'd spread news just notify
Your wife to teleneighbor.
—Puck.

The Motive.

Sallie—Now that I have moved into your neighborhood, you must tell me where to go to church.

Alice—Well, I prefer St. Luke's for choir and St. Lucre's for curates.—N. Y. Times.

Served the Purpose.

Idlers—Our family physician told father that I must have exercise and air.

Chum—What did your father do; buy you a riding horse?

Idlers—Not much! He got me a job as mail carrier.—Detroit Free Press.

The Easiest Way.

Editor—What is that Polish anarchist's name?

Reporter — It's Czolydsklovitchpetrolfwidzheimerakiovitch.

Editor—That's enough. Call him 'Pi-Line' for short.—Judge.

Nervousness Increasing

Rich and Poor Are Alike Afflicted in These Strenuous Times--Excessive Worry the Most Common Cause of Breakdown.

BY MARGARET E. SANGSTER.

The prevalence of nervous disease cannot ha ignored by anyone who is familiar with social conditions in America. Both women and men are sufferers from n malady that creeps on them stealthily and pounces on its victims as a beast springs from ambush. The nervous patient apparently breaka down suddenly, but in reality the diaease has heen making its gradual approach with steps so alow and symptoma so slight that they have been unnoticed by family and friends, and have often escaped the vigilant eye of the physician.

It is no longer an extraordinary occurrenca in life to be obliged to spend a period of retirement at a rest cure or a sanitarium, and the people who require treatment for nerves are of no class or special degree of culture. They include men of brilliant ability, famous at the bar, on the hench and in the pulpit; women of fashion and aristocratic hreeding at one end of the scale, and at the other they number hard-working laborers, toiling at a grinding and monotonous task for a small daily wage, and the wives of farmers and workingmen to whom the excitement of the social whirl are unknown.

Among the victims of nervous disease are thosa who can afford to pay princely sums for medical skill and professional nursing. In the retreats to which they go they nre encompassed with gentle ministries and receive constant and sedulous care. When the pendulum swings the other way and it is in the home of decent poverty that nervousness binds a sufferer in chains there are pitiful instances of distress because of the lack of money. A few months ago an honest man, earning a regular but small income, knocked in vain at the doors of n dozen institutions. He was willing and anxious to pay a sum in accordance with his means for the relief of his suffering wife, but there was not a hospital open to one lika her. Of course, there are state asylums and hospitals to which people are consigned, and where they may receive scientific treatment without cost to themselves, hut there are thousands of self-respectiag and independent families living on small incomes who would rather see their dear ones in the grave than in a public and charitable institution.

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What are the causes that explain the increase of nervous disease? They are not far to seek. A common and frequent beginning of nervousness is excessive worry. When anyone is under a continual strain, no matter what its nature, there is injury to the physical and mental fabric to an extent that means mischief in due time.

Doubtless, most of us worry too much over trifles. Little things vex our souls and harass our patience. Larger thinga dwell upon our strength, too, and the burden grows greater than we can lift or carry. A good deal of worry would he prevented could we gain our own consent to live in the present and dismiss undue anxiety about the future. It is not today that wears us out half so often as it is to-morrow. We are afraid that the house will take fire or the children have scarlet fever or whooping cough, or the money prove insufficient for the demands upon it, or that a lad may lose his situation, or a girl be unable to get through college. We spend an enormous amount of our capital stock of wholesome vigor in worrying about possible accidents and casualtiea, and we drift into a state of chronic morbidness or melancholy, after which comes the deluge.

The attempt to do too many things nt once or to do a single thing too well and with too much painstaking is another prolific aource of nervousness. Overwork la responsible for countless ills. We might almost call overwork a national sin. The temptation to it ia in the air we breathe. Idleness is everywhere regarded as a deep disgrace, for we have inherited a strenuous drop of hlood from those who earliest sought these shores.

To keep the balance even between work and play is difficult for the majority. Any effort to reduce the hours of a working day so that there shall be space left for nmusement and recreation, as well as for healthful sleep, is a movement in the right direction. It ought not to be forgotten that the men and women who work hardest and are most frequently spendthrifts of vitality nre not those at the bottom of the ladder, but those at the top. The man who worka with his brain is more likely to drain his vitality by continued overwork than the man who digs a trench or wields a hammer.

Overwork depresses vitality, and wasted vitality is a forerunner of nervous disease and sometimes of mental derangement. Many a life has been nervously wrecked and many a promising career effectually checked by recourse to stimulants and narcotics. Morphia in its various forms spells ruin to those who indulge in its perilous ease from pain. It is more to be dreaded and its clutch upon the system is more deadly than the pernicious effects of alcoholic stimulation. The inebriate has n better chance for the recovery of health and the rehabilitation of self-respect than has the victim of morphine poisoning. The latter directly saps both energy and morality and undermines not only the will but the sense of delicacy and tha ordinary regard for truth. It strikes a hlow at ethics and paralyses integrity.

Victima of morphia in a more or less hopeless condition of exhausted nerves are found in every rest cure, and although they are occasionally rescued, a large percentage finally drift iuto imbecility or violent insanity.

Patients tortured hy neuralgia or racked hy extreme pain are soothed by a physician's prescription that for the time may afford relief and do no permanent harm. But when next pain has them in its tormenting grasp they do not send for the doctor, but take the drug at their own volition. Little by little they increase the dose. The hypodermic syringe, so swift and magical in its potency, has been a fatal instrument in the hands alike of men and women who have discovered how speedily it conquers physical anguish and gives blessed and blissful relief.

It would he hetter to set the teeth and endure the torment than to accept ease from the little puncture that in the end may meau something worse than pain.

Insomnia, itself a result of the excitement and urgency of our present mode of life, is another fruitful and familiar occasion of nervous disease. To lie awake hour after hour, and night after night, to hear the clock strike while the mind ranges over everything past, present and future, that can promote wakefulness, to find every device futile and to stay stubbornly alert when drowsiness flies the pillow, all this is to say good-hy to healthful and equal poise of nerves. Whatever may produce insomnia, once it is established it is a difficult foe to rout.

Those who reside in cities are confronted with yet another obstacle to tranquil nerves. The incessant, never-intermittent roar of the town, resembling the growl of the wind when a hurricane is rising, the rumhle of cars, the thunder of elevated traina, the loud clanging of hells, the whirr of machinery, and the never-ending tramp of feet on the pavement, combine to make of the city a pandemonium.

We may grow accustomed to the multiplied and mingling noisea of the town, hut they wear on our sub-consciousness and tend to induce disease and shorten life. Some hundreds of years from now there may be invented appliances that shall hush the noises of machinery and bring to the city the sweet stillness of a summer field in the morning. In tbat day nervous maladies may perhaps be unknown.

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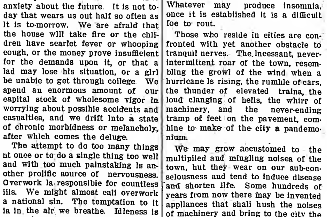
Pretty Bonnet for Little Girl



This very pretty little bonnet may be made in silk, velvet, or fine cloth; the latter la especially nice, aa there nre often pieces left from making the coat that will come in just the thing for the honnet. The head-band of our model la covered with lace, hut it might he emhroidered, or be of velvet. The edge of crown la gathered and aewn to thia head-band, which must be lined with silk. A amall tip of ostrich feather la sewn at each side, and ribbon is sewn to each end of head-band to fasten it by.

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The name of Johnson is certainly one to conjure with in Minnesota. There are eight Johnsons in the legislature this winter, and one Johnston. The Senate will have Senators C. A. Johnson of St. Peter, Victor L. Johnson of Center City and James Johnson of Bertha. The house will have six Johnsons on its roll call, A. G. Johnson of 33rd district, St. Paul, A. W. Johnson of Litchfield, C. E. Johnson, J. C. Johnson of Albert Lea, J. T. Johnson of Fergus Falls, and L. H. Johnson of Minneapolis.

On Decmeber 27th attorneys for and against Mahnomen county were given an opportunity to state their views before Gov. Johnson. Simon Michelet, Gust Beaulieu, Rev. Beaulieau and Atty. Hendricks of Fosston argued against the proposition and Editor Wigham and Atty. J. T. VonMetre of Mahnomen urged that the proclamation announcing the new county be issued. The main objection raised by the Michelet party was that the reservation did not contain the required 2000 inhabitants. On advice of attorney general the Governor decided that he would not go back of the census figures and immediately issued his proclamation proclaiming Mahnomen county. The court is now Michelet's only recourse.

Forty North Dakota towns are short of fuel and the outlook for relief is anything but encouraging. In the country districts farmers are burning fences, straw, sheds and lumber and many of them are taking their families to town where they can place them in hotels, although the situation is found to be as desparing in the towns as elsewhere. Daily appeals for relief are sent to the officials of the different railroads and the Interstate Commerce commission with but little response in the way of actual relief. The situation is indeed desperate and it is high time that the government take matter in hand and see that special coal trains are run until some relief is obtained. While the railroads claim to be doing all in their power to transport fuel to the famine districts they fail to deliver carload after carload of coal that has been on the road twenty, thirty and forty days.

Dig That Ditch Out.

Editor Hunt of the Sunbeam, believes that the problem of draining some of the wet portion of the reservations could be successfully solved by deepening the channel of the Red Lake river, and in referring to the matter says:

Sec. 5, of the Steenerson drainage bill reads as follows:

"That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to use the drainage reclamation fund for the operation and maintenance of all ditches, canals, embankments, dikes, structures, or reservoirs constructed under the provisions of this Act, and for straightening, deepening, and enlarging natural water courses as to make them serve as efficient drainage outlets."

If the government engineers could be at a point about 1½ miles above Highlanding next spring and see the waters of the Red Lake river starting across the country through Deer Park township and finally reaching the Clearwater river, they would certainly conclude that the channel of the Red Lake river needed deepening to take care of the water during the flood season. It is not the water that does not run into this river that does the most damage, but the water that runs out of it.

Timely Data For The New Year.

Data of general interest concerning the year 1907 has been made up. Four eclipses of the sun and moon are scheduled for this year. These eclipses and the transis of Mercury across the surface of the sun will be visible to all but the eastern part of the United States. The first eclipse will occur on Jan. 14. It will be a total eclipse of the sun and will be visible to North America. The next eclipse will be on January 29. This will be a partial eclipse of fair Luna and will be visible here. As it will occur early in the morning, starting at 6:06, it will require early rising to view it. The next to occur will be an eclipse of the son on July 10, also visible to North America. Another partial eclipse of the moon is scheduled for July 24, and will occur in the evening, visible in this territory. This latter will probably be the most interesting eclipse of the year, and will start at 9:04 o'clock in the evening. The moon will not leave the shadow until 11:41 o'clock. Easter Sunday comes early, being on March 31, which brings all the other Easter days early also. March 24 is Palm Sunday, and Good Friday comes on March 29. February 17 is the first Sunday in Lent.

The Word "Tar."

Why is the word "tar" a synonym for "sailor?" Some dictionaries say that the allusion is to the seamen's tarry hands and clothes—the "savour of tar" of Stephano's song in "The Tempest." Burns uses "tarryhreeks" as equivalent to "sailor." But it is regarded as much more probable that "tar" is short for "tarpaulin," since Clarendon and other writers colloquially use "tarpaulin" to signify a seaman. Of course, this ultimately gets back to tar, a tarpaulin being a tarred "palling," or covering (the same word as "pall").

Sure of His Choir.

A peppery New England parson who was disturbed by his choir during prayer time got even with them when he gave out his closing hymn by adding, "I hope the entire congregation will join in singing their grand old hymn, and I know the choir will, for I heard them humming it during the prayer."

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IN JANUARY SESSION

County Commissioners Holding Important Meeting of the Year--Three Days' Grind.

The board of county commissioners of Red Lake county met at the office of the county auditor Tuesday afternoon, to hold the important business session of the year.

The first business up was the election of a chairman, and Commissioner Lindquist of the First district was chosen, Commissioner Demann being named as vice-chairman.

The bonds of the newly elected officers were all accepted and they were duly sworn in and took up their new duties.

Dr. Cummings, of St. Hilaire, and Commissioners Aubol and Demann were named as the county board of health for the ensuing year.

The auditor, county attorney and chairman of the board were named as the purchasing committe for the ensuing year.

The salary of County Superintendent McAnulty was fixed at $1250 for the ensuing two years. The salary of the superintendent has heretofore been $1050, with additional allowances for expenses of travelling, etc., but this term he will receive $1250 and must pay his own expenses. In addition to this he will be entitled to the sum of $50 for institute work. Mr. McAnultuy has done much good work for the schools during his term in office, at a considerable expense to himself, and the board deemed it proper that he should be allowed more money with which to continue his good work.

The board examined the books of Ex-county Treasurer Hansen and found the same correct.

The township of Polk Center was allowed the sum of $75 from the road and bridge fund to aid in bridge and road work.

The petition of A. Bergdal, of Mayfield, to be set off from school district No. 36 to district No 25 was granted. A. C. Mayfield was present and opposed the granting of the petition, but the board refused to listen to the opposition.

A new school district was formed in Smiley, to be known as the Casper Weiner district.

The day of the hearing on the petitions of John L. Rodniechl and Henry Hansen for new school districts on the reservations was set for the next meeting.

The petition of Frank Larage for a new reservation school district was granted.

The bids for wood were all rejected and the auditor was instructed to procure 45 cords of green poplar wood at a cost not to exceed $2.75 per cord.

B. H. Costello was named as assessor for assessment district No. 1.

Tom Green was allowed $11.60 on a judgment against the county. It appears that some buggies belonging to another party were assessed to Mr Green, and on suit brought to collect the county won. The original owner afterward paid the amount, and Mr. Green recovered from the county on a judgment.

The auditor was instructed to advertise for bids for the placing of proper piers under the new Louisville bridge, and was instructed to correspond with W. F. Murphy, of Minneapolis, regarding the matter. The original site for the bridge was changed on the application of said Murphy, with the understanding that he was to take care of the expense incurred, and he will be asked to comply with his agreement.

The county attorney was allowed the sum of $250 as a contingent fund.

The bid of H. E. Ives to do the county printing of Red Lake county for the ensuing year was allowed. Publication of all official matters will be made in the papers at Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire, Plummer and Red Lake Falls.

The town of Louisville was allowed the sum of $150 from the road and bridge fund to aid in building a bridge between section 10 and 15.

The board is this afternoon wrestling with a big bunch of bills, and will probably adjourn this evening.

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MAKING NEW CITIZENS

Conditions Imposed By Congress Are More Exacting Than Old Law.

Clerk of Court C. W. Johnson is expecting to receive the full quota of blanks and naturalization forms according to the new law which was passed last June, together with a copy of the laws and regulations governing admission to right of American citizenship. Naturalization papers were issued during the fall term of court according to the old law which was passed in 1902. This law placed many restrictions to the naturalization law which was in effect prior to that date, but the new law is much stricter. According to the provisions of the new law the applicant for naturalization must file declaration of his intention to become a citizen after he has become a resident of this country for not less than two years. In this declaration the applicant must set forth his name, age, occupation, personal description, weight, height, color of hair, eyes, complexion, etc., his place of birth, his last foreign residence, his allegiance, the name if possible of the vessel in which he came to this country and renounce by name all allegiance to any prince, potentate or sovereignty whatever. Not less than two years or more than five years after the declaration of intention has been filed before the clerk of court must then make his application for citizenship. If married he must state the name of his wife, and the place of her nativity as well as the names of all the children. A few exceptions are made. If an applicant for naturalization papers has served in the United States army or navy and has been honorably discharged, and can show his discharge and prove a residence of one year in this country papers can be granted to him. No Chinese are to be admitted as citizens under any circumstances whatever. Heavy fines and penalties are imposed for any infractions of this law or any part. The clerk is required to make a quarterly report of all applications rejected and a quarterly statement of all fees collected. The fees are $1.00 on the filing of declaration, $2 when application is made for final papers, and $2 when the papers are granted. Half of the fee is retained by the clerk, and half forwarded to the bureau of immigration and naturalization.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the City Hall, January 3rd, 1907.

Meeting called to order by Vice President Hennemuth

Roll called.

Aldermen all present except Brady and Borchers.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

Julius Keibl, for street work..		$12 00
do	do	6 00
do	do	4 50
John Deforge	do	8 25
do	do	18 16
J. A. Duffy, services on board of Equalization		9 00

The bid of J. C. Wilkinson for services as physician and health officer was laid on the table.

The report of the street commissioner was read and ordered placed on file.

On motion meeting adjourned.

H. Hennemuth, Vice-President.

Approved this 9th day of January, A. D., 1906.

J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest:
A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

Badger

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker entertained a few friends at their home Sunday.

M. Quesnell and wife pleasantly spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Demerais.

Francois LaBissoniere transacted business at Red Lake Falls Saturday.

Jos. Page and sister, Miss Mary, of Gentilly township, accompanied by their niece, Miss Cora Trudeau, also of that place, were visitors at the Donna Laurent home over Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Telesphore Robillard and sons, Maurice, Walter and Ernest, of Red Lake Falls, spent last week visiting their relatives and many Badger friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis St. Ives spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Donna Laurent.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Ducharme of Crookston visited at the home of their uncle Jos. Ducharme last week.

Telesphore Ducharme and sister, Miss Annie drove to the Falls Saturday last on a business mission.

Bray.

Mostly everybody is providing himself with a pair of skis so as to be able to keep on top of the deep snow.

Elmer Burkee of St. Hilaire, came out last Sunday after two weeks Xmas vacation, to start his school in Dist. 180.

A debate was held in the school house last Friday eve, the subject discussed was, "Resolved, That woman should have the right to vote for any office in the U. S." The defenders of the rights of the fairer sex carried off the victory.

C. P. Swanson transacted business at St. Hilaire Monday.

C. A. Lindquist went to Red Lake Falls last Monday to take charge of his office as county commissioner for this district.

Oscar Swanson commenced school in Dist. 90 last Monday after two weeks Xmas vacation.

A number of young people from Bray took in the New Year dance at Wylie Monday evening.

E. L. Quist of Thief River Falls was in Bray last Sunday.

Albert Anderoon drove to St. Hilaire Monday.

NOTICE.

Wanted—30 cords of green poplar cord wood to be delivered at the Red Lake Falls creamery. For further particulars inquire of G. F. Hennings, Secretary. tf

We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times.---First State Bank, Red Lake Falls.

YOU CAN SAVE

A checking account will not only help you spend your money economically, but it will also help you to save money systematically.

When you have a record of every cent you pay out (which you will have, if you pay by check) you will be more careful of your expenditures.

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PAY BY CHECK.

The Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Capital and Surplus $30,000.
A Minnesota State Depository.

When in the City stop at

PAUL'S HOTEL

Sample Room In Connection

Rates $1 to $1.50 per day. Free 'Bus to all Trains.

☞ House is heated by furnace throughout, and everything kept up in first-class shape.

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Just send us your name and address so that we may tell you how to get this fine rifle Absolutely FREE.

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As we are going to give away 5,000 of them. We mean it, every word, and this is an honest, straightforward offer, made by an upright business firm who always do exactly as they agree. All we ask is that you do a few minutes work for us. It is so very easy that you will be surprised. This Handsome Rifle is not a toy air rifle, but is a genuine steel, blue barrel, hunting rifle, that is strong, accurate and safe and carries a 22 calibre long or short cartridge. If you want a fine little hunting rifle, just write and ask us for particulars. They are free and you will surely say it's the best offer you ever saw or heard of.

BE SURE and WRITE AT ONCE before the 5,000 rifles are all gone, as the boys are taking them fast. Address

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DES MOINES, IOWA.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Our Hardware Stock Is Now Complete .....

We have been busy the past few days receiving new stock and getting it in shape for your inspection at any time. We have restocked our store with new goods of standard make and manufacture and offer them to you at prices that are consistent with first-class material and square dealing. We will be pleased to have all our old customers and many new ones call at our store, and you can rest assured that you will always find the prices right, the goods up to a high standard of quality, and that, as in the past, every courtesy possible will be extended to the trade.

Keen Kutter Axes & Tools, Wilson Air-Tights, Syracuse Easy Washers, Standard Tinware and Enameledware, etc. etc.

Hunt Hardware Co.

DAKOTA BUSINESS COLLEGE

Attend the great business training school of the Northwest. Seated with roll-top desks, has fifty typewriters, adding machines, neostyles, ... it is in closer touch with business men and can help you more than anyother. It placed 221 pupils in business positions last year, will locate over 300 this year. It uses the personal method of instruction, advancing each pupil upon his own ability. Send for large new catalogue, showing pictures of building, magnificent equipment, etc.

F. L. WATKINS, Pres.
Fargo, N. Dakota

The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Will Hunt returned to Minneapolis last evening, after his visit here.

Just received a car of Hocking Valley soft coal. See Salley for your supply.

P. O. Floan was an over-night visitor at Crookston Monday on some business matters.

Mike McCarthy, the well-known Gand man, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city.

Miss Mayme Erickson left Saturday evening for Fergus Falls, to again take up her teaching duties.

County Surveyor J. K. Wood came down Monday evening to qualify as successor to himself Tuesday.

A social dancing party was given at the K. of P. hall last Thursday evening, which was attended by a large crowd.

The following letters remain uncalled at the postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending Jan. 5, 1907: Jno. Plass, Jay Payne.

S. T. Johnson came down from Thief River Falls Monday evening to be sworn in as court commissioner of Red Lake county on Toesday.

Sheriff Dan Linnihan returned Friday from a visit at Big Falls, where he spent a couple of days last week on business in his official capacity.

Joseph Houle left Monday evening for Stephen, after a week's visit here, to spend a few days before retorning to his home at Gilby, North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moreau, of Mentor, spent Monday in the city with relatives, and looked over some property near here with a view of purchasing

S. M. Sivertson went down to Atwater, Willmar and other points last Friday on a business mission in the interests of the Red Lake Falls Milling company.

Maurice Miller, of Black River, the Polk county agent for the Watkins Remedy company, spent Tuesday and yesterday in the city on some business matters.

President Garceau, of the First State Bank, was confined to his home a couple of days this week with a severe cold, but is again able to be at his post in the bank.

Will Hunt came up from Minneapolis Saturday to spend a week or so with his parents and many friends hereaway. Will is still employed with a big wholesale hardware firm at Minneapolis, and is doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Belair rejoice in the arrival of a fine new baby girl at their home last Friday. It is unnecessary to state that the new arrival was most warmly welcomed by the happy parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harlow came home Friday evening from their honeymoon visit with relatives at Thief River Falls and other north points. Mr. Harlow will complete his term of school out east, but it is understood that he expects to locate elsewhere next spring. Mr. Harlow is well liked by the people of Red Lake Falls and they would be pleased to see him locate here permanently.

School opened Monday.

Salley sells coal. Phone 79.

Mrs. Conrad Lajambe is on the grippe list this week.

Tella Morin returned Monday from a week's pleasore trip at the Twin cities.

Wanted—A girl for general house work. Inquire of Mrs. S. M. Siverton, north side.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

"Bad Bill" Ittner departed Monday evening for Minneapolis to resume his work at the varsity.

Miss Ella Krueger visited with relatives at Crookston from Friday evening until Monday morning.

Anthony Paradis left Monday evening for Collegeville to resume his work at St. John's university.

Miss Lulu Fletcher left last Friday for Ely, to resume her work as teacher in the public schools there.

Frank and Chas. Brady returned to Minneapolis Monday evening to re-enter the U, after a holiday lay-off.

Ralph Healy and Joe Toupin left Saturday for Minneapolis to again take up their work at the varsity.

Miss Ida Miller returned Tuesday morning from a pleasant holiday visit with her parents at Hillsboro, North Dakota.

Mrs. A. G. Groshong has recovered from a very serious attack of neuralgia, which kept her quite ill all of last week.

Miss Pauline Nieland and Misses Gertrude and Etta Hennemuth spent Friday last at St. Hilaire as the guests of Mrs. H. E. Ives.

For Sale—A "Jewett" Typewriter, just as good as new, which we will sell at a bargain. First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Miss Etta Garceau, cashier at the Busy Store, is the latest victim of the grippe and has been confined to her home several days this week.

Miss Mamie Regan and sister, Eva, returned home from Crookston Friday after having spent several days in that city as the guests of friends.

Henry Grenier left Monday evening to enter St. John's university at Collegeville, where he will take a business course during the next few months.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Johnson returned to their home at Park River, North Dakota, last Friday evening after their holiday visit at the Toupin home here.

William Erickson has accepted a position as stenographer and assistant bookkeeper at the Merchants State Bank, and entered upon his new duties last week. Will's many Red Lake Falls friends are pleased to know that he is to remain with us.

For a few hours last evening this section enjoyed a genuine rip-roarin' old fashioned blizzard, but it only lasted until about midnight. It is the opinion of those who know, that there is more snow on the level at present than at any time in the past ten years. But than, the "oldest inhabitant" tells us also that profitable seasons always follow winters of deep snow, so there is at least a grain of consolation ahead.

'Phone 7—Groceries—SPILLANES.

Best confectionery in the city at Freund's.

G. A. Kankel has an interesting new ad in today's Gazette. Look it up.

Read the new ad of the Hont Hardware company elsewhere in today's paper.

See Salley for your hard and soft coal. Large stock on hand and delivery made promptly.

Ex-sheriff Dan Linnihan left Tuesday evening for Big Falls, where he had some business matters to look after.

O. T. Tanberg came down from Thief River Falls Monday evening, to again become a resident of Red Lake Falls.

Ex-county Commissioner P. A. Ekstrom was in from Black River yesterday, listening to the deliberations of the new board of commissioners.

Editor and Mrs. Harry E. Ives of St. Hilaire spent Tuesday in the city. Harry was down to watch the deliberations of Red Lake county's new board of commissioners, while Mrs. Ives visited with her parents.

Dr. Spofford is at Grand View Hotel, Red Lake Falls, the 7th day of every month. Latest scientific methods in examining eyes and fitting glasses.

E. G. Storaasli went down to Minneapolis Saturday, and expects to remain there several months. He will open an office there and dispose of his real estate holdings in this part of the country.

Hardwareman Kankel has the agency for the "One Minute Washer," a new creation in washing machines. The washer is one of the slickest things out in this line, and is worth going in to see.

FARM LOAN:—We have money of private parties to loan on improved farms at 7 per cent. Liberal terms of payment. No delays. Come and see us before placing a loan. Germo & Farley. d13-4w

Mrs. Chas. E. Boughton and son arrived home yesterday morning from a visit of two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Jerome, of Battle River. Her niece, Miss Elsie Jerome, accompanied her home for an extended visit.

Lars Lien and John Johnson, prominent Rocksbury farmers, were here Tuesday night before the board of county commissioners on matters pertaining to Rocksbury and North ditch No. 1. They returned home yesterday.

P. K. Olson arrived home Monday evening from Billings, Montana, where he has been for the past few weeks, looking after some horses he has on a railroad contract out there. P. K. reports things booming in that part of Montana this winter.

Herman Harren arrived here Monday from Bisbee, North Dakota, for a visit with his brother, J. P., and many friends. Herman has been in business at Bisbee for the past couple of years, but recently disposed of his interests there and will locate elsewhere.

Albany Deforge returned home last week from the hospital at Fosston, after having recently submitted to an operation for the removal of one of his limbs. He has recovered very nicely from the affects of the ordeal, and it is thought that he will have no further trouble.

Rev. H. W. Knox leaves Monday for Rollis, Marshall county, where he will spend a week of revival meetings. He will be gone only one Sunday, at which time the pulpit at the Presbyterian church will be occupied by Sunday School Missionary, D. K. Laurie, of Crookston.

The man who wrestles with the cow and learns the calves to suck, who casts the corn before the awl..e, is now in greatest luck; for butter's on the upper grade, veal's higher than a kite, pork is climbing up the scale and beef is out of sight; eggs he gathers every day from his Poland chicken coop are almost worth their weight in gold and we are in the soup. His corn bringa him a fancy price, it's rising every day and he rakes in all kinds of mon for a half a load of hay. The farmer is in the saddle and when he comes to town the rest of us by right go way back and sit down.

Crookston is laboring in the throes of a coal famine and considerable suffering has already been experienced by citizens who have been unable to secure sufficient fuel to keep their homes comfortable. Last Friday an investigation showed that among six dealers in the city there were only 8 tons of soft and not a pound of hard coal on hand. The dealers have had orders in for about 50 carloads some of the orders dating back as far as Nov. 20, but up to the first of the week not a carload had been received although several have been reported as being shipped from the source of supply. It is estimated that about 45 tons of hard coal and 20 tons of soft coal are used daily in Crookston at this time of the year, and unless immediate relief is forthcoming considerable suffering will result from the situation.

See Salley for your coal supply.

Notice the specials the Big Store is quoting in their advertising space in today's Gazette.

Court Commissioner S. T. Johnson has spent the week here attending to the duties of his office.

The Merchants State Bank has an interesting new ad in their space in today's Gazette. Look it up.

Wanted: 1000 lbs. of dressed poultry. Will pay 8c for fancy chickens. Must be drawn. Theo. LaBissoniere.

Rev. Father Adolph, of Thief River Falls, was an over-night guest Tuesday of Rev. Father Ambrose in this city.

Dr. J. C. Wilkinson and son arrived home Saturday from their ten day visit with the Doctor's mother and sisters at Iowa Falls, Iowa.

The Woodmen and their families had a pleasant dancing party at their hall Tuesday evening. A good sized crowd was present and an enjoyable time was had by all.

John Alstadt has purchased the building on Main street formerly used as the office of the Thief River Lumber company, and is moving it to his residence property this week.

Editor Chas. W. Latta was in from Plommer Tuesday looking after business matters. Charley recently assumed his new duties as postmaster at Plummer, and wears his added responsibilities with becoming grace and dignity.

Frank Schirrick, chairman of the town of Polk Center, was a caller here yesterday, appearing before the board with a petition for aid for his town for road and bridge work. The Gazette was favored with a pleasant call.

J. E. Bray and family left Tuesday evening for Montreal, where they will reside in the future, Mr. Bray having decided to engage in business in that city. They will have the best wishes of the people here for unprecedented success.

Sam E. Hunt was home over Sunday after his first week on the road, and remained until Monday evening. Sam likes his new work very well as far as he has gone, and when he gets his itinerary arranged to suit him he will be perfectly satisfied.

On Wednesday evening a number of friends gave a very enjoyable party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bray, in honor of Mrs. J. M. Bray, of Calgary, and Mrs. M. Verboncour, of Grand Forks. Refreshments were served and all those present were royally entertained.

A. P. Toupin, Chas. N. Bourdon and Exerie Chatel left Tuesday evening for Calgary, N. W. T., where they will spend the next couple of weeks looking over that much-talked-of country. They went via Winnipeg, and will take in all the big towns on their way to Calgary. Besides seeing the country thoroughly and getting such pointers as they want, these gentleman went prepared to have an enjoyable outing, and it is a sure thing that they will have it.

Tom Whalen, of LeSueur, this state, arrived here yesterday for a couple of days visit with his old-time friends, Messrs. Groshong and Blake. Mr. Whalen is a breeder of and dealer in horses of all kinds, and is recognized in that part of the state, as the life of the horse market. He is favorably impressed with Red Lake Falls, and is seriously considering the proposition of coming here to locate. There is lots of room here for hustlers of Mr. Whalen's kind, and The Gazette sincerely trusts that he will decide to come.

Thief River Press: Spiess Bros., proprietors of the Fair Store on Second street, last week made a voluntary assignment in favor of their creditors. The assets of the firm are $3,250, the liabilities $4,300. D. B. Bakke was appointed receiver and will take charge of the stock. The heaviest creditors are W. G. and W. B. Jordan, $1,000; Geo. R. Newell, $600; Grimshaw Shoe Co., $300; Red Lake Falls Milling Co., $100; and Wyman, Partridge and Co., G. Somees; Finch, Smith Co., and others for varying smaller sums. A number of local people are also creditors in small amounts. It is believed that the creditors will be paid fifty cents or more on the dollar for all their claims.

It has been truly said that the advertising merchant is the one who does the business in these days of push and enterprise. There are more newspaper readers today than ever before in the history of the world. One of the first things that a merchant considers in placing his advertising is the circulation of the paper in which he wishes to advertise. The Gazette's list of subscribers is about 50 per cent larger than that of any other publication circulating in this section of the county. It places your business under the eyes of the buyer. He sees what he wants, and, knowing where to find it, looks up the wide awake merchant who asks him to come and see him. Success in these days of sharp competition calls for eternal vigilance. You can't keep a hustler down.

Napoleon Gamache left Monday for Collegeville where he will attend St. John's university the remainder of the winter.

M. O. Sortedahl left Saturday for points in Iowa, where he will look up business for his company until the last of this week.

Francis Gamache has secured a position as clerk in his uncle's store at Cass Lake, and left for that place Monday to take up his new duties.

Wanted:—Gentleman or lady to travel for mercantile house of large capital. Territory at home or abroad to suit. If desirable the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of $1,000 per year and expenses. Address, with stamp, Jos. A. Alexander, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

The Hon. G. A. Gearhart delivered his "Footprints of the Centuries" to a large and appreciative audience at the Metropolitan opera house last Friday evening. Mr. Gearhart came as the fourth number of the Lyceum course being given under the Study Club auspices, and no one was in the least disappointed with the entertainment he put up.

Hollen S. Thompson, formerly a resident of Red Lake Falls, was recently married to Miss Florence A. Shue, at Rockford Illinois, and they are now at home to their friends at Suite 4, Temple court, Winnipeg, where Mr. Thompson has a lucrative position. There are many people here who will remember "Tommy" and will join in extending congratulations and well wishes.

George Altnow, formerly of this city, is now employed in the Great Northern shops at Grand Forks, and characteristic of all Red Lake Falls boys who know a good thing when they see it, writes that he must have the Gazette's weekly visit in order to complete his happiness for all time on. George will get the "long felt want" from this time henceforth, and with it goes a wish for unbounded prosperity.

Teachers' Examinations.

The semi-annual teachers' examinations will be held at Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls, Jan. 31, Feb. 1 and 2, 1907, in accordance with the following program:

Note—Civics is now required for second grade and limited certificates.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31st.
(First Grade Studies)
A. M.— 8:00 Enrollment.
8:15 Geometry.
10:00 Physics.
P. M.— 1:30 Algebra.
3:15 Physical Geography or General History.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1st.
(Second Grade Studies)
A. M.— 8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional Test.
9:30 Spelling.
10:00 Arithmetic.
P. M.— 1:15 Geography.
2:45 Composition and Penmanship.
3:20 Reading.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd
(Second Grade Studies Continued)
A. M.— 8:00 U. S. History.
9:45 English Grammar.
11:30 Music.
P. M.— 1:15 Physiology-Hygiene.
3:45 Civics.
4:00 Drawing.

—H. T. McANULTY,
Co. Supt.

Prices for this Week at the Big Store

Our business last week was excellent. Thank you. Hundreds availed themselves of our bargains. Come again.

25 pound box of Fancy California Prunes	$1.50
10 pound box of the same Prunes	70c
Fine 35c Japanese Tea	25c
Fancy 20c Rio Coffee for	18c
Comb Honey, per pound	12½c
Fancy New York apples, per peck	45c
Solid package of Blueberries	16c
German Dill Pickles, per quart; try these	10c
Glycerine Soap, 3 bars for	10c
Fancy Cranberries, per quart	12½c
Soft Shelled Walnuts pound	20c
Good Corn Starch at	5c
Cooking Figs, fancy, per pound	8c
Gold Medal Sorghum, per quart	20c
Soda Crackers, the best made	7½c

Crockery Department

$8.00 Dinner Set of 47 pieces, this week for	$5.75
Choice of 15c and 25c Holiday Goods	10c

Dry Goods Department

Dressing Sacques, all fine Elder Down goods, 75c to $2.00 quality; choice	49c
Men's $1, $1.25 and $1.50 Dress Shirts; choice	75c

Men's Fine Pants, $2.50 to $5 quality.

30 per cent. off.

New line of Ladies' Petticoats in mercerized and heather-bloom Taffetas, at

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The best line we have ever shown.

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The Big Store

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NEW RUGS
from your old carpets
ARTISTIC - DURABLE - LOW IN PRICE
Write for illus. booklet & prices
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SHIP YOUR GRAIN. We are the only firm in this city dealing exclusively with the farmer. All Millers know that our cars are of one grade and not elevator mixed, which explains why our service is more satisfactory than any other concern. Submit us samples for grades, etc. COOPER COMMISSION CO., Minneapolis, Minn.

After Inventory Remnant Sale

We have just completed our annual inventory and find that we have a few remnants in ***Dress Goods*** and other fabrics. These are all staple goods, but in order to clean them out we are offering them at ***Greatly Reduced Prices.***

In Our Winter Goods ... Department ...

we find that we are overstocked in some lines, and wishing to make room for Spring Goods which will arrive later, we are cutting prices on all overstocked lines in order to move them quickly. These are all first-class goods and it will pay you to look them over.

THE BUSY STORE
GARCEAU & ZAISER.

Poultry Taken At Highest Market Prices.

An Extra Stove

This is the time of year when you realize that you need an extra stove to keep the home comfortable. You may not want to keep a fire in it all the time—then why not buy the

Wilson Air Tight Heater

Quick Fire
Quick Heater
Reasonable Price

We also carry everything you want in the Hardware line. Our stock is all new, and you can rest assured that the goods purchased from us are the best obtainable for the money. We will be pleased to have you drop in at any time and look over our new store.

G. A. KANKEL
The Hardware Man.
'Phone No. 74 ***Red Lake Falls.***

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER III.—Continued.

His face relaxed a little, and he concluded almost quizzically:

"Was not Satan hurled from high heaven for resisting authority?"

She pouted, caught him by the lapels of his coat and prettily tried to shake him.

"Now, now! stop it at once, and come to the house. I've been tending your father and mother, and I'm going to tend you. What you need directly is food. Your look may be holy, but I prefer full cheeks. Not another word until you have eaten every crumb I put before you."

With an air of captor, daintily fierce, she led him toward the house and up to the door, which she pushed open before him.

"Come softly, your mother may be still asleep—no, your father is talking—listen!"

A querulous voice, rough with strong feeling, came from the inner room.

"Here, I tell you, is the prophecy of Joseph to prove it, away back in 1832—"

He broke off, for the girl came leading in the son, who, as soon as he saw the white-haired old man with an open book, sitting beside the wasted woman on the bed, flew to them with a glad cry.

They embraced him and smoothed and patted him, tremulously, feebly, with broken thanks for his safe return. The mother at last fell back upon her pillow, her eyes shining with the joy of a great relief, while the father was seized with a fit of coughing that cruelly racked his gaunt frame and left him weak but smiling.

The girl had been placing food upon the table.

"Come, Joel," she urged, "you must eat; we have all breakfasted, so you must eat alone, but we shall watch you."

She pushed him into the chair and filled his plate, in spite of his protest.

"And now we must be about our preparations for the journey. The time is short—who is that?"

He sprang to the door. Outside, quick steps were heard approaching. The girl, who had risen in some confusion, stood blushing and embarrassed before him. The mother rose feebly on her elbow to reassure him.

"'Tis Capt. Girnway, laddie. Have no alarm—he has befriended us. But for him we should have been put out two days ago, without shelter and without care. He let us be housed here until you should come."

There was a knock at the door, but Joel stood with his back to it. The words of Seth Wright were running roughshod through his mind. He looked sharply at Prudence.

"A mobocrat—our enemy—and you have taken favors from him—a minion of the devil?—shame!"

The girl looked up.

"He was kind; you don't realize that he has probably saved their lives. Indeed, you must let him in and thank him."

"Not I!"

The mother interposed hurriedly.

"Yes, yes, laddie! You know not how high-handed they have been. They expelled all but us, and some they have maltreated shamefully. This one has been kind to us. Open the door."

"I dare not face him—I may not contain myself!"

The knock was repeated more loudly. The girl went up to him and put her hands on his shoulders to draw him away.

"Be reasonable," she pleaded, in low tones, "and above all, be polite to him."

She put him gently aside and drew back the door. On the threshold smiled the young captain. His cap was doffed, and his left hand rested easily on the hilt of his sword. He stepped inside as one sure of his welcome.

"Good morning, Miss Prudence, good morning, Mr. Rae, good morning, madam—good morning—"

He looked questioningly at the stranger. Prudence stepped forward.

"This is Joel Rae, Capt. Girnway."

They bowed, somewhat stiffly. Each was dark. Each had a face to attract women. But the captain was at peace with the world, neatly uniformed, well fed, clean-shaven, smiling, pleasant to look upon, while the other was unshaven, hollow-cheeked, gaunt, roughly dressed, a thing that had been hunted and was now under ban. Each was at once sensible of the contrast between them, and each was at once affected by it: the captain to a greater jauntiness, a more effusive affability; the other to a stonier sternness.

"I am glad to know you have come, Mr. Rae. Your people have worried a little, owing to the unfortunate circumstances in which they have been placed."

"I—I am obliged to you, sir, in their behalf, for your kindness to my father and mother and to Miss Corson here."

"You are a thousand times welcome, Mr. Can you tell me when you will wish to cross the river?"

"At the very earliest moment that God and the mob will let us. To-morrow morning, I hope."

"This has not been agreeable to me, believe me—"

"Far less so to us, you may be sure; but we shall be content again when we can get away from all your whiggery, democratism, devilism, mobism!"

He spoke with rising tones, and the other flushed noticeably about the temples.

"Have your wagons ready to-morrow morning, then, Mr. Rae—at eight? Very well, I shall see that you are protected to the ferry. There has been so much of that tone of talk, sir, that some of our men have resented it."

He turned pleasantly to Prudence.

"And you, Miss Prudence, you will be leaving Nauvoo for Springfield, I suppose. As you go by Carthage, I shall wish to escort you that far myself, to make sure of your safety."

The lover turned fiercely, seizing the girl's wrist and drawing her toward him before she could answer.

"Her goal is Zion, not Babylon, sir—remember that!"

She stepped hastily between them.

"We will talk of that to-morrow, captain," she said, quickly, and added: "You may leave us now, for we have much to do here in making ready for the start."

"Until to-morrow morning, then, at eight."

He bowed low over the hand she gave him, gracefully saluted the others, and was gone.

"Her Goal Is Zion, Not Babylon—Remember That!"

CHAPTER IV

A Fair Apostate.

She stood flushed and quick-breathing when the door had shut, he heading toward her with dark inquiry in his eyes. Before she spoke, he divined that under her nervousness some resolution lay stubbornly fixed.

"Let us speak alone," she said, in a low voice. Then, to the old people, "Joel and I will go into the garden awhile to talk. Be patient."

"Not for long, dear; our eyes are aching for him."

"Only a little while," and she smiled back at them. She went ahead through the door by which they had first entered, and out into the garden at the back of the house. He remembered, as he followed her, that since he had arrived that morning she had always been leading him, directing him as if to a certain end, with the air of meaning presently to say something of moment to him.

She led him to a rustic double chair under the heavily fruited boughs of an apple tree, and made him sit down. She began with a vivacious playfulness, poorly assumed, to hide her real feeling.

"Now, sobersides, it must end—this foolishness of yours——"

She stopped, waiting for some question of his to help her. But he said nothing, though she could feel the burning of his eyes upon her.

"This superstitious folly, you know," she blurted out, looking up at him in sudden desperation.

"Tell me what you mean—you must know I'm impatient."

She essayed to be playful again, pouting her dimpled face near to his that he might kiss her. But he did not seem to see. He only waited.

"Well—this religion—this Mormonism——"

She shot one swift look at him, then went on quickly.

"My people have left the church, and—I—too—they found things in Joseph Smith's teachings that seemed bad to them. They went to Springfield. I would have gone, too, but I told them I wanted first to see you and—and see if you would not come with us—at least for awhile, not taking the poor old father and mother through all that wretchedness. They consented to let me stay with your parents on condition that Capt. Girnway would protect them and me. He—he—is very kind—and had known us since last winter and had seen me—us—several times. I hadn't the heart to tell your father; he was so set on going to the new Zion, but you will come, won't you?"

"Wait a moment!" He put a hand upon her arm as if to arrest her speech. "You daze me. Let me think." She looked up at him, wondering at his face, for it showed strength and bitterness and gentleness all in one look—and he was suffering. She put her hand upon his, from an instinct of pity. The touch recalled him.

"Now—for the beginning." He spoke with aroused energy, a little wistful smile softening the strain of his face. "You were wise to give me food, else I couldn't have solved this mystery. To the beginning, then: You, Prudence Corson, betrothed to me these three years and more; you have been buried in the waters of baptism and had your washings and anointings in the temple of the most high God. Is it not so? Your eyes were anointed that they might be quick to see, your ears that they might be apt at hearing, your mouth that you might with wisdom speak the words of eternal life, and your feet that they might be swift to run in the ways of the Lord. You accepted thereby the truth that the angel of God had delivered to Joseph Smith the sealing keys of power. You accepted the glorious articles of the new covenant. You were about to be sealed up to me for time and eternity. Now—I am lost—what is it?—you father and mother have left the church, and because of what?"

"Because of bad things, because of this doctrine they practice—this wickedness of spiritual wives, plural wives. Think of it, Joel—that if I were your wife you might take another."

"I need not think of it. Surely you know my love. You know I could not do that. Indeed I have heard at last that this doctrine so long gossiped of is a true one. But I have been away and am not yet learned in its mysteries. But this much I know—and it is the very cornerstone of my life: Peter, James and John ordained Joseph Smith here on this earth, and Joseph ordained the twelve. All other churches have been established by the wisdom or folly of man. Ours is the only one on earth established by direct revelation from God. It has a priesthood, and that priesthood is a power we must reverence and obey, no matter what may be its commands. When the truth is taught me of this doctrine you speak of, I shall see it to be right for those to whom it is ordained. And meantime, outside of my own little life—my love for you, which would be always single—I can't measure the revealed will of God with my little moral foot-rule. Joseph was endowed with the open vision. He saw God face to face and heard His voice. Can the standards of society in its present corruption measure and pass upon the revelations of so white-souled a man?"

"I believe he was not white-souled," she replied, in a kind, animated way, as one who was bent upon saving him from error. "I told you I knew why you were sent away on mission. It was because you were my accepted lover—and your white-souled Joseph Smith wanted me for himself."

"I can't believe it—you couldn't know such a thing"—his faith made a brave rally—"but even so, if he sought you, why, the more honor to you—and to me, if you still clung to me."

"Listen. I was afraid to tell you before—ashamed—but I told my people. It's three years ago. I was 17. It was just after we had become engaged. My people were then strong in the faith, as you know. One morning after you had left for the East, Brigham Young and Heber Kimball came to our house for me. They said the Prophet had long known me by sight, and wished to talk with me. Would I go with them to visit him and he would bless and counsel me? Of course I was flattered. I put on my prettiest frock and fetchingest bonnet and set off with them, after mamma had said yes. On the way they kept asking me if I was willing to do all the Prophet required. I said I was sure of it, thinking they meant to be good and worshipful. Then they would ask if I was ready to take counsel, and they said, 'Many things are revealed unto us in these last days that the world would scoff at,' but that it had been given to them to know all the mysteries of the Kingdom. Then they said, 'You will see Joseph and he will tell you what you are to do.'"

He was listening with a serious, confident eagerness, as if he knew she could say nothing to dim the Prophet's luster.

"When we reached the building where Joseph's store was, they led me up-stairs to a small room and sent down to the store for the Prophet. When he came up they introduced me and left me alone in the little room with him. Their actions had seemed queer to me, but I remembered that this man had talked face to face with God, so I tried to feel better. But all at once he stood before me and asked me to be his wife. Think of it! I was so frightened! I dared not say no, he looked at me so—I can't tell you how; but I said it would not be lawful. He said, 'Yes, Prudence, I have had a revelation from God that it is lawful and right for a man to have as many wives as he wants—for as it was in the days of Abraham, so it shall be in these days. Accept me and I shall take you straight to the celestial Kingdom. Brother Brigham will marry us here, right now, and you can go home to-night and keep it secret from your parents if you like.' Then I said, 'But I am betrothed to Joel Rae, the son of Giles Rae, who is away on mission.' 'I know that,' he said—'I sent him away, and anyway you will be safer to marry me. You will then be absolutely sure of your celestial reward, for in the next world, you know, I am to have powers, thrones, and dominions, while Brother Joel is very young and has not been tried in the Kingdom. He may fall away and then you would be lost.'"

The man in him now was struggling with his faith, and he seemed about to interrupt her, but she went on excitedly.

"I said I would not want to do anything of the kind without deliberation. He urged me to have it over, trying to kiss me, and saying he knew it would be right before God; that if there was any sin in it he would take it upon himself. He said, 'You know I have the keys of the Kingdom, and whatever I bind on earth is bound in heaven. Come,' he said, 'nothing ventured, nothing gained. Let me call Brother Brigham to seal us, and you shall be a star in my crown for ever.'

"Then I broke down and cried, for I was so afraid, and he put his arms around me, but I pushed away, and after awhile I coaxed him to give me until the next Sabbath to think it over, promising on my life to say not one word to any person. I never let him see me alone again, you may be sure, and at last when other awful tales were told about him here, of wickedness and his drunkenness—he told in the pulpit that he had been drunk, and that he did it to keep them from worshipping him as a God—I saw he was a bad, common man, and I told my people everything, and soon my father was denounced for an apostate. Now, sir, what do you say?"

When she finished he was silent for a time. Then he spoke, very gently, but with undaunted firmness.

"Prudence, dearest, I have told you that this doctrine is new to me. I do not yet know its justification. But that I shall see it to be sanctified after they have taught me, this I know as certainly as I know that Joseph Smith dug up the golden plates of Mormon and Moroni on the hill of Cumorah when the angel of the Lord moved him. It will be sanctified for those who choose it, I mean. You know I could never choose it for myself. But as for others, I must not question. I know only too well that eternal salvation for me depends upon my accepting manfully and unquestioningly the authority of the temple priesthood."

"But I know Joseph was not a good man."

"I believe with all my heart Joseph was good; but even if not—we have never pretended that he was anything more than a prophet of God. And was not Moses a murderer when God called him to be a prophet?"

"And this awful journey into a horrid desert. Why must you go? Surely there are other ways of salvation." She hesitated a moment. "I have been told that going to heaven is like going to mill. If your wheat is good, the miller will never ask which way you came."

"Child, child, some one has tampered with you."

She retorted quickly.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

SPORTS OF ALL SORTS

How to Become Expert at the Bowling Game

A Few Pointers to Beginners by Frank Brill—Brief History of the Sport.

Frank Brill, of Chicago, or better known as Pop, one of the best known bowlers of the country, having played in special matches both in the east and west, tells in his own words how to become an expert at the popular game. Brill is well known to local bowlers and many good pointers may be gathered from his story:

"The game of bowling requires almost as much preparation as any game that is played to-day. Until one acquires form be will tire himself at the game and accomplish poor results. It is a game that requires a great deal of strength to become expert, but this may gradually be developed.

"Care should be taken in every movement until one has learned to work like a machine. Many a star player has been put out of a big match through the simple cause of getting excited and failing to watch the balls as they come in on the runway, with a smashed finger or thumb as a result.

"Little suggestions can be given to players as to correct position to take when aiming for the head pin, every man having more or less his own style best fitted for his build and method of letting go of the ball. General suggestions are to take a position about three long steps back of the foul line with a little allowance for the slide.

"A player soon learns which position is best suited to him, it all depending on whether he uses a center ball, a side delivery, either right or left, or the numerous versions of the cross alley, back-up or other styles. As a general rule the right foot should be forward with the weight of the ball resting on the other hand than that used to deliver the ball.

"The swing which occurs just before the ball leaves the hand is one of the most difficult things for the new bowler to get just right, too many players letting the ball swing back of them until the arm is nearly horizontal. Back of a certain point too much of a swing loses a lot of power, while it also affects the accuracy of the shot. I use a smaller swing probably than any bowler of class in the city, my swing being supplemented with a little push as the ball leaves my hand. The style is a difficult one for a beginner to learn, but once mastered shows immediately in an improvement in the bowler's general average."

Bowling is about the most popular indoor winter sport of this country, and is also one of the oldest games known to the civilized world. Our ancestors hundreds of years ago indulged in a pastime which, excepting a few radical changes during the last century or so, was substantially the same as the present game of bowling and seems to have been just as popular with them.

Bowling seems to have been originated early in the middle ages. It was at that time purely an outdoor sport. As was the rule with everything of that period, the sport was known by a variety of names. It was called "bowls," "French bowls" and "carrean." Those three names seem to have been the most common. At that time the game was very different from the present sport, but there was much similarity. The game was played with teams, as to-day. The balls—or bowls, as they were then called—were made of stone, one-half spherical, the other half oval shape. This gave the ball a curve as it sped down the bowling alley or green, as an alley was called in that day. The scene of the game was a plot of ground called a rink or bowling green, at each end of which was placed a cone, which was the mark for the bowlers to roll into. The cones were bowled to from one end of the rink and then from the other. The object of the game was for one side to place the ball nearer the cone than its opponents. Thus the side bowling would try and knock their opponents' ball away from the cone, supplanting their own, as in the game of quoits, the nearer the cone scoring one point for his team. Skill was required to bowl so as to get nearer the cone without knocking the opponent's ball closer.

Later the stone ball was supplanted by one made of lignum vitae. The latter being made spherical, the outside of the tree from which the balls were made being lighter than the heart, naturally gave the ball the desired basis for a curve. Some bowlers loaded one side of the ball with a heavy metal, so as to obtain the desired effect for a curve.

The cones were finally done away with and superseded by a stone or earthen ball about three and one-half inches in diameter. These new ones were known as "jacks." Instead of having a stationary mark at which to bowl, the jack was knocked all over the green, and it required strategy and skill to play a good game.

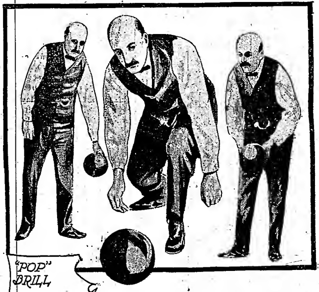
The game was introduced into America early in the eighteenth century. It seems to have been very popular in New York. In 1792 there was a locality in New York called Bowling Green, and it is still known by that name. From the time that the sport was introduced into America it has rarely ever died out, although the outdoor game has long since given way to the indoor.

As an indoor game the sport originated from several games, among which were Cayles, French quilles, skettles, logetts and sayles. In the game of cayles and logetts conical-shaped pins made of bone were set in rows of six or eight, and the players tried to knock them down by throwing balls at them. Knocking the pins down by bowling a ball came at a much later period. The sport was stopped for a short time by some laws which prohibited the playing of nine pins and similar games.

The first game known to have been played indoors was on a covered alley some time in the twelfth century. The first match game indoors in this country was a game played on the Knickerbocker alleys in New York on January 1, 1840. Until 1875 there was no standard length of the alleys or the size of the balls and pins. Before that time the pins were longer and much heavier than those of the present day, and it was much easier to get the "strike."

The rules and regulations for the bowling game came into effect in 1875, when a number of bowlers from the large cities got together and adopted them. Up to 1890 the games of the east were played under the rules of the National Bowling league, while bowlers of the west played a "go-as-you-please game." The game was brought down to a scientific point in 1895, when the American Bowling congress was formed, which has made it one of the important factors in the indoor winter sports. New style of alleys was soon adopted, the narrow ones giving way to the wider ones, which are 60 feet long and four feet wide. The old-style solid ball was replaced by one with thumb and finger holes, and the 18 and 16-inch pins were done away with and the regulation size used. The balls of the present time weigh about 14 or 15 pounds, and are about 27 inches in circumference.

THREE POSES OF VETERAN CHICAGO BOWLER



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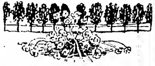
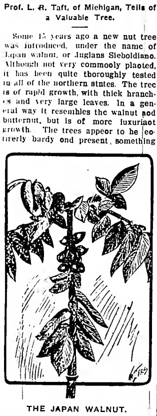


INTERESTING JAPANESE WALNUT

Prof. L. R. Taft, of Michigan, Tells of a Valuable Tree.

Some 15 years ago a new nut tree was introduced, under the name of Japan walnut, or Juglans Sieboldiana. Although not very commonly planted, it has been quite thoroughly tested in all of the northern states. The tree is of rapid growth, with thick branches and very large leaves. In a general way it resembles the walnut and butternut, but is of more luxuriant growth. The trees appear to be entirely hardy and present, something of a subtropical appearance. While they develop most rapidly upon a rich loam soil, such as is commonly known as black walnut land, they thrive under almost any condition, provided there is a fair amount of plant food and moisture in the soil.



THE JAPAN WALNUT.

The Japan walnut has been grown with considerable success on the grounds of the Michigan experiment station, from which this branch was taken.

The trees come into bearing when planted three or four years, and from that time bear continuously, if given good care. The nuts are produced in large panicled clusters and somewhat resemble the common butternut, or white walnut, except that they are slightly smaller and more nearly ovate in form. They crack very readily and the kernels are easily removed from the shells. They lack the strong flavor of the butternut, and on this account would be preferred by most persons, although it does not compare with the hickory nut, pecan and other nuts.

The luxuriant growth, handsome foliage, and the hardiness of the tree, make it very promising as an ornamental tree, and the productiveness and edible qualities of the nuts give to it additional value.

GARDEN NOTES.

Apples will keep much longer if wrapped.

Use any coarse litter that will hold the snow to cover the spinach bed. Do it now.

Burn off the asparagus tops and manure the bed. In the spring put on a good layer of salt.

Vines and trees and almost everything grown on the farm are benefited by lime and ashes.

Spray peach trees with lime water as thick as can be used. It will protect the buds from cold.

Four or five years is generally the life of a blackcap patch, but they should be renewed when decided failure is apparent.

Pasturing sheep in a sod pasture is advised. They are not apt to injure the trees, they enrich the soil, and their close cropping prevents the evaporation of moisture which occurs in long grass.

Thin grape vines at any time before spring growth starts, but when there is no frost in the canes. If the old vine is weak and not in bearing condition and you have a vigorous new cane from the roots, cut away the old vine.

Rhubarb is easily grown in the cellar for winter use. Spade up the roots before the ground freezes too solidly and then allow them to freeze thoroughly. Place them in a box in the cellar and cover the roots to keep them dark. Keep them free from frost, and the stalks will grow and supply the table without further trouble.

Subsoiling in Orchards.

The advice is given to subsoil orchards before the trees are set. This may sometimes pay, but generally it will not. The theories in favor of it are not carried out by actual experience. Whether or not subsoiling will pay is a matter that will depend on the character of the soil. If the soil is very compact below the line touched by ordinary plowing, subsoiling should be very beneficial. It is impossible to establish a rule that can be applied to all soils, and most orchard soils do not seem to return a profit on the labor of subsoiling. The roots of the trees have great penetrating power and will dip deep in ordinary soils if they find plant food by so doing.

THE TRUCK PATCH.

Culled from the Daily Experience of a Trucker Who Works.

Cleaning up truck patches and hauling manure are in order, and the work should be pushed whenever the weather will permit. Besides improving the looks of the premises, cleaning up and burning rubbish will destroy a host of predatory insects that are only waiting until warm weather to come out and attack the growing crops. A pile of rails, boards or stakes if left undisturbed over winter will harbor enough "punkin bugs" almost to ruin a patch of melons, cukes or squashes; to say nothing of other pests.

It requires quite as much skill successfully to market a crop as it does to grow it. Many men can grow a crop all right, but they fall down when it comes to marketing it to the best advantage.

With an adequate home market the grower has control of his products from start to finish, and at the close of each day he knows just what they sold for. It is very different with the man who must ship his products to a distant market to be sold on commission. His control ceases when the goods are delivered to the transportation company; and he is at the mercy of the commission man, and must wait several days to know his fate.

The grower can control the grading and packing, and this has much to do with the price whether the goods are sold in the home market or on consignment. In all the cities and larger towns there are people able and willing to pay good prices for fruits and vegetables if they can get what they want. This class of people grows larger every year. To reach them the goods must be of superior quality and they must present an attractive appearance.

Commission merchants say that their best customers fall over each other to buy the consignments of certain growers, and will not look at anything else so long as there is a chance to get the favorite brand. Such goods are usually sold in advance of arrival. They are in demand because they are carefully and honestly packed and are guaranteed to be all right clear through. Any grower who will put up his products neatly and honestly can in a short time establish a reputation that will be worth money every year.

Frequently the market for sweet potatoes is at its best just before the holidays. It's a good plan to hit that market. It may be the potatoes are not keeping well. If so, get them out. After the holiday trade the market is nearly always dull and prices are down for weeks. Meanwhile, potatoes in the bin may be deteriorating every day. In one district where large quantities of potatoes are raised, black rot was prevalent at digging time. Under such conditions the sooner the potatoes are marketed after they are dried out, the better it will be for the grower.

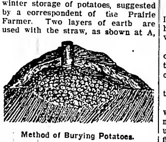
Before packing, the potatoes should be brushed or wiped clean and sprouts and fibrous roots removed. While doing this it is an easy matter to grade them by putting the large, medium size and small ones into separate boxes. This will make three grades and they should be packed in separate barrels. Medium size potatoes always command the highest price, and barrels containing them can be marked "fancy." The large ones can be designated as "No. 2," and the small ones as "common." But the different grades can be distinguished by any kind of mark, provided that the commission man knows what the marks mean.

The barrels should be carefully faced with potatoes of uniform size. Some growers place all the potatoes in the barrel by hand. Others pour them in after facing, shaking the barrel occasionally to settle the potatoes. Whichever method is used, the barrels should be so well filled and rounded up that considerable pressure is required to get the head in place. Unless this is done the barrels will not be full when they reach their destination. The critical buyers, says Farm Journal, pay the fancy prices, and they will not look at a "slack" or carelessly packed barrel.

TUBER PIT.

How Potatoes May Me Buried and Kept in Good Condition.

We show herewith a plan for the winter storage of potatoes, suggested by a correspondent of the Prairie Farmer. Two layers of earth are used with the straw, as shown at A, in between. This, the correspondent says, has the tendency of forming an air space and tends to retain the heat better. The layer of straw should be heavy enough so that when the last layer of earth is put on that the straw will form a four or five-inch thickness. If desired, coarse manure can be piled on top after the first freeze comes early in the winter.



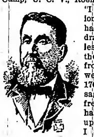
Method of Burying Potatoes.

Not the least among the difficulties that beset the trucker, is that of securing reliable and efficient help. Not only is the supply of help short, but the wage rate is increasing. Worst of all, the laborers grow less and less reliable and efficient. The better class of men, attracted by higher wages and shorter hours, are leaving the farm and finding employment elsewhere.

TORTURED WITH GRAVEL.

Since Using Doan's Kidney Pills Not a Single Stone Has Formed.

Capt. S. L. Crute, Adjt. Wm. Watts Camp, U. C. V., Roanoke, Va., says: "I suffered a long, long time with my back, and felt draggy and listless and tired all the time. I lost from my usual weight, 225, to 170. Urinary passages were too frequent and I have had to get up often at night. I had headaches and dizzy spells also, but my worst suffering was from renal colic. After I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I passed a gravel stone as big as a bean. Since then I have never had an attack of gravel, and have picked up to my former health and weight. I am a well man, and give Doan's Kidney Pills credit for it."



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Lecturer on Hysteria.

Marie Pierre Feliux Janet, professor of experimental psychology in the University of Paris, who is now traveling and lecturing in the United States, figures in the public mind as a hypnotist. As a matter of fact, this is only incidentally, but he is trying to demonstrate that the victim of hysteria is at the same time two different persons.

ODELL OBEYED HIS FATHER.

Emphatic Message That Broke Up Conference of Politicians.

Four years ago, when ex-Gov. Odell, of New York, was coming up for a renomination at the convention in Saratoga, there was a plan to put a man on the ticket with him for lieutenant governor to whom Odell objected strongly.

The governor's father, 88 years old, a deacon in the church and very strict in religious matters, was in Saratoga.

There was a conference at one of the hotel cottages that lasted until late in the morning. The other leaders were trying to force Odell to take the obnoxious man.

About two o'clock Odell's father, who had heard what was going on, stalked angrily over to the cottage and rapped on the door. Frank Platt, son of Senator Platt, came to the door.

"Well?" said Platt sharply.

"I want to see my son," demanded Odell.

The governor came to the door.

"What is it, father?" he asked.

"Ben," said the old deacon, "tell them to go to ——!"

"Yes, father," replied the governor obediently, and he went back and did just that.—Saturday Evening Post.

MONKS FIRST PLAYED DOMINOES

Origin of Game That Is Popular the World Over.

With regard to the game of dominoes there is a very interesting story connected with its origin. It runs thus: There were two monks who had been committed to the penalty of a long seclusion and were condemned to keep absolute silence. To relieve the monotony they played a game by showing each other small flat stones marked with black dots. By a well-understood arrangement, the monk whose hand was used at first informed the other player by repeating in an undertone the first line of the vesper hymn, "Cantate Domino" (Sing unto the Lord). In time the monks completed the set of stones and formulated the rules of the game, so that by the time they were free to come out from their punishment they had found the game so interesting that on teaching it to the other members of the monastery it became a favorite and lawful pastime. It soon became popular all through Italy and from there extended to the whole world. The first line of the vesper hymn which the monks had used as a signal was reduced to the word domino, and the name has stuck to the game ever since.

CRIED EASILY.

Nervous Woman Stopped Coffee and Quit Other Things.

No better practical proof that coffee is a drug can be required than to note how the nerves become unstrung in women who habitually drink it.

The stomach, too, rebels at being continually drugged with coffee and tea—they both contain the drug—caffeine. Ask your doctor.

An Ia. woman tells the old story thus:

"I had used coffee for six years and was troubled with headaches, nervousness and dizziness. In the morning upon rising I used to belch up a sour fluid regularly.

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Nearly 200,000 of an Increase in Canada's Immigration in 1906.

The progress of a new country cannot be better ascertained than by noting the increase of railroad mileage in its transportation system, and, judged by this standard, the Canadian West leads all the countries in the world during the current year. Thirty years ago there was not one hundred miles of railroad west of the Great Lakes, and very little prospect of a transcontinental route for many years to come, but by the end of 1885 the Canadian Pacific Railway was within measurable distance of completion, and last year—twenty years later—over 6,000 miles of railroad traversed the provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

In the past year the work of railroad construction has been vigorously prosecuted, and by the end of 1906, some 6,000 miles of completed railroad has been added, making a total of fully 11,000 miles in the three great grain producing provinces of Canada. Such an increase in the transportation facilities of the country is bound to make good times not only in the districts where the railroads are being built, but throughout the entire west. Allowing $20,000 a mile for construction, the sum of $100,000,000 will be put in circulation, and this in itself should cause good times to prevail in a land where work is plentiful, wages are high, and the cost of living is moderate.

But the building of new railroads through Western Canada means a greater benefit to the country than merely the money put in circulation by the cost of construction. Additional railway building means the opening of new agricultural districts and an additional area under crops; a largely increased output of grain to foreign markets with consequent financial returns; the erection of elevators and the growth of villages, towns and cities; and everything else that makes for the progress of national life, and the opening up of additional thousands of free homesteads, so extensively advertised by the Canadian government agent, whose address appears elsewhere.

It was stated on the floor of the Canadian Parliament recently by a prominent representative that ten years from now would see the bulk of the population of Canada residing west of the Great Lakes, and if the work of railway building during the present year is any criterion, the prophecy made by the Canadian statesman may be easily fulfilled inside of the time stated. During the present year no less than 189,064 persons have found homes in the Canadian west, of whom 57,798 were Americans who have seen the great possibilities of this new West, and have decided to cast in their lot with it. Certainly, our neighbor north of the 49th parallel is making a great record, and deserves the success that appears to be coming its way.

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Senator Tillman probably earns more money every year on the lecture platform than any other American who talks to the public for pay. From an authoritative source the statement comes that the South Carolinian's net proceeds thus far this year from his lecture tour are $25,000. Senator Tillman is paid from $250 to $500 a lecture and he is constantly in demand. His season is not confined to the summery Chautauqua course and he fills nearly as many dates in the winter as at any other time of the year. In the last four years it is said that he has laid aside over $60,000 from his lecture receipts. Henry Watterson perhaps comes next in the matter of earnings on the platform. Champ Clark, of Missouri, ranks high as a popular favorite and makes about twice as much as a lecturer as his congressional salary.

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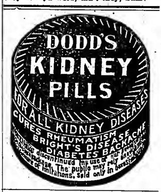

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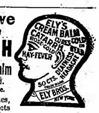

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" Israel	1 76
Emard, Eli	2 40
Constant, Napoleon	5 38
Mercier, Clem	9 17
Busse, Edward	10 44
Bose, Johathan	64
Bos, Joe	2 87
Porter, Gideon	6 40
Flanagan, John	7 01
Emard, Peter, jr	7 53
Gervais, Norman	5 10
Hagl, Frank	4 49
Sancartier, Cassimere	1 21
Akenson, Swan	2 23
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Marleau, William	2 79
Sutter, Leo	10 10
Hirsch, Conrad	4 80
Engebretson, E M	8 82
Gilde, Ghrist	4 42
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Kees, Michael	8 73
Lumertz, John	8 02
Lasha, J H	5 27
Allison, A	5 38
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Hendermark, Carl	5 60
Lasha, P	5 62
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" Conrad	13 07
Hendly, Sam	2 02
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Steele, Matthew	3 80
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Bethka, Robert	5 15
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Lasha, Eli	3 88
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Audette, Pierre	11 98
" Isadora	1 47
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Bouchin, Napoleon	15 24
Brunelle, Fred	6 99
Boivin, F J	11 51
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Bouchin, F	18 67
Barry, A D	6 91
Brunelle, Joel	5 26
Connaughty, Michael	8 85
Casavant, Napoleon	15 40
Clement, E	4 61
Colomb, Peter	8 39
Ducharme, Louis	19 36
Dolbeck, Benjamin	2 06
Elvidge, C F	17 28
Grenier, Francois	8 75
" Eugene	02
Gerlach, Henry	7 55
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Huot, Edward	02
Huot, Arthur	9 98
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Lizotte, Antoine	14 53
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Lizotte, Juel	6 85
Lizotte, Joseph	7 73
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Lacosse, John	17 95
Marcott, George	37
" N W	37
" Alfonse	6 13
" Joseph	7 28
Mathews, J F	24 28
Noel, Joseph	9 98
Niel, Edwin	3 88
Noel, Antoine	4 43
O'Niel, Runer	3 51
O'Neil, David	4 58
Pepin, George	9 98
Provost, Joseph	8 90
Piovost, Raoul	5 91
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Schultz, J R	2 71
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Arel, Telesphore	17 29
Bjorgo, Erick	7 70
Callller, McLea	1 87
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Cardinal, Hubert	11 21
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" Marie	7 01
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" George	9 42
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CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF PETER MARTEL.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake } In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Martel, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Joseph Martel and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: Therefore, You, And Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the city Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 9th day of January, 1907. —N. W. Tarrant,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner. j10-24

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF CHARLES W. CRESS.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake } ss.
In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the estate of Charles W. Cress Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Louisa E. Cress, Cora Ellen Cress, Emma May Cress and Floyd J. H. D. Cress, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the seal of said Court, this 8th day of January, 1907. N. W. Tarrant,
(Seal) j10-j31 Probate Judge.

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CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

ESTATE OF ANDREW R. PETERSON

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake } ss.
In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew R. Peterson, decedent:

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO Mathilda Krane, August R. Peterson and Clause Peterson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent:

The petition of Clause Peterson being duly filed in this court, representing that Andrew R. Peterson, then a resident of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, died on the 14th day of December, 1906, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters of administration with the will annexed be issued thereon to Andrew R. Peterson.

NOW THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of January, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE N. W. TARRANT, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 18th day of December, 1906.
(Seal) N. W. Tarrant,
Judge of Probate.
J. K. Hannay,
Attorney for Petitioner,
St. Hilaire, Minn. d20-j3

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of sixty ($60.00) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Henry J. Enderle, a single man, mortgagor, to the First State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the first day of April, A. D., 1903, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, A. D., 1903, at two o'clock p. m., in Book 29 of Mortgages, on page 26 thereof, which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by said First State Bank of St. Hilaire, mortgagee, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) by written assignment, dated the 9th day of October, A. D., 1903, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deed on the 9th day of October, A. D., 1903, at 2:05 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages, on page 521.

AND WHEREAS, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions of the said mortgage, the assignee or the mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable.

AND WHEREAS, Under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said assignee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Two and 40-100 ($1,102.40) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The North-west Quarter (N. W. ¼) of section twenty-four (24) in Township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-four (44) west of the 5th principal meridian, in Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 18th day of January, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One hundred two and 40 100 ($1,102.40) Dollars, and interest thereon, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-Five ($75) dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 1st, 1906.
De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank.
(The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank,)
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Wm. J. Brown.
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota. d6-j17

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred, Fifty-six and 4-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by C. A. Steen (a single men) Mortgagor, to Sadie O. Elwood, Mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1903, at 2:10 o'clock P. M., in Book 21 of Mortgages on page 142.

That since the execution and delivery of said mortgage the mortgagee, Sadie O. Elwood has married and that her name is now Sadie O. Grady, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The northeast quarter (NE¼) of section number twenty-eight (28), township number one hundred and fifty (150) north, range number forty-four (44) west of the 5th Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, according to the U. S. Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of five hundred, fifty-six and 4-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, A. D., 1906.
Sadie O. Grady,
formerly Sadie O. Elwood,
Mortgagee.
Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for the Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. d20-f24

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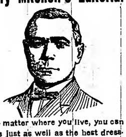
It is to be remembered that the houses are real houses and not tents and that the settlement is not a camp, but a village. The traveling house of the Turcoman is a marvel of skill and ingenuity and is really much lighter, more portable and can be packed into a much smaller compass than any of the so called portable houses that are manufactured and sold in some parts of our country.

The frame is made of strong, light wood laths about an inch broad by three-quarters of an inch thick, crossing each other when set up in position at right angles about a foot apart and fastened at each crossing by the thongs of rawhide so as to be movable, and the whole framework may be opened or shut in the same manner as those toys for children that consist of a squad of wooden soldiers and will expand or close at will so as to form open or close columns.

One part or more made in this way and all inclosing a circle fifteen or twenty feet across form the skeleton of the walls and are firmly secured in place by bands of ropes made of hair or wool fastened round the end of each rod. From the upper ends of these rods similar rods bent near the wall and into something less than a right angle are so disposed that the longer portions slope to the center and, being tied with rope, form the roof.

Over this is thrown a covering of black felt, having in the center a large hole which answers both for a window and a chimney. Large pieces of the same coarse black felt are wrapped round the walls, and outside these, to keep all tight, is bound another frame of split reeds or canes or of some very light, tough wood bound closely together with strong cords.



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8:50 pm		Minneapolis		7:10 am
8:15 pm		Duluth		7:10 am
9:15am		Crookston		6:45pm
10:00am		Dugdale		6:00pm
10:35am		**RED LAKE FALLS**		5:25pm
11:05am		St. Hilaire		4:55pm
11:35am		Thief River Falls		4:30pm
12:01am		Steiner		4:05pm
12:15am		Sandridge		3:52pm
12:40am		Middle River		3:21pm
1:05pm		Strathcona		2:57pm
1:35pm	Ar	Greenbush	Lv	2:25pm

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RED LAKE COUNTY WINS ADDED LAURELS

NEW HEALTH BOARD

Under New Law County Commissioners Create A Health Board for Red Lake County.

In compliance with the provision of a law of 1905, the board of county commissioners on Tuesday last appointed the members of the county board of health to hold office in Red Lake county. The law requires that the board shall consist of a physician and two members of the board of county commissioners. Those appointed are Dr. Cummings of St. Hilaire, and Commissioners Hemann and Aubol.

The state having required that each county in the state should have a county board of health, the question naturally arises, what are the duties devolving upon the members of the board. The physician appointed is known as the county health officer and it shall be his duty to make quarterly reports to the state board as to the general sanitary condition of the county, such reports having special reference to communicable diseases. Special attention must be given to rabies and glanders. He shall also keep close watch over apparent epidemic or endemic diseases, see that the proper returns of births and deaths are made, note the condition of slaughter houses and rendering establishments, reporting to the state secretary from time to time. In short, the officer has general supervision of sanitary affairs in this county, calling upon the state board of health, when, in his opinion, conditions demand it. These county officers meet once annually at the call of the state board. All necessary expenses are met by the county board of commissioners. It is believed that the new county board of health will be a source of economy to the county in that it shall advise local boards of health how to proceed in dealing with sanitary problems, and audit bills for the care and control of contagious diseases.

VIGOROUS DIRECTIONS

Are Given To Land Office Authorities By Washington Department.

Register Montague and Receiver Peterson of the Crookston U. S. Land office have received the following important order from the secretary of the interior:

"It shall be the duty of the special agent on receipt of any charge or complaint or upon information being acquired by him from any source, that an unlawful inclosure is being maintained by any person or persons, association, or corporation, to at once proceed to secure sufficient data, including a description of the lands inclosed, with reasonable certainty, not necessarily by metes and bounds, nor by Government subdivisions of surveyed land, but only so that the inclosure may be identified and the person or persons guilty of the violation, as nearly as may be, and by description if the name can not, on reasonable inquiry, be ascertained, and to at once submit such case, with the data thus obtained, to the United States attorney for prosecution.

"It shall be the duty of the special agent, and he shall so instructed, to be on the alert and vigilant to detect the existance of unlawful inclosures in his district and to proceed in accordance therewith as hereinabove directed, and that he is not to construe his duties as requiring that before proceeding in the matter of an unlawful inclosure, there must first be filed with him a formal complaint by some person or persons acquainted with the facts, but it shall be his duty as hereinbefore stated, to take the initiative himself."

WILL MEET SOON.

County Teachers Will Gather at Thief River in February.

The next meeting of the Red Lake county teachers association will be held at Thief River Falls Friday and Saturday, February 22 and 23, and the committe in charge of the meeting are already busy arranging for a program that will be the best in the history of the association.

As the 22nd is Washington's birthday anniversary it is planned to make the program for that day patriotic to a large extent, and the teachers will be called upon to arrange many novel features for this day's exercises.

Several prominent valley educators will be present, and nothing will be left undone to make the gathering one well worth attending.

The complete program will be published as soon as the committee gets it completed.

Young People Wed.

Linus Holberg, a prominent young man of this city, and Miss Gena Sedig, daughter of John Sedig, of Emardville township, were married at Thief River Falls Tuesday of this week by Rev. I. T. Aastad. They returned here on the evening train and are at present stopping at the Grand View, but will go to housekeeping within a short time. Linus has for several years been a valued employee of the Red Lake Falls Milling company holding one of the most important positions in the plant, and is considered as one of Red Lake Falls' steadiest and best young men. The bride is a young lady of great popularity in her own town and is known by many people here, having been at one time a resident of this city. The Gazette joins with the many friends of the young couple in a wish for continued happiness and prosperity.

WILL ADVERTISE CITY

Commercial Club To Take Part in The Publicity Campaign.

On Monday evening the Commercial Club held its regular monthly meeting in the city hall. About fifty members were present which considering the size of the club, is a good attendance and shows that the mission of the organization—that of keeping our citizens in touch with matters of interest to the city and surrounding country—is bearing fruit and promises to be one of the principal factors in the development and progress of Red Lake Falls and vicinity.

The matter of joining the Red River Valley Improvement and Immigration association in an advertising campaign of the resources and advantages of this section of the country was brought up for continued consideration. After hearing the report of the committee for soliciting subscriptions it was concluded that sufficient funds were assured for this city to take part in the movement as planned by the Improvement and Immigration association. Upon submitting the question to a vote it was carried almost unanimously in the affirmative, and P. B. Gaass was then elected as a delegate to attend the meeting of the association which was held at Fargo yesterday, Wednesday.

D. J. Doran was elected secretary of the club to fill out the unexpired term of W. S. Cox, whose resignation was tendered at the last meeting.

That interest in the Commercial club is growing was apparent from the number in attendance at the meeting Monday evening and it is hoped that a still larger number will be present when the club meets in February.

Exhibit of Wheat Grown Here Runs Off With First Honors In State Seed Grain Fair.

Olaf Nelson, of Black River Township, Carries Off The Glory And With It A Cash Prize Of $200.---Means Much To Red Lake County.

Olaf Nelson, son of N. A. Nelson of River Falls township, is the lucky winner of the first prize for wheat in the state seed grain contest held at Minneapolis last week, and as a result the young man will receive the sum of $200 in cash, besides the high honor the award carries with it.

The rural school seed grain contest was started by the experiment station of the State University last winter, and early in the year the plans were laid before the county superintendents of the the different counties, urging them to co-operate with the station and endeavor to make the plan a success all along the line. While the plans as outlined meant a considerable amount of work for the county superintendents, nevertheless in a large number of counties they were looked upon with general favor, and the subject of rural school agriculture was taken up with a vim.

Red Lake county was in the game from the start, and despite many obstacles Superintendent McAnulty took up the slogan and commenced early to work for a big bunch of contestants in this county. He interviewed the business men of Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls and secured a long list of cash and valuable articles to be hung up as prizes in the county contest, as an incentive for the young people of the county schools to get into the game. The work of grading the prizes and arranging details was a difficult one, but Mr. McAnulty was not scared by a little work and when the spring breakup came so that the work could be started, he had awakened a great interest in the plan, and a large number of contestants were at once competing for the prizes. Mr. McAnulty aided them in every way possible by giving them the rules from the state experimental station governing the raising of the grains, and urging them to greater efforts.

The work of the Red Lake county contestants was carried on in full accordance with all directions and rules, and when the county seed grain fair was held in this city December 1, an exceptionally large number of exhibits were at hand. In the wheat contest which was judged by Prof. Robertson, of the Crookston Experimental farm, the exhibit of Peter Lachance, of Terrebonne, was awarded first, and that of Olaf Nelson, of River Falls, second. These exhibits with the prize winners in the oats and corn contests were sent to Minneapolis to be entered in the state seed grain fair, which was held in that city last week under the auspices of the experimental station.

A. D. Shamel, of Illinois, considered the best grain expert in the west, was the judge of the exhibits, and decided that the exhibit of wheat raised by Mr. Nelson was the best in the contest, and the first prize of $200 was awarded accordingly. Thus it was that the wheat termed second best in the county contest by Expert Robertson was given the first award in the state contest by Expert Shamel, a fact which should be proof conclusive that Red Lake county today excells the world in the matter of quality wheat raising.

The outcome of this contest cannot help but be gratifying to the people of Red Lake county, who are interested in its future welfare. Minnesota has long been considered the prize winner of the wheat states, and the advertisement that Red Lake county now gets as the best agricultural county of the best agricultural state cannot help resounding to its future and everlasting good.

Red Lake county exhibitors have won first honors time after time in the butter and cheese contests of the state, proving thereby its fitness as a diversified farming field, and with the added glory the wheat contest brings to us, we can lay just claim to being the leading "bread and butter" county of the greatest commonwealth of the nation. The value of such an advertisement cannot be overrated, and to those who have been responsible for this condition of affairs too much praise cannot be given.

Without detracting one iota of glory from the young man who was justly honored last week, The Gazette believes that a corresponding amount is due Superintendent of Schools McAnulty for the part he has played in the matter. There is not a doubt but what the contestants of this county went into the contest with as much or more enthusiasm as those of any county contesting, and they were at all times aided and encouraged by the county superintendent, and that the work has resulted so successfully is just cause for Mr. McAnulty to feel well repaid for the time and efforts spent along this line.

The following letter from D. D. Mayne, principal of the State School of Agriculture is self-explanatory:

SUPT. H. T. MCANULTY,
Red Lake Falls, Minn,

Dear Superintendent McAnulty:—

I take great pleasure in informing you that Mr. Olaf Nelson of St. Hilaire in your county secured the first prize in the State contest in growing wheat. This prize amounts to $200 in cash. Will you please convey this information to Mr. Nelson with our most hearty congratulations.

I sincerely hope that this large prize may be the means of greatly stimulating the work of growing better grain in your county and that all the students in your schools may take up the study with greater interest.

Will you kindly fill out the enclosed blank and return to me at your earliest convenience. In the case of the very large prizes we feel it due to the donors that they receive some assurance from the county superintendents that the grain submitted was grown in accordance with the rules. I have no doubt but that this will be entirely satisfactory to you.

Hoping that you may be able to secure a photograph of the winner for us, and the composition requested, I am,

Yours very truly,
—D. D. MAYNE,
Principal.

NOTICE.

Wanted—30 cords of green poplar cord wood to be delivered at the Red Lake Falls creamery. For further particulars inquire of G. F. Hennings, Secretary. tf

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WHALEN WILL COME.

Red Lake County Gets Hustling Citizen Through Deal Last Week.

A deal was made through President Garceau, of the First State Bank last week, whereby this part of Red Lake county secures a new citizen in the person of Thomas Whalen, of LeSueur, this state, who purchased the northeast quarter of Section 4, Red Lake Falls—the Gideon Poirier farm—Saturday last. The consideration was $4500, all cash.

Mr. Whalen spent several days of last week here visiting with Messrs. Groshong and Blake, old-time comrades, and became so favorably impressed with this part of the valley that he decided to locate here, and through Mr. Garceau secured one of the finest farming properties in this neighborhood.

Mr. Whalen is a man of many years experience as a farmer and stock raiser, and will be a valuable addition to this part of the state. For a long time past he has been engaged in the horse business extensively and has earned a reputation throughout his part of the state as the life of the horse market. He intends to make a model farm out of his property here, and will continue in the blooded stock business as he did in southern Minnesota.

Mr. Whalen has for several years been an expert horse judge at the Minnesota state fair, and was also employed in the same capacity at the World's Fair in Chicago in 1892.

He is also a lover of "speeders" as well as other good horse flesh and has several horses in his string that can go some when occasion presents itself.

He will move his family here early in the spring to take up his residence on his new property, and will go in to win. He is thoroughly familiar with the work he will undertake here, and that he will be successful can never be doubted for an instant.

Mr. Whalen's son, George, arrived here Saturday to look after his father's interests until such time as he can get here.

The Gazette is pleased to know that Mr. Whalen is to become a resident of great and growing Red Lake county, and is sanguine in its opinion that he will never regret his move.

DONE GOOD WORK.

Contractor James Brady, of This City, Completes Two Big Jobs.

Contractor James Brady of this city arrived home last Saturday from Kelliher, Beltrami county, where he has just completed a fine new school building. The building was inspected and accepted by the school board last Thursday, and Mr. Brady was very highly complimented on the quality of work he done. The new structure is about 50 feet square, two stories, and is finished in an elegant manner throughout. The lower floor is divided into two rooms for school purposes, while the upper part is to be used as a city hall. Mr. Brady used the finest material and put on his best workmanship, which gives the Kelliher people a school house that will long stand as a credit to their city.

Mr. Brady also built a $5000 school building at Big Falls earlier in the year, starting the work June 10 and completing the building on October 10. This building was also a very nice one, and the work pleased the people of Big Falls immensely.

Mr. Brady has a good reputation throughout that part of the state as a first-class contractor, and will undoubtedly get other work up there the coming season.

200 cords dry poplar wood for sale, delivered at your door. C. E. Boughton. d6tf

THE REGULAR CONCERT

Local Band Organization Practicing Hard For Their Next Appearance

The next public appearance of the Red Lake Falls band in concert work will be on Friday evening, January 25th, when the regular January program will be given.

Prof. Bruckman now has the band well in hand, and is arranging an attractive program for the concert on the 25th.

A number of new selections will be on the program, besides several of the good old numbers, and the people can depend on hearing something extra good on this date.

The usual specialties will be introduced, to make the program varied and interesting.

The following is the program:

PART I.

March, - - - - Gomuelute
"Cheer Up."
Overture, - - - - - Suppe
"Jolly Robbers."
Cornet Duet, - - - Ellenberg
"Kindred Souls."
Clem Brunelle, H. H. Gareeau.
Waltz, - - - - - - Fox
"Dorothy Vernon."
Quartette, - - - - Selected
Messrs. Bruckman, Healy, Berthon, Tracy.

PART II.

March, - - - - - Selected
Medley Overture, - - - O'Hara
"The Star."
Recitation, - - - - Selected
Duet for Cornet and Trombone, - - - - - Barnard
"The Pals,"
Clem Brunelle, H. Healy.
March, - - - - - McFall
"The New King."

FINAL LYCEUM NUMBER

Colonial Saxophone Quartette On February 11th Will Complete The Series

The final number in the series of entertainments furnished by the Midland Lyceum Bureau, will be given at the opera house on the evening of Tuesday, February 11th, when the Colonial Saxophone Quartette, said to be the best of the series, will appear in a varied program.

The company is composed of four young musicians who come recommended as finished artists in their line. They are all vocal soloists, all soloists on the saxophone, three are cornetists and one a violinist, so that the combination cannot help but be an interesting and highly entertaining one, that will please everyone who attends.

The Lyceum course has been very successful both from a financial as well as an entertainment standpoint, and the Study Club deserves the thanks of all for taking up and carrying out the work of arranging for these entertainments.

The Saxophone Quartette will be a fitting finish to an excellent line of entertainments, and the capacity of the hall should be taxed to accommodate the people who will attend.

NOTICE.

To the Public: The impression has erroneously gotten abroad that the G. A. Kaakel and Hunt Hardware company are still owned and controlled jointly by the undersigned and Mr. Hunt. I desire to impress upon the minds of the people that this an error, absolutely without foundation, as I am and expect to be in the future absolutely independent of and not connected with any business concern in Red Lake Falls or Red Lake county.

I am prepared to give the trade good values in all branches of the hardware business, and respectfully invite comparison of prices with any like concern in the valley.

Respectfully soliciting your business, and assuring you that I will treat you right at all times, I am

Yours for business,
G. A. Kaakel,
The Hardware Man.

RED LAKE FALLS GAZETTE.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The house of representatives, in committee of the whole, refused to strike out of the army appropriation bill an item of $1,000,000 to pay the expenses of state militia participating in encampments of the regular army.

The subcommittee of the senate committee on Indian affairs agreed to report an amendment to the Indian appropriation bill striking out the appropriation for the Indian school at Carlisle, Pa.

A resolution providing for a sweeping investigation of the conduct of United States Senator J. W. Bailey, of Texas, was introduced in the house of representatives of the state legislature, signed by 28 members.

Senators Foraker and Lodge debated the president's discharge of colored troops, and Senator Gearin criticised his attitude toward the Japanese in America.

MISCELLANEOUS.

James Cullen, who had murdered his wife and stepson, was taken from jail at Charles City, Ia., and hanged by a mob that included four ministers and several women.

Suits to dissolve the alleged Gould merger of railways and other concerns were filed by Attorney General Hadley, of Missouri.

Lieut. Gen. Vladimir Pavloff, advocate general of the Russian army, was killed by an assassin at St. Petersburg.

Twenty-seven men were enveloped in molten metal and killed and seven others fatally hurt by the explosion of a steel furnace in Pittsburg, Pa.

Exposures of the methods of the transcontinental railroads of America in distributing the nation's traffic were made in Chicago when J. C. Stubbs, traffic director of the great Harriman railway properties, became a witness before the interstate commerce commission.

Two masked bandits held up an interurban electric car near Brooklyn, Ill., and after firing several shots, robbed the conductor of $40 and made their escape.

David Overmyer, probably the most prominent Democratic politician in Kansas, died at his home in Topeka, aged 60 years.

Pinning to his clothes a note saying that "life is a rarebit dream," Albert A. Chittenden, an artist, committed suicide by inhaling gas in his apartments in New York.

Mrs. Maria Novack, aged 70 years, wife of Thomas Novack, living near Holding, Minn., was found dead in the woods about two miles from her home.

Young Corbett was whipped in a six-round bout at Philadelphia by Tommy Murphy.

A charter was granted at Atlanta, Ga., to the Savannah, Augusta & Northern Railroad company to construct a line from Savannah to Rossville, Ga.

Archbishop George Montgomery is dangerously ill at the Adler sanitarium in San Francisco.

The Japanese budget for the next fiscal year, which the government expects to present soon, provides an expenditure of 611,000,000 yen (about $305,000,000).

Plans for a new 20-story hotel to occupy the entire block in Broadway from Thirty-second to Thirty-third street, New York, are being prepared.

High water has caused thousands of dollars worth of damage around Iroquois, Ill. Railroad tracks are inundated for miles and homes completely submerged.

John H. Graham, founder of the Graham & Morton Transportation company, which runs one of the largest lines of boats plying between Chicago and the east shore of Lake Michigan, died at St. Joseph, Mich.

Gov. Folk, of Missouri, granted a respite until January 17 to William Spaugh, under sentence to be executed for the murder of Sheriff Polk.

Miss Beatrice Kobbe, niece of Maj. Gen. W. A. Kobbe, U. S. A., and Raymond D. Little, the well-known tennis player, were married in All Angels' Protestant Episcopal church, New York.

Mrs. A. B. Sims, prominent in Des Moines, Iowa, society and holder of the national whist championship, created a sensation in Des Moines by denouncing whist playing at the University Place Church of Christ, and declaring that she never again would touch cards.

Andrew Carnegie has given $50,000 to build a Creek memorial at Okmulgee, I. T., in honor of the celebrated Creek chief Esparhacker.

The total number of immigrants admitted during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1906, was 1,100,735, beating all records.

Eighteen Chinamen who had been smuggled across the river were caught by immigration officers at El Paso, Tex., as they were loading their belongings into a Santa Fe box car.

Citizens of North Yakima raided a coal train and carried off 20 carloads of fuel.

Reckon, one of the greatest race mares and dams in America, died at the Dixiana stud, Lexington, Ky.

Operator W. M. Dutrow and seven trainmen were held by the coroner's jury for the wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio at Terra Cotta.

Republican legislators of South Dakota indorsed Robert J. Gamble to succeed himself as United States senator.

Robbers blew open the vault of a bank at Bonfield and escaped with $800.

The Santa Fe railway was indicted twice by a federal grand jury at Los Angeles, Cal., for giving rebates on lime shipments.

The mills at Minneapolis, were forced to close for lack of cars.

Muzaffar-Ed-Din, shah of Persia, died at Teheran after a long illness.

Mexican troops killed 30 riotous strikers at Nogales and wounded more than 80, after the mobs had destroyed property valued at $1,500,000.

Fire gutted a great portion of the large plant of the Michigan Stove Works in Detroit, causing a loss estimated at $750,000, while the entire plant was insured for but $380,000. One spectator was killed and several others were injured.

The Republican members of the Minnesota legislature in caucus nominated United States Senator Knute Nelson to succeed himself. This is equivalent to election.

A lamp being used by Mrs. Elle J. Longley, of St. Louis, exploded, covering her with oil, and she was burned to death.

The election of Congressman Joseph M. Dixon to the United States senate to succeed Senator Clark, was assured at Helena, Mont., a caucus of the Republican members of the legislature giving him 49 votes to 22 for former Senator Lee Mantle.

After running wild for miles at 75 miles an hour, the Northwestern fast mail was saved from destruction by Engineer Shull, who, scalded nearly to death, made his way to the express car and pulled the air brakes rope.

At a meeting of the London Aero club it was decided to send a challenge for the James Gordon Bennett aeronautic race to take place at St. Louis in October. Three competitors will be sent.

The United States circuit court of appeals at Cincinnati upheld the constitutionality of the Kentucky law empowering the governor to appoint a racing board to control horse racing in the state.

Congressman Slayden, of Texas, said in the house that negroes were not fit to be American soldiers.

Senator Overman, of North Carolina, addressed the senate in opposition to the proposed federal child labor laws, his opposition being based on the broad ground of state rights.

Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz, of San Francisco, through his attorneys petitioned the supreme court for a writ of habeas corpus, alleging that he was being illegally deprived of his liberty. The writ was granted.

An immediate investigation of the alleged exposure of cruelty and inhumanity by attendants at the Cleveland state hospital for the insane was ordered by Gov. Harris, of Ohio.

Free mail delivery was restored in those portions of New Orleans which were cut off January 1 by order of the postmaster general on account of improper sidewalk facilities.

France has a population of 39,252,267, according to the latest census. This is an increase of only 290,322 over that shown by the census of 1905.

Prof. E. T. Cox, a prominent member of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, died at his home in Jacksonville, Fla., aged 86 years.

The legal battle started by the state of Minnesota to determine the necessity for the issue of the proposed $60,000,000 worth of Great Northern railroad stock began in the Ramsey county district court at St. Paul, before Judge Hallam.

President E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe told the interstate commerce commission in Chicago that the first intimation he had that the Union Pacific owned $10,000,000 of Santa Fe stock was in the press dispatches from New York.

Edward De Morny, editor of Judy, of London, was sentenced to two months' imprisonment for publishing obscene advertisements.

Harry K. Allen, charged with embezzling $7,000 as recorder of the Kansas City chapter of Shriners, was bound over to the criminal court Tuesday. He is one of the best known Shriners in the United States.

Near Cairo, Ill., thousands of acres of land were flooded and the loss of live stock and corn was heavy.

The store of the Henkin Mercantile company was burned at Plainview, Neb., the loss being estimated at $50,000.

The entire family of George Devino, at Winooski, Vt., consisting of six persons, the father, mother and four children, were killed by illuminating gas which entered the house from a break in the street main through a sewer pipe.

Col. William C. Williams, a well-known veteran of the civil war, died at Indianapolis after four days' illness with pneumonia.

During a storm the Greek sailing boat Urania went on the rocks near Ancona, Italy, and was wrecked. Thirteen members of the crew were drowned.

The strike of the Southern Pacific was formally declared off at Houston, Tex., following the signing of an agreement by officials of the road and the unions.

The equestrian statue of Gen. George B. McClellan in Washington will be unveiled on May 15.

Attorney General Jackson, on behalf of the people of the state of New York, entered suit in the supreme court against George B. McClellan, praying that the latter be ousted from the office of mayor of the city of New York on the ground that he has usurped and unlawfully holds such office, whereas William Randolph Hearst is legally entitled to the same.

The City of Panama was buffeted by a furious storm and several of the crew were washed overboard, one drowning.

Joseph C. Rogers, New York manager for the Pittsburg Steel Plate company, was found dead in bed at Upton, Mass., the cause being heart disease.

Reliable information has been received at Washington of a prospective influx of over 2,000 Japanese into the United States from Mexico.

A Southern Pacific engine blew up at Curry, Texas, killing Fireman Garliaghouse and Engineer Walter Hshertin.

Mollie Thorson, living near Erhard, Minn., said a masked man covered with a sheet entered her house and shot her.

Gov. Hughes of New York granted a requisition for William Stinson, of Terre Haute, Ind., on a charge of burglary. Stinson was the vice president of the National Mine Workers of America for the Eleventh district of Indiana.

Alfred E. Davis, the last of the pioneer railroad builders of California, died at Alameda, aged 79 years. He was associated with the late James J. Fair in railroad enterprises.

A dispatch from Colombo reports immense tidal waves on the south coast of Ceylon Friday a few hours after a seismograph had recorded a submarine earthquake 2,000 miles to the southeast.

An Omaha passenger train struck a sleigh containing Miss Mattie Clemons, aged 22, and her brother, aged 17, on a grade crossing in the town of Union, near Eau Claire, Wis. Miss Clemons' head was cut off; the boy may recover.

Coroner Kline of Dayton, O., has exonerated the Gilman family in connection with the murder of Dora Gilman. He says he believes Davis Curtis, who was tried and dismissed in a magistrate's court, is guilty of the murder.

The will of A. J. Cassatt leaves his estate of $5,000,000 to the widow and three children.

The Chinese trading quarter of Bangkok was devastated by fire, the loss being about $3,000,000.

Japanese poachers have found short shrift on the Kamchatkan peninsula, according to advices received by the steamer Empress of Japan. The Jiji Shimpo says investigations show that 40 Japanese vessels have disappeared since 1904, and that 400 men are missing.

Postmaster General Cortelyou resigned the chairmanship of the Republican national committee and Harry S. New of Indiana became acting chairman.

One of three firemen buried in the debris of a New York fire was found to be alive and was rescued after eight hours of digging.

The safety vault at the Peoria, Ill., public library was blown open and all records of defalcation in the case of Newton C. Dougherty, former superintendent of schools of that city, were stolen and afterward burned in the furnace in the building.

William H. Bailey, who was trainmaster in charge of the supplies for the army commanded by Gen. Grant during the civil war, died at St. Louis from Bright's disease.

A runaway team dashed into a crowd at New York, killing a baby in its carriage and so injuring the child's mother and three other children that they can hardly survive.

Corporal Knowles of the Twenty-fifth infantry, colored, was arrested for the murderous assault on Capt. E. B. Macklin at Fort Reno.

Rollo Steele, formerly of Chicago and Garner, Iowa, being refused a loan of $5,000 by the Fourth Street National bank of Philadelphia, threw a bomb that killed himself and the cashier, injured six others and wrecked the bank.

Zinat, Raisuli's stronghold, was captured by the Moroccan army and he and his followers fled to the mountains.

All the negro troops now in the United States have been ordered to prepare for service in the Philippines.

Miss Mary F. Johnson, sister-in-law of Gov. Guild of Massachusetts, eloped with and married a titled sewing machine agent.

Frederick R. Martin, of Portland, Ore., shot and slightly wounded his wife, shot to death Miss Emma Helms, his sister-in-law, and then sent a bullet into his own head.

A convention of shippers in Chicago decided to ask President Roosevelt to issue a special message urging demurrage legislation.

Papers were signed for the settlement of the Southern Pacific firemen's strike.

Missionaries in the Pacific islands declare that France has ceded Tahiti to Great Britain in consideration of territorial concessions in Burma or Further India (Indo-China).

A statement issued by the bureau of statistics of the department of commerce and labor announces that this country now ranks third in the value of manufactures entering the world's internal commerce, the amount of its exports for the past year having aggregated more than $700,000,000

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

IS NOW IN FULL SWING AT THE STATE CAPITAL.

Several Important Measures are Intruced Including a Two cent Railroad Fare.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 7—Harmony prevailed at the caucus of the republican members of the senate at the Ryan hotel this afternoon, and the dove of peace was also present at the caucus of the republican representatives of the house, held this evening at the capitol. The senate caucus was practically in charge of Senator E. E. Smith, of Minneapolis, and there is every indication that the combination which worked in the senate two years ago has been reorganized this time, the members being brought into line by each one in the combination being given an appointment of some employee. The senate slate agreed upon was as follows:

Samuel A. Langum, of Preston, secretary.

W. H. Alton, of St. Paul, assistant secretary.

W. A. Simonton, of Glenwood, recording secretary.

Frank Holcomb, of St. Paul, enrolling clerk.

E. A. Nelson, of Hallock, engrossing clerk.

James H. Ege, of Minneapolis, sergeant-at-arms.

Rev. J. W. Eckman, of Dunnell, chaplain.

The action of the house caucus this evening was simply a ratification of agreements between steering committees arrived at during the day. The slate went through without a hitch, as follows:

Speaker, L. H. Johnson, Minneapolis.

Chief clerk, Adolph E. L. Johnson, Minneapolis.

First assistant clerk, Archibald H. Vernon, St. Paul.

Second assistant, Oscar Arneson, Herman.

Reading clerk, John T. Jones, Minneapolis.

Enrolling clerk, Lester Bartlett, Buffalo.

Engrossing clerk, D. W. Meeker, Moorhead.

Sergeant-at-arms, F. B. Selz, Red Wing.

Postmaster, Albert H. Spring, Rochester.

St. Paul. Minn., Jan. 8—At noon today the thirty-fifth Minnesota legislature came into existence with the calling to order of the state senate by Lieut. Gov. A. O. Eberhart and the opening of the house of representatives by Julius H. Schmahl, secretary of state. In the senate the members were sworn in by Charles M. Start, chief justice of the supreme court; in the house, by Calvin L. Brown, associate justice.

In both branches of the legislature the minority made some objection to the republican slates, but with no avail so far as changing of the schedules was concerned. In the house, Lawrence H. Johnson of Minneapolis was nominated for speaker by Judge H. G. Hicks of Minneapolis. Dr. J. H. Dorsey was nominated for speaker for the democrats by James Handlan of St. Paul. Johnson received 106 votes, Dorsey 13. The remainder of the slate then went through without any trouble. Adolph E. L. Johnson of Minneapolis received 116 votes for chief clerk, Archibald H. Vernon of St. Paul was elected first assistant, A score of men were employed as committee clerks, door, cloak room, and gallery keepers, etc., at the usual compensation of $5 a day.

The program followed by the senate was like that of the house, the adoption of the prepared slate and the doling out of a lot of minor jobs to waiting politicians. Samuel A. Langum of Preston was named secretary of the senate, a job he has held every two years for so long that only "the earliest settlers" can remember he ever had a predecessor. W. H. Alton of St. Paul, a new man, was named assistant secretary. Frank Holcomb of St Paul was named enrolling clerk. E. A. Nelson of Hallock secured election as engrossing clerk and so on down the slate. Then came a lengthy resolution by Senator "Andy" Stephens of Polk county, naming the long list of minor employes. Senator McGowan, democrat, of Minneapolis, wanted action delayed on the resolution until the morrow. The republicans couldn't hear him. He then announced notice of debate. Notice of debate under the old senate rules compels the tabling of a resolution for 24 hours. But Lieut. Gov. Eberhart ruled that the senate as yet had no rules, the old ones not having as yet been readopted; and the resolution would have to go to immediate vote. It carried by a vote of 57 to 4, a good preliminary score for the republican machine in the senate. After the transaction of some minor business preliminary to perfecting the senate organization, adjournment was taken.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 9—The presentation of the governor's message to the legislature which was expected, and the introduction of a grist of thirteen bills in the senate, which were unexpected, were the two events of today's session at the capitol. The senate convened with the house to hear the message. The galleries were crowded with people, many being ladies. Gov. J. A. Johnson spoke for nearly three hours. Even though he took this length of time, he cut out considerable of the seventy pages of his typewritten manuscript in the delivery.

Senator Peterson has the honor of introducing the first senate file, S. F. No. 1 which was a bill to appropriate $150,000 for the general expenses of the legislative session.

There were several other senate bills worthy of special mention. Senator Sullivan introduced S. F. 2, to permit the state board of control to establish a plant at the state prison for manufacture of farm machinery and thus compete with the farm machinery trust in this industry as well as in the manufacture of twine. The board is authorized to use half the net proceeds of the prison for this purpose by the bill. The same senator fathered a measure to create a legislative reference and information bureau at the capitol, similar to the Wisconsin law.

Senator Calhoun introduced a bill to provide for election of delegates to state, congressional and judicial conventions by the Australian ballot, anyone desiring to be allowed to have his name placed on the delegate ticket.

Senator Wilson introduced a bill to create a state tax commission of three members. Senator Calhoun introduced two measures, to appropriate commissioners of three members each for preparation of Minnesota exhibits at the Alaskan Yukon Pacific exposition at Seattle in 1909, and at the Jamestown, Va., exposition in 1907. The two bills carry an aggregate appropriation of $150,000.

Senator Peterson introduced a measure to fix a two cent a mile rate for passenger traffic on railroads. Senator Cashman had a railroad measure to establish a distance tarriff; that the same rate on the same class of freight per ton mile must prevail for both long and short hauls. Another bill to establish a two cent rate on railroads was the product of Senator Moonan. No bills were presented in the house.

The expected happened last evening when the republicans of the house and senate in caucus by a vote of 133, all present, nominated Knute Nelson to succeed himself as United States senator Jan. 22. Senator Gunderson of Alexandria made the nominating speech for the caucus.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 10—The legislature today practically decided upon a thorough probe of the alleged harvester and general farm machinery trust, and of the coal combine which is said to control both the price and supply of fuel in Minnesota and the northwest. In the house, the resolution calling for the farm machinery probe was introduced by L. C. Spooner of Morris; the one for the coal combine investigation, by Elias Rochie of Madison. The resolutions called for joint committee of the house and senate to be appointed, and were promptly passed. In the senate the same resolutions were introduced by Senators Peterson and Hanson, but were laid over for further consideration on suggestion of Senator Geo. P. Wilson that one committee could combine the work and accomplish it better than two.

Seven bills made their appearance in the house today, the first of the session. Among them were three measures for two cents per mile railroad fare. John Zelch of Cottage Grove got in the first one. Burdette Thayer of Spring Valley and A. G. Johnson of St. Paul followed.

W. C. Bicknell of Morris introduced an income tax measure, providing for a tax of 1 per cent on incomes up to $10,000, 2 per cent on incomes up to $15,000; over $15,000, 3 per cent.

W. A. Nolen introduced his famous reciprocal demurrage bill which was defeated two years ago after a hard fight.

The senate took another spurt in the introduction of bills, running the number from 13 yesterday up to a total of 32 today. Senator Wright of Litchfield introduced several important measures, to apply the primary law to state offices, to permit orders of the railroad commission to go into immediate effect, and to create a 7 per cent gross earnings tax for express companies. Senators Wright and McGowen both introduced bills calling for registration with the secretary of state of all legislative lobbyists who must give a strict accounting of their actions and for all money spent. Senator Works fathered a bill to extend the Lorrens real estate law, optionally, to all counties of the state. It now only applies in the three largest, Senator Fasseen had a measure to increase the personal tax exemption from $100 to $200. Senator Wilson presented one to create a permanent tax commission of three members, at $4,000 a year salary each.

Both senate and house adjourned to 8 p. m. next Monday, that members might go home for Sunday.

Amboy—The annual hunt proved to be a success, although no big game was killed. There were twenty hunters on a side, and the start was made at 1 o'clock in the afternoon. All game was returned to the judges at 7 o'clock that evening. The trophies of the chase consisted of 300 cottontails, 1 jack rabbit, 1 crow and 2 owls. Capt. William Kienholz's company won by 148 points.

Mankato—A company is being organized in Mankato with $50,000 capital to manufacture automobiles along lines of an invention made by Ernest Rosenberger a wholesale candy manufacturer of this city.

Beards as a Sign of Mourning.

In ancient Rome men only grew beards as a sign of mourning. In Egypt all went clean shaven, but in Assyria only the slaves and peasants shaved.

Two Kinds of Flying Fish.

Flying fish of two distinct kinds are known to men—namely, the flying gurnards and the flyng herrings.

Serve the Lord in Youth.

When men grow virtuous in their old age, they only make a sacrifice of the devil's leavings.—Pope.

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Coal is Found.

Owatonna.—A large vein has been discovered on the Albert Kasper farm two miles south of this city. The vein is five feet or more in width and one hundred feet under ground. The coal is said to be valuable for fuel purposes, being a species of soft coal, but still resembling anthracite.

Some years ago, owners of land near this farm discovered coal on the banks of Straight river, which flows a short distance in the rear of the farm. The coal was found at the foot of a hill and close to the surface of the water, which washes against it at this point. A small quantity of the coal was tested and found to be good. Since that time, however, no further developments have been made and the discovery has been allowed to go.

A short time ago, Mr. Kasper engaged well diggers to drill a well near his house, and this work later was started. The work went along smoothly until the drill was about one hundred feet below the surface, when it was found that some hard substance was being encountered by the drill. An investigation immediately was ordered by the owner of the machine, Edward Austin, and the substance was brought to the surface and carefully examined. It then was discovered that a bed or vein of coal had been struck by the drill.

Samples of the fuel were then taken to the Kasper home and tested and later used in the stove, where they were found to burn well. Samples also were brought to one of the local blacksmith shops and were used in the forge.

Farmers' Institutes.

Minneapolis.—Following is a list of the farmers' institutes scheduled for the last half of January, with the name of the local corresponding secretary:

Dodge Center, Dodge county, Jan. 22, Peter J. Schwarg; Granada, Martin county, Jan. 24, Edward R. Deebach; Welcome, Martin county, Jan. 25, H. A. Zittel; Jackson, Jackson county, Jan. 26, W. W. Wold; Edgerton, Pipestone county, Jan. 28, C. F. Blackmere; Pipestone, Pipestone county, Jan. 29, F. A. Payne; Slayton, Murray county, Jan. 30, James Ruane; Luverne, Rock county, Jan. 31, H. J. Miller; Waconia, Carver county, Jan. 22, W. J. Kuntz; Norwood, Carver county, Jan. 23, J. W. Craven; Gaylord, Sibley county, Jan. 24, Charles Wallin; Gibbon, Sibley county, Jan. 25, A. E. Nelson; Franklin, Renville county, Jan. 26, A. J. Olin; Hanley Falls, Yellow Medicine county, Jan. 29, W. E. Hanson; Clarkfield, Yellow Medicine county, Jan. 30, A. J. Johnson; Dawson, Lac qui Parle county, N. F. Soderberg.

More Money.

St. Paul.—The state treasury has received the semi-annual interest on the Massachusetts gold bonds, which pay 3½ per cent and the Virginia funding bonds at 3 per cent. The interest received from the Massachusetts bonds amounts to $39,535, and the interest from the Virginia bonds, $31,725. Of this latter, the school fund will receive $24,525 and the university $5,325. The internal improvement fund of the state will receive $375 and the state institutions' fund will be enriched $1,500 by the payment of this interest. The Virginia bonds are among the lowest interest-bearing securities that the state holds and the amount held by the state of these bonds is $1,635,000.

State Treasurer Julius Block, a year and a half ago, ordered the investment board to transfer this money to the state so that it could be loaned within the state to the several counties and school districts at 4 per cent.

Car Shortage.

Minneapolis.—Owing to the car shortage, which precluded the possibility of adequately handling wheat shipments during the last three months of 1906, there were 5,668 less cars of freight received at Minneapolis during the year just closed than in 1905.

The report of the Minneapolis Commercial Club shows that during the past year a total of 285,058 car lots of freight was received, as against 290,726 in 1905.

To counteract this and to show the rapid growth of Minneapolis as a manufacturing center the report shows that the freight shipments from this city amounted to 7,003,519 pounds more than in 1905.

News Notes.

Washington.—Charles H. Furch was appointed postmaster at Burtrum, Todd county, Minn., vice F. W. Willson resigned, and C. E. Melgaard at Rosby, Hubbard county, Minn., vice K. Erickson, resigned.

Mankato.—Rev. and Mrs. N. B. Foot celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Eagle Lake. Rev. Foot has held charges in several Southern Minnesota towns during his long residence in the state, and is also prominent in Masonic and Grand Army circles.

Blackduck.—On account of the mild weather which has prevailed so far this winter logging is practically at a standstill in this vicinity. There is snow to spare in the woods, but it fell before the ground had frozen. The snow is about three feet on the level, but has no foundation. Heavy hauling is impossible and only light loads can be carried.

Minneapolis.—Joe Mahoney and Ed Bryant, proprietors of the Unique theater, Seventh and Jackson streets, got into a fight in the theater, after which Mahoney was found with his right ear nearly cut off, his left ear penetrated by a knife blade and two gashes on his neck, one of which narrowly escaped the jugular vein.

Winona.—W. L. Miller, alderman from the Third ward, was examined for insanity and committed to the asylum at Rochester. His trouble dates back to about two years ago, when he was the victim of a severe electric shock.

Rochester.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Durand of this city, each eighty-four years old, celebrated their sixty-sixth wedding anniversary.

Frank Danna, 45 years old, a switchman in the employ of the Minneapolis Transfer Company, was run over by a train and instantly killed.

St. Paul.—Labor Commissioner Williams is in favor of establishing two more state labor bureaus.

SUGGESTS MUCH NEW LEGISLATION

AT HIS SECOND INAUGURAL THE STATES EXECUTIVE ADVOCATES TAXATION REFORM, LOWER FREIGHT AND TWO-CENT FARE.

State Department of Mines and Mining Proposed, and a Royalty Tax on Iron Ore Recommended—Reciprocal Demurrage Law Favored.

St. Paul, Jan. 9—The formal inauguration of John A. Johnson's second term as governor of Minnesota took place today at the state capital at a joint meeting of the senate and house in the hall of representatives. The oath was administered by Chief Justice Chas. M. Start, and immediately following the ceremony Governor Johnson read his message, in substance as follows:

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives:

The first paragraph of our constitution states that government is instituted for the security, benefit and protection of the people, in whom all political power is inherent together with the right to alter, modify, or reform such government when the public good may require. It is not instituted for the protection of interests deriving their privileges from the sovereign power of the people; neither is it instituted to deprive any individual or any interest of any right which may obtain under the constitution. You are elected as representatives of all the people of the state to make such alterations and modifications in our laws as will incline to the domestic welfare, and I believe that at this session of the legislature you are given opportunities that seldom come to a law-making body. I hope and believe you will approach the office committed to your care with zeal and activity and with the sole purpose and motive of doing that which is best for the commonwealth.

There is much cause for congratulation in the general condition of our prosperity. We have particular reason for felicitation in the financial condition of the state. According to the report of the state auditor there has been much improvement during the past biennial period. Economy by the legislature, followed by economical administration on the part of the executive departments, will bring a further improved condition in the near future.

TAXATION.

One of the greatest questions with which you will be called upon to deal is that of solving the problem of providing, at least in some measure, a wise and just method of distributing the tax burden of the people you represent.

From the birth of our state government we have had an unchanged system of taxation in the form of a direct tax upon real and personal property. The history of taxation in our state has taught us that taxes have not been equal and that the method has not been efficient. The fault has been in part the law and in part the application.

The state constitution provided that laws should be passed taxing all property according to its true value in money. Laws have been enacted with this idea in view, and yet we know that the taxation of all forms of property, while based in some measure upon valuation, has seldom or never approximated full value. Real property has been generally assessed at anywhere from twenty-five to fifty per cent of actual value; and tangible personal property at much the same ratio; while millions of dollars of taxable and intangible property has escaped taxation entirely because of the ability of the owner to evade his lawful tax burden.

It is not to be presumed that this or any other legislative body while able to devise a system of taxation or enact a tax law which is going to bring about in complete form the results commonly hoped for by all people compelled to pay taxes. The best that this body can do is to equalize as nearly as may be the burden of taxation and so adjust it that its weight will not fall too heavily upon those unable to bear it, and distribute the responsibilities in accordance with the privileges enjoyed under our government. We cannot escape taxation. Taxes are and must be levied for the purpose of government. During the year 1905, the total taxes levied in our state for all purposes amounted to $22,355,326.25, distributed in various ways for the carrying on of state, county, city, town and school governments. No law can be enacted by you which will in a very large measure reduce this burden of taxation, which was even greater in 1906 than in 1905, the total taxable valuation of the property of the state for 1906 being $914,000,000 in round numbers, as against $553,000,000 in 1905.

At the recent general election the people of Minnesota voted to modify the constitution, and adopted an amendment giving to the legislature this wider latitude; and it now falls to you to justify, in some small measure at least, the opinion of the people that this action, both by the legislature and by themselves, was a wise one.

PERMANENT TAX COMMISSION.

I would most urgently recommend legislation providing for the establishment of a permanent tax commission, which shall be empowered to make a careful and scientific study of this question and report from time to time, both to the executive officers and to the legislature.

The commission should visit the several counties of the state annually, or at least biennially, and should be empowered to supervise the work of local assessors and boards and provide rules to facilitate the performance of the duties of assessors and otherwise aid them in the work of securing equal and uniform assessments. Specially important service can be rendered by the proposed state commission in seeing that the tax laws made by this legislature are enforced strictly, uniformly and impartially, and that assessments are free from discrimination as between counties, local assessment districts and different parcels of property in the same district.

TAXATION OF IRON MINES.

Prior to 1896, the owners of iron mines in Minnesota paid a nominal tax of one cent per ton on ore mined and shipped, in lieu of all other taxes. The law, that of 1881, was clearly unconstitutional at that time and was repealed in 1897. Under this act, during the five years ending with 1895 the tonnage taxes on Minnesota iron mines netted a total of only $72,817.

Beginning with 1896, the mines have been assessed as other real property for direct taxation; the totals for St. Louis county, as equalized by the State Board of Equalization, being for the past ten years approximately as follows: $5,900,000 in 1896, $6,000,000 in 1898, $16,000,000 in 1900, $20,000,000 in 1902, $42,000,000 in 1904, and $50,000,000 in 1906.

How inadequate even the assessment of 1906 may be is apparent from the estimates of the companies themselves who hold the mining properties as assets for capitalization. In 1902, when the United States Steel Corporation had much smaller iron ore holdings than at present, the officers testified in a chancery suit, as appears in a government report, that this corporation had in reserve in deposits of tested ore upwards of 700,000,000 tons upon which the corporation placed a value of $1.00 per ton as the worth of ore to the company as [illegible] conversion into merchantable products. Subsequent reports of the corporation and public statements of its former president, Chas. M. Schwab, confirm this claim, and show, moreover, that the great bulk of this iron ore asset of the United States Steel Corporation is located in Minnesota. Since 1902 the exploration and acquisition of iron ore properties in Minnesota have proceeded on a large scale, until the present estimates of mining, financial and government authorities as regards the explored merchantable ore deposits in Minnesota are upwards of one and one-half billions of tons. It is, therefore, apparent that even the 75,000,000 valuation placed upon the iron mines of Minnesota by the State Board of Equalization in 1906 represents only a small fraction of something like five to ten per cent of the actual value placed upon the properties by the companies themselves for practical commercial purposes.

IRON ORE ROYALTY TAX.

Under the new constitutional amendment it is within your power, as it is your duty, to provide some system of taxation which will give the state at least an approximately fair share of its just revenue income from this great iron ore wealth. One step in the right direction, it occurs to me, would be an income tax on the royalties or mineral rights, which are not now listed for taxation.

An income tax of 5 per cent on the $6,500,000 of royalties estimated to have been received by fee holders of Minnesota from iron lands during the year 1906 would net the state treasury $325,000, or a 10 per cent tax would net $650,000.

A royalty tax, were the total thereof equivalent to 5 cents per ton on the present tonnage of 25,000,000 tons shipped from Minnesota mines in 1906, would net $1,250,000, or somewhat exceed the present tax revenue derived from direct taxation of tangible property. This royalty tax should go to the state treasury, and represent the total taxation of the intangible property or rights of mining companies and fee holders; leaving the direct realty tax, as now, for the support of local government.

As much of the inequality arising from the application of the tax laws is due to inefficient machinery for assessment, you may find the following change worth your consideration, namely, the abolition of the office of assessor in cities, villages and towns, and in their place establish either a tax commissioner for the county, or in the larger counties, a tax commission of three or five persons, to be employed annually with a view of the proper listing of property and the better equalization of existing values.

Taxation of sleeping car and telephone companies on a gross earning basis is recommended.

TAXATION OF EXPRESS COMPANIES.

Your attention is directed to the feasibility and propriety of making a change in the matter of the taxation of express companies. Our statute now provides for the taxation of express companies, based on 6 per cent of the receipts on business done between points in the state, after deducting the amounts paid to railroads for the transportation of freight within the state. This practically makes the rate of taxation of express companies 3 per cent as the railroads are paid about 50 per cent of the revenue. Express companies do not include any proportion of the earnings or receipts on interstate business; that is, business which originates in and terminates outside of Minnesota, and vice versa, and business passing through the state. Railroads doing business in this state pay 4 per cent on a proportion of all inter-state and also on intra-state earnings, and I believe Minnesota is the only state where the statute provides for the collection of taxes on an earnings basis, to pay on the balance, after deducting the amount paid to railroads. Express companies should not be treated differently from other companies, and I believe it would be more practical to take the total earnings of the express companies and ascertain Minnesota's proportion of such revenue for taxation purposes based on the ratio of mileage in Minnesota of such express companies, which the mileage bears to the total operated mileage; or, in lieu of some such provision, adopt the excise plan obtaining in the state of Ohio with relation to sleeping car companies, to which reference has already been made.

LICENSE TAX ON CORPORATIONS.

Your attention is likewise respectfully called to the following resolution of the state board of equalization adopted Oct. 4, 1906, in favor of levying an annual license tax on corporations, with the spirit of which I heartily concur:

"RESOLVED, By the state board of equalization that the governor is respectfully requested to ask for the passage of a law by the next legislature fixing an annual license fee of, say, $10, for each and every corporation, whether local or foreign, doing business in the state of Minnesota, with a proviso that in the case of failure to pay said annual fee, the offending corporation be barred from the courts of this state, and their charter be considered annulled, said license fee when paid to be accompanied by the address of the principal office, the names of the officers and the amount of capital paid in of said corporation. The fees arising to be paid to state treasurer and be covered into the state general fund."

STATE DEPARTMENT OF MINES.

By reason of the vast interests of the state in mines and mineral properties, I herewith submit to you the advisability of organizing a new state department devoted to the subject and the creation of the position of state commissioner of mines, giving such official powers and duties similar to those of the commissioners of insurance, labor, railroads and warehouses, dairy and food, game and fish, or the superintendent of banks. To this department might be entrusted the enforcement of the state mine inspection and regulation laws, the examination of the mineral resources of the state school and other public lands, the protection of the state's interests in iron ore royalties and mineral contracts and leases, as well as the maintenance of a bureau of statistics and general information in regard to the mining industries and mineral resources of the state for the aid and use of the state legislative and various executive departments.

The fact that Minnesota today holds over one-half of the estimated iron ore reserve of the United States, and that our state school and other public institutions have greater mineral holdings than those of any other state in the Union, show the propriety and public value of such department to the state, even if our past experience did not prove the necessity of additional state executive authority and machinery in the regulation and protection of its mineral interests.

MINERAL LEASES.

The state has a large area of land containing iron ore, and in the past has leased on terms out of proportion to just and proper conditions. The statute now provides that from all iron ore taken from state lands, the state shall receive a fixed royalty of 25 cents per ton, each ton to be reckoned at 2,240 pounds. In the light of the leases made between private parties this fixed sum is an absurdity, and should be changed without further delay. The average royalty paid by the United States Steel Company to the owners of land on the Masabi range is more than 27 cents per ton, and upon the Vermillion range, almost 37 cents per ton. Recently this corporation has negotiated a lease with private parties at 85 cents per ton, with a contract to mine not less than 750,000 tons per year. An important lease still more recently has been made on the basis of $1 per ton royalty, and this is likely to be the Masabi range basis for the future. In view of this condition, the state cannot longer afford to pursue the policy of disposing of its iron ore wealth at prices less than that paid to private individuals. I would suggest that the provisions of the law be changed, fixing a minimum royalty on state leases of not less than 50 cents per ton, and authorizing a board consisting of the governor, attorney general and the state auditor to dispose of mineral leases at public auction to the highest bidder without fixing a maximum price by law. Rather than to continue issuing mineral leases at the price now fixed by law, it would be better far to withdraw all state mineral lands from the market, and hold them for the future with a view of granting to succeeding generations a fair share of this rich heritage with which by nature we have been endowed.

RAILROAD LEGISLATION.

No problem with which you have to deal is of more importance to you and the people you represent than that of railway transportation, and a proper adjustment of transportation rates. Some idea of the importance of this question to the people of the state may be gathered from the fact that the total gross earnings of railroads within the state of Minnesota as reported by the companies to the railroad and warehouse commission for the year ending July 31, 1906, was $81,619,640.36. The gross earnings per mile of the railroads within this state were $10,283.28, and the net earnings per mile $3,109.90. The relative importance of this amount to the people may be understood when we realize that the total gross earnings in Minnesota, being $81,619,640.36, is over fifty per cent of the estimated farm productions of 1906. The basis of our wealth is agricultural, and the total estimated agricultural products of Minnesota during the past year, including wheat, oats, corn, rye, barley, flax, potatoes, hay, butter, cheese, live stock, poultry, market garden, fruit and nursery products is approximately $160,000,000. In other words, it required more than one-half of the agricultural products enumerated to satisfy the transportation demands of railroad corporations within the state of Minnesota.

REDUCTION OF FREIGHT RATES.

The vast earnings of railway companies have been swollen by excessive rates of transportation, which have been much higher in our own state than in the state south of us, or in Canada, to the north of us. There is a general and just demand that the people be relieved from the extortion and the abuse of high and unfair railroad rates of transportation. In my biennial message to the last legislature, and in discussing this same question, I said that I believed there was a remedy in the establishment of a maximum freight rate that would be fair to the shipper, and not be a hardship to the transportation company; that the railroad and warehouse commission was clothed with proper legal authority to establish fair and equitable rates, and that this failure to establish fair and equitable rates was because of lack of aggressive administration rather than a lack of legal authority. I recommended at that time the appointment of a joint legislative committee to make a complete and full investigation of prevailing rates of transportation within Minnesota, with a view of establishing by law, a maximum tariff rate for transportation which might bear a reasonable rate of interest and profit on the investment, be fair to all parts of the state, and absolutely prohibit unjust discrimination between localities or individuals. Pursuant to that recommendation, the legislature appointed a joint committee which made an investigation of the prevailing rate conditions, and, as a result thereof, the legislature adopted a joint resolution directing the board of railroad and warehouse commissioners to proceed with a view to a reduction of merchandise rates within the state of Minnesota. During the past biennial period efforts have been made by the board of railroad and warehouse commission looking toward a reduction of the rates of transportation, resulting in a reduction on merchandise rates; a voluntary reduction by some of the railroads in the matter of coal and grain rates. I am satisfied, however, that absolute justice has not yet been done to the people of the state of Minnesota. During the past year, I caused to be made a complete tabulation of the prevailing rates of transportation between points on the several lines of railway within the state of Minnesota.

The recent rate reductions are in the right direction. Compared, however, with grain rates in the Canadian provinces to the north of us and with Iowa merchandise rates to the south, it is apparent that Minnesota freight rates are still at too high a level, and especially in view of the enormously heavy tonnage passing over Minnesota roads from the several northwestern states tributary to Minnesota distributing points.

A TWO-CENT PASSENGER RATE.

Hitherto we have dealt largely with the adjustment of the rates of transportation on freight. The time has come in our state when relief is also demanded in the matter of passenger rates. The current fare for the carrying of passengers now is three cents per mile. It is recognized that the average fare per mile paid by persons who travel on railroads does not exceed 2.3 per mile. A maximum rate of two per cent per mile should be fixed by law and fixed now. The public has demanded it; the public is right in making that demand, and the legislature should not defer actions.

ABOLITION OF PASSES.

The time has also come for some specific action in the matter of the enactment of law forbidding the granting of pass privileges by railroad corporations to people other than bona fide employees of railways and their families. Our state enjoys the peculiar distinction of having deferred action upon this matter until other states have taken the initiative. So insistent have the people become in their demand for this reform that all of the several political organizations have been compelled to recognize the justice of the demand, and have incorporated planks in their various platforms looking toward the abolition of the pass system in the state of Minnesota.

RECIPROCAL DEMURRAGE CHARGES.

For many years the railroad companies of Minnesota have made demurrage charges upon shippers without reciprocity. A reciprocal demurrage law, which will be fair to all parties is demanded by the public and should be enacted at this session of the legislature. If the members of this body need any further enlightenment as to the absolute necessity of prompt action in the passage of such a just and practicable measure, you will find it in the conditions of so-called car shortage which have afflicted the agricultural districts of this and neighboring states in the Northwest during the past ninety days. Even so flagrant have been the conditions that the general government felt compelled to visit this state with its force of traffic experts, hold hearings of shippers and carriers, and enter into an exhaustive investigation of our defective traffic facilities. As one of the chief remedies for the insufficient supply of cars, which has resulted in the loss of thousands of dollars to Minnesota wheat growers, and in some localities produced temporary coal famine, I suggest a reciprocal demurrage law, subjecting carriers to the same penalties for delay in furnishing cars as the carriers impose upon shippers for delay in loading cars. Under present conditions it is time that the state impressed upon public carriers the fact that a private corporation which seeks from the state a charter to exercise a quasi-public function is bound to perform that function to the best of its physical ability, and heed the public interest, and that its duty to the public is paramount to its duty to swell the already generous dividends to its stockholders by "ton-mileage" or other arbitrary economies.

INSURANCE.

Since the last session of the legislature the subject of insurance, and life insurance in particular, has occupied a conspicuous place in the public mind and will no doubt receive your particular attention.

Great evils have grown up in connection with this very important phase of our industrial life; extravagant salaries and commissions have been paid; ambiguous, deceptive and often fraudulent contracts have been sold; colossal accumulations have been secured by adroitly conceived plans and used for the benefit of favored individuals, or hazarded in the doubtful conflicts waged by captains of finance in the money centers of the country. That all this has not been followed by great disaster is due to the wonderful resources of our land and is not to the credit of those who have thus abused their trust.

During your deliberations upon this question you will be told that any legislation seeking to regulate life insurance is "paternalism"; that the companies are private corporations which should be left to manage their own affairs, and finally that the subject is so delicate and technical that if legislation is inevitable its construction should be left to those who by study and research have become expert upon the subject.

In February, 1906, a conference of governors, attorneys general and insurance commissioners was held at Chicago to consider and further the adoption of uniform insurance legislation. A committee appointed by that conference has given careful consideration to the subject since that date; its report will be before you and I bespeak for it your most earnest consideration.

BANKS AND BANKING.

According to the report of the public examiner, the state banks of the state show during the last biennial period the greatest volume of growth of any such period in the state's history.

The number of state banks in operation increased from 525 to 627, a net gain of 102. During the same period the aggregate capital stock, surplus, and undivided profits increased from $11,410,633.04 to $13,414,249.45. The gross deposits had reached the sum of $64,392,858.79, an increase of 48 per cent. The total resources show a net increase of 38 per cent. During this two-year period, there has been no state bank failure, and only one temporary suspension, which resulted in a re-organization and the strengthening of the bank without loss to the depositors or other creditors. The total banking resources of Minnesota in July, 1906, including state and national banks, saving banks and trust companies, but not including private banks, amounted to $266,490,032.83. The total deposit increase in Minnesota's financial institutions, not including private banks and building and loan associations, is approximately sixty millions of dollars, or 40 per cent; this being without doubt the greatest deposit growth in both volume and percentage for any equal period in the state's financial history. The examination of banks subject to inspection by the public examiner has developed the fact that the demand upon our banks for commercial loans is becoming limited in certain localities. Under favorable financial conditions, such as the state is enjoying at the present time, the banks have a considerable amount of surplus funds. Under our present banking laws a state bank is not permitted to make a loan in excess of 15 per cent of its capital stock and surplus. First mortgage farm loans have proven to be a highly satisfactory class of investments, and probably no better or safe class of loans can be made by banks operating in farming communities. Under the circumstances I would concur with the recommendation of the public examiner that our banking laws be so amended as to permit of the making of first mortgage loans on improved farms located within our state equal to 25 per cent of the capital stock and surplus of the bank, all such loans to be limited to and not exceed 50 per cent of the cash value thereof; provided that no bank shall invest in that class of loans in the aggregate more than 60 per cent of its deposits.

PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND.

I desire to call your attention to one peculiarity in the law relating to the investment of our permanent school funds. The law now provides that loans to school districts for the erection of school buildings shall be at a rate of 4 per cent per annum, and at the same time provides that this fund may be loaned for the construction of ditches for drainage at 3 per cent per annum. It is not fair that the institutions for which this fund is created should suffer by this discrimination. It is hardly fair to provide a higher rate of investment for the schools of the state than for other purposes. We should not discriminate against the educational interests of the commonwealth; and either the rate of interest in one case should be raised, or in the other lowered.

STATE UNIVERSITY.

No one institution within our state is of so much importance as our state university. Its growth in the past has been phenomenal, and with the aid and encouragement which should come to it from the legislature its future possibilities are unlimited. Requests for financial aid for the construction of new buildings are not as large as during other periods, and are submitted to you with the suggestion that they receive careful consideration. It is a recognized fact that this institution has been handicapped somewhat by reason of financial policies which have hitherto made it impossible to pay adequate salaries by which men of recognized ability could be employed and retained in the institution, and from time to time we suffer the loss of some of our best teachers by reason of the inability to properly and adequately compensate them. Certainly Minnesota can afford to pay reasonable compensation for this class of service, and to provide means by which we can compete with any educational institution in the country in bidding for talent which would permanently endow our university.

Since the last session of the legislature the state university has fallen heir to a large sum of money known as the Elliott bequest, providing for a memorial hospital in conjunction with the medical school. This bequest has not yet been secured because its acceptance would involve a new policy and the board of regents decided that this could not properly be done without legislative sanction and approval, and the acceptance would necessarily be conditioned upon the legislature making provision for the future maintenance of the proposed hospital. Your attention will be officially called to this matter later. It is but right that you should know that the bequest, while urged for this specific purpose, will still be available for the use of erecting a memorial building of some other character. Inasmuch as it involves a large sum of money which can be used to splendid advantage at the university, I trust that the question will receive from you that consideration to which it is entitled.

LOGS AND LUMBER.

I am pleased to be able to convey to the legislature the information that during the past biennial period all settlements by the timber board of the state for timber trespass upon public lands have been in strict accordance with the law. Irregular settlements of preceding periods have likewise been considered, and a number of cases were placed in the hands of the attorney general with strict instructions to begin immediate and continuous prosecution of the cases with a view to the collection of all moneys to which the state is entitled under the law. The attorney general, in his prosecution of these cases, has secured from the supreme court an opinion sustaining the validity of the present timber trespass law, and it requires no amendment so far as it relates to punishment of offenders under the law. It has, however, some features which should be changed. The timber board should be given a wider range of authority in settling controversies and making adjustments by which the necessity of some law suits might be dispensed with. A change should certainly be made in that section of the act providing for a re-scale of state timber. Under the present statute provision is made for a re-scale upon a demand by the state auditor, and in such case he is required to serve notice upon the surveyor general, giving a description of the tract upon which a re-scale is demanded. The surveyor general thereupon appoints one of his deputies to act in concert with a state estimator, appointed by the auditor for this purpose, the two to make a re-scale of the timber embraced in the permit, and make a report of the same for record with the auditor. It is provided that in case both the deputy and the estimator agree upon the scale, the same shall be final and binding upon the state and the purchaser; and if it shall appear by the state re-scale that the first scale was practically correct, the state shall pay the surveyor general the sum of $5 for each day spent by his deputy in making such re-scale, in addition to all necessary expenses incurred by him in traveling to and from the land, and that in case of a material difference in the two scales, the surveyor general shall not be entitled to compensation for such re-scale.

PRIMARY ELECTION LAW.

It is hardly necessary to call your attention to the need of some very important modifications of our primary election law. Much opposition to the law as it now stands exists, and there is prejudice against a primary election at all because of the possibilities of abuse under our present system. It is urged, and not without some degree of reason, that the present primary election system cultivates perjury, fraud, deceit, misrepresentation, and a total disregard for our entire election system. Citizens called upon to declare their political affiliations feel that election judges trespass upon the constitutional rights of the citizen and ignore to some extent the very purposes for which the law was created. Candidates for office, recognizing the possibility of victory through the assistance of political parties other than the one with which they affiliate, encourage fraudulent and deceitful voting. This, however, is no excuse for the demand that the present law be repealed. I believe the present law works better results for the people as a whole than the old convention system, but it is not without its weaknesses, and some radical changes should be made in the present law to overcome some of the difficulties in the way of its successful operation. I believe the law would be improved by providing that political parties through conventions might be permitted to nominate two or more candidates for each office, leaving the power of selection of the nominees to a primary between these nominations. The present system of permitting any citizen to declare himself a candidate for nomination by the mere filing of a nomination fee suggests a possibility of having a totally unfit and unworthy man become the nominee of the political party with which he affiliates. A suggestion worthy of consideration is that nomination to the primary election, or the right of a citizen to have his name placed upon the ballot, should be by petition only. The number of petitioners required should be sufficient to prevent frivolous candidates, but not so high as to bar worthy aspirants.

GOOD ROADS.

The subject of better highways and of making good roads is still prominent in the public mind, and much more interest is being taken along this line than heretofore. We have come to recognize that the improvement of our public highways means better and more economical transportation facilities. The amendment to the constitution proposed by the last legislature relating to this question failed of passage by reason of the failure of a large number of the people of the state to vote upon this question. There was some opposition to the amendment by reason of the fact that the proposed amendment imposed certain limitations upon the legislature. I trust that provision will be made for the submission to the people of another amendment to the constitution, and that restrictions heretofore contained in the constitution be removed. For instance, the legislature is now authorized to add to the state road and bridge fund by providing in its discretion an annual tax levy upon the property of the state not to exceed in any year one-twentieth of one mill on all the taxable property in the state. This limitation should be removed and the legislature should be permitted at its discretion to levy a tax sufficient to accomplish good results along the line of better highways. The provision now in the constitution that no county shall receive in any year more than three per cent, or less than one-half of one per cent of the total fund thus provided should also be changed by striking out that portion of it which provides that a county shall not receive not less than a certain amount. All of the legislative restrictions should be removed with the exception of a possible restriction providing maximum amounts. I believe the legislature understands the importance of this subject, and that further comment is unnecessary.

DRAINAGE.

The subject of drainage is one proper for your consideration at this time. Approximately 2,368,000 acres of the state holdings of 2,750,000 acres of school and state institutional land, which do not include 60,000 acres not yet patented to the state, are too wet for agricultural purposes. This large area is confined to thirty counties in northern Minnesota; 90 per cent of the land being in Roseau, Cass, Itasca, St. Louis, Aitkin, Lake and Cook counties. With this immense area of low lands which the state is able to reclaim at a comparatively small cost, it would seem to be an excellent public policy that the most advanced methods for their reclamation be adopted and that Minnesota co-operate with any satisfactory plan proposed by the federal government for drainage.

Under authority granted by Chapter 169, General Laws 1905, the state drainage commission, has caused a topographical survey to be made of state swamp lands. The report of this work will be submitted to you, and will show the number of acres of wet lands belonging to the state, their location, the feasibility and the cost of their reclamation by systematic drainage. This report will show that the average cost per acre for their reclamation will be $1.40 and that when drained the lands will become productive and their present value increased many times the cost of such drainage. It is a good business proposition that these lands be drained. It is unjust to other business improvements in these counties that the state's wet lands be allowed to stand as barriers in the way of progress. Increased activity along this line will compel the reclamation of thousands of acres of low lands now held by railroad and land companies, and the country will provide homes for those of our citizens now seeking homes elsewhere.

I am glad to be able to say that there is in Minnesota but one sentiment on the question of the wisdom of some plan of drainage, and I would urge liberality in appropriations to this end. I would also at this time call your attention to the plan now in operation in many of the other states by which the geological survey of the federal government undertakes to make a complete survey of the state, with perfect maps, important data, etc. For each dollar expended by the state, the geological survey appropriates an equal amount, and the result is eventually to secure a survey made along the most approved lines at an expense which would be prohibitive were the state to undertake the work alone. This matter is not least worthy of your thoughtful investigation.

UNIFORM DIVORCE LAW.

During the past year a divorce congress was held in the city of Philadelphia to which duly accredited representatives of the various states of the Union were gathered with a view of framing a uniform divorce statute relating to the annulment of marriage and divorce for adoption by the several legislatures of the various states in the Union. The ease with which some states permit annulment of marriages and divorces has come to be an American scandal, and it is earnestly hoped that there will be a complete co-operation by all of the several states of the Union on this important question. At the congress named, Minnesota was represented by a duly accredited representative, who assisted in the preparation of a proposed uniform statute covering this question. Copies of this proposed statute will be submitted to this body, and your earnest consideration of the matter is desired. I trust that Minnesota will be among the first states of the Union to put herself right on this important question.

INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM.

I would call your attention to the merits of the advisory initiative and referendum. This permits the people of a state, county, city, village or town to express their views upon questions affecting their organizations and is fast gaining ground upon the theory that the duly elected officers are the servants of the people who elected them and will be guided by the expressed views of a majority. The advisory initiative and referendum is but a step farther than the right of petition, and is not binding upon their officers. The enactment of a law providing for an advisory initiative and referendum can be accomplished without a constitutional amendment, and I am firmly of the opinion that such legislation is desirable. There can be, I am sure, no valid reason against the submission to the people of a proposed constitutional amendment providing for a direct initiative and referendum. This would give the people an opportunity to vote on the question whether or not they want the right to instruct their representatives and also the further right to pass upon the laws enacted by their legislature. But whether or not you would care to go so far in this direction, I would urge your consideration of a plan for an advisory initiative and referendum.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP.

Public ownership of public utilities is fast becoming an accomplished fact in many of the cities and villages of the state. If a city, village or town desires to conduct its public utilities by and for the public, after having so decided by a majority vote, there can be no objection to allowing the municipality to raise the money necessary to purchase and operate in any way it sees fit. Under our present laws it is permitted to bond all the property of the community for this purpose. If, on the other hand, it can find persons who are willing to loan the money upon the property of the public utility desired to operate, pledging only the property of the public utility loaned on, there can be no objection on the part of owners of other and general property.

DAIRY AND FOOD DEPARTMENT.

In the field of production our greatest dependence is upon agriculture. In its several branches none has made greater progress in this state during recent years, than the dairy industry. Minnesota butter occupies in the markets of the United States a position in which it commands a decided premium over the product of any other state. This is due in no small measure to the progress made in elevating the standard of its butter by the department, and is shown in the fact that in six national contests, Minnesota has four times been awarded highest honors. Not only along dairy lines, but in raising the standard and quality of food products manufactured and sold in the state has the department excelled. The laws entrusted to this department for enforcement have been administered with the single purpose of accomplishing the ends sought by the legislature. The department has been governed by the policy, first, of rigidly enforcing the laws; and, second, to educate the dealer as well as the consumer to a realization of the necessity of complete co-operation in all efforts looking toward the sale and consumption of pure foods; and while our laws are as far advanced, and perhaps more so, than those of other states, there are deficiencies and some necessity for amendment to existing laws in order to make the work of the department more effective.

In a report which will later be laid before you, this department recommends that the liquor law be so amended as to fix a standard for purity and to inaugurate a system of labels that will inform the purchaser the character of the liquid that he purchases. The paint provision of the present law is absolutely inoperative and affords no protection to the purchaser.

Standards for flavoring extracts ought to be established. The section of the law governing the manufacture and sale of maple syrup and maple sugar should be amended to prevent deceptive labeling; the law relating to labeling of substitutes of pure jellies, jams and preserves should be repealed, and a new law should require simply the printing of the formula in legible type. An effective patent medicine law should be adopted, requiring the labeling of all packages giving the formula of the product when it contains dangerous ingredients. A standard for ice cream should be established. The department should be relieved of the burden of proof when dealing with food products in which the ingredients are generally recognized and deleterious to health. Owing to the growth of the canning industry, a special law should be enacted giving the department supervision as to sanitary conditions, and fixing a standard of purity in the output of the canneries; and the national pure food law will be more effective if the legislature will make the Minnesota law as nearly uniform as possible to the national law. These recommendations are based on the best experience of the officers of the dairy and food department for Minnesota, and in them I heartily concur, earnestly calling your attention to the suggestions in the hope that beneficent legislation will follow.

STATE PRISON.

During the past two years the state prison twine plant has been materially enlarged; the output amounting during this period to twenty-four and a half million pounds, which was sold at a price amounting to $2,360,000. It is conservatively estimated that the farmers of this state have been benefited to the extent of at least three cents per pound, amounting to approximately $750,000, while the state at the same time has made a net profit of $410,000, thus yielding during the two years a net profit to the state and the citizens thereof of more than $1,100,000. The past two years have been the most prosperous and beneficial since the twine plant was originated. The product has given general satisfaction, and the demand is still beyond the capacity of the plant. In my message to the legislature two years ago, I recommended that practically all of the labor of the prison should be devoted to this industry. I renew the suggestion that the plant should be still enlarged so as to increase the capacity at least five million pounds annually. This can easily be done without additional appropriation from the state, except for the necessary buildings on the new prison site to be used for that purpose. With this increase the output would be 18,000,000 pounds per annum, and would nearly meet the requirements of the total average crop year in the state. The National Cordage Company, a subsidiary corporation of the International Harvester Company, has commenced making twine from flax fibre in this state for the evident purpose of competing with the state product. To meet this situation and to protect the state interests, the law should most certainly be amended to permit the sale of the prison-made twine outside of the state in order that we may meet any effort made by the twine trust to throttle our plan inside of state lines. I would also suggest that the law be changed so as to allow the sale of twine to dealers after March 1, reserving 600,000 pounds to fill small cash orders direct to farmers. With the large increase in the output, it will be necessary to dispose of a large amount of the product through the dealers of the state, as a prudent business man will not wait longer than February or March to secure his twine. He should be allowed to place his orders early enough to meet his requirements and that of his trade. The law now in force restricting the dealer to sell twine at one cent profit per pound is ample protection to the farmer, and fair and equitable to all concerned.

There seems to be a feeling upon the part of our citizens in favor of making farm machinery at the state prison to compete with the trust; that is, the manufacture of such machinery as is now not made in the state. I believe a departure could be made along this line which would prove of great advantage to the agricultural interests, and I would suggest that the management at least be authorized to investigate the feasibility with power to act. This does not necessarily require or need to carry with it an appropriation, as the necessary expense conservatively engaged could be met from the earnings of the state twine plant.

STATE SOLDIERS' HOME.

I would call your attention to the requirements of additional appropriations for the state soldiers' home in order that Minnesota may continue to discharge her debt to the veterans who gave their early years to the cause of the country in the preservation of the Union. Increasing age, disability and dependence mean that the number of veterans at the home and throughout the state who receive state aid will grow instead of decrease for the next few years. A total of 2,513 cases in which relief was provided through the agency of the relief fund were treated during the biennial period ending July 31, 1906, the average payment being $5.40. The last legislature appropriated $75,000 for a home for the mothers, wives and widows of soldiers. It was found that this sum would not build and equip the building contemplated, and $2,000 was borrowed from the soldiers' relief fund to assist in the work, while changes were made in the plans by which the cost was lessened. The board of trustees now ask for an additional appropriation of $60,000 to complete the woman's building according to the original plans and to install an electric elevator. The building has been so far completed as to admit of its occupancy and the first woman to be enrolled is the mother of two Minnesota soldiers. She has just passed the century mark and were it not for the beneficence of the state she would now be forced to become an object of charity.

LIVE STOCK SANITARY BOARD.

Laws governing treatment of contagious diseases in cattle, hogs and horses have been vigorously enforced but there is, I regret to say, an alarming increase in diseases requiring special supervision. The executive officers of the live stock sanitary board report that there were killed for the year ending July 31, 1906, a total of 1,438 head of cattle because of tuberculosis and 606 head of horses for glanders. The law requires that the state shall pay three-fourths of the appraised value of animals killed under its terms, but limits the value of the animals to a reasonable maximum. Under the law creating a separate sanitary board there was a reduction to $19,000 of the amount given to the board for its maintenance annually, this amount being intended also to cover the state's share of the value of animals slaughtered under its provisions. I do not hesitate to say that the sum is wholly inadequate. There are now on hand over 750 claims approved by the board, representing every county in the state, for slaughtered cows and horses, aggregating $55,000, and which the state is under a moral obligation to pay. The board asks for $55,000 to wipe out this debt and also asks for an appropriation of $50,000 annually with which to eradicate tuberculosis in cattle and glanders in horses.

CONCLUSION.

By way of conclusion, permit me to add that I have every confidence that you will be guided and governed by a desire to do that which is best for the state. This commonwealth, with all of its moral, intellectual, and material advancement is, I am sure, as dear to you as to me. We have been chosen by the same people; we serve the same cause; we may differ in our opinions, but if our differences are honest ones, they will find adjustment with little difficulty. Whatever our political convictions, our duty is the same. We may have our obligations to political parties, and these obligations it seems to me will be best met and redeemed in the public service regardless of the demands of partisan service; that we will serve our parties best by serving the state best.

We live in a time when purely party considerations are being made to yield to the principles of good government, and in any conflict between the two our first duty is to the state and nation, and allegiance to a party organization a secondary matter. Let us strive to attain the highest ideals and reward the people who have reposed special confidence in us by honest effort which will make us worthy of the honors conferred upon us. In your every effort to bring about a healthier and better state of governmental affairs I pledge you the hearty co-operation of my office, and the assurance that I will be glad to welcome any suggestion calculated to promote the prosperity of our people and the general domestic welfare.

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MODEL FARMS VS. FREE SEEDS.

The plan suggested by Department of Agriculture officials to do away with the "free-seed graft," and establish instead a large number of experimental farms throughout the country, should meet with the approval of farmers in general. There has been so much dissatisfaction expressed over the present system of seed distribution that a change of some kind seems imperative, and the plan outlined by B. T. Galloway, chief of the Bureau of Plant Industry, and W. J. Spillman, chief of the Division of Farm Labor, is at least worthy of consideration. Their aim is to have "model farms" in every Congressional district, and ultimately in every county.

At present the free distribution of seeds costs the Government $150,000 a year. Messrs. Galloway and Spillman propose that this amount be used in equipping experimental farms. If Congress can be made to see the good that would be accomplished by such a method of educating the farmers, it is safe to say that an additional appropriation for that purpose would soon be forthcoming. With the seedmen and many farmers fighting the "free-seed graft," there is no hope for any betterment of the present service, so if the "model farm" plan can be substituted for it, it is hard to see how anyone can oppose it.

Government officials estimate that with the $150,000 now spent in distributing seeds two experts can be sent into every State and Territory to establish experiment stations. It is expected that the farmers would gladly furnish the land and equipment for such farms, so that the only expense to the Government would be the salaries of the experts which would not average more than $1,500 a year. Nearly every experimental station now being operated in the United States is self-supporting, and many of them are returning a profit. In the case of the new stations such profits could be used for extending the work.

The farmers of the United States want something new. There is probably not a farmer in the country who will not admit that the State agricultural experiment stations have done a world of good for modern agriculture, and if that is so, it naturally follows that more experiment stations can do more good.

If the Government will give us "model farms" instead of free garden seeds, let's accept the proposition without delay.

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Harry Thaw, the New York murderer, is doomed. His mother-in-law is to take part in the prosecution.

By direction of President Roosevelt, Secretary Hitchcock has ordered all fences removed from public lands. This does not include political "fences," however.

If all of the reform measures that have been introduced in Congress and State legislatures become laws, there wont be any need of New Year's resolutions in the future, because we will all be in the penitentiary.

Montgomery, Ward & Co. have brought suit against the Commercial News, of Sioux Falls, alleging that the News has, by means of its editorial and other articles and cartoons, created a feeling against mail order houses and especially against the plaintiff. The case was to have been tried in the United States court in Sioux Falls last Saturday, but was postponed. The outcome of the case is awaited with interest throughout the country, for, should the plaintiff be able to recover damages in this case, there is scarcely a responsible newspaper or other publication in the United States that might not be made to pay for injuring the business of the plaintiff.

The Crookston Journal of Tuesday evening contains a warm and decidedly interesting roast for Superintendent Lowry, of the Northern division of the Great Northern railroad, and from the Journal's story this gentleman (?) was deserving of all he got in the roast line—and more. It appears that this man Lowry took exceptions to a freight crew refusing to work like dogs in twenty below weather, twenty-three hours out of the twenty-four, fired them bodily and annulled their passes when they were at a point thirty miles or more from home. The crew had worked over seventeen hours on a trip north from Crookston to St. Vincent, and on the way back had been out some fifteen or sixteen hours when they reached Warren. Here some trouble occurred on a box car, and this man Lowry ordered them from his warm den at Crookston, to fix it up, a work that would require several hours, before proceeding on to Crookston. The thermometer stood at twenty-five below zero and these worn-out slaves wanted to leave the car and take the train on into Crookston, instead of doing the repair work then. Mr. Lowry said no, however, and fired the three brakemen instantly, annulling their passes at the same time, never stopping to question the fact that they might be without money or friends with a long distance between them and home. The present tendencies seem to be to do everything possible to increase the burdens of the poor devil who works for an honest living, and the question of human endurance or justice cuts absolutely no figure with the high salaried, favored pets who sit by the warm fireside and lord over their inferiors (?) when a matter of dollars and cents is at stake. The pity is that the order of things could not be reversed, so that such self-important slave-drivers as this Lowry could be made to feel the lash the "powers that be," but they apparently can't. The declaration that "all men are created free and equal" looks rather insignificant in the light of events like the one cited in the Journal.

Roseau Times: The railroads wound up the old year and started in on the new with a rate-a-death rate that is appalling. Too much water in the stock works over time.

Princeton Union: This country will send provisions to the starving Chinese. Why doesn't this country first assuage the hunger of the starving multitude in the slums of New York and other large cities?

BIG DRAINAGE CANAL

Engineer Mershon of Chicago Has Investigated Several Canal Routes.

Hon. Asher Murray of Wadena has received a blue print from Engineer R. J. Mershon of Chicago, showing several prosposed routes for a great canal to be designed to carry the surplus water from the northern and western borders of Minnesota to the Grsat Lakes.

Mr. Mershon visited Wadena within the past year while engaged in the work of investigation to ascertain the feasibility of the proposed canal. When there he expressed the belief that the canal would follow Leaf river if it was ever built, but it now seems that it will pass across the state to the south of that river.

The blue print shows the starting point of the canal at Rainy Lake, a short distance above Rainy Lake, which has an elevation of 1,115 feet. The water will, it appears, be taken out of the Rainy River below International Falls so as not to interfere with the water power at that point.

From International Falls the route of the canal is southwest for 140 miles passing a short distance north of Red Lake, to a point not far south of Thief River Falls which has an elevation of 1,036 feet.

From Thief River Falls the canal goes directly south along the high ridge or tableland at the east edge of the Red River Valley, and within about five miles from Red Lake Falls, and strikes a point east of Breckenridge. A branch from Lake of the Woods comes south to connect with the main canal at Thief River Falls.

From Breckenridge several routes are proposed to carry the water to Lake Superior. One is down the Minnesota river to St, Paul, and thence following parralel with the St. Croix river to Lake Superior.

Another route goes east from Breckenridge, passing through or near Royalton and Mille Lacs lake, thence over into Wisconsin, and down the Brull river into Lake Superior.

Still another route goes east from Breckenridge, passing just north of Milaca, through Pine City and thence northeast to Lake Superior.

Another route passes through Princeton, Willmar and Sauk Rapids. All of the routes enter Lake Superior, which has an elevation of 608 feet.

This great canal is not going to be built at once. Many years may elapse before it is constructed, if, indeed, it is ever built. Unquestionably large interests are behind the project, which has for its principal aim the giving of additional water to supply the Erie canal, the Chicago drainage canal and other waterways and water powers in the east.

Before the canal could be built international obstacles would have to be brushed aside and many interests would have to be satisfied. The United States government would also have a hand in the building of the waterway. This canal would furnish another great transportation route, besides providing water power along its route.

Detroit Record: The frequency with which wrecks are reported makes the newspaper boys feel better about being cut out of their mileage books. It's safer to be at home, anyway, and we don't care to have anything so dangerous as a railway mileage book in our possession.

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THE PERSONAL TAXES

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TERREBONNE

Albricht, William	$ 5 20
Archambeault, Arthur	7 33
" J B	31
Bakke, A O	5 18
Beaudin, Cyrille	8 43
Clement, H	4 70
Cote, Joseph	9 88
Cote, Votorie	12 08
Cadieux, L C	23 05
Cadieux, Edward	8 47
Champoux, Joseph	6 19
Clement, Dolphin	7 76
Desotelle, Celina	10 12
Dupont & Son	6 34
" Joseph	2 95
" William	1 26
Derosier, Phermen	2 28
" Bruneau	16 99
Dandaneau, Joseph	5 10
Derosier, Antoine	9 38
Dandaneau, Barthmoe	2 42
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" Alex	5 77
" Tousaint	1 64
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" Robert	33
" Stephen	17 12
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" Descrie	3 28
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St. Yves Louis	9 87
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" Reymond	9 10
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Beaudin, Joseph	2 59

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Bach, Caruline	3 68
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Brown, Tyler	5 24
Bruneau, David	5 22
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Corbeil, Josephat	11 14
Carlson, John	1 07
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Childs, Clyde	5 63
Cole, Henry	7 09
Corbell, Armond	7 76
Corbell, Horace	2 02
Cyr, Henry	9 98
Dandaneau, Louis	1 48
Davis, Nord	1 67
Dion, Emery	2 72
Demers, Oliver	3 72
Davis, J H	1 65
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Fournier, Theophile	5 10
" Arthur	6 05
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Gagner, Octave	5 29
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Halley, Louise	43
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" Sophranie	12 67
Lefevre, Daniel	5 62
Leruur, Frank	1 41
Laniel, Arthur	61
Lussier, Cyrille	11 86
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Martineau, Narcisse	1 29
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Poiriel, Jilbers, jr	12 71
Pigeun, Joseph	9 80
Paradis, Oliver	9 80
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Pennington, W S	68
Premo, H S	14 73
Paradis, David	8 50
Paquin, D	6 56
Robidour, Joseph	4 35
" Narcisse	8 71
Sauve, Joseph	2 50
Champagne, Peter	6 83
Tonbouse, John	12 74
Vanderwaal, A	6 80
Vogue, W M	10 05
Bray, Zotique	9 46
Wilbur, Chas	13 42
Wilkinson, B O	6 37
Stahl, William	4 60
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Prairie Elevator Co	35 64

St. Cloud Journal-Press: It seems to be against the law to issue transportation to newspapers for advertising, but not to give passes to members of the legislature. Perhaps the railways argue that this is the same as receiving cash for transportation—and the railroads insult a lawmaker every time they hand him out a bit of pasteboard. But methinks most of them enjoy being insulted.

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We have been busy the past few days receiving new stock and getting it in shape for your inspection at any time. We have restocked our store with new goods of standard make and manufacture and offer them to you at prices that are consistent with first-class material and square dealing. We will be pleased to have all our old customers and many new ones call at our store, and you can rest assured that you will always find the prices right, the goods up to a high standard of quality, and that, as in the past, every courtesy possible will be extended to the trade.

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Fargo, N. Dakota

The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

'Phone 7--Groceries--SPILLANES.

Best confectionery in the city at Freund's.

Fred Richards commenced a term of school at Dorothy Monday of this week.

Just received a car of Hocking Valley soft coal. See Salley for your supply.

Henry Cyr, of Poplar River, brought in a wolf hide yesterday and received $7.50 bounty.

Ed L. Healy spent several days at Minneapolis the first of the week, looking after some business matters.

L. C. Simons came home Saturday evening from a week spent at Plummer looking after the business of the First State Bank.

Chas. Tschida, the Fertile cigar maker, was a caller here yesterday on his way up the north line to look after business matters.

Nels Peterson, of Sanders, and Aug. Adolfson, of Black River, prominent farmers of their respective localities were business callers at the county seat Tuesday.

For Sale--A "Jewett" Typewriter, just as good as new, which we will sell at a bargain. First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Joseph Case and Miss Ida Lang, two popular young people from Tilden, were married at St. Mary's church in this city at 9 o'clock Monday morning.

Harry Healy, Clem Brunelle and F. F. Freund went up to Thief River Falls Friday morning and furnished music in the evening for a big dancing party at the Antlers Club.

Dr. Spofford is at Grand View Hotel, Red Lake Falls, the 7th day of every month. Latest scientific methods in examining eyes and fitting glasses.

Nick Helm and son arrived home Friday from Kelliher, where they have spent the past couple of months doing the painting work on the new school house built at that place by Contractor Brady of this city.

Wm. Holberg is able to be about his room a little this week, after having been a long sufferer from inflammatory rheumatism. Bill's many friends will trust that his complete recovery may be rapid from now on.

P. E. Pirath of this city has been appointed the northwestern agent for the American LaFrance Engine company, of Elmira, New York, the oldest and largest manufacturers of fire apparatus in the world. Mr. Pirath has several counties in which to work and will start his canvass early in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Regan entertained a large party of friends at their North Side home last Friday evening, in honor of Mr. Regan's birthday anniversary. The evening was spent at cards and other amusements, and elaborate refreshments were served the guests. The merry making continued until a late hour, and even then the guests were loath to depart as the time had been so enjoyable to all. Mr. Regan was the recipient of the good wishes of all for many years of health and happiness.

See Salley for your coal supply.

Ernest G. Buse was a caller at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Dan Linnihan was a business caller at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Phil Zeh of Thief River Falls was a business caller here over Monday night.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

The Big Store has a new ad in today's Gazeete. It will pay you to carefully note the prices quoted.

Mrs. Joseph Salley and son went up to Thief River Falls Monday morning for a visit at the home of her sister.

Miss Flora Eickhof came up from Crookston Saturday and made an over-Sunday visit with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Zaiser.

The Misses Eva Paul and Algina Guilmette went down to Crookston last evening for a week's visit with relatives and friends.

The Thief River Falls fire department will give a grand ball on Friday evening, January 25. Several from here are planning on attending.

Roadmaster Regan and Foreman Kehoe went down to Crookston Monday evening, and went over the Greenbush line Tuesday with a snow plow and flanger.

Paul and Otto Rogge arrived home last Friday from Kelliher, where they have spent the fall assisting Contractor Brady in his work on the new school house at that place.

FARM LOAN:--We have money of private parties to loan on improved farms at 7 per cent. Liberal terms of payment. No delays. Come and see us before placing a loan. Germo & Farley. d13-4w

Albert Zimple arrived home Sunday from Sarles, North Dakota, to spend the remainder of the winter with his family here. Mr. Zimple has been doing carpenter work at Sarles for over a year past, and reports himself as well pleased with that part of North Dakota.

Edward Paul, son of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Paul, of this city, is expected to arrive here the latter part of this or first part of next week, after a three year's absence. Ed has been doing military service since leaving here and has spent a greater part of the time while away in the service in the Phillippines. He recently landed at San Francisco where he received an honorable discharge, and is now on his way home. Ed's many friends here will be glad to see him again after his long absence.

Harry Fritz will leave with his family Saturday of this week for St. Paul, where he has accepted a position as chief engineer in a large harness manufacturing concern, and these good people will make that city their future home. Mr. Fritz has conducted a farm just west of this city for several years past, and has been quite successful in his work. His father lives at St. Paul, however, and when Harry was offered so good a position there he decided to quit farming and take up the work of his profession again. Mr. and Mrs. Fritz have a host of warm friends in this part of the county, who will join in wishing them the best of success in their new home.

Salley sells coal. Phone 79.

CANDY--If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

W. A. Schreiter was a business caller at Thief River Falls Monday.

H. H. Zaiser went over to Grand Forks last evening on a brief business mission.

See Salley for your hard and soft coal. Large stock on hand and delivery made promptly.

Arthur Holberg is here from Grand Forks, spending the week with his brothers and many friends.

MEN WANTED--To cut 500 cords of poplar wood, eight miles east of this city. Inquire of V. M. Higinbotham.

Joseph Berry returned to his home at Hibbing last evening, after a pleasant holiday visit with his brother, John, of this city, and A. D., of Louisville.

The force at the office of County Auditor O'Brien is busy this week getting up the annual financial statement and delinquent tax list. The work will require several weeks.

Wm. Butin, a prominent farmer from near Argyle, has rented the Leo Sutter farm just northwest of this city, and will take possession within a few weeks. Mr. Butin comes recommended as a first class citizen, and will undoubtedly do well here.

P. B. Gaass left Tuesday evening for Fargo where he attended the meeting of the Red River Development and Immigration association, which was held there yesterday. Mr. Gaass went as a delegate from the Commercial Club of this city.

The measles is again epidemic, and a number of children about the city have been quite ill with the disease during the past couple of weeks. Electrician Smith's three little ones are just recovering from a quite serious attack, and Master George Knox is reported as being confined to his bed with it this week.

E. A. Nelson of Brandon, writes L. A. Kaufer that he was unavoidably delayed and will not be here to open up the Kaufer barber shop and bath parlors until the last of the week. He had intended to open up Tuesday of this week, but the delay was caused by matters which he had not looked for.

President M. A. Converse, of the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association, will call a meeting of the executive committee of the association within the near future to be held at Crookston, when matters pertaining to the coming firemen's tournament to be held here will be taken up and discussed. President Converse and Secretary Borchers will attend from here.

A party of friends were delightfully entertained at six o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Sivertson Saturday evening. The dinner was served in courses and was an elaborate one, to which the guests did ample justice. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Padden, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zaiser, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cairns, H. H. Zaiser, Miss Flora Eickhof, of Crookston and Mrs. Webber of Rice.

Eva Morrill, a little six-year-old girl, whose parents live at Brooks, died at one of the city hospitals in Crookston Tuesday after an operation for an attack of appendicitis. The operation was successful but the little girl was too weak and died shortly afterward. The remains were shipped to Erskine Wednesday morning where they were transferred to the Soo and taken to her home at Brooks for burial.

The basket social and dance given by the M. B. A.'s at their hall in the Kaus block Monday evening, proved to be in keeping with former entertainments of this kind given by this society. The fair sex were there in abundance with tempting baskets, and when auctioned off by Joseph Belair were eagerly bid for by the male folks. The sale of baskets netted the lodge a large sum, and furnished untold amusement. Freund's orchestra furnished the music for the dance, and until a late hour the merriment was kept up.

Crookston Times: Ed L. Healy the Red Lake Falls water power man, came in from there Sunday evening and left this morning on the delayed Minneapolis train. Mr. Healy had an unenviable experience on his trip. He left Red Lake Falls Sunday accompanied by his son, who was going to drive him to Tilden where he was to take the the Great Northern train into this city that evening. However he had only gone about half way when they became stuck in the snow and found that it would be impossible to drive further. Mr. Healy had to get out and walk the rest of the distance and the young man turned back. Mr. Healy arrived in Crookston only to find that his train was several hours late. He kept waiting about the depot all night and waited there until late this afternoon for the train that was held behind a freight at Grand Forks. The train was expected to arrive at any time as it was not known when the freight would be liberated from the snow drift where it was stalled.

Hon Marcus Johnson was a business caller here the first of the week.

Forty below Tuesday morning. But than, that's easy when you get used to it.

B. E. Burkee and Claus Peterson, of St. Hilaire, were callers at the county seat Saturday.

Wanted: 1000 lbs. of dressed poultry. Will pay 8c for fancy chickens. Must be drawn. Theo. LaBissoniere.

Wilber Bougie returned to his home in Crookston last Tuesday, after having spent a pleasant visit of a week with his uncle, Jos. L. Cyr.

A party of young people, chaperoned Miss Mary Lamb, will attend a social gathering at the J. P. Bagen home, west of the city tomorrow evening.

Louis Sieff and F. Sullivan arrived home yesterday from a trip to Billings and intermediate points, where they have been looking after railroad contract work.

Mrs. G. G. Kindseth will serve lunch, Saturday afternoon from four to six o'clock, January 19, for the benefit of the Norwegian Lutheran church. All are cordially invited.

E. L. Norton, traveling freight agent for the Burlington, spent yesterday in the city looking up business and visiting with his cousin, H. H. Zaiser. Mr. Norton is just in from North Dakota and reports the congestion of traffic as very bad out there.

John P. Bagen, who recently traded for and moved onto the Nauman farm just west of the city, has leased the Harry Fritz place just adjoining his farm, and will work them both the coming season. Mr. Bagen comes from Douglas county and has great faith in Red Lake county as an agricultural section. He will go into the the diversified style of farming on a large scale, and will unquestionably succeed.

Rev. H. W. Knox left Monday morning for Middle River, and from there drove to Rollis, Marshall county, where he will spend a couple of weeks holding revival meetings. He was joined here by D. K. Laurie, Sunday school missionery for this district, who will assist him in the meetings. Either Mr. Knox or Mr. Laurie will come down Saturday evening to hold the regular services at the Presbyterian church here Sunday.

The roads throughout the county are said to be something fierce just now, and those who are obliged to drive get their money's worth every time. The trail proper is not in bad shape and is generally well broken, but if a driver is unfortunate enough to meet a team going in the opposite direction he generally has a picnic trying to get back on the road. One farmer was telling The Gazette Saturday that he was obliged to unhook his horses from his sled three times in coming to town that day, a distance of but a few miles, and each time great difficulty was experienced in getting straightened out again.

O. T. Romsos arrived here Sunday from Sarles, North Dakota, and will spend the week in this neighborhood looking after some business matters. Mr. Romsos reports the fall and winter business as exceptionally good with his firm, and says that they have never had cause to regret making the change of location. The tremendous amount of snow this winter has played havoc with the railroad lines in North Dakota, and O. T. says that a train on some of the branches out that way is quite a curiosity these days. His town has not yet been bothered with the coal famine to the extent of some other places out there but the supply has not been overabundant and a continuance of the blockades resulting the past month will affect them before long.

Teachers' Examinations.

The semi-annual teachers' examinations will be held at Red Lake Falls, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls, Jan. 31, Feb. 1 and 2, 1907, in accordance with the following program:

Note--Civics is now required for second grade and limited certificates.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31st.
(First Grade Studies)
A. M.-- 8:00 Enrollment.
8:15 Geometry.
10:00 Physics.
P. M.-- 1:30 Algebra.
3:15 Physical Geography or General History.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1st.
(Second Grade Studies)
A. M.-- 8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional Test.
9:30 Spelling.
10:00 Arithmetic.
P. M.-- 1:15 Geography.
2:45 Composition and Penmanship.
3:20 Reading.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd
(Second Grade Studies Continued)
A. M.-- 8:00 U. S. History.
9:45 English Grammar.
11:30 Music.
P. M.-- 1:15 Physiology-Hygiene.
3:45 Civics.
4:00 Drawing.

--H. T. McANULTY,
Co. Supt.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Herbert Findelsen:
.... Reporter.

A defi will be posted in the near future, challenging the business men of the town to a spelling match with the High School. This contest will take place in about six weeks, if the challange is accepted. The minor details of the match will be arranged later by the contesting parties. Undoubtedly this will give an impetus to spelling such as Red Lake Falls has never known before.

Measles have become almost an epidemic in the lower grades. Many are forced to remain at home both on account of the aforesaid sickness and the extreme cold. We hope that most, if not all of the high school pupils, have passed the (measly) stage.

It was reported in these columns a few weeks ago that the high school would begin singing after Christmas, but owing to some misunderstanding between Professer Chamberlain and the committee appointed to select the song books, no books have been sent for as yet.

Tuesday the Cicero class finished the fourth oration of the six that are required.

Miss Elsie Mead is taking a post graduate course at present. Civics, grammer, arithmetic and Zoology are the subjects she is studying.

Four pupils have left school from the eighth grade. Francis Gamache has gone to work in a store at Cass Lake, Louis Patnode is employed at the Big Store, Irene Belair is attending the convent, while Elizabeth Schlessinger is staying at home. Maggie Orr is the only new scholar.

The high school and eighth grade began spelling Tuesday. The classes for the present were divided alphabeticly among the teachers. At the end of the first month they will be divided according to their standing.

The eighth grade English history class has studied as far as Henry VII. while the geometry class are trying to solve the Pythagorus proposition. The junior class can say by experience that they will not forget the dread name in times to come.

Miss Twinman, who has been confined to her home for the past few days, resumed her duties Wednesday morning. During her absence Miss Hanson took charge of the Latin classes.

Miss Rebbecca Hunt has been absent the early part of the week on account of sickness.

The civics and politicel economy class changed the regular routine after the holidays, and they are now taking political economy three times a week instead of only twice.

The English classes in the high school are progressing nicely. The Freshmen are about to take up "Silas Marner," the Sophmores are beginning "The Gettysburg Address" and "The Bunker Hill Orations." The brilliant Junior class has just finished studying the writers of the first twenty years of the Elizabethan period in English literature,

The Spartan society will give a program Friday of this week. Parents and those interested are invited to come and see real talent.

A Few More Hot Shots
For Economical Buyers

Dollars are going further than usual just now, and we intend they shall right along.

Fancy KKK Norwegian Herring	10c
Hamburg Spiced Herring at	10c
10 lb box Fancy California Prunes	70c
25 lb Box Fancy California Prunes	$1.50
Red Pitted Cherries, soiled labels, worth 30c	15c
Comb Honey, always the best	12½c
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Norseman Boneless Cod at	12½c
Fine Can Peas at	9c
1 gal pail Syrup at	40c
3 lb can Asparagus Tips	25c
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$1.50 Ladies' Felt Shoes at	98c
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100 piece dinner set, Johnson's semi-porcelain, best English ware	$7.25
Dinner Set of 47 pieces, this week for	$5.75

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25 per cent off on Woolen Blankets
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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER IV.—Continued.

"He did not tamper, he has never sought to—he was all kindness."

She stopped, her short upper lip holding its incautious mate a prisoner. She blushed furiously under the sudden blaze of his eyes.

"So it's true, what Seth Wright hinted at! To think that you, of all people—my sweetheart—gone over—won over by a cursed mobocrat—a fiend with the blood of our people wet on his hands! Listen, Prue; I'm going into the desert. Even though you beg me to stay, you must have known—perhaps you hoped—that I would go. There are many reasons why I must. For one, there are 640 poor hunted wretches over there on the river bank, sick, cold, wet, starving, but enduring it all to the death for their faith in Joseph Smith. They could have kept their comfortable homes here and their substance, simply by renouncing him—they are all voluntary exiles—they have only to say 'I do not believe Joseph Smith was a prophet of God,' and these same Gentiles will receive them with open arms, give them clothing, food, and shelter, put them again in possession of their own. But they are lying out over there, fever-stricken, starving, chilled, all because they will not deny their faith. Shall I be a craven, then, who have scarcely ever wanted for food or shelter, and probably shall not? Of course you don't love me or you couldn't ask me to do that. Those faithful wretched ones are waiting over there for me to guide them on toward a spot that will probably be still more desolate. They could find their way, almost, by the trail of graves we left last spring, but they need my strength and my spirit, and I am going. I am going, too, for my own salvation. I would suffer anything for you, but by going I may save us both. Listen, child; God is going to make a short work on earth. We shall both see the end of this reign of sin. It is well if you take wheat to the mill, but what if you fetch the miller chaff instead?"

"Joel—dear, dear Joel!—indeed I pity and sympathize—and care for—but I cannot go—even after all you say. And don't you see it will always be so! My father says the priesthood will always be in trouble if it sets itself above the United States. Dear Joel, I can't go, indeed I can't go!"

He spoke more softly now.

"Thank God I don't realize it yet—I mean, that we must part. You tell me so and I hear you and my mind knows, but my heart hasn't sensed it yet. I can feel it now going stupidly along singing its old happy song of hope and gladness, while all this is going on here outside. But soon the big hurt will come. Oh, Prue—Prue, girl! can't you think what it will mean to me? Don't you know how I shall sicken for the sight of you, and my ears will listen for you! Prudence, Prue, darling—yet I must not be womanish! I have a big work to do. I have known it with a new clearness since that radiance rested above my head last night. The truth burns in me like a fire. Your going can't take that from me. It must be I was not meant to have you. With you perhaps I could not have had a heart single to God's work. He permitted me to love you so I could be tried and proved."

"But indeed I must be favored more than common, to deserve that so great a hurt be put upon me, and I shall not be found wanting. I shall never wed any woman but you, though, dear. If not you, never any other."

He stood up.

"I must go in to them now. There must be work to do against the start to-morrow."

"Joel!"

"May the Lord deafen my ears to you, darling!" and squaring his shoulders resolutely away from her, he left her on the seat and went in.

The old man looked up from his Bible as his son entered.

"It's sore sad, laddie, we can't have the temple for your sealing-vows."

"Prudence will not be sealed to me, father." He spoke dazedly, as if another like the morning's blow had been dealt him. "I—I am already sealed to the Spirit for time and eternity."

"Was it Prudence's doings?" asked his mother, quickly.

"Yes, she has left the church with her people."

The long-faced, narrow-browed old man raised one hand solemnly.

"Then let her be banished from Israel and not numbered in the books of the offspring of Abraham! And let her be delivered over to the buffetings of Satan in the flesh!"

CHAPTER V.

Giles Rae Beautifies His Inheritance.

By eight o'clock the next morning, out under a cloudy sky, the Raes were ready and eager for their start to the new Jerusalem. Even the sick woman's face wore a kind of soft and faded radiance in the excitement of going. On her mattress, she had been tenderly installed in one of the two covered wagons that carried their household goods. The wagon in which she lay was to be taken across the river by Seth Wright—for the moment no Wild Ram of the Mountains, but a soft-cooing dove of peace. Permission had been granted him by Brockman to recross the river on some needful errands; and, having once proved the extreme sensitivenesss, not to say irritability, of those in temporary command, he was now resolved to give as little eclat as possible to certain superior aspects of his own sanctity. He spoke low and deferentially, and his mien was that of a modest, retiring man who secretly thought ill of himself.

He mounted the wagon in which the sick woman lay, sat well back under the bowed cover, clucked low to the horses, and drove off toward the ferry. If discreet behavior on his part could ensure it there would be no conflict provoked with superior numbers; with numbers, moreover, composed of violent-tempered and unprincipled persecutors who were already acting with but the merest shadow of legal authority.

On the seat of the second wagon, whip in hand, was perched Giles Rae, his coat buttoned warmly to the chin. He was slight and feeble to the eye, yet he had been fired to new life by the certainty that now they were to leave the territory of the persecuting Gentiles for a land to be the Saints' very own. His son stood at the wheel, giving him final directions. At the gate was Prudence Corson, gowned for travel, reticule in hand, her prettiness shadowed, under the scoop of her bonnet, the toe of one trim little boot meditatively rolling a pebble over the ground.

"You—My Sweetheart—Gone Over—Won Over by a Cursed Mobocrat."

"Drive slowly, Daddy. Likely I shall overtake you before you reach the ferry. I want but a word yet with Prudence; though"—he glanced over at the bowed head of the girl—"no matter if I linger a little, since Brother Seth will cross first and we must wait until the boat comes back. Some of our people will be at the ferry to look after you—and be careful to have no words with any of the mob—no matter what insult they may offer. You're feeling strong, aren't you?"

"Ay, laddie, that I am! Strong as an ox! The very thought of being free out of this Babylon has exalted me in spirit and body. Think of it, boy! Soon we shall be even beyond the limits of the United States—in a foreign land out there to the west, where these bloodthirsty ones can no longer reach us. Thank God they're like all snakes—they can't jump beyond their own length!"

He leaned out of the wagon to shake a bloodless, trembling fist toward the temple where the soldiers had made their barracks.

"Now let great and grievous judgments, desolations, by famine, sword, and pestilence come upon you, generation of vipers!"

He cracked the whip, the horses took their load at his cheery call, and as the wagon rolled away they heard him singing:

> Lo, the Gentile chain is broken!
> Freedom's banner waves on high!

They watched him until the wagon swung around into the street that fell away to the ferry. Then they faced each other, and he stepped to her side as she leaned lightly on the gate.

"Prue, dear," he said, softly, "it's going hard with me. God must indeed have a great work reserved for me to try me with such a sacrifice—so much pain where I could least endure it. I prayed all the night to be kept firm, for there are two ways open—one right and one wrong; but I cannot sell my soul so early. That's why I wanted to say the last good-by out here. I was afraid to say it in there—I am so weak for you, Prue—I ache so for you in all this trouble—why, if I could feel your hands in my hair, I'd laugh at it all—I'm so weak for you, dearest."

She tossed her yellow head ever so slightly, and turned the scoop of her bonnet a little away from his pain-lighted face.

"I am not complimented, though—you care more for your religion than for me."

He looked at her hungrily.

"No, you are wrong there—I don't separate you at all—I couldn't—you and my religion are one—but, if I must, I can love you in spirit as I worship my God in spirit—"

"If it will satisfy you, very well!"

"My reward will come—I shall do a great work, I shall have a Witness from the sky. Who am I that I should have thought to win a crown without taking up a cross?"

"I am sorry for you."

"Oh, Prue, there must be a way to save the souls of such as you, even in their blindness. Would God make a flower like you, only to let it be lost? There must be a way. I shall pray until I force it from the secret heavens."

"My soul will be very well, sir!" she retorted, with a distinct trace of asperity. "I am not a heathen, I'd thank you to remember—and when I'm a wife I shall be my husband's wife—"

He winced in acutest pain.

"You have no right to taunt me so. Else you can't know what you have meant to me. Oh, you were all the world, child—you, of your own dear self—you would have been all the wives in the world to me—there are many, many of you, and all in a heavenly one—"

"Oh, forgive me, dearest," she cried, and put out a little gloved hand to comfort him. "I know, I know—all the sweetness and goodness of your love, believe me. See, I have kept always by me the little Bible you gave me on my birthday—I have treasured it, and I know it has made me a better girl, because it makes me always think of your goodness—but I couldn't have gone—and that marrying is so odious—"

"You shall see how little you had to fear of that doctrine which God has seen fit to reveal to these good men. I tell you now, Prue, I shall wed no woman but you. Nor am I giving you up. Don't think it. I am doing my duty and trusting God to bring you to me. I know He will do it—I tell you there is the spirit of some strange, awful strength in me, which tells me to ask what I will and it shall be given—to seek to do anything, how great or hard soever, and a giant's, a god's strength will rest in me. And so I know you will come. You will always think of me so—waiting for you—somehow, somewhere. Every day you must think it, at any idle moment when I come to your mind; every night when you waken in the dark and silence, you must think: 'Wherever he is, he is waiting for me, perhaps awake as I am now, praying, with a power that will surely draw me.' You will come somehow. Perhaps, when I reach winter quarters, you will have changed your mind. One never knows how God may fashion these little providences. But He will bring you safe to me out of that Gentile perdition. Remember, child, God has set His hand in these last days to save the human family from the ruins of the fall, and some way, He alone knows how, you will come to me and find me waiting."

"As if you needed to wait for me when I am here now ready for you, willing to be taken!"

"Don't, don't, dear! There are two of me now, and one can't stand the pain. There is a man in me, sworn to do a man's work like a man, and duty to God and the priesthood has big chains around his heart dragging it across the river. But, low, now—there is a little, forlorn boy in me, too—a poor, crying, whimpering, babyish little boy, who dreamed of you and longed for you and was promised you, and who will never get well of losing you. Oh, I know it well enough—his tears will never dry, his heart will always have a big hurt in it—and your face will always be so fresh and clear in it!"

He put his hands on her shoulders and looked down into the face under the bonnet.

"Let me make sure I shall lose no look of you, from little tilted chin, and lips of scarlet thread, and little teeth like grains of rice, and eyes into which I used to wander and wonder so far—"

She looked past him and stepped back.

"Capt. Girnway is coming for me—yonder, away down the street. He takes me to Carthage."

His face hardened as he looked over his shoulder.

"I shall never wed any woman but you. Can you feel as deeply as that? Will you wed no man but me?"

She fluttered the cherry ribbons on the bonnet and fixed a stray curl in front of one ear.

"Have you a right to ask that? I might wait a time for you to come back—to your senses and to me, but—"

"Good-by, darling!"

"What, will you go that way—not kiss me? He is still two blocks away."

"I am so weak for you, sweet—the little boy in me is crying for you, but he must not have what he wants. What he wants would leave his heart rebellious and not perfect with the Lord. It's best not," he continued, with an effort at a smile and in a steadier tone. "It would mean so much to me—oh, so very much to me—and so very little to you—and that's no real kiss. I'd rather remember none of that kind—and don't think I was churlish—it's only because the little boy—I will go after my father now, and God bless you!"

He turned away. A few paces on he met Capt. Girnway, jaunty, debonair, smiling, handsome in his brass-buttoned uniform of the Carthage Grays.

"I have just left the ferry, Mr. Rae. The wagon with your mother has gone over. The other had not yet come down. Some of the men appear to be a little rough this morning. Your people are apt to provoke them by being too outspoken, but I left special orders for the good treatment of yourself and outfit."

With a half-smothered "thank you," he passed on, not trusting himself to say more to one who was not only the enemy of his people, but bent, seemingly, on deluding a young woman to the loss of her soul. He heard their voices in cheerful greeting, but did not turn back. With eyes to the front and shoulders squared he kept stiffly on his way through the silent, deserted streets to the ferry.

Fifteen minutes' walk brought him to the now busy waterside. The ferry, a flat boat propelled by long oars, was landing when he came into view, and he saw his father's wagon driven on. He sped down the hill, pushed through the crowd of soldiers standing about, and hurried forward on the boat to let the old man know he had come. But on the seat was another than his father. He recognized the man, and called to him.

"What are you doing there, Brother Keaton? Where's my father?"

The man had shrunk back under the wagon-cover, having seemingly been frightened by the soldiers.

"I've taken your father's place, Brother Rae."

"Did he cross with Brother Wright?"

"Yes—he—" The man hesitated. Then came an interruption from the shore.

"Come, clear the gangway there so we can load! Here are some more of the damned rats we've hunted out of their holes!"

The speaker made a half-playful lunge with his bayonet at a gaunt, yellow-faced specter of a man who staggered on to the boat with a child in his arms wrapped in a tattered blue quilt. A gust of the chilly wind picked his shapeless, loose-fitting hat off as he leaped to avoid the bayonet-point, and his head was seen to be shaven. The crowd on the bank laughed loud at his clumsiness and at his grotesque head. Joel Rae ran to help him forward on the boat.

"Thank you, brother—I'm just up from the fever-bed—they shaved my head for it—and so I lost my hat—thank you—here we shall be warm if only the sun comes out."

Joel went back to help on others who came, a feeble, bedraggled dozen or so that had clung despairingly to their only shelter until they were driven out.

"You can stay here in safety, you know, if you renounce Joseph Smith and his works—they will give you food and shelter." He repeated it to each little group of the dispirited wretches as they staggered past him, but they replied staunchly by word or look, and one man, in the throes of a chill, swung his cap and uttered a feeble "Hurrah for the new Zion!"

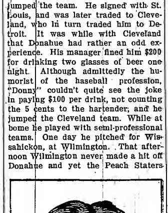
(TO BE CONTINUED.)

It would be easier for most people to do their duty if they could be made to suspect that they ought to be doing something else.

Sporting Gossip.

We have heard of the spit ball and the rubber-filled ball of baseball, but the latest sensation in football is the rebounding ball. A dozen years ago the spiral punt was introduced, and was the aim of great kickers to master this trick of the gridiron. Lately a certain young giant of the St. Louis university team has acquired the art of throwing a spiral the distance of an average punt—45 yards—but it remained for Bocock, Georgetown's quarter back, to discover the rebounding ball. The trick was discovered in this way: The varsity had been hammering the scrub's line with cross bucks and straight formations with considerable success. Capt. Bocock gave the signal for a quarter back kick, and the end slipped out behind the scrubs' line. The ball was kicked, but the scrubs' quarter back was on the varsity end like a flash. What was their surprise when the ball rebounded from their very grasp several yards into the arms of the varsity full back, who tore down the field for a touchdown while the others were looking for the ball. A few minutes later Bocock tried another kick, the ball rebounding even farther than at the attempt before. By this time Coach Reilly and Bocock himself began to take notice. The blue and gray captain recalled that he had booted the ball in a peculiar manner. When scrimmages were over for the day he practiced this kick, and, after some few attempts, was able to get the proper English on the ball, so that it rebounded twice out of every three times. A special formation was added to those already on the backfield's slate, in which the Georgetown backs got the ball on the rebound, to the confusion of the opposing team, which had fallen back for a punt. The trick was used by Georgetown in her games last season with considerable success.

Frank Donahue's determination to stick to the hotel business will be a decided loss to the Detroit club. The trouble with "Donny" was that he never was quite serious enough. He never was prone to going into the box out of his regular turn and never made a reputation in this respect like "Rescuing Rube." When he did pitch, though, Donahue usually twirled a first class article of ball, and from the time the season opened until it closed he was nearly always in condition to give his club his best services. Donahue is one of the very few pitchers who can boast of holding a team down to no runs or hits. He did this several years ago against Boston, when pitching for the Phillies. When the war with the American league broke out, Donahue, after giving the Phillies a chance to "see" the offer of the American league, jumped the team. He signed with St. Louis, and was later traded to Cleveland, who in turn traded him to Detroit. It was while with Cleveland that Donahue had rather an odd experience. His manager fined him $200 for drinking two glasses of beer one night. Although admittedly the humorist of the baseball profession, "Donny" couldn't quite see the joke in paying $100 per drink, not counting the 5 cents to the bartender; and he jumped the Cleveland team. While at home he played with semi-professional teams. One day he pitched for Wissahickon, at Wilmington. That afternoon Wilmington never made a hit off Donahue and yet the Peach Staters



Frank Donahue.

won by 1 to 0. The cause of this was a couple of wild throws in the ninth inning, which permitted a Wilmington player to score.

The well known jockey, W. Gannon, has been engaged at a salary of $8,000 per year to ride for the Russian imperial stables the coming season. Gannon should fill the bill admirably, as the high weights in Russia will permit him to ride in all sorts of races. Besides the salary the position will be worth an extra $1,000 per year.

Thomas Hueston of St. Louis won the pool championship from Jerome Keogh of Buffalo, in a contest at the latter city recently. The score was: Hueston, 195; Keogh, 193, and the total for three nights was: Hueston, 600; Keogh, 507.

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Mark Twain's Neat Answer.

Eugene Ware, of Topeka, recently wrote to Mark Twain: "I picked up your last volume. I read it clear through from cover to cover; it was like a bob-tailed flush. I could not lay it down." From No. 21 Fifth avenue, New York city, Mr. Clemens answered back as follows: "Dear Mr. Ware: I am an old brass-bound, copper-riveted, fire-assayed Presbyterian, with 71 years' experience in unworldliness, and I don't understand your metaphor, but I know it was intended as a compliment and I make it cordially welcome."

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Nails and Apples.

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Instead of swallowing bottles of medicine, containing strong acids (to hold the iron in solution), they would simply stick half a dozen or more iron nails into an apple, leave them in over night, remove the nails and next morning, before breakfast, EAT THE APPLE.

This method was as a rule so successful, that physicians in Germany are now recommending a preparation made from apple pulp and iron, as an excellent tonic.

This only shows, that the nearer we approach nature the more apt are we to find remedies for the sick.

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"I had to use a cane and be helped about by my son. Then the pain began to settle in the calves of my legs and the muscles became numb and quivered constantly. The cords under my knees seemed to be drawn up tight and the terrible shooting pains in my legs would nearly drive me insane. My toes became numb and at times would prickle as if needles were being thrust into them. My eyes became dull and black spots floated before them. My heart was very weak.

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A booklet, entitled "Nervous Disorders," sent free on request.

Owes Double Allegiance.

Count Prosper D'Epinay, who has been decorated in Paris by the British ambassador with the Victorian Order, is in the odd position of being a British subject and yet a Frenchman at the same time. He was born in the island of Mauritius some 65 years ago. The island, of course, is inhabited by a French-speaking population and once formed part of the territories of France. Both the count's parents being French, the count is regarded in France as a Frenchman, but being born under the British flag he is just as surely a British subject.

Comment That Stung.

The marquis of Lansdown, leader of unionist peers in the British parliament, speaks rarely but always with effect. He revels in grave sarcasm. On one ocasion Lord Crews, the liberal leader, made a speech on a subject which he desired to leave a matter for open voting among his followers. Lord Lansdowne congratulated his friend on his eloquent speech. "I have followed it," he said, "with earnest attention not only on account of the importance of the subject but also on account of the noble lord's judicial attitude. I admired his earnestness and eloquence, but what impressed me most was his impartiality." A pause. "Yes, until the last minute I did not know on which side of the fence his lordship was coming down."

French President's Double.

M. Fallieres was until recently believed to be the only president of the French republic who had no double, but his counterpart has been found. The man who most resembles him physically is a respectable merchant of the Rue Saint Honoro, who plays his part with decorum and dignity. He wears exactly the same kind of blue butterfly necktie with white dots as the president, the same kind of hat and exactly so oddly cut a beard. And on his promenades he is always accompanied by a friend who could easily be taken for the president's private secretary. Dignified and with measured steps the enviable double walks through the Faubourg Saint Honora and feels overjoyed at being saluted on all sides.

NEVER TIRES

Of the Food That Restored Her to Health.

"My food was killing me and I didn't know the cause," writes a Colo. young lady. "For two years I was thin and sickly, suffering from indigestion and inflammatory rheumatism.

"I had tried different kinds of diet, plain living, and many of the remedies recommended, but got no better.

"Finally, about five weeks ago, mother suggested that I try Grape-Nuts, and I began at once, eating it with a little cream or milk. A change for the better began at once.

"To-day I am well and am gaining weight and strength all the time. I've gained 10 lbs. in the last five weeks and do not suffer any more from indigestion and the rheumatism is all gone.

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The result is a certain and steady return to normal health and mental activity. "There's a reason." Read the little book "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs.

DESIGN FOR POULTRY HOUSE.

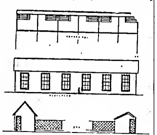
Building Which Will Accommodate One Hundred and Fifty Fowls.

The size of the building here represented is 12 feet wide and 80 feet long, divided into six separate apartments for poultry, with a passageway in the rear of the separate apartments. This is called a connected apartment house, from the fact that from the hallway in the rear you could enter each apartment. When it is desirable so to do, there need not be any partitions, but the whole building may be thrown into one large room.

The advantages gained from the separate apartment house are several. First of all, hens do better when not to exceed 25 or 30 are permitted to live in each apartment. This building, as represented here, would furnish six rooms large enough for 25 each of fowls the size of Plymouth Rocks or Wyandottes. Thirty Leghorns might be kept to good advantage in each apartment. The roosts should all be constructed on the level from a dropping board. Underneath the dropping board may be constructed the nests, or the nests may be built against the partition while that divides the apartments. It is always best to raise the nests from the ground, and to have the hens enter them from the rear or behind to lay. This hides the hen and the eggs away from those on the floor, and does not tempt them to fly up and eat the eggs.

The run or area way in front of the poultry house can be large or small, according to the ground space that you have to devote to the same. The more the better. Fowls always do the best that have a large space of yard room to roam over.

The gable may be constructed fashioned after either one of the end elevations presented, or, where it is preferred, the rear wall may be built high enough so as to have a shed roof from rear to front the entire width of the building. In the construction of a poultry house, great stress should be laid on having of dry floors and dry interior. Perfectly dry floors usually assure a dry interior. In selecting the location for a poultry building, always place it on the high ground, where there is an under and surface drainage. If this cannot be, dig out the ground, fill in with broken stone, and make a cement floor, at least a foot larger all around than will be the building thereupon. This cement floor will serve the double purpose of assuring a dry interior and shutting out vermin. Always cover the cement floor during the winter months with six or eight inches of dry earth, and throw thereupon plenty of dry litter, either straw, leaves, or light material that will do for scratching purposes.



Plans of House.

Where it is thought practicable to make use of what is known as the fresh-air or muslin curtain front to the windows, it is only necessary to remove part or all of the sash, and substitute frames covered with unbleached muslin. The use of the muslin curtain is thought to make the interior more healthful for the poultry. The continual passing of the air through the curtain has a tendency to dry the atmosphere within the poultry house. While such buildings, says Country Gentleman, are considerably colder than tight glass fronts, the interior is apt to be perfectly dry, and the hooded roost may be made use of in cold localities to keep the fowls warm during the frost of winter weather.

As to a correct ration of feed for the production of eggs during the winter months, try a dry grain ration, one-third wheat, the rest made up of a mixture of all kinds of small grain. If a mash food is fed, always feed it at noon. It is best when composed of equal parts, by measure, of cornmeal, ground oats, bran and middlings, all mixed with either scalding-hot milk or water, and allowed to set to cool.

Some animal food of some kind—beef scrap or ground green bone—should always be furnished them in winter. In addition to this, plenty of green food of some kind, water and grit should always be at hand. If fed this ration, and to this rule, and properly housed, hens should always furnish a full egg supply in winter.

Packing Fowls.

When fowls are packed in barrels or boxes for shipment, all the animal heat should be out of them. To pack them before that time is to increase the opportunities for the heat to develop in the interior of the box or barrel and the forces of decomposition begin their work. It will be seen that this might easily lead to heavy losses, as it frequently does.

The next thing to green bone for eggs is good thick buttermilk.

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Still Working for Humanity.

Tannia Claflin, as she was called before she married an English lord and went to England to live in the '70s, is back again in New York. Her agitation now is to promote happier marriages by lectures and informal entertainments in churches.

Millionaire Is Generous.

Congressman John E. Andrus, who represents the Yonkers, N. Y., district, for several years has taken delight in playing the role of Santa Claus to the pages and telephone and telegraph boys of the house. This year, as usual, his gifts to the youngsters consisted of two and five-dollar bills. Col. Andrus is worth $20,000,000, made out of the manufacture of pepsin.

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ANIMALS THAT SHED TEARS.

Travelers' Observations Have Proved That Weeping Is Common.

Travelers through the Syrian desert have seen horses weep from thirst, a mule has been seen to cry from the pain of an injured foot and camels, it is said, shed tears in streams, says a writer in Harper's Weekly. A cow sold by its mistress who had tended young soko apa used to cry from vexation if Livingston didn't nurse it in his arms when it asked him to. Wounded apes have died crying, and apes have wept over their young slain by hunters. A chimpanzee trained to carry water jugs broke one and fell a-crying, which proved sorrow, though it wouldn't mend the jug. Rats, discovering their young drowned, have been moved to tears. A giraffe which a huntsman's rifle had injured began to cry when approached. Sea lions often weep over the loss of their young. Gordon Cummings observed tears trickling down the face of a dying elephant. And even an orang-outang when deprived of its mango was so vexed that it took to weeping. There is little doubt, therefore, that animals do cry from grief or weep from pain or annoyance.

OLD CAPT. CACK'S [illegible]

Somewhat Pointed, But It Denoted Quick Intelligence.

Pierce Jay, the commissioner of banks of Massachusetts, at the American Bankers' association's convention in St. Louis, advocated a better accounting system.

"But above all," said Mr. Jay, in a discussion of his idea, "we want intelligence, if embezzlement is to be thoroughly put down. Systems are good, but intelligence is better, and in cashiers and tellers and bookkeepers and note clerks we want the same keen, quick intelligence that characterized old Capt. Hiram Cack, of Gloucester.

"Cack lay very ill. One day he got down-hearted, feeling that his case was hopeless.

"'I fear, doctor,' he said, 'there isn't much hope for me.'

"'Oh, yes, there is,' the doctor answered. 'Three years ago I was in your condition precisely, and look at me now.'

"Cack, intelligent and alert, said quickly:

"'What doctor did you have?'"

ALMOST A SOLID SORE.

Skin Disease from Birth—Fortune Spent on Her Without Benefit—Cured Her with Cuticura.

"I have a cousin in Rockingham Co. who once had a skin disease from her birth until she was six years of age. Her father had spent a fortune on her to get her cured and none of the treatments did her any good. Old Dr. G—— suggested that he try the Cuticura Remedies which he did. When he commenced to use it the child was almost a solid scab. He had used it about two months and the child was well. I was there when they commenced to use your Cuticura Remedies. I stayed that week and then returned home and stayed two weeks and then went back and stayed with them two weeks longer, and when I went home I could hardly believe she was the same child. Her skin was as soft as a baby's without a scar on it. I have not seen her in seventeen years, but I have heard from her and the last time I heard from her she was well. Mrs. W. P. Ingle, Burlington, N. C., June 16, 1905."

Made Much on Small Capital.

Twenty-five years ago W. S. Wetham left the town of La Grange, Ga., with the munificent sum of one dollar in his pocket and landed in New York with nothing to his credit but his clothes and his character. The quality of the former does not matter and the quality of the latter has shown itself. He is to-day president of 75 banks, all but four of which are situated in his native state. In return for Georgia's small advance of 100 cents he has pretty well cornered her banking interests and has in keeping a goodly amount of her funds. The four banks of which he is president outside of the state of Georgia are situated in Florida.

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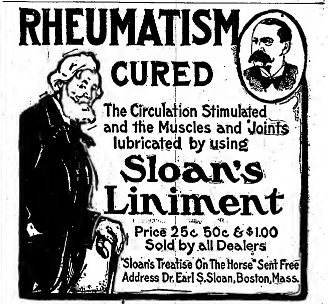
Catarrh, even in persons who are otherwise strong, is a weakened condition of some mucous membrane. There must be something to strengthen the circulation, to give tone to the arteries, and to raise the vital forces.

Perhaps no vegetable remedy in the world has attracted so much attention from medical writers as HYDRASTIS CANADENSIS. The wonderful efficacy of this herb has been recognized many years, and is growing in its hold upon the medical profession. When joined with CUBEBS and COPAIBA a trio of medical agents is formed in Peruna which constitutes a specific remedy for catarrh that in the present state of medical progress cannot be improved upon. This action, reinforced by such renowned tonics as COLLINSONIA CANADENSIS, CORYDALIS FORMOSA and CEDRON SEED, ought to make this compound an ideal remedy for catarrh in all its stages and locations in the body.

From a theoretical standpoint, therefore, Peruna is beyond criticism. The use of Peruna, confirms this opinion. Numberless testimonials from every quarter of the earth furnish ample evidence that this judgment is not over enthusiastic. When practical experience confirms a well-grounded theory the result is a truth that cannot be shaken.



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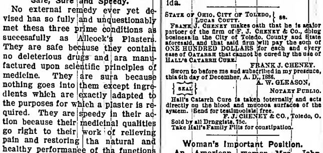

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Harry Mitchell's Editorial

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Mr. Murray's family, the widow, two grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and expert attendants and employes will remain the same.

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WANT SPELLING MATCH

Prof. Chamberlain Would Pit High School Students Against Business People.

Prof. E. W. Chamberlain, of the city schools, has a plan whereby a novel and interesting spelling contest will be pulled off in the near future, provided interest is taken in the affair as it is thought it will be.

His plan is to pit a bunch of high school students, to the number of twenty or thirty, against a corresponding number of business and professional men; in an old fashioned spelling match.

While the details have not yet been worked out the plan would be to use words of commercial use in the contest, with competent judges to pronounce the words and judge as to the spelling. A time limit would be set, and at the end of the match the side having the most members up would win the match.

The Gazette would like to see the match carried out, as it would not only be great sport, but would spur the students to greater efforts in order to avoid a trimming when they met the older heads.

Further than this, it would appear that there a number of "old guys" about town who would appreciate digging down into the cobweb piles and bringing forth their old spellers for a period to brush up some of the rusty points in anticipation of the contest. With the large number of college men and others up in the spelling line around town, it would seem that a formidable team could be gotten together, that could at least succeed in keeping the "skule kids" busy for a time.

Encourage the plan by all means, as there is much good to be derived therefrom.

COLD IN CANADA.

Henry Kaufer Tells of Suffering Among Stock.

In a letter to his brother, L. A. Kaufer, of this city, H. J. Kaufer, who is now located at Calgary, N. W. T., writes that conditions are very bad there this winter, owing to the extreme cold weather that country has been having. He says that for days the theremometer has been way down in the "pictures," and that 45 degrees below zero is now looked upon as balmy weather.

As a result of the terrible cold stock has suffered greatly from exposure, and reports brought to Calgary are that cattle are dying by the thousands there at present. Besides the alarming death rate among the stock, the settlers are also suffering much privation and hardship, as the extreme cold weather has made it very difficult to travel for supplies.

Mr. Kaufer reports his folks as all well and happy. He is employed in a large tonsorial parlor at Calgary for the winter.

PORTABLE VILLAGES.

Turcomans Move Their Houses From Place to Place.

The Turcomans, who live on the eastern shore of the Caspian sea, carry their villages about with them when they travel. As a tribe sets out on a journey every man packs his wooden house upon a camel, which the animal can easily carry, and when a spot is reached where he and his friends intend to remain for any great length of time the camels are unloaded and a village started which it takes about an hour or so to build.

It is to be remembered that the houses are real houses and not tents and that the settlement is not a camp, but a village. The traveling house of the Turcoman is a marvel of skill and ingenuity and is really much lighter, more portable and can be packed into a much smaller compass than any of the so called portable houses that are manufactured and sold in some parts of our country.

The frame is made of strong, light wood laths about an inch broad by three-quarters of an inch thick, crossing each other when set up in position at right angles about a foot apart and fastened at each crossing by the thongs of rawhide so as to be movable, and the whole framework may be opened or shut in the same manner as those toys for children that consist of a squad of wooden soldiers and will expand or close at will so as to form open or close columns.

One part or more made in this way and all inclosing a circle fifteen or twenty feet across form the skeleton of the walls and are firmly secured in place by bands of ropes made of hair or wool fastened round the end of each rod. From the upper ends of these rods similar rods bent near the wall and into something less than a right angle are so disposed that the longer portions slope to the center and, being tied with rope, form the roof.

Over this is thrown a covering of black felt, having in the center a large hole which answers both for a window and a chimney. Large pieces of the same coarse black felt are wrapped round the walls, and outside these, to keep all tight, is bound another frame of split reeds or canes or of some very light, tough wood bound closely together with strong cords.

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF PETER MARTEL.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake. } In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Martel. Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Joseph Martel and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, And Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the city Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 9th day of January, 1907.

—N. W. Turrant,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
—Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner. j10-24

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of sixty ($60.00) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Henry J. Ederle, a single man, mortgagor, to the First State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation, mortgagee, bearing date the first day of April, A. D., 1903, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of April, A. D., 1903, at two o'clock p. m., in Book 29 of Mortgages, on page 26 thereof, which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by said First State Bank of St. Hilaire, mortgagee, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) by written assignment, dated the 9th day of October, A. D., 1903, and recorded in the office of the said Register of Deed on the 9th day of October, A. D., 1903, at 2:05 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages, on page 521.

AND WHEREAS, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions of the said mortgage, the assignee or the mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable.

AND WHEREAS, Under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said assignee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice.

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Two and 40-100 ($1,102.40) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by the said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statue in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The North-west Quarter (N. W. ¼) of section twenty-four (24) in Township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-four (44) west of the 5th principal meridian, in Red Lake county, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 18th day of January, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One hundred two and 40 100 ($1,102.40) Dollars, and interest thereon, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-Five ($75) dollars attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 1st, 1906.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank.
(The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank)
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota. d6-j17

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred, Fifty-six and 4-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by C. A. Steen (a single men) Mortgagor, to Sadie O. Elwood, Mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1903, at 2:10 o'clock P. M., in Book 21 of Mortgages on page 142.

That since the execution and delivery of said mortgage the mortgagee, Sadie O. Elwood has married and that her name is now Sadie O. Grady, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The northeast quarter (NE¼) of section number twenty-eight (28), township number one hundred and fifty (150) north, range number forty-four (44) west of the 5th Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, according to the U. S. Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of five hundred, fifty-six and 4-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, A. D., 1906.

Sadie O. Grady,
formerly Sadie O. Elwood,
Mortgagee.
Gormo & Farley,
Attorneys for the Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. d20-j24

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF CHARLES W. CRESS.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } SS.
In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the estate of Charles W. Cress Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Louisa E. Cress, Cora Ellen Cress, Emma May Cress and Floyd J. H. D. Cress, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1907.

N. W. Turrant,
[Seal] j10-j24 Probate Judge.

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ORDER FOR CREDITORS TO PRESENT CLAIMS WITHIN THREE MONTHS.

ESTATE OF ANDREW R. PETERSON

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss.
In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew R. Peterson, deceased:

Letters of Administration with the will annexed on the estate of Andrew R. Peterson deceased, late of the Village of St. Hilaire, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Olaus Peterson;

It appearing on proper proof by affidavit of the administrator with the will annexed made and filed herein, as provided by law, that there are no debts against the estate of said Andrew R. Peterson deceased.

It is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date on this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased, if any there be, are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said county, for examination and allowance or be forever barred.

It is farther ordered that Tuesday, the 16th day of April, 1907, at ten o'clock A. M., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is farther ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 14th day of January A. D. 1907.

(Probate) (Seal) By the Court,
N. W. Turrant,
Judge of Probate.
J. K. Hannay,
Attorney for Petitioner,
St. Hilaire, Minn. j17-j31

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy and 99-100 ($70.99) Dollars, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Joseph Bousbea, administrator of the estate of John Bousbea, deceased, mortgagor, to M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, bearing date the 21st day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 21 of Mortgages, on page 226.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, to John Jaenike by written assignment dated the 9th day of April, 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages on page 119.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Jaenike the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., by written assignment dated the 14th day of December, 1906, and recorded on the 19th day of December, 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m., in book 15 of mortgages page 345, and by reason of the default herein before mentioned the said Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, the assignee of said mortgagee, chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable making in all four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in, and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The east half of the south-west quarter of section fourteen (14), Township numbered one hundred fifty (150), North of Range forty-two (42), west of the 5th P. M. in the state of Minnesota, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the second day of March, 1907, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 15th, A. D., 1907.

Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. j17-f28

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION.

Estate of AMELIA KORTKE, Deceased.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss
In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Amelia Kortke Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Eric Kortke, Henry Kortke, Emil Kortke and Annie Kortke, and Daniel Gerlach, their Guardian, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Chas. E. Boughton, having been filed in this court, representing that Amelia Kortke, then a resident of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, died intestate on or about the 15th day of September 1906; and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Theo Gureau; and the court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake state of Minnesota, on the 8th day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of January, 1907.

N. W. Turrant,
[SEAL] j17-j31 Judge of Probate
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner.

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WILL DO GOOD WORK

Red River Valley Development Association Will Soon Get Busy In Earnest.

Delegate P. B. Gaas returned home last Friday morning from Fargo where had attended a meeting of the Red River Valley Development and Immigration Association held chiefly for the purpose of electing permanent officers. There was such a marked display of interest and enthusiasm in the work that the association intends to undertake in the development of this section of the country that its continuance and success seem evident.

The following are the names of the officers elected for the ensuing year: P. H. Konzen, Hallock, pres.; E. J. Weizer, Fargo, vice-president; Thomas R. Brown, Jr. re-elected secretary; L. A. Hunton, of Moorhead, treasurer.

These are the members of the board of directors: J. W. Wheeler, Crookston; B. F. Lounsberry, Wahpeton; J. S. Ulland, Fergus Falls; H. H. Wheelock, Fargo; A. L. Hanson, Ada; Geo. Duis, Grand Forks; J. F. Cashel, Grafton; R. C. Mathwig, Warren; Frank Lynch Casselton, N. D.; E. Y. Sarles, Hillsboro, N. D.; J. A. Duffy, Red Lake Falls; A. Stonehouse, Larimore.

The officers and members of the board are men of prominence and their reputation for enterprise and business sagacity makes their selection particularly appropriate in advancing the interests of an organization the character of the one in question. After a meeting of the new board which will be held in the course of the next week or two it is expected that everything will be in readiness for the launching out of the work.

Short addresses were made by delegates such as C. L. Sawyer, a member of the state legislature and and secretary of the Minnesota real estate board, who gave an interesting and enthusiastic talk upon the subject of publicity and improvement work. The representatives of several publicity agencies outlined briefly several plans for advertising and systematically advancing the interests of the valley. At the next meeting of the board arrangements will be finally made for the adoption of a good and effective plan of advertising the Red River Valley.

A committee consisting of A. Stonehouse, A. P. Hanson and E. J. Weiser was appointed to see what could be done with the railroads to secure as favorable treatment for land dealers residing in the valley, as was granted land men from the outside. Strong resolutions were passed relative to the matter and it is expected that some definite action will be taken at once by the committee.

Mr. Gaass was well pleased with the work done by the convention.

SAXOPHONE QUARTETTE

Last Number of The Lyceum Course Will Be Given On February Eleventh.

As announced in last week's Gazette, the final number of the Lyceum entertainment course will be the Colonial Saxophone Quartette, at the opera house on the evening of Tuesday, February 11.

This number will without question be the best of the series, and everyone within a radius of twenty miles of town should plan on attending. The company is composed of four young men, all artists, and they give a varied and pleasing entertainment that always meets with universal favor. They are vocalists, cornetists, saxophonists, vilonists, and all around musicians, and no matter what line of music one may like, he will hear it when this company comes.

The lecture course has been quite successful financially and has given the people a series of entertainments that would be hard to beat. What surplus is left after the course is finished, will be applied to library purposes, so that in patronizing this entertainment you will be assisting a worthy cause.

Plan on attending the final number and you will surely have no cause to regret it.

Decision Handed Down Last Friday Favors Red Lake Falls In Every Particular --- Hopes Of Up-River Town Dashed To Earth.

Opinion Written By Justice Brown Upholds Contention Of Local Attorneys.

Friday of last week the Supreme Court of the State of Minnesota handed down its decision in the case of L. A. Kaufer et al vs James E. Ford, as county auditor, of Red Lake county.

The findings of the court are exactly as looked for by the attorneys for Red Lake Falls, and are a decided victory for this city in the county seat removal case, practically upholding the opinion that Red Lake Falls has been right in all things contended, and shoving the county seat way back out of the reach of greedy Thief River Falls, as it were.

The findings of the court are couched in the usual legal terms, but boiled down to the bare facts, hold that all action heretofore taken by the board of commissioners, on the county seat removal petition is null and void, and sustaining Red Lake Falls in the injunction proceedings, prohibiting the auditor from calling a special election to vote on the matter of county seat removal. The order of Judge Watts is reversed, and the findings of the court above follow:

It is held:

That the judgment in the mandamus proceeding was final and conclusive upon all questions affecting the jurisdiction of the board to hear and determine the petition upon its merits and those questions cannot be further ligitated in this or any other action.

That proceeding was brought by a legal voter of the county, on behalf of himself and all other voters and the judgment therein is conclusive as to all legal voters of the county upon all issues which were, or might have been, ligitated therein, if not appearing that it was obtained by fraud or collusion.

That the trial court exceeded its authority in commanding the board to convene on a date named, then and there to determine the merits of the petition, without further requiring notice to the voters of the county, as required by section 396, R. L. 1905, and to this extent the judgment is invalid on its face.

That no valid certificate by the board of county commissioners to the effect that a proper petition has been filed can be issued by the board until after a hearing duly had, pursuant to the notice required by the statute referred to,

Order reversed.

—Brown, J.

The findings of the court above uphold in every instance the contention of the Red Lake Falls attorneys—that at no time has Thief River Falls had the right side of the argument—and the long-drawn out county seat fight is today in practically the same shape as it was in when Thief River Falls filed their $6,000 removal petition nearly two years ago. For over two years they have kept a high-salaried committee and attorney constantly at work on the case, at a cost that would astonish even their most ardent supporters were it made public, and in all this time they have accomplished absolutely nothing—other than to bring large costs and trouble upon the taxpayers of Red Lake county.

The case has been before the people so much from time to time that they are all more or less familiar with the circumstances, but right here a few facts once again repeated can be looked at with a clearer vision since the decision of the Supreme Court.

Red Lake Falls bore the brunt of the fight and the expense for the division of Polk county, which division was strenuously opposed by Thief River Falls. Notwithstanding their opposition Red Lake was set off from Polk as a county early in 1897—and is there a property owner in the county today who can say that the change was not beneficial to all?

Red Lake Falls was made the county seat of the new county as a reward for the good work done, but just as soon as the schemers at Thief River Falls figured they had the power they immediately went after the seat of government, foisting this expensive and drawn out fight upon the people without the least reason, and for no other purpose than to cripple Red Lake Falls and attain their own greedy desires.

The people generally had always been well satisfied with Red Lake Falls as the seat of government and until the fight was forced upon them by Thief River Falls had never entertained an idea of removal of the county seat away from this city.

Here then is the thing in a nutshell, and to the people of the county at large will come a thrill of satisfaction to know that the Supreme Court decision practically leaves Thief River without a prop beneath their hopeless cause, and this with their $16,000 "get-all-you-can" campaign fund dwindled to the nearly infinitesimal.

It will be well worth while to note the position the fellows who have been obliged to contribute so heavily to the "slush fund" of the up-river town will take in this matter, and it would not be surprising to see them flatly refuse to go down in their pockets and dig up more money to keep several men in comfort, while no returns come in, These heaviest "diggers" have reason to be sore at the way their money has been handled, and are justified in their contention that the same money expended every year in another direction could not be "casting bread upon the waters"—for unlike the old proverb it is not "returned to thee" in this instance. A two years drain like this has been hard on the people up there, and it is not to be wondered at that they are ready to refuse to do any more paying for a thing they have no hope of getting—especially when they can now see where they are in the same position as they were two years ago when the fight started—except that haven't got their cash.

The petition must now go back to the board of county commissioners for final action, and there can scarcely be but one result. Red Lake Falls now has practically enough withdrawals to kill the petion, and has men at work securing more, so that no matter how soon

Decision Leaves Thief River In Worse Hole Than When They Started The Fight.

the board convenes enough names will be taken off the petition to make it only good for framing purposes, to be kept and cherished by the salary-fat committee from the Thief town. Red Lake Falls will gladly welcome action on the petition by the fair and impartial gentlemen that today comprise the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, and has no fear but what the people of the county will get a "square deal."

The expense of the case through the upper court will be about $500 and unless the Thief River committee makes good their promises to pay it, the taxpayers will once again get it in the neck, as the county will have to dig up the cost. Attorney Miller for Thief River Falls agreed that that city would pay the costs provided they were beaten, but its a safe bet that they wont keep their promise, as they have long since given evidence that they have absolutely no regard for the fellows who have to pay the bills in the fight Thief River Falls forced upon the county.

Naturally the people here are well pleased at the way the thing has come out. The labor performed by Attorneys Boughton and Grady and others for the "good of the cause" has been a labor of love, and they have received pay for only the actual time and money spent defending Red Lake Falls interests. Contrast this with the way the Thief River side has been conducted by prince albert coated and white vested individuals, and is there any wonder that Red Lake Falls have cause to rejoice?

Red Lake Falls was rightfully made the county seat, has rightfully held it against the attacks of a greedy opponent, and will rightfully continue to be the seat of government for years to come—and the people of the county at large who have taken time to consider what this means are justified in rejoicing with us.

BANK BUYS BONDS.

Merchants State Furnishes Money To School District.

The Merchants State Bank of this city purchased the bond issue of school district No. 47 on the reservation. The bonds are in the amount of $700, and bear 5 per cent. The election for the bond issue was held December 12th and Mr. Duffy closed the negotiation for them just twelve days later. The money will be used to erect a new school building in that district, work on which will be commenced early in the spring.

The fact that the home bank takes up these school bonds, makes it very convenient for the districts desiring financial aid, and saves them considerable trouble and expense.

The Merchants State has been the only bank in the county to purchase them so far, and has given the people prompt service and good treatment.

It is likely that several other new reservation districts will take similar action in the spring.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until February 2nd, 1907, at 6 o'clock p. m., for 175 cords of green poplar and 25 cords of green oak to be delivered at the Washington and Lafayette schools in Red Lake Falls, on or before April 1st, 1907.

By order of the school board.

Dated January 23rd, 1907.

A. P. Toupin, Secy.

QUARTERLY REPORT.

Receipts of Land Office For Last Year Amounted to $37,000.

The following is a statement of money received at the Crookston U. S. Land Office during the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1906:

Fees and commissions....	$ 2,166.55
Sales of public lands.....	2,391.09
Sales of Chippewa lands..	9,870.34
Sales of Red Lake land...	23,076.55
Total receipt............	$37,504.51

This statement shows that the affairs of the U. S. Land Office are in excellent condition and the receipts average more than usual for this time of the year.

New Barber Here.

E. A. Nelson, formerly of Brandon, arrived here Monday, and Tuesday morning opened up to the public the Kaufer barber shop and bath parlors. Mr. Nelson comes recommended as a first-class workman and all-around good fellow, and will undoubtedly receive a fair share of the public's patronage. He will keep his shop up to the times in all respects, and will try and merit all the favors he receives.

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Program For Band Concert Tomorrow Evening.

PART I.

March, - - - - White
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Overture, - - - - - Sappe
"Jolly Robbers."
Cornet Duet, - - Eilenberg
"Kindred Souls."
Clem Brunelle, H. H. Garceau
Waltz, - - - - - - Fox
"Dorothy Vernon."
"Killarney" Transcription, arr Brooks
(Orpheus Quartette)
Messrs. Bruckman, Healy,
Berthoa, Tracy.

PART II.

March, - - - - - Zamenie
"Cleveland News."
Recitation, "The Black Horse and His Rider."
Paul Brunelle.
Selection, - - - - - Balfe
"Bohemian Girl."
Duet for Cornet and Trombone,
- - - - - - Barnard
"The Pals."
Clem Brunelle, H. Healy.
March, - - - - - McFall
"The New King."

NOTICE.

Wanted—30 cords of green poplar cord wood to be delivered at the Red Lake Falls creamery. For further particulars inquire of G. F. Hennings, Secretary. tf

Wanted:—Gentleman or lady to travel for mercantile house of large capital. Territory at home or abroad to suit. If desirable the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of $1,000 per year and expenses. Address, with stamp, Jos. A. Alexander, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

EARLY SETTLER DEAD.

Alexis Fournier, of Terrebonne, Dies Very Suddenly.

Alexis Fournier, an old and highly respected resident of Terrebonne township, died very suddenly Monday evening, after an illness of but a few hours. The old gentleman had enjoyed very fair health all winter long, and his sudden death came as a great shock to his family and many friends. Death was caused by an affection of the throat.

Deceased was about 72 years of age, and was a man well preserved and one who had always enjoyed the best of health. He was one of the pioneers to this part of the Red River valley, settling here nearly thirty years ago. He was a good citizen, greatly admired by all who knew him.

Deceased is survived by eight children, as follows: Mrs. Louis Paranteau, Mrs. O. Derosier, Mrs M. Derosier, Mrs. Joseph Laurent, Della, Isaac and Alexis Fournier, all of Terrebonne, and Mrs. Al. Paquin, of this city.

The funeral was held from the Catholic church at Terrebonne yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, a large number of sorrowing neighbors and friends attending the last sad rites.

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J. PLETH WILL LEAVE

Hustling Plummer Land Man Makes Arrangements to Locate Elsewhere.

In last weeks' Plummer Pioneer Julius Pleth, the hustling land man of that place, announces that he will shortly leave Plummer and locate at St. Paul, where he will open up a real estate office and handle Minnesota, North and South Dakota lands.

Mr. Pleth has been a prominent factor in the [illegible] estate circles of Red Lake [illegible] for several years past, [illegible] news that he will [illegible] leave us is not pleasing in [illegible] least to the people of Red Lake county, although they realize and hope that the change will be highly beneficial to the genial Pleth.

For several years prior to the time Plummer was put on the map of Red Lake county—over two years ago—Mr. Pleth was located at St. Hilaire, where he conducted a real estate office, and while there established a state-wide reputation through his advertising and hustling business capacity. The words "St. Hilaire and Pleth" were synonymous terms and it is not idle talk to say that largely through Mr. Pleth's efforts does the county surrounding this city and St. Hilaire today enjoy the enviable reputation as the banner farming community of the Red River Valley. When Plummer was started Mr. Pleth was made townsite agent and moved there to continue his business, and his success since that time is well known to all. He has ever been on the alert to keep things moving, and there has been no public enterprise started that Mr. Pleth has not been connected with.

He announces that from his St. Paul office he will still continue to boom Red Lake county—the prize county of them all—and in this there is at least a measure of consolation to offset his loss to the county.

Mr. Pleth is made of the stuff that brings success, and the Gazette predicts and earnestly hopes that his new field may yeild him far greater success and emoluments than his most modest anticipations will warrant him to hope for.

DAIRYMEN'S CONTEST

Red River Valley Dairymen's Association Will Give $25.00 For Best Cow.

The cow is boss and that is the reason why we want the boss of the bossies to ornament the badges for the next convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's association in Crookston on Nov. 6th and 7th, 1907. In order to find out which one of the bossies is the best one they will be given a chance to show it between Feb. 15th and Sept. 15th, 1907. To the owner of the cow giving the greatest amount of butter fat in that time will be given $25.00 in cash besides the honor of having the photograph of the cow with the owner's name on the badges.

RULES FOR THE CONTEST.

Those wishing to compete must notify the secretary of the association before Feb. 15th, 1907, stating that he or she desires to enter the contest.

Records must be based on weights taken at least every tenth day during the contest. Each cow must have her milk tested at least every month, according to directions given by the buttermaker of the creamery of which he is a patron. The buttermaker or creamery inspector shall do the testing and shall testify to the correctness of the record. The record must be in the hands of the secretary before Sept. 20th, 1907, and must give the name of the cow, breed, age, number of calves, number of pounds of milk, and number of pounds of butter fat given between Feb. 15th and Sept. 15th, 1907, and these records must be sworn to before an officer qualified to take oath.

Contestant must be a resident of the 9th congressional district. No entry fee required.

—Executive Committee.

Red River Valley Dairymen's Association, Joel G. Winkjer, Secy., Crookston, Minnesota.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

RED LAKE FALLS GAZETTE.

RED LAKE FALLS. - MINN.

SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

President Roosevelt's second message on the Brownsville affair, with added proof of the guilt of the negro troopers was sent to the senate. The president lifted the ban on the civil employment of the discharged soldiers, but yielded in nothing else.

President Roosevelt asked for appropriation of $2,000,000 for construction of dam in Colorado river and save the Imperial valley of California.

House committee cut ten per cent. from the amount of the appropriation to pay the railroads for carrying the mail.

President Roosevelt has made the report of the Keep commission recommending "cost-keeping in government service."

Senator Hopkins, of Illinois spoke in defense of Reed Smoot's right to occupy his seat in the senate.

The house committee adopted a substitute ship subsidy bill that provides a subvention for seven mail lines to Latin America and the orient.

The senate Tuesday confirmed the nominations of Messrs. Cortelyou, Garfield and Meyer to cabinet positions and H. K. Smith to be commissioner of corporations.

Senator Foraker offered a compromise resolution on the Brownsville affair that it was believed would be adopted by the senate with little opposition.

The house passed the fortifications appropriation bill without amendment.

THE JAMAICA DISASTER.

An earthquake, followed by fire, partly destroyed Kingston, a city of 50,000 inhabitants, and capital of the island of Jamaica. Many persons were killed and injured, among the dead, according to report, being Sir James Fergusson and 40 soldiers. Many American and English tourists are in Jamaica, the latter including a party of distinguished statesmen and agricultural experts. Direct communication with Kingston was cut off.

Later advices are that the dead in the Kingston earthquake may reach 1,000. Great distress prevails and starvation threatens the survivors. The United States dispatched two shiploads of food at once and Admiral Evans hastened to the scene on a torpedo boat destroyer, followed by two battleships. Other relief measures were taken promptly in America and England.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The flood in the Ohio river valley below the Little Kanawha river and at Pittsburg grew more serious, and the weather bureau sent out a warning.

Senator Reuben R. Adams was expelled from the Arkansas senate and in his stead Col. William Lambert was appointed by the governor. Adams, during the trial of Senator Festus O. Butt, who was convicted of bribery, admitted accepting a bribe.

President Roosevelt, Speaker Cannon and others addressed the convention of the association for the extension of foreign commerce.

Attorney General Davidson turned over to the Texas house the documentary evidence that he had in his possession, which, it is charged, implicates United States Senator Bailey in connection with the readmission of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, in violation of the anti-trust laws of the state.

Gov. Deneen of Illinois appointed Van L. Hampton, editor of the Macomb Journal, commissioner of the penitentiary at Joliet, to succeed James M. Phelps, of Freeport, resigned.

The electric plant of the Laclede Gas Light company of St. Louis, was totally destroyed by fire entailing a loss of $260,000.

Secretary Hitchcock has issued an order withdrawing from all forms of disposal under the public land laws, except mineral laws, the vacant, unappropriated public lands in Siskiyou and Modoc counties, California. The lands will be added to the Modoc reserve.

As the result of a mine explosion at Clinton, Ind., eight men are dead and two others seriously injured.

Bill for an accounting has been filed against the Illinois Central Railroad company by Attorney General Stead in the Supreme Court at Springfield. The amount sued for is $4,800,000.

Pennsylvania road is declared to be seeking control of Santa Fe road to block Harriman's plans.

Collapse of part of a new parochial school in Chicago led to a cry of "earthquake," which resulted in a neighborhood panic and inflicted injuries on one woman.

A resolution was presented to the United Mine Workers' convention by members of Indiana district No. 11 reflecting on the record of James Epperson as state mine inspector and expressing grave doubt of his ability to administer the affairs of the office.

Rev. Laurence J. Kavanagh, S. J., a professor in St. Joseph's college, Philadelphia, is dead, aged 54.

The Seaboard Air Line Florida special, north-bound, ran into an open switch two miles north of Raleigh, N. C. The boiler of the locomotive exploded and the train caught fire.

Count Henri de la Vaulx made a successful voyage with his new steerable balloon in France. He is said to have attained a speed of 17 miles an hour and to have steered and sailed his balloon at will.

One Italian workman was killed and another badly injured by the explosion of a ton of dynamite in the South Shore Stone company's quarry, two and a half miles east of Monroe, Mich.

The blowing up of a freight engine on the Philadelphia & Reading railroad at Norristown, Pa., killed five men.

Judge O. B. Gould, member of the Minnesota board of control, died at Minneapolis.

The late Congressman Robert Adams, Jr., of Philadelphia, who committed suicide last year, was a defaulter to the amount of $70,000.

Count Nicholas Tolstoi and five other persons were burned to death in the count's residence, near Moscow, Russia.

Rear Admiral Sigsbee was retired on account of age.

Maj. John B. Furay, a Nebraska pioneer, well known all over the west, died at Omaha, aged 67 years, of paralysis.

A. T. Clinton, one of the pioneer business men of La Crosse, Wis., died, aged 76.

W. P. Frye was elected senator from Maine, W. Murray Crane from Massachusetts, Simon Guggenheim from Colorado, Norris Brown from Nebraska, W. E. Borah from Idaho, Robert L. Taylor from Tennessee, J. M. Dixon from Montana, H. E. Burnham from New Hampshire, and H. A. Richardson from Delaware.

Alderman William S. Clifford and David Mann, a foreman of a stoneyard, were arrested in New York on charges of bribery in the election of a recorder of the court of general sessions to succeed Recorder Goff.

Heavy rains caused a sudden rise of Rock Bridge creek which flooded the town of Flat Rock, Ky. The inhabitants were compelled to flee in boats.

Announcement is made that the Lackawanna railroad has decided upon Scranton, Pa., as the location for the $2,000,000 locomotive shops.

The work of laying the walls of the new capitol of Wisconsin was begun. The building is to cost between $4,000,000 and $6,000,000.

Mrs. Sarah McCall, a graduate of Mount Holyoke college class of 1851, and for 30 years an instructor in the academy of Knox college, died at Galesburg, Ill., aged 78.

Bills were introduced in the Wisconsin state assembly for a two-cent railroad fare and repealing the mortgage tax law.

A typhoon swept the islands of Samar and Leyte, Philippines, and 100 lives were lost.

Gen. Fernando Figuroa was elected president of the republic of Salvador.

The Democratic caucus of the general assembly of North Carolina nominated United States Senator F. M. Simmons for a second term.

A federal grand jury at Chicago voted indictments against John R. Walsh in connection with the failure of the Chicago National bank.

Fire in Chicago practically destroyed the big printing plant of M. A. Donahue & Co., the loss being $500,000.

Prince Aga Khan of India, a descendant of one of the oldest and most prominent families of Bombay, arrived in San Francisco. The prince came to study American industries.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland said in New York that an organization of Cleveland citizens planned buying the Cleveland Electric railway plant and to run the car lines of that city on a three-cent basis.

Severe snowstorms, gales and cold weather prevailed in the northwest.

A total eclipse of the sun occurred in central Asia and was satisfactorily observed. The period of totality was two minutes, but the sun was partly obscured for an hour.

The Western Implement and Vehicle Dealers' association met in Kansas City in annual convention with close to 1,000 members present.

King Alfonso of Spain has decided the boundary dispute between Honduras and Nicaragua in favor of the former republic.

A deal is in progress for merging the lighting and heating companies of San Francisco. The proposed combine represents a capital of $20,000,000.

Mission board in conference at Philadelphia issued an appeal to President Roosevelt and King Edward to act on Congo outrages.

Margaret Maillard, the Chicago girl in New York in search of her father, turned out to be Clara Boose, and is held by the police on the charge of being an expert thief.

Passenger train No. 30 on the Rock Island was wrecked at Barney, N. M., and five people were killed and eight injured. The train ran through an open switch.

Walter S. Bogie, Jr., son of the millionaire president of the Crescent Coal company, Chicago, was killed by a pistol shot in a room at his home. Members of the family declare the death was accidental.

Plans prepared by a Chicago syndicate of 35 men, which has purchased lake front property of New Buffalo, Ind., show a hotel structure of 500 rooms, to cost $500,000, and other improvements up to $1,000,000.

C. A. Carlson, of Des Moines, Ia., driver of the world's championship hose team, was killed in a collision with a street car. Three other firemen were injured.

F. C. Fairbanks, son of the vice president, was indicted at Steubenville, O., for perjury in connection with his recent marriage.

Ernst Stiller, a prominent banker and politician of Lubeck, Germany, was shot by a woman, who then killed herself.

The United Mine Workers of America opened their annual convention in Indianapolis and heard President Mitchell's report.

The suit of the state of Illinois against the Illinois Central railroad for the collection of several million dollars which the state alleges has been withheld from the state's share of the gross earnings of the railroad was filed in the state supreme court at Springfield by Attorney General Stead.

A grand jury at Findlay O., returned 939 indictments against the Standard Oil company, subsidiary companies, the Rockefellers and others, for conspiracy against trade.

President J. J. Hill of the Great Northern railway, wrote a long letter to Gov. Johnson on the railway situation, declaring the only solution was the building of a vast amount more trackage

The lower house in Nebraska tabled the resolution to investigate Norris Brown, candidate for the United States senate, and the Colorado senate did the same for Simon Guggenheim, who will be the new senator from that state.

L. T. Moore of Benton Harbor shot his wife and Deputy Sheriff Pearl and attempted suicide.

A severe blizzard was general over the greater part of Kansas and a large section of the state was covered with sleet and fine snow.

The British ship Pengwern, from Taltal, Chile, for Falmouth with a cargo of saltpeter, grounded at Scharporn. Twentyfour men were drowned.

Two deaths from beri-beri and three in a serious condition is the report made by Capt. Larsen of the Norwegian bark Gulfport that arrived at Mobile from Sekoude on the Gold coast.

Andrew Carnegie will be the heaviest personal tax-payer in New York if the list of assessments made public by the assessors is not amended. The value of his personal property is fixed at $5,000,000 and that of John D. Rockefeller at $2,500,000.

Rock Island passenger train No. 26, from St. Joseph to Kansas City, collided with a freight train at Waldron, Mo., killing three trainmen and injuring a number of trainmen and passengers.

Members of the Ashtabula, O., Plumbers' association pleaded guilty to indictments charging them with violating the Valentine anti-trust law, and were fined.

Chief of Police James Daily and Officer John Peterson of Red Wing, Minn., were shot and probably fatally wounded by August Bloom, a barber, whom they were endeavoring to arrest.

Henry Richardson was declared the Republican nominee for the United States senate, on the ninth ballot in the caucus of the 36 members of the lower branch of the Delaware legislature.

Violation of the Sherman act preventing combinations in restraint of trade is charged in a suit against several steamship companies and their New York agents brought in the United States circuit court by Thomas & Co., of New York, exporters.

C. W. Thomas, Toledo, O., may die, John Olinger of Toledo was seriously hurt and five other persons were injured in a rear-end collision between a Monon passenger train and a Wabash train at the 112th street crossing, Chicago.

Rudolph Koradi consul for the Swiss government in Philadelphia, is dead at the age of 82 years. Mr. Koradi who was made consul at that port in 1856, was said to be the oldest consul in the world in point of years and service.

Peter's pence, collected in the Roman Catholic churches of the archdiocese of Chicago, which will be delivered to the pope in Rome by Archbishop Quigley, will amount to $25,000.

Malik Mansour Mirza, the second son of the late shah of Persia, made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide by taking opium.

Oliver Dyer, who is said to have introduced stenography into this country and was the first shorthand reporter in the United States senate, died in Boston, aged 83 years.

Henry Squires, at one time America's leading tenor, died in Burlington, Iowa, aged 82 years.

Students attending the American college in Rome were presented to the pope, who talked to them about the church troubles in France and told of his appreciation of America's support.

John Smith, one of the men under indictment for the murder of Dr. B. D. Cox in Kentucky has made a confession in which he said Hargis and Callahan induced him and two others to kill Cox.

Two men were killed and more than a score of persons injured, including several women, by an explosion of acetylene gas at a card party in Woodman's hall in Wilmington, Ill.

Elbert W. Gibson, principal of the schools at Riverdale, Mich., was drowned while trying to save 14-year-old Harry Valance, who had broken through the ice while skating.

THOUSAND ARE DEAD IN JAMAICA DISASTER

Sore Distress, Famine and Ghastly Scenes in Ruined Kingston.

Earthquake and Fire More Serious Than Early Reports Indicated---90,000 Islanders Homeless---United States Rushes Forward Supplies---Admiral Evans Hastens to Scene.

St. Thomas, D. W. I.—Reports received here from Jamaica say it is estimated that 1,000 persons have been killed by the earthquake and fire and that 90,000 persons on the island are homeless. The damage to Kingston alone is placed at fully $10,000,000.

Advices received here Wednesday say that all people have been warned to keep away from Kingston. The stench there is described as awful. There is no fodder for animals and famine is imminent. Money is useless. The banks have been burned, but the vaults are supposed to be safe.

Great Distress in City.

The misery on all sides is indescribable. Rich and poor alike are homeless. Provisions of all kinds are urgently needed. It is impossible to say where anybody can be found. Sir James Fergusson, vice chairman of the Royal Mail Steamship company, is among the killed. The loss of life is very great, but the exact numbers are not yet known, the dead being buried under smouldering ruins. The mercantile community suffered most severely, warehouses falling upon them. Many professional men are dead or injured.

SCENE AT KINGSTON, JAMAICA.

View of One of the Principal Streets Leading to Harbor. Great Damage Was Caused by the Earthquake and Fire Which Followed in This Section.

The negroes are looting. Ghastly scenes are being witnessed. All the shops have been destroyed and all the buildings in and around Kingston are in ruins. Very few of them are safe to live in.

New York.—Very few messages, and these meager and lacking in detail, were received direct from Jamaica Wednesday to give additional information of the devastation and death wrought by the earthquake that ravaged Kingston on Monday afternoon. Such intelligence as has come through, however, shows the situation to be apparently more serious than was outlined in the first official reports received at the colonial office in London from the governor of the West Indian island, Sir Alexander Swettenham, and Hamar Greenwood, M. P.

Cable communication with Jamaica seems to be almost impossible either on account of the local disruption of the lines and system, or possibly because of the absolute precedence given in British colonies to official dispatches.

Most of Island Escapes.

The devastation would appear to have been confined to the vicinity of Kingston, one dispatch giving ten miles as the radius of damage. The rest of the island, including Port Antonio, does not seem to have suffered severely.

The estimates of dead range from 100 to 400, but with the exception of Sir James Fergusson and perhaps half a dozen other white men, there is no mention of fatalities to foreigners. The American tourists who were at Kingston at the time, estimated at about 2,000 persons, it would seem are safe. The estimates of persons injured is placed in the thousands. It is feared that when the ruins of the city are searched these casualty lists will be materially increased. A large majority of the 50,000 population of Kingston are black, and it is probable that nearly all the casualties were among these people. It is reported that about two score black soldiers were burned to death in a military hospital near the city.

Looting by the Blacks.

Looting and disorder, including raids on rum shops by the blacks, followed the catastrophe, but prompt repressive measures restored order. Panic prevails, however, especially as the earth shocks continued Tuesday and Wednesday, and great numbers of the city's population have fled to the neighboring countryside Food supplies are beginning to be urgently needed, and the demand on medical supplies has exhausted the stock in hand.

The fire that followed the disaster, it was reported, was confined to that section of the city bordering on the water front. The flames were supposed to have been checked, but a later dispatch indicates that they may have again broken out.

Call for Assistance.

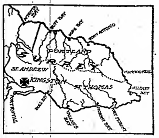
Washington.—Official news of the disaster at Kingston, Jamaica, reached Washington slowly Wednesday; in fact, the first report did not come to hand until well along in the afternoon, when a dispatch was received at the state department dated "Jamaica, 3:31 p. m., January 16," and signed, "American Consul," stating that Kingston had been destroyed and hundreds of lives lost, and that food was badly wanted.

KING'S HOUSE, RESIDENCE OF GOVERNOR.
This Building at Kingston, Jamaica, Was Completely Destroyed by the Earthquake.

As a matter of fact, the signature to this dispatch was misleading, for the consul is absent on leave from his post. It was assumed at the department that the vice and deputy consul, William H. Orrett, at Kingston, had sent the dispatch. A reference in the cablegram to the fireproof safe is understood to convey assurance of the safety of the consular records and papers. It was also regarded as possible that the message might have come from Nicholas R. Snyder, the American consul at Port Antonio, on the island of Jamaica.

However, the dispatch was regarded as warranting the taking of instant measures of relief. Indeed, the navy department had been in advance in this matter, for through Capt. Behler, the officer in charge of the naval station at Key West, wireless communication was early established between the navy department and Admiral Evans, commanding the Atlantic fleet at Guantanamo, Cuba, and when Secretary Root later indicated the desirability of sending warships at once to the distressed island, it turned out that Admiral Evans had anticipated the direction and had started on a torpedo boat destroyer, the swiftest vessel in the American fleet, for Kingston, ordering two of the slower battleships to follow as soon as they could.

The appeal for food supplies directed attention to the fact that under ordinary conditions none of the government supplies could be used for outside relief save by special authority of congress.



Map of Kingston and Vicinity.

Metcalf Sends Food.

That fact, however, did not prevent Secretary Metcalf from ordering two supply ships with full cargoes of food at once to Jamaica, leaving for Thursday the question as to how the supplies are to be given to the needy inhabitants.

The war department up to the close of business had not acted upon the application for food, but it is assumed that in anticipation of the passage of the necessary legislation by congress, it will at least take care to get supplies to the island ready for the distributing agencies. There are stores of food at San Juan, Porto Rico and at Havana, that might be used for emergencies, leaving the department to draw later upon the large stocks at New York.

England More Anxious.

London.—The brief dispatches received here Wednesday night, including some from Kingston direct, declaring that 100 persons had been killed in the earthquake of Monday, leave the country a prey to renewed suspense as to the fate of the capital of the island of Jamaica.

Two things stand out of the general gloom and bring intense satisfaction to the British public. The first is the fact, confirmed Wednesday night in a dispatch from Sir Alfred Jones himself that the Jones party are all safe. The second is found in the prompt and active steps taken by the American government to investigate the real conditions and afford the necessary succor to the unfortunate city.

Message from Sir Alfred Jones.

Up to a late hour Wednesday night the colonial office had no further news to communicate and the public found satisfaction in the belief that the casualties among the English residents of the island had been few. Then came a message from Sir Alfred Jones which confirmed the worst fears. This message is addressed to Elder Dempster & Co., and is as follows:

"Kingston was overwhelmed by an earthquake Monday afternoon at 3:30. All the houses within a radius of ten miles have been damaged and almost every house in the city is destroyed. Fire broke out after the earthquake and completed the work of destruction. It is estimated that 100 persons have been killed and 1,000 injured. The public offices and hospitals are in ruins. Among the killed are Sir James Fergusson, many prominent merchants and professional men and a great many natives. There were no fatalities at the Constant Springs hotel.

"The business quarter of Kingston is now a heap of smouldering ashes.

"We are thankful that our party is all right."

JAMAICA SCENE OF DISASTERS.

Fate Has Pursued the Island by Hurricane and Quake.

Jamaica has been the scene of many catastrophes of nature, both by storm and earthquake. A great earthquake visited the island in 1892, destroying Port Royal, when out of 3,000 houses only 200 were left standing. It was this catastrophe that led to the founding of Kingston. In 1782 Kingston had a fire which destroyed property to the value of $2,500,000, and in 1843 another fire caused damage to the amount of about $15,000,000. A tremendous hurricane visited the island in 1815. The whole island was destroyed, hundreds of houses were washed away, vessels were wrecked and about 1,000 persons were drowned.

In August, 1880, a cyclone passed over the eastern half of Jamaica, destroying nearly all the wharves in the harbor of Kingston and also caused much damage to the shipping in the harbor.

In August, 1903, Jamaica was swept by a hurricane which almost totally destroyed Port Antonio and inflicted damage in various parts of the island amounting to about $10,000,000. On November 13 inst a sharp earthshock was felt in the south and the north of the island of Jamaica. It was followed immediately by a second shock, which was the heaviest experienced in Jamaica in many years.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Re-elected.

The board of managers of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society have reelected E. W. Randall secretary for the year 1907. This will be Mr. Randall's thirteenth year in charge of the state fair, which has been a continuous success under his direction. E. L. Mattson, cashier of the Swedish-American National Bank of Minneapolis, was chosen treasurer, vice F. J. Wilcox of Northfield, who has served in this capacity for many years, and who retires with the respect and regard of the entire board.

Practically the same list of superintendents and committees as in 1906 was announced by President C. N. Cosgrove. Col. W. M. Liggett remains in charge of the cattle division which he has handled for 16 years; G. W. Patterson is superintendent of horses; J. M. Underwood of agriculture and horticulture; R. F. Nelson of the exposition and woman's buildings and C. M. Griggs of the amusements. Wm. E. Lee will manage the manufactures and farm machinery divisions.

Although this year's fair will not open for nearly nine months, a very large list of amusement attractions was laid before the board and the fair will be able to choose from the best that the country affords. The needs for several new buildings were discussed at some length and various requests for changes in the premium offers were received, but action on all these matters were deferred—except that the market gardeners secured a raise in the amount of their premium offers and the board voted to renew the offers for fat cattle in carload lots made last year with much satisfaction to the breeders and cattle men.

A New Campus.

Minneapolis—According to E. B. Johnson's estimate, $600,000 will be the net cost of the new campus extension which is being so strongly urged by the alumni and friends of the University of Minnesota.

The proposed tracts include seventeen blocks south of the present campus and four blocks north of the campus along University avenue. Mr. Johnson estimates that the property south of the campus, not including the buildings, would cost $211,000; for that on the north, $140,000, making a total of [illegible] for land alone.

On this property there are 206 houses which, it is thought, could be purchased for an average of $2,500 each, or $3,000 at the most, bringing the total cost of the houses up to [illegible] and the total cost of both land and buildings to $1,000,000.

Important Decision.

St. Paul—A decision of great importance to the game and fish commission was handed down in the supreme court in the case of the state against Tower Lumber company, in which the right of the state to prohibit the running of logs in a stream in which the game and fish commission is engaged in gathering fish spawn is upheld.

The decision affirms an order of Judge Lewis, in the Ramsey county district court, overruling the demurrer of the company to the complaint of the state in the suit brought to recover [illegible] damages for the loss alleged to have been sustained by the state on account of the company's running logs down Pike river, after having received notice that the commission was then engaged in gathering pike spawn therein.

Dockage.

St. Paul—Members of the legislature will be "docked" $5 for every day they are absent without excuse. This is the requirement of the revised statutes, a "[illegible]" which got away from the members two years ago, and is likely to create all sorts of trouble at this session. The discovery will cause a large-sized row, it is feared, and the early repeal of the obnoxious section is predicted.

There was only one member absent on the opening day of the session, but the second day, Wednesday, there were five senators and ten representatives absent without excuse, as shown by the journals of the two houses. Thursday, the third day, there were six senators and nineteen house members recorded as absent without excuse.

Inheritance Tax.

Minneapolis—An amendment to the inheritance tax law by which the county treasuries would share in the tax is advocated by State Auditor S. G. Iverson in his annual report to the legislature. He believes that if the county shared in the tax the county officers, who are intrusted with the collection of the tax, would be more vigilant and energetic in collecting the full amount of the tax. He says:

"Up to Aug. 1, 1906, the sum of $159,451.91 had been collected under the law. From Aug. 1, 1906 up to the present time, Dec. 1, 1906, $93,367.95 has been collected. Several large estates are now being administered in our probate courts, which will add goodly sums to the state's revenue."

News Notes.

Washington—Fort Snelling will get about $7[illegible],000 for the rifle and artillery range, road construction, and for small buildings out of the military appropriation bill, which passed the house.

Cloquet—Free delivery of mail will be installed as soon as houses and business places are properly numbered. The city has purchased a new rock crusher for use in the macadamizing. Duluth, Missabe & Northern engines are hauling Great Northern freight trains on the Mesaba division.

Minneapolis—The first local company for the manufacture of denatured alcohol for industrial purposes has filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state.

St. Paul—The Y. M. C. A. committees secure $3,007.50 toward the additional $100,000 needed for the building fund.

Ft. Snelling—Two more soldiers are bitten by a stray dog.

Hamline—James J. Hill gives $50,000 to the Macalester college endowment fund.

Minneapolis—Dr. Ward recommends law to protect the state against diseased live stock.

St. Paul—The state senate employes three St. Paul school boys as pages, causing trouble.

St. Paul—A young man falls down a flight of stairs in the Auditorium and fractures his skull.

Minneapolis—The cost of the proposed capitol approaches will amount to little to the individual tax payer.

St. Paul—A bill will be presented to the legislature calling for a recount of the votes cast on the constitutional amendments.

Duluth—The Denn Arizona Copper company, authorized capital $3,500,000, filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state.

Faribault—W. H. Dicke, who was at one time a leading business man of this city, has gone insane and is an inmate of the county jail.

Faribault—The farmers of ths town of Wheeling and merchants of the village of Nerstrand will build a farmers' elevator at that place.

Mankato—The Commercial club canvassing committees has thus far raised about $20,000 toward building a local street railway and have only begun their labors.

Rushford—When Mrs. Lars O. Bjerke went to the South Side Hotel at 239 Cedar avenue, Minneapolis, with her little daughter, to meet her husband, she found him lying in bed, shot through the head.

Inver Grove—Bennett Bros.' saloon was burned early in the morning, causing a loss of $1,500. The origin of the fire is not known. When the fire was discovered the flames were breaking through the roof and were beyond control.

Mankato—The state game and fish commission has ordered all fishing houses removed from Madison, Francis and several other lakes in this vicinity. On the other lakes houses are permitted where proper licenses are secured. He believes that the laws are being generally observed this winter.

Renville—Fire last night destroyed the creamery in this city. It was built in 1903 by O. H. Howe and was one of the best equipped plants in the county. The loss will amount to $6,000 and, it is said, there is no insurance. The creamery was owned by Carlson & Klarquist of Minneapolis. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

Mankato—At a meeting of the county commissioners of Blue Earth and Waseca counties, it was decided to build a joint bridge on the county line, both counties to get bids and the lowest bidder in either county to get the contract. The counties will divide the cost between them.

Moorhead—John Holst, a machinist in the roundhouse here, met with a terrible death. He was engaged in repairing a leaky flue in a boiler when it burst, covering him from head to foot with scalding steam. A companion who was assisting him also was injured, but not seriously.

Mankato—The county of Blue Earth has something like $20,000 of its revenue fund tied up in public ditch improvements, upon which the farmers have a ten-year limit in making payments. The first of the dozen ditches that have been constructed has not yet been fully paid for.

Rochester—The Southeastern Minnesota Poultry Association has elected officers for the coming year, as follows: President, Arthur Williams; vice president, W. Sherman of Red Wing; superintendent, John Robertson; secretary and treasurer, Louis Neitz; directors, Charles Elliott, Geo. Stevens, Dr. Miller, R. W. Waldron, and D. H. Williams.

St. Paul—The action brought by the attorney general to enforce the payment of a four per cent gross earnings tax for 1905 from the Minnesota and Northern Wisconsin railroad company and the Duluth and Northern Minnesota Railroad company was up for hearing before Judge Hallam.

Duluth—The fact that the sleeves of his coat had frozen solidly to the ice while he was endeavoring to cling to it, James Breich of Burlington, Iowa, owes his life. He was rescued from a watery grave by Albert Anderson, engineer for the Gowan-Peyton-Twohy company, and T. Torkelson, barn boss for the Armour Packing company, after he had lost consciousness and was totally exhausted from exposure to the bitter cold and the icy waters of ths ship.

Moorhead—John Holst, a machinist in the roundhouse here, met with a terrible death as the result of an accident. He was engaged in repairing a leaky flue in the boiler when it burst, covering him from head to foot in scalding steam. A companion who was assisting him also was injured, but not seriously. Immediately after the accident Holst was removed to the hospital, where it was found that his flesh was literally parboiled. He lived several hours, however, remaining conscious until his death.

St. Paul—Oswald Waber, a young man, had his right arm drawn into a circular saw, the jagged teeth cutting through the muscles of the forearm and severing one of the bones. Several splinters of bone had to be removed from the wound, but the doctors believe they can save Wabsr's arm.

Mankato—Frederick Deef was arraigned on a warrant charging him with assault in the first degree upon Henry Potz, and his hearing was set for Jan. 28.

Ft. Snelling—Hereafter soldiers who wish to keep pet dogs at the post must mako application to the adjutant to do so.

FLOOD OF BILLS ROLLS IN STEADILY

BOTH THE SENATE AND HOUSE SHOW GREAT ACTIVITY.

Resolutions to Probe Farm Machinery and Coal Combines Introduced in Both Houses—Presiding Officers Announce Committees.

St. Paul, Jan. 14.—Three measures aiming to collect a greater tax from ths iron ore wealth within the state, wers introduced at ths legielative session tonight. Senator Victor L. Johneon preeented one calling for a royalty of 50 cents a ton for 1907, and an addition of 4 cents a ton eech eucceeding year. H. O. Bjorke pressnted a bill in the house providing a tax of 5 cents for every long ton, hased on reports of mining compeniss which must hs filed, the income to be divided between the road and hridge fund and the drainags fund. A house bill hy R. H. Jeffereon of Bingham Lake, provides for a tax of 25 cents per long ton. There are two other important features; one provides for a new state officer, a mining tax commissioner, and the other is held out to tempt the eetahlishment of a smelting worke by giving a credit of 20 cents per ton for ore emelted within the state.

H. O. Bjorke of Leke Park presented a new hill for the liceneing of dogs, $2 for malee, $3 for a female, and $1 reward for the killing of each unlicensed dog, the income thus created to go to an estahlishment of a state Pastuer institute.

C. M. Bendixon of Morgan introduced another anti-pass hill in the house. The hill followe the provisions of the federal anti-pass law, applying its conditione to the state.

The house passed a resolution introduced by J. A. Gatee of Kenyon, calling for the appointment of a committee of five to make an investigation of the Minneapolis chamher of commerce and the Duluth hoard of trade. The committee, yet to he named, is given power to suhpoena witneeses and engage clerical help.

St. Paul, Minn. Jan. 15.—The event of today in both branches of the legislature was the announcement of the committee appointments hy the presiding officers. Though hoth presiding officers have devoted weeks of time to preparing the committees, there is the usual amount of grumhling heard from disgruntled ones who did not get the most choice positions. In the house, Wells is made chairman of appropriations, Peterson of corporations; drainage, Wright; elections, Tighe; general legislation, Hugo; ineurance, Timherlake; railroads, Spooner; taxes Thayer; towns and counties, Rachie; judiciary, Hicks.

In the eenate, Sundherg is cheirman of drainage; Dunn of elections; Peterson, of finance; Wileon of jndiciary; Layhourn of insurance; Smith of taxes; Canfield of towns and counties.

The event of today'e eeseion in the houee was the fight on the so-called Gates resolution, calling upon the governor for a specisl message on the suhject of temperance and county option. The repnhlicans of the house held a caucus at noon and decided to tomorrow pass the resolution. W. A. Nolan introduced a resolution for an Investigation of the lumber business throughout Minnesota. It was referred to the committee on rules. In the senate the same resolution was fathered by Senator H. E. Haneon. It was laid over.

Knut Knutson introduced a resolution calling for an investigation of the Great Northern iron ore deal, on account of the charter of the Great Northern not permitting the company to handle mineral lands. The reeolution was adopted without a dieeenting vote.

Resolutions for the investigation of ore land matters, their taxation and their handling were paeeed in both housee. The one in the house was fathered hy C. M. Bendixon, of Morgan; the one in the senate by Senator Morgan.

Eighteen hills put in apppearance in the senate today. Most important were eeveral by Senator Julius Coller, of Scott county, calling for increases in salariee of etate officials to the following figuree: Chief justice, $7,500: associate justices, each $7,000; governor, $7,500; eecretary of state' $4,000; attorney general, $6,000; each assistant, $3,000.

A. G. Johnson, of St. Paul, introdnced two hille in the house today which caused coneiderahle talk. They fixed the price of illuminating gas at not to exceed 80 cents a thousand, and street car faree at eight rides for a quarter.

St. Paul, Jan. 16—It was today put np to Gov. J. A. Johnson to declare himeelf on the eubject of county option and liqnor traffic in general. This is the reeult of the house passing the pending so-called Gates resolntion. It went throngh today by a viva voce vote. A large number of peopls had gathered in the house galleries expecting a hot debete, but the republicans gave no tims for objection hy the democrats, and shot the resolution through today as soon ae it came up. It is understood Gov. Johnson welcomee the reeolution and will give a message strongly endorsing county option.

S. O. Morse of Slayton introducsd a resolution in the houee today to allow each msmher $250 for legislative expenees. The resolution received numerous seconde and it looked as though it was going to quickly elide through, but A. J. Rockne held it up for twenty-four hours by giving notice of debate.

C. E. Johnson of Leke Elizaheth presented e memorial resolution proteeting againet the action of the internsl revenue department at Washington on the ruling which makee industrial alcohol remain at a price where it is out of reach for industrial purposes. A hill was introduced in the house by B. H. Timberleke and in the senate hy E. E. Smith, hoth Minneapolis men, estahlishing a pension for firemen over fifty years of age and who have served 20 years, no pension to exceed $40 a month. A fund for this purpoee is estahlished in cities hy a two per cent tax on fire insurance premiume in such cities heing diverted from the state to the Firemen's Relief aesociation.

The event of the senate session today was the introduction of a bill hy Senator Thorpe of Willmar, providing for county option on the liquor license queetion. The bill was referred to the committee on temperance. Senator McGowan of Minneapolis fathered a meaeure to prohihit corporations from contrihuting to political parties, committees or candidates, and another anthorizing the pnhlic examiner at his discretion to make examinations of corporations to see that the law wes not heing violated.

Lieut. Gov. Eherhart announced on the part of the senate the appointment of two investigating committees, following the paseage of two pending resolutions. One committee consisting of Senators Cook, Layhourn and V. L. Johnson, ie for the investigation of mineral lands and taxes; the other, consisting of Senators Thorpe, Pugh, Witherstine and Calhoun, is to investigate the grain husiness at Minneapolis and Duluth.

St. Paul, Jan. 17—An important bill put in an appearance in the legislature today when Senator P. Fitzpatrick, democrat, of Winona, introduced Senate File 78. The hill establishes the initiative and referendum relative to legislation. A petition of five per cent of the voters may propose any new law or conetitutional amendment desired, to he accepted or rejected at the polls the ensuing general election. Or, on a petition of a like number of voters, any legislation enacted by the legislature will have to be submitted to a vote by the people. The bill was referred to the judiciary committee. Senators Elwell and Swanson hoth today introduced hills to authorize the state hoard of control to eetahlish stone crushers to be operated hy convict labor, the crushed etone to he given to counties applying through their county commissioners, for the improvement of county roads. Senator F. L. Clague, epeaker of the house two years ago, preeented a measure to create a new judicial district, the Nineteenth, composed of Lincoln, Lyon, Murray and Pipestone counties. Senator Thorpe introdnced a measure to aholish private banks in etate, a duplicate of a bill he fathered two years ago hut which went down in a strenuous hattle in the senate.

In the house today, Walter W. Case of Cloquet, introdnced a hill, prompted hy the increasing number of railroad accidents, to compel the inetallation of safety devices on rairoads wherever the state railroad commission may think such devicee needed. Fred V. Burdorf entered a hill importance to Northern Minneeota, to permit town eupervieors to construct and maintain drainage ditchee. The ditchee are to he conetructed on petition of property owners of property to be henefited. J. D. Mapleton of Wahpeton with a view to aiding voters to retain their health, has introdnced a bill to prohihit political candidates from distrihuting cigars or intoxicating liquors.

Up to today, there heve been introduced 118 hills in the legislatvre 74 in the senate, 44 in the house. Two years ago on the same legislature day, the 6th, there were hnt 36 bille presented. At the last session the total oumher of hills was 1,410. If the increased ratio of the preeent eeeeion compared with the last, continnes, the numher of bills thie eession will reach 1,410.

Wm. H. Williams, etate lahor commissioner, has heen inveetigating the employment of pages in the eenate. He hae found three boye under 16 years of age employed, which is in violation of the child labor law. The senate is going to patch the matter np hy getting epeciel excuse permits for the three hoys in queetion during the three months of the eession.

No State Printer Chosen.

St. Paul—The election of a state printer has been deferred until after April 1. The state printing commission had a seeeion Jen. 12 bnt could not come to any decieion end adjourned the meeting.

There are three candidatee—A. N. Dare of Elk River, the preeent incumhent; J. T Mennix of Minneapolie, a newspaper man of thet city and repreeentative in the legislature in the last session, and G. F. Wright, supervisor of the 1905 census and now employed by a Minneapolis printing firm.

On State Boards

St. Paul—Gov. Johnson has announced the appointment of R. E. Denfeld of Duluth as a memher of the state high school board. He eucceeds Supt. C. M. Jordan of Minneapolie, who has heen a memher of the hoard for many years.

The governor aleo announced the appointment of Merril C. Tifft of Long Prairie as a memher of the state normal board. He enceeds W. S. Hammond of St. Jamee, Mr. Hommond'e term expires next epring and he did not seek reappointment.

NOT NECESSARY.

By all meens let us oling to the old spelling. If the present style wes good enough for our psrents why not good enough for us?

The "gnat," for instsnce. Instead of dropping the g why not, if it ie a good thing, use it more freely?

Why not raise your ghat to a gcat if she is gfat?

And k—whet herm in a little more of a sensible custom? If you have the knowledgs why make a knoise. Knohody is knaughty. A knife is knever knice unless knecessary. And why should not a knave knall knepkins to knsrcotics? And are knepkins hetter then gnapkins?

Kno; decidedly knot!—Life.

The Low-Cality and High.

Mr. Baker, who had recently hecome hlessed with an ahundsnce of this world's goods, established his family in a home commensurate in heauty with his new fortune. Shortly after, an acquaintance met him, and, passing the time of day, asked how the verious members of hie family were.

"Fine!" was his reply. "You eee, it was this way—the doctor says that where we lived the low-cality wasn't good for us, but now that we've moved into a high-cality, we're all right."—Judge.

WHICH?

"Erna lets Herr Heine hutton her jacket, mamma, and doesn't say a word!"

"A girl who is well brought up doesn't notice such a tbing, dear!"

"Do you mean me or Erna?"—Simplicissiums.

Merely a Deduction.

"I am the master of my Fate"—
And far the poet's words have carried.
A cinch that he was single. No
Man is master if he's married.
—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Greek Meets Greek.

The cautious young maa was feeling his way before declaring himself.

"Er—what kind of a cook are you?" he asked.

"Well, that depends," she replied. "What kind of a provider are you?"—Chicago Daily News.

Rural Delights.

Tired City Child—Mamma, I'm awful sick of city streets.

Mamma—Well, my dear, next Saturday we'll go to Central park, and you can have a lovely time all day long keeping off the grass.—N. Y. Weekly.

Simplified Language.

He (in Boston)—Do you walk around town very much?

She (a native)—No, I never walked around the city in my life, but I walk about the streets a good deal.—Chicago Daily News.

The Doctors Agreed.

Skeptic—Did you ever know two doctors to agree?

Medical Student (after reflection)—Y-e-s, once.

"Where was it?"

"At a post mortem."—N. Y. Weekly.

His Little Scheme.

"How do you manage to sell so much stock?" asked the president of the mining company.

"Oh," replied the successful agent, "I throw gold dust in my victims' eyes."—Chicago Daily News.

A Confession.

Ledy—You sey your conecience never troubles you. Have you never done anything you were ashamed of?

Tramp—Yes, ma'am. I once worked for a living.

A Wooden God.

"They sey the Chinese women are idol worshipers."

"Well, so are some Americans. I know a woman that just worships a stick of a men!"—Detroit Free Press.

Finishes It.

"When you heve written e story, do you not go over it and give it a finishing touch."

"No; the first editor I send it to usually does that."—Houston Post.

Immune.

Impecunious Bill—There's one thing that isn't worrying me.

Friend—What's that?

Bill—The proposed tax on incomes.
—Detroit Free Press.

Disdain.

Stella—Does she look at him through rose colored glasses?

Bella—No, auto goggles—N. Y. Sun.

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Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) is put up only in half-ounce vials for dispeneing; each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case with engraved wrapper, showing the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) prepared only hy Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.—plainly printed thereon. There are many rank imitations of Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), which are put out under various names, such as Concentrated Oil of Piae, Pine Balsam, etc. Never accept these as a snhstitute for the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine, as they will invariahly produce nausea and never effect the desired result.

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) is also eaid to he a perfect neutralizing agent for uric acid.

Autocratic Revivalists.

The earl and countess of Tankerville have heen holding crowded religious meetings in Shropshire, England. Both are much interested in thie kind of work. Tho countess was Miss Lenore Ven Marter, an American girl, end the earl spent much of his youth in this country. He ie an energetic memher of the house of lords and, like his wife, e great lover of art.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
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Fine Feat of Engineering.

The feat of moving a lighthouse without taking it apart or dismantling it in any way has recently heen accomplished at Ashtahula. The range light, weighing 65 tons and standing 65 feet high, was placed on a lighter and towed along the river a distance of 750 feet, and then successfully placed on a new site. It was raised hy the use of jacks and moved on rollers to end from the lighter. Guy ropes held it in poeition while moving.

'Way Up in Maine.

"Well, no," said the cross-roads storekeeper up in the Androscoggins-kiggingomphremagogkattawampus region, "I ain't got them articles in stock at present, but I guess yew can find the olive ile at the post office and the canned tomaters at the harber shop. So yew shot a moose, did yew? Well, that's reel fine, but I kind o' hoped if it was yew was goin' to have an accident yew'd shoot Hen Pussley, yewr guide. I ain't vindictive, or anything of the kind, but he's been owin' me five shillin's for I d'know how long, and I kind o' think I c'u'd c'lect it easier out o' his estate than I cen out o' Hen."—Smart Set.

American Idealism.

Since my first arrival in America I have held that the real spirit is idealistic and that the average individual American is controlled by idealistic impulses. Those who may contradict me cen not have sounded the depths of the philosophy of Ralph Waldo Emerson, or studied the life and read the speeches of Abraham Lincoln, and considered their far-reaching effect on the American people. In Lincoln's great character nothing stands more striking than the way in which he combined reality and the loftiest ideal, with a thoroughly practical capacity to achieve that ideal by practical methods. This faculty seemed to give him a far-sighted, almost superhuman vision, which enabled him to pierce the clouds obscuring the sight of the keenest statesmen and thinkers of his age—Baron Speck von Sternburg, in Forum.

COSTLY PRESSURE.

Heart and Nerves Fail on Coffee.

A resident of a great western state puts the case regarding stimulants with a comprehensive brevity that is admirable. He says:

"I am 56 years old and have had considerable experience with stimulants. They are all alike—a mortgage on reserved energy at ruinous interest. As the whip stimulates but does not strengthen the horse, so do stimulants act upon the human system. Feeling this way, I gave up coffee and all other stimulants and began the use of Postum Food coffee some months ago. The beneficial results have been apparent from the first. The rheumatism that I used to suffer from has left me. I sleep sounder, my nerves are steadier and my brain clearer. And I hear testimony also to the food value of Postum—something that is lacking in coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. "There's a reason. Read "The Road to Wellville," the quaint little book in pkgs.

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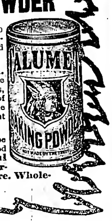

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Under the new code, members of the legislature can only receive pay for the days they actually attend the sessions of the law-making body. It is said that some of the members can now be found sitting on the capitol steps before daylight so as to be sure and not miss drawing that $5 per.

Quite a number of the legislators are returning the annual passes tendered them by the railroads. It is not so much the anti-pass agitation, but rather the great number of wrecks which causes them to decline any temptation to climb aboard the steam cars any oftener than absolutely necessary.

By a rising vote of 133 to 92 the house last Friday adopted an amendment to the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill, which was taken from the speaker's table with the senate amendments, increasing the salary of the vice-president, speaker, the members of the cabinet to $12,000 per year and those of the senators, representatives and delegates from territories, and the resident commissioner from Potto Rico to $7,500 per year, the increases to take effect March 4, 1907. An effort was made to have a roll call but only 34 members arose, which was not a sufficient number, so that the house was relieved of the necessity of going on record.

Senator Gunn has prepared a bill for the establishment of a new normal school at Cass Lake. While there may be a demand for an additional normal school in this state, it would seem that a much better location could be selected. The territory that would in any way be affected by the location of such an institution at Cass Lake, is already pretty well covered by the normals at Duluth, St. Cloud and Moorhead. There is a large section of northwestern Minnesota which is quite remote from a normal school, and, if a new one is to be established, its location somewhere within this territory would be far more to the advantage of the people who stand in need of such an institution. This is a matter that the Commercial clubs of the valley would do well in looking into. While we cannot all have a normal school, its location in this section of the state would be of greater benefit and more fitting than at Cass Lake.

The doing away with every element of the old time political campaign except the stump speech will be accomplished if two bills before the house are passed and become effective. A bill introduced by J. D. Davidson of Waseca seeks to prohibit the giving of money, drinks or cigars, and a bill presented by F. B. Philips of St. Paul prohibits the use of other campaign material, such as buttonhole talks, cards, circulars and other printed matter. The Davidson bill provides that no candidate for a political office and no political committee shall give a voter money, intoxicating liquor or cigars during any primary or general election day. It prohibits the candidates and commitees from hiring any conveyance or vehicle to or from the polls, except those who are infirm or diabled. A penalty of $50 to $100 or imprisonment ten to thirty days, or both, is provided in the bill.

BURNS' ANNIVERSARY.

Tomorrow, Friday, January 25th is the 148th anniversary of Robert Burns. In nearly every hamlet throughout the land where Celtic blood is pronounced among the inhabitants, the clans will congregate and do honor to their beloved poet, Burns.

Many people have no enthusiasm for poetry, the vast realm of literature that is placed in that form being a closed book to them from choice, but there are a few people and not one who boasts a strain of Celtic blood, but glories in the songs of Robert Burns. There is almost a half superstitious reverence in the Scotchman's heart for this loved poet and his joy of living which might be censored by a strict historian, is regarded as goodfellowship by them, and they never forget a debt of gratitude for the wealth of homely poetry, which goes straight to the heart. Few poets are revered as is Burns and there is not another of English literature whose birthday is observed the world over, as is that of Burns, wherever there is a man of Scotia to observe it.

Robert Burns was born January 25, 1759, in a small cottage about two miles from Ayr, the eldest son of a small farmer, a hard working, honest man, who reared his children in the fear of God. Carlyle, the best biographer that has yet written of Burns, said of him: "The poet was fortunate in his father a man of thought, intense character, as the best of our peasants are, valuing knowledge, possessing some and open minded for more, of keen insight and devout heart, friendly and fearless; a fully unfolded man seldom found in any rank in society, and worth descending far in society to seek. Had be been ever so little richer the whole might have issued elsewhere. But poverty sunk the whole family even below the reach of our cheap school system and Burns remained a hard worked ploughboy."

The rugged charm and homely simplicity of his verse has an appeal that is limited only by an understanding of the language, and the keener the ability to appreciate the little touches that a Scotchman only can create or fully appreciate, the wider becomes the enthusiam for Burns and his theory. Perfect sincerely is this; his genius makes the simple flowers of the field and the insignificant "beauties" enduring emblems of phases of life. The works of Burns owe part of their popularity, as one writer put it, "to their being an epitome of melodies, moods and memories that had belonged for centuries to the national

have passed into them."

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SENATOR NELSON RE-ELECTED.

United States Senator Knute Nelson was re-elected to represent Minnesota in the upper branch of the national congress by the state legislature Monday. Nelson received 143 votes, 98 in the house and 45 in the senate. Four republicans were absent in the house and two in the senate, but in the senate four democrats joined the Nelson column. Each explained his vote and expressed a personal preference for Senator Schaller, but voted for Nelson in obedience to the wishes of his constituents. The four so voting were Farmington of Ortonville, Glotzbach of Faribault, Pauly of Minneapolis and Witherstine of Rochester. Cashman of Owatonna stayed by Schaller, as his pledge was only to vote for Nelson if needed. John A. Johnson and Frank A. Day each received one vote in the senate.

SAME IN NORTHERN MINNESOTA

Fargo Morning Call: The weekly newspapers of North Dakota have done more to assist in the building up of the state than all other efforts combined. And for this reason the merchants of the towns and cities throughout this state should see to it that their efforts are repaid by a liberal patronage. The publisher of the weekly newspaper is there almost before the town is laid out and begins to sing the praises of "our town"—and he never lets up. Give him your support—he's building up your business every day.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Herbert Findeisen: Reporter.

The Physics class have found that their after-school sessions continue after the holidays just as before.

The Political Economy class is investigating the various forms of credit.

During this cold weather everybody is suffering but no one is so cold as the High School pupils. There is always some one standing around the radiators and those in the seats are watching and waiting for their chance. But the vigors of the cold are still worse in the eighth grade room. This room seems to get the brunt of the cold weather, the scholars often being obliged to wear their coats and overshoes.

The Spartan program last Friday was rendered so well that the judges awarded the society 51 points. That's going some.

The Physics class is just beginning the study of Electricity. They hope that it will be as interesting as the study of machines.

Miss Twinam's Cicero class is now digging down into the depths of harkness in an effort to turn English into Ciceros phrases, idioms, etc.

The Civics class is now studying the Constitution. They had a debate Tuesday on "Resolved, That the United States senators be elected by the people." The negative won.

The eigth grade arithmetic class are studying reduction of compound quantities.

No singing books yet. Aint in a shame.

Miss Wilson's history class is reviewing ancient history, before taking up modern history. We can sympathize with them—we've been there before.

Some of the members of the sixth grade have shown a marked improvement in their work since the holiday vacation.

WASHINGTON SCHOOL NOTES

The fifth grade began the study of Europe this week.

The fourth grade have finished their physiology and the last half of the year will study the geography of the home.

A reading table was started by Mr. Healy's room last week. We have four files of the Youth's Companion brought weekly by different pupils, two files of the Children's Tribune, two of the Journal Junior, and one of the American Boy. These are all weekly papers and the children who are up to grade are allowed to read any time they have their lessons. Any one may take the papers home or read at intermsssions.

Both fifth and sixth grades will finish their history this month.

The fifth grade had an examination on South America Monday.

The sixth grade are studying James Russel Lowell in language at present.

Charlie Boughton, Geo. Zeh and Ralph Bourdon have been transferred from the Lafayette school to our school.

Last September the sixth grade wrote letters and sent them to different parts of the world. Since that time we have received three letters in answer, one from Massachusetts and the others from Australia. The following is what they said:

Armory Street School,
Springfield, Mass.
Oct. 9, 1906.

Dear School Friend—

Springfield is one hundred miles west of Boston, and 136 miles north of New York.

We live near the Connecticut river, we are on the east bank.

We have 75,000 people.

The Armory is one mile south of the school building; they make guns and all kinds of fire arms there.

The factories make automobiles, electric cars and skates.

Our school is made of red brick with white sandstone for trimmings. It has two stories or twelve rooms. There are two rooms given to the kindergarten and there are seven grades.

We have shower baths and we have twenty minutes to take one in. We are going to have an addition made to the school, we are going to have ten rooms more.

There are about forty children in a room; we are in the sixth grade.

We are studying about North America in our geographys, and we are reading about Robinson Crusoe; we are in three part music,

We have a fire drill and it took 470 children one minute and 25 seconds to get out of the school.

Your loving school friend,
—John Cawley.

District Girls' School
Tamworth, New South Wales,
Australia, 23rd November, 1906.

Dear Schoolfriend—

Having read your letter this morning, I will now try to answer your questions. Our school is divided into three departments, the infants, the boys and the girls department, but the more advanced girls and boys study together. We study much the same subjects as you, but we also have Science, Brushwork, Geometry, Algebra and the languages we study are French and Latin. There are fourteen teachers altogether in our school. During the month of June, July and August we have winter in Tamworth, and the frosts are very heavy, but the ice is so thin that it melts in a few hours. We have had a few light falls of snow, but that is a very unusual occurrance. The summer glides into winter so gradually that there is no noticeable break in the seasons. The summer months are, generally speaking, December, January and February, and during those months the heat is intense, the highest temperature being about 112 degrees. As the Christmas vacation falls during these hot months the towns west of the 147th meridan have six weeks holiday, and the towns east of this meridian, where the heat is exceptional, also have six weeks holiday. We have, besides, one week at Easter and one at Michaalmas together with the 26th January, anniversary day, the 9th November, our King's birthday and Good Friday, and for the last few years we have had Empire Day, 24th May, our late Queen's birthday.

Tamworth is a municipality, and has many fine public buildings, the chief being the postoffice, the various banks and the council chambers.

Farming is the chief industry carried on around here, wheat and maize being the chief cereals grown.

Our longest day is on the 21st December, the shortest, when the sun is farthest from us, is the 21st June. The sun is never directly over us but always a little to the north of us. Tamworth is about one hundred miles, in a straight line from the coast, but we can reach our principal seaport, Pt. Jackson, by rail in about nine hours. Pt. Jackson is visited by the English mail steamers, which includes the P. & O. line, and the Orient steamers. Also the Messageries Maritimes, North German Lloyd, the Canadian Mail steamers and the A. & A. line and the Nippon line. These are independent of the sailing and cargo vessels. We have also a line of Australian mail steamers visiting the States of the Commonwealth. We six states federated on the 1st January, 1901, and are called the Commonwealth.

Your letter made us feel that America and Australia are not so far apart and we hope that it will not be the last.

Yours faithfully,
—Rena Calov.

(Aged 16 years)

District Girls' School, Tamworth,
New South Wales, Australia,
November 23rd, 1906.

Dear Schoolfriend—

In answer to your letter asking of the climate and season of my town I can say we are having splendid weather at present, for the season which is now the beginning of summer. We have had plenty of rain which pleased the farmers very much. Their chief work is dairying pastoral purposes and agriculture. I attend the Tamworth District School. Our chief studies include arithmetic, reading, geography, spelling, theory of music, writing, history, drawing, French algebra, art, physical culture, botony, domestic economy, singing and geometry. We are having a concert on the 28th and 29th of this month in which there are 21 children representing different nations in full dress. We are accustomed to having a concert at the end of every year, but I think this one will be better than all we have had. We have a municipal council and also a mayor. The population of our town is about 6000 and is the chief town of a mining pastoral and agricultural district. It is situated on the Peel river which is spanned by a bridge. We also have a post and telegraph office which is very large for the town in which it is situated,

I remain,
Your schoolfriend,
Ruby Fitzsimmons.

Star Restaurant

MRS. M. R. HALL, Prop.

Building formerly occupied by O'Brien Bros.' Hardware.

Meals and Lunches at All Hours

Board by the Day or Week

Complete stock of Confectionery, Nuts, etc. Fresh new line.

Everything New and Up-to-Date

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New Barber Shop

I have opened up for business the

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and respectfully ask the public to give me a call. Will guarantee the best of work and courteous treatment. I will appreciate your trade

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THE NEW BARBER

Safety and Convenience

"Safety" is the password in transferring money—"convenience" is also of equal importance.

You have both safety and convenience in money matters when you pay by check.

A checking account is the simplest method for everyone—for you—to emply in financial affairs, because you have a complete record of every transaction.

We welcome small accounts.

All accounts—large and small—receive the same careful attention.

Merchants State Bank

Red Lake Falls | Minnesota

Bray.

Last Saturday we had the first real blizzard of this winter and as a result the roads were badly blocked up,

Messrs. Emil Larson and C. P. Swanson were at Wylie last Tuesday to attend a meeting of the Wylie Elevator and Mercantile Co. at that place.

C. P. Swanson transacted business at St. Hilaire Tuesday.

Richard Melin of Polk Centre was here last Tuesday talking telephone business to the farmers of this vicinity. The opportunity of getting a phone line through this part of the country has awakened some interest among the farmers.

A debate was held in the school house last Friday evening. The subject for debate was, "Resolved, That the pen is mightier than the sword." The verdict of the judges was in favor of the affirmative side.

Oliver Romsos formerly of Wylie, but now of Sarles, N. D., was a caller in Bray last Thursday.

John B. Hanson drove to St. Hilaire Friday.

Whist parties until the wee hours of the morning is all the go now.

When in the City stop at

PAUL'S HOTEL

Sample Room In Connection

Rates $1 to $1.50 per day. Free 'Bus to all Trains.

☞ House is heated by furnace throughout, and everything kept up in first-class shape.

Give Us A Call.

SIMON PAUL, Proprietor.

SHIP YOUR GRAIN. We are the only firm in this city dealing exclusively with the farmer. All Millers know that our cars are of one grade and not elevator mixed, which explains why our service is more satisfactory than any other concern. Submit us samples for grades, etc. COOPER COMMISSION CO., Minneapolis, Minn.

Our Hardware Stock Is Now Complete .....

Keen Kutter Axes & Tools, Wilson Air-Tights, Syracuse Easy Washers. Standard Tinware and Enameledware, etc. etc.

We have been busy the past few days receiving new stock and getting it in shape for your inspection at any time. We have restocked our store with new goods of standard make and manufacture and offer them to you at prices that are consistent with first-class material and square dealing. We will be pleased to have all our old customers and many new ones call at our store, and you can rest assured that you will always find the prices right, the goods up to a high standard of quality, and that, as in the past, every courtesy possible will be extended to the trade.

Hunt Hardware Co.

DAKOTA BUSINESS COLLEGE

Attend the great business training school of the Northwest. Seated with roll-top desks, has fifty typewriters, adding machines, neostyles, mimeographs, letter [illegible] etc. It is in closer touch with business men and can help you more than anyother. It placed 221 pupils in business positions last year, will locate over 300 this year. It uses the personal method of instruction, advancing each pupil upon his own ability. Send for large new catalogue, showing pictures of building, magnificent equipment, etc.

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Fargo, N. Dakota

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In England and France the Sale of Alum Baking Powder is prohibited by law because of the injurious effects that follow its use.

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You may live where as yet you have no protection against Alum The only *sure protection* against Alum in your Baking Powder is to

Say plainly—

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ROYAL is made from Absolutely pure Cream of Tartar,—a pure Grape product. Aids digestion—adds to the healthfulness of food.

The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

'Phone 7—Groceries—SPILLANES.

Best confectionery in the city at Freund's.

Just received a car of Hocking Valley soft coal. See Salley for your supply.

M. O. Sortedahl went over to Fosston last evening on a brief business mission.

Frank Jeffers has spent several days of this week at Thief River Falls, attending to business matters.

For Sale—A "Jewett" Typewriter, just as good as new, which we will sell at a bargain. First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Dr. Spofford is at Grand View Hotel, Red Lake Falls, the 7th day of every month. Latest scientific methods in examining eyes and fitting glasses.

Forty-one new subscribers so far in 1907 is the Gazette's record. This aint so bad, considering the deepsnow and lack of inclination to budge from the warm fireside.

George Singer, of Rhoda, was here last Thursday securing signatures to a petition to our representatives in the legislature for state aid in building a new bridge over the Clearwater river at Green's crossing in Equality. The petition was liberally signed, and the aid asked will likely be secured.

See Salley for your coal supply.

John Doyca was a Crookston visitor Tuesday night.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting Friday evening at 7:30.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere and daughter, Erin, are both reported on the grippe list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Harlow are now keeping house in the Storaasli cottage on the North Side.

Chairman C. A. Lindquist, of the board of commissioners, came in from Bray Tuesday to look after matters connected with his office.

Dan Linnihan left last evening for Waseca, where he will spend a week at the home of his parents, who reside there. Dan has not been home for some time past and anticipated a pleasant outing.

FARM LOAN:—We have money of private parties to loan on improved farms at 7 per cent. Liberal terms of payment. No delays. Come and see us before placing a loan. Germo & Farley. d13-4w

H. H. Zaiser departed Tuesday evening for Itasca county, to spend a few days looking after some matters pertaining to his timber claim. His brother, Arthur, left last evening for the same place.

After Inventory Remnant Sale

We have just completed our annual inventory and find that we have a few remnants in **Dress Goods** and other fabrics. These are all staple goods, but in order to clean them out we are offering them at **Greatly Reduced Prices.**

In Our Winter Goods ... Department ...

we find that we are overstocked in some lines, and wishing to make room for Spring Goods which will arrive later, we are cutting prices on all overstocked lines in order to move them quickly. These are all first-class goods and it will pay you to look them over.

THE BUSY STORE
GARCEAU & ZAISER.

Poultry Taken At Highest Market Prices.

Salley sells coal. 'Phone 79.

Read the new ad of the Merchants State Bank in today's Gazette.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

A pleasant young folks party was held at the Frank St. Martin home Tuesday evening.

See Salley for your hard and soft coal. Large stock on hand and delivery made promptly.

Landlord W. H. Krueger spent Monday night at Crookston attending some business matters.

MEN WANTED—To cut 500 cords of poplar wood, eight miles east of this city. Inquire of V. M. Higinbotham.

Register of Deeds Quist drove to Thief River Falls Saturday and spent Sunday with friends, driving here again Monday.

Sam and Freddy Bougie returned to their home in Crookston Tuesday, after having visited a couple of days with their uncle, Jos. L. Cyr, of this of this city.

Freund's orchestra will go to Plummer Saturday evening where they will furnish music for a big dance to be given there that evening. "Deutscher Freund" and his music making bunch are in big demand in the valley this winter, and give good satisfaction at every turn of the road.

Frank E. Hunt writes to have The Gazette forwarded to him at Providence, Rhode Island, where he expects to be about a month more before returning home. Mr. Hunt reports himself as enjoying his visit very much, and is seeing lots to interest him. He says that the weather there is very mild this winter, but that in some sections there is lots of sickness. The farmers are commencing to plow and prepare for their spring work.

A Junior band has been organized and Monday evening some twentyodd young fellows met at the city hall to take the preliminary steps toward organizing. Prof. Bruckman gave them a long talk on the band business, and the boys were enthusiastic to get the new band started. All the young men about town should be encouraged to join the new organization and work hard to become proficient. To sustain a band of the size of our present one, new material must be kept coming all the time, and the boys can rest assured that under Prof. Bruckmon's tutelage they will come along in good shape.

There is at least one thing, if no more, that the residents of Red Lake county can be happy over this winter, and that is that they live here instead of across the line in North Dakota. While daily reports are to the effect that a great deal of suffering and hardship is being endured by the people out there this winter through a lack of fuel and supplies, just the contrary is the rule here, and today not a case of privation is reported in Red Lake county, caused by the severe winter. So far this winter fuel has been plentiful everywhere, and on all lines of road through the county train service has been adequate, and practically regular. While the deep snow has interfered considerably with getting out wood and supplies, nevertheless there has been enough to meet the market demands, which is a condition that would be much enjoyed by the residents of the winter afflicted state a few miles to the west of us. But then the glories of this part of the Red River valley as a place of abode are so often apparent, that we who are here are tired of elucidating upon them.

Don't forget the band concert tomorrow night.

Miss Gina Kaasa spent Sunday with friends at Grand Forks.

Mrs. Conrad Lajambe has entirely recovered from a very serious grippe attack.

The Big Store has some interesting new bargains in their advertising space this week.

Mrs. J. B. O'Brien went up to St. Hilaire yesterday morning to spend a couple of days with friends.

Miss Vina Carver went to Thief River Falls Tuesday, near which place she will teach a term of school.

Frank Martin of Crookston, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere, in this city.

The Farmers' Grange gave a party and dance at the M. B. A. hall last evening, and had one of their usual enjoyable times.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Belair went down to Crookston Monday evening to spend several days with relatives and friends there.

Salesmen wanted to look after our interest in Red Lake and adjacent counties. Salary or commission. Address Lincoln Oil Co., Cleveland, O.

W. B. Chesire, O. C. More and Joseph Boushea, of Brooks, George Bender, of Garnes, and E. L. Wichterman, of Gully, Polk county, drove in last evening to appear as witnesses in the Brohman-Singer law suit.

Ed L. Healy arrived home Monday morning from a week's business visit at the Twin Cities. The storms of last week made all trains run way behind their schedules, and the trip both to and from the cities took two days.

Rev. H. W. Knox and Sunday School Missionary D. K. Laurie returned here Saturday evening from Rollis, where they went the first of last week to hold a series of revival meetings. They intended to remain for a week longer or more, but from the fact that Mr Knox's voice failed him, and the weather was so stormy and the roads so bad people could not get out, they decided to discontinue the meetings until a future date, when weather conditions are more favorable.

Plummer Pioneer: Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pleth returned on Thursday morning from St. Cloud, where they spent the holidays visiting with Mrs. Pleth's relatives. They remained there to attend the wedding of Mrs. Pleth's sister, Miss Anna Enderle, to William S. Weber which occurred at St. Cloud Cathedral on the 8th inst. The bride is known to many in this vicinity, having visited here with Mrs. Pleth, and all who know her will join sincerely in the wish that every happiness in life may be hers.

Monday's passenger on the Great Northern was over two hours late, the delay being caused by the blockade resulting from Saturday's blizzard. The train left Crookston only twenty minutes late, preceeded by a big snow plow, but both got stuck in the Delorme cut south of here, and were held up considerably over an hour. Saturday's storm was one of the fiercest of the many fierce ones this season, and this branch was far more fortunate than many others from the fact that it got any train service at all Monday.

Kellher Journal: A. J. Poullot, an old friend of the editor, is here from Red Lake Falls this week looking over Kellher's numerous business opportunities. Al. spent a pleasant hour in the Journal sanctum talking over old times.... Fred Burgdorf who has been in Kellher for the past two weeks looking over the town, returned Wednesday to his home in Red Lake Falls. Fred will return to Kellher in about two weeks to take charge of the electric lighting plant for the city, having been engaged as chief electrician by the council.

North Star Court, No. 588, Catholic Order of Foresters this week received a draft for $1,000, the amount of life insurance carried in this order by Joseph Noel, of Louisville. The draft is in honor of Merance Noel, his wife. The promptness with which this money came shows how systematically the society handles their business. Mr. Noel died on December 29, and Financial Secretary Fortier took the matter up with the head office immediately, making a special effort for returns. A slight delay was caused in getting the death certificate, but aside from this the matter was taken care of very promptly, and the draft was issued on January 17th by High Treasurer John A. Limback, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, arriving here a few days later. This was surely quick work, and shows that the Foresters waste no time in providing for the widows and orphans.

Red Lake Falls people will remsmber Attorney Francis Bergstrom, who spent a summer in this city a few years back. Mr. Bergstrom is now locrted at Worchester, Massachusetts, where he is practicing succesafully at his profession. The following from the Worchester Daily Telegram tells of a recent case he won: "Attorney Francis Bergstrom of Worchester was counell in a case in the Superior court in Providence, yestarday, in which the plaintiff got a verdict of $8,500. Mr. Bergstrom appered for Oscar B. Eckberg, Providence, a young man 18 years old: who sued the American Locomotive Co., of Providence for $10,000, for the loss of four fingures of the right hand in a planer at the plant of the defendant company at Providence, some time ago. Yesterday a jury in the Superior court in Providence, before Judge Baker, gave him a verdict of $8,500 Eckberg [illegible] American Locomotive Co., at the time he lost the fingers."

Attend the regular monthly band concert at the Met tomorrow night.

Arthur Guillmette is out again after a week's tussel with the grippe.

Chas. Kruger, of Key West, has spent the week here, a guest of Fred Krueger.

Walter Lacoursiere and Paul Lizotte left Tuesday evening for Billings, Montana, where they will spend several months working with a railroad contractor.

Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson left Tuesday evening for St. Paul, to spend several days in attendance at the session of the Minnesota Sheriff's association which is being held in the capitol city this week. Mr. Nelson will return tomorrow or Saturday.

Mrs. T. G. Brunelle and Miss Alexana Dubuque came over from Crookston last Thursday for a brief visit with Red Lake Falls friends, being guests at the J. P. Harren home. Mrs. Brunelle returned home Monday evening, but Miss Dubuque is spending the week here.

Erick Craft, living between the rivers, lost a valuable horse Saturday. Mr. Craft came to town that day and made the homeward trip in the terrible blizzard of that afternoon. The trip was very hard on the horses, and both were nearly played out when they got home. One of them recovered all right, however, but the other died during the night.

The Foresters and their ladies will give a reception and dance at their hall next Wednesday evening, January 30th, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Normandeau and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Harlow. Dancing will be the feature of the evening, for which Fruend's orchestra will furnish the music. Refreshments will be served and a delightful time is anticipated.

Arther Mercier came down from Calgary, N. W. T., last Saturday and has spent the week here and at Thief River Falls. It is announced that tomorrow "Art." will be married at Thief River Falls to Miss Emma London, a prominent young lady of that city, and will go back to Calgary where he has a good position. The young couple will have the best wishes of the people of Red Lake Falls for all kinds of happiness.

A case is on before Justice Swanson's court today between Joseph Brohman, of Lambert, and George Singer, from Gully. The case is a peculiar one, inasmuch as the amount involved is only a lonely $5 bill. It appears that at Brohman's auction sale Singer bought some goods, and claims that he paid the clerk $65 while Brohman claims it was only $60. They could not agree and the suit resulted. A large number of witnesses from Brooks, Lambert, and Gully, Polk county, are here attending the suit. Attorney Boughton is appearing for Brohman and Attorney Grady for Singer.

A. P. Toupin, Chas. N. Bourdon and Exerie Chatel arrived home Saturday morning from their two weeks trip to Calgary and other points in northwest Canada. They were accompanied on their trip by a party of gentlemen from Crookston, and besides looking over the country very carefully they had a most enjoyable trip. They suffered no delays on their journey aside from a slight one at Winnipeg on the trip out, and while away put in every moment getting pointers and taking in everything to be seen. The party spent four days at Calgary, and looked over the town and surrounding country. The weather was extremely cold while they were there, but it did not interfere with their trip to any extent, and they all got all the sightseeing they cared about. The party from here were very favorably impressed with that country as they saw it, and report that the volume of business done at Calgary is tremendous. The several Red Lake Falls people now located at this thriving city were found prospering, and none of them are sorry that they went there. The trip was a very pleasant one, and the boys from here felt well repaid for the time spent.

Pounding .. Hard ..

Our low prices are pounding high prices hard and making us good business. Here are specials for this week again:

3 lb can Pears, chuck full of No. 1 fruit in a fairly thick syrup. Per can	15c
7 for **$1.00. $1.60** per doz Try them, as cheap as tomatoes	
Corn, good quality per dz.	75c
25 lb prunes, fancy fresh stock	1.50
Crackers, best, lb.	7½c
XXX Envelopes, large size, 3 for	10c
Baker's chocolate per lb,	35c
Macaroni, 10 lb for	65c
Best Imported Macaroni	10c
Saluratus per pkg	6c
Corn starch, per pkg	5c
Elastic starch per pkg	9c
5 lb Quakers Rolled Oats	25c
Gold Dust, 5 lbs	20c
Fine Syrup 1 gal pail	40c
KKK Herring per lb	10c
Carol Tomatoes worth 15c at	12½c
3 lb can mackeral and tomatoe sauce	22c
3 lb can Sauer, Kraut, Imported	12½c

Dry Goods Department

20 pc off on Winter Shawls
20 pc off on Dress Pants
20 pc off on woolen blankets
20 pc off on men's heavy sweaters all colors, all grades
20 pc off on fleeced lined Wrappers.
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See our ***Muslin Underwear*** A beautiful line.

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The Hardware Man.

'Phone No. 74 Red Lake Falls.

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON, AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER V.—Continued.

When they were all on with their [illegible] belongings, he called again to the man in the wagon.

"Brother Keaton, my father went across, and he—"

Several of the men on shore answered him

[illegible] "Old white-whiskered [illegible] went over the river"—[illegible]—"A sassy old codger he [illegible]. He got his needings, too"—[illegible] needings—"

The last of the line and the oars began to dip.

The confusion of landing and the preparation for an immediate start drove for the time all other thoughts from his mind. It had been determined to get the little band at once out of the marshy spot where the camp had been made. The teams were soon hitched, the wagons loaded, and the train ready to move. He surveyed it, a hundred poor wagons, many of them without cover, loaded to the full with such nondescript belongings as a house-dwelling people, suddenly put out on the open road, would hurriedly snatch as they fled. And the people made his heart ache, even to the deadening of his own sorrow, as he noted their wobegoneness. For these were the sick, the infirm, the poor, the inefficient, who had been unable for one reason or another to migrate with the main body of the Saints earlier in the season. Many of them were now racked by fever from sleeping on the damp ground. These bade fair not to outlast some of the lumbering carts that threatened at every [illegible] to jolt apart.

But the line bravely formed to the [illegible] with Seth Wright as captain, and the march began. Looking back, he saw peaceful Nauvoo, its houses and gardens softened by the cloudy sky and the autumn haze, clustering under the shelter of their temple spire—their temple and their houses, of which they were now despoiled by a mob's fury. Ahead he saw the road to the west, a hard road, as he knew—one he could not hope they should end without leaving more graves by the way—but Zion was at the end.

"Only a short march to-day, brethren. Our camp is at Sugar Creek, nine miles—so take your time this first day."

Near the head of the train were his own two wagons, and beside the first walked Seth Wright and Keaton, in low, earnest converse. As he came up to them the bishop spoke.

"I got Wes' and Alec Gregg to drive awhile so we could stretch our legs." But then came a quick change of tone, as they halted by the road.

"And there's no use beatin' about the bush. Them devils at the ferry [illegible] drowned your pa."

He went cold all over. Keaton, looking sympathetic but frightened, spoke next.

"You ought to thank me, Brother Rae, for not telling you on the other side when you asked me. I know better. Because, why? Because I knew you'd fly off the handle and get yourself killed, and then your ma'd be left all alone, that's why, now—and prob'ly they'd 'a' wound up by dumping the whole passle of us bag and baggage into the stream. And it wa'n't any use, your father bein' dead and gone."

The Bishop took up the burden, slapping him cordially on the back.

"Come, come—hearten up, now! Your pa's been made a martyr—he's heired his inheritance in Zion—whinin' won't do no good."

He drew himself up with a shrug, as if to throw off an invisible burden, and answered, calmly:

"I'm not whining, Bishop. Perhaps you were right not to tell me over there, Keaton. I'd have made trouble for you all." He smiled painfully in his effort to control himself.

CHAPTER VI.

The Lute of the Holy Ghost Is Further Chastened.

In a craze of rage and grief he turned toward the river, when he heard the sharp voice of the Bishop calling him back.

"It ain't any use, Joel."

"Couldn't we find his body?"

"Not a chance in a thousand. It was carried down by the current. It would mean days and mebbe weeks. Besides, we need you here. Here's your duty. Sakes alive! If we only had about 20 minutes with them cusses like it was in the old days! When you're ready to be a Son of Dan you'll know what I mean. But never mind, we'll see the day yet when Israel will be the head and not the tail."

"My mother? Has any one told her?"

"Wal, now, I'm right sorry about that, but it got out before you come over. Tarlton McKenny's boy, Nephi, rowed over in a skiff and brought the news, and some of the women went and tattled it to your ma, I guess. It upset her considerable. You go up and see her."

He ran forward toward the head of the train, hearing as he went words of sympathy hurried to him by those he passed. Mounting the wagon, he climbed over the seat to where his mother lay. She seemed to sleep in spite of the jolting. The driver called back to him:

"She took on terrible for a spell, Brother Rae. She's only jest now got herself pacified."

He put his hand on her forehead and found it burning. She stirred and moaned, and muttered disjointed sentences. He heard his father's name, his sister's, and his own, and he knew she was delirious. He eased her bed as well as he could, and made a place for himself beside her where he could sit and take one of the pale, thin hands between his own and try to endow her with some of his abundant life. He stayed by her until their camping place was reached.

Once for a moment she opened her eyes with what seemed to him a more than normal clearness and understanding and memory in them. Though she looked at him long without speaking, she seemed to say all there was to say, so that the brief span was full of anguish for him. He sighed with relief when the consciousness faded again from her look, and she fell to babbling once more of some long gone day in her girlhood.

When the wagon halted he was called outside by the driver, who wished instructions regarding the camp to be made. A few moments later he was back, and raised the side of the wagon cover to let in the light. The look on her face alarmed him. It seemed to tell unmistakably that the great change was near. Already she looked moribund. An irregular gasping for breath, an occasional delirious mutter, were the only signs of life. She was too weak to show restlessness. Her pinched and faded face was covered with tiny cold beads. The pupils of her eyes were strangely dilated, and the eyes themselves were glazed. There was no pulse at her wrist, and from her heart only the faintest beating could be heard. In quick terror he called to a boy working at a wagon near by.

"Let the Wrath of God Abide Upon 'Em."

"Go for Bishop Wright and tell him to bring that apothecary with him."

The two came up briskly a few moments later, and he stood aside for them in an agony of suspense. The Bishop turned toward him after a long look into the wagon.

"She's gone to be with your pa, Joel. You can't do anything—only remember they're both happy now for bein' together."

It made little stir in the busy encampment. There had been other deaths while they lay out on the marshy river flats. Others of the sorry band were now sick unto death, and many more would die on the long march across the Iowa prairie, dropping out one by one of fever, starvation, exposure. He stood helpless in this chaos of woe, shut up within himself, knowing not where to turn.

Some women came presently from the other wagon to prepare the body for burial. He watched them dumbly, from a maze of incredulity, feeling that some wretched pretense was being acted before him.

The Bishop and Keaton came up. They brought with them the makeshift coffin. They had cut a log, split it, and stripped off its bark in two half-cylinders. They led him to the other side of the wagon, out of sight.

Then they placed the strips of bark around the body, bound them with hickory withes, and over the rough surface the women made a little show of black cloth.

For the burial they could do no more than consign the body to one of the waves in the great billowy land sea about them. They had no tombstone, nor were there even rocks to make a simple cairn. He saw them bury her, and thought there was little to choose between hers and the grave of his father, whose body was being now carried noiselessly down in the bed of the river. The general locality would be kept by landmarks, by the bearing of valley bends, headlands, or the fork and angles of constant streams. But the spot itself would in a few weeks be lost.

When the last office had been performed, the prayer said, a psalm sung, and the black dirt thrown in, they waited by him in sympathy. His feeling was that they had done a monstrous thing; that the mother he had known was somewhere alive and well. He stood a moment so, watching the sun sink below the far rim of the prairie while the white moon swung into sight in the east. Then the Bishop led him gently by the arm to his own camp.

There cheer abounded. They had a huge camp fire tended by the Bishop's numerous children. Near by was a smaller fire over which the good man's four wives, able-bodied, glowing and cordial, cooked the supper. In little ways they sought to lighten his sorrow or to put his mind away from it.

He talked long with the Bishop when the women had climbed into their wagon for the night. He amazed that good man by asking him if the Lord would not be pleased to have them, now, as they were, go back to Nauvoo and descend upon the Gentiles to smite them. The Bishop counselled him to have patience.

"What could we do now with these few old fusees and cheap arms that we managed to smuggle across—to say nothing of half of us being down sick?"

"But we are Israel, and surely Israel's God—"

"The Lord had his chance the other day if he'd wanted it, when they took the town. No, Joel, he means us to gether out and become strong enough to beat 'em in our own might. But you wait; our day will come, and all the more credit to us then for doin' it ourselves. Then we'll consecrate the herds and flocks of the Gentile and his store and basket, his gold and silver, and his myrrh and frankincense. But for the present—well, we got to be politic and kind of modest about such doin's. The big Fan, the Sons of Dan, done good work in Missouri and better in Nauvoo, and it'll do still better where we're goin'. But we must be patient. Only next time we'll get to work quicker. If the Gentiles had been seen to quicker in Nauvoo, Joseph would he with us now. We learned our lesson there. Now the Lord has unfurled a Standard of Zion for the gathering of Israel, and this time we'll fix the Gentiles early."

"Amen! Brother Seth."

A look of deep hatred had clouded the older man's face as he spoke. He continued:

"Let the wrath of God abide upon 'em, and remember that we'e bein' tried and proved for a purpose. And we got to be more practical. You been too theoretical yourself and too high-flyin' in your notions. The kingdom ain't to be set up on earth by faith alone. The Lord has got to have works, like I told you about the other day."

"You were right, Bishop, I need to be more practical. The olive branch and not the sword would Ephraim extend to Japheth, but if—"

"If Japheth don't toe the mark the Lord's will must be worked upon him!"

"So be it, Brother Seth! I am ready now to be a Son of Dan."

The Bishop rose from in front of their fire and looked about. No one was near. Here and there a fire blazed, and the embers of many more could be seen dying out in the distance. The nearest camp was that of the fever-stricken man who had fled on to the boat that morning with his child in his arms. They could see his shaven head in the firelight, and a woman hovering over him as he lay on the ground with a tattered quilt fixed over him in lieu of a tent. From another group came the strains of an accordion and the chorus of a hymn.

"That's right," said the Bishop. "I knew you'd come to it. I saw that long ago. Brother Brigham saw it, too. We knew you could be relied on. You want the oath, do you?"

"Yes, yes, Brother Seth. I was ready for it this morning when they told me about father."

"Hold up your right hand and repeat after me:

"'In the name of Jesus Christ, the Son of God, I do covenant and agree to support the first Presidency of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, in all things right or wrong; I will faithfully guard them and report to them the acts of all men as far as in my power lies; I will assist in executing all the decrees of the first President, Patriarch, or President of the Twelve, and I will cause all who speak evil of the Presidency or Heads of the Church to die the death of dissenters or apostates, unless they speedily confess and repent, for pestilence, persecution, and death shall follow the enemies of Zion. I will be a swift herald of salvation and messenger of peace to the Saints, and I will never make known the secret purposes of this Society called the Sons of Dan, my life being the forfeiture in a fire of burning tar and brimstone. So help me God and keep me steadfast.'"

He repeated the words without hesitation, with fervor in his voice, and the light of a holy and implacable zeal in his face.

"Now I'll give you the blessing, too. Wait till I get my bottle of oil."

He stepped to the nearest wagon, felt under the cover and came back with a small bottle in his hand.

"Stand jest here—so—now!"

They stood at the edge of the wavering firelight, and he put his hand on the other's head.

"'In the name of Jesus Christ, the Son of God, and by the authority of the Holy Priesthood, the first President, Patriarch, and High Priest of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, representing the first, second and third Gods in Heaven, the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, I do now anoint you with holy consecrated oil, and by the imposition of my hands do ordain and set you apart for the holy calling whereunto you are called; that you may consecrate the riches of the Gentiles to the House of Israel, bring swift destruction upon apostate sinners, and execute the decrees of Heaven without fear of what man can do with you. So mote it be. Amen.'

"There, boy, if I ain't mistaken, that's the best work for Zion that I done for some time. Now be off to your rest!"

"Good night, Bishop, and thank you for being kind to me! The Church Poet called me the Lute of the Holy Ghost, but I feel to-night that I must be another Lion of the Lord! Good night!"

CHAPTER VII.

Some Inner Mysteries Are Expounded.

The hosts of Israel had been forced to tarry for the winter on the banks of the Missouri. A few were on the east side at Council Bluffs on the land of the Pottawattamie Indians. Across the river on the land of the Omahas the greater part of the force had settled at what was known as Winter Quarters. Here in huts of logs, turf, and other primitive materials, their town had been laid out with streets and byways, a large council-house, a mill, a stockade, and blockhouses. The Indians had received them with great friendliness, feeling with them a common cause of grievance, since the heavy hand of the Gentile had pushed them also to this bleak frontier.

To this settlement early in November came the last train from Nauvoo, its members wearied and wasted by the long march, but staunch in their faith and with hope undimmed. It was told in after years how there had leaped from the van of this train a very earnest young man, who had at once sought an audience with Brigham Young and certain other members of the Twelve who had chanced to be present at the train's arrival; and how, being closeted with these, he had eagerly inquired if it might not be the will of the Lord that they should go no farther into the wilderness, but stand their ground and give battle to the Gentiles forthwith. He made the proposal as one who had a flawless faith that the God of Battles would be with them, and he appeared to believe that something might be done that very day to force the matter to an issue. When he had made his proposal, he waited in a modest attitude to hear their views of it. To his chagrin, all but two of those who had listened laughed. One of these two, Bishop Snow—a man of holy aspect whom the Church Poet had felicitously entitled the Entablature of Truth—had looked at him searchingly, then put his hand upon his own head and shaken it hopelessly to the others.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Quiet Missionary Work.

Literary Critic (laying down a new book)—I wish every maid, wife and mother in the country could read that book.

Able Editor—Well, run in a line to the effect that that book is one which no woman should be allowed to see.—N. Y. Weekly.

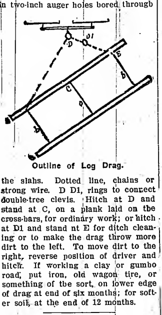
ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

DRAGGING THE ROAD.

The Use of the Log Drag Again Emphasized.

The use of a simple log drag, made as shown in the cut, drawn lengthwise of the road over the ruts when the frost is coming out, will fill up the hollows, smooth off the bumps and make a bad road passable. The drag is made as follows:

The two halves of a split log, a a, nine feet long, ten to 12 in. thick, set on edge, 30 in. apart, both flat sides to the front. Strong oak or hedge bars, b b, the ends of which are wedged in two-inch auger holes bored through the slabs. Dotted line, chains or strong wire. D D1, rings to connect double-tree clevis. Hitch at D and stand at C, on a plank laid on the cross-bars, for ordinary work; or hitch at D1 and stand at E for ditch cleaning or to make the drag throw more dirt to the left. To move dirt to the right, reverse position of driver and hitch. If working a clay or gumbo road, put iron, old wagon tire, or something of the sort, on lower edge of drag at end of six months; for softer soil, at the end of 12 months.



Outline of Log Drag.

EVERYBODY DRAG!

When the smiles of spring appear,
Drag the roads;
When the summer time is here,
Drag the roads;
When the corn is in the ear;
In the winter cold and drear;
Every season in the year;
Drag the roads!

When you've nothing else to do,
Drag the roads;
If but for an hour or two,
Drag the roads.
It will keep them good as new,
With a purpose firm and true,
Fall in line! It's up to you:
Drag the roads!

Would you do the proper thing?
Drag the roads.
Set the system on the wing:
Drag the roads.
Give the drag a lively swing:
Toss the laurel wreath to King!
Hats off! Everybody sing.
Drag the roads!
—M. Albertus Coverdell.

SINGLE YEAR EXPERIMENTS.

They are Not to be Relied on for Conclusive Evidence.

Single year experiments are little to be relied on. There are so many conditions that enter into the growing of crops that it is impossible to say that a certain thing comes from certain elements or factors, if the experiment be conducted for but one year. If the experiment when repeated gives the same results through several years we may be sure that the results are produced by some causes which can be well defined. It is a mistake, says Farmers' Review, for experimenters to report experiments till they have been carried on far enough to mean something. In the cases of certain fields there is always a variation between different fields, which is sure to affect the yield. How great this variation is, it is difficult to tell, and we do not know that any one has tried to measure this variation. Thus, if a field is manured and seeded in a certain way it will not produce the same amount of seed on both sides of it or on the two halves. It would be possible by cutting each half up into small squares to find the amount of natural variation.

Single year experiments therefore are of little value as determining the value of processes. Yet some of our farmers have allowed themselves to be directed in the future course in farming by the outcome of a single experiment on their farms. This is extremely unscientific.

AROUND THE FARM.

The pullets, if they have been properly bred and fed, should now be doing steady laying.

You never saw a scrawny hen laying. It is the well-fed hen, the one that looks neat and trim.

Rusty iron placed in the drinking water at this season serves an excellent purpose as a tonic.

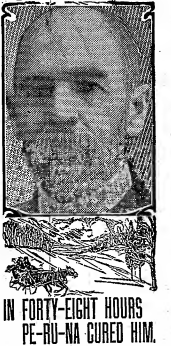
The ideal farm of the future will be the one where father, mother and the little folks are the happiest.

If the farmer succeeds, the country prospers, peace and plenty reign and the world rejoices.—Farm Journal.

What business have you to sing "Home Sweet Home" until you have provided a full supply of dry fuel under shelter?

He who takes the surplus water out of a field in an old section is as great a benefactor as he who irrigates a desert.—Rural New Yorker.

Keep a note book near you, and, as they come to your mind, make a list of the seeds you will need. Before you know it, it will be time to make garden again. Send for the catalogues and read them.



LIEUTENANT BOWMAN.

IN FORTY-EIGHT HOURS PE-RU-NA CURED HIM.

Cold Affected Head and Throat—Attack was Severe.

Chas. W. Bowman, 1st Lieut. and Adjt. 4th M. S. M. Cav. Vols., writes from Lanham, Md., as follows:

"Though somewhat averse to patent medicines, and still more averse to becoming a professional affidavit man, it seems only a plain duty in the present instance to add my experience to the columns already written concerning the curative powers of Peruna.

"I have been particularly benefited by its use for colds in the head and throat. I have been able to fully cure myself of a most severe attack in forty-eight hours by its use according to directions. I use it as a preventive whenever threatened with an attack.

"Members of my family also use it for like ailments. We are recommending it to our friends."

—Chas. W. Bowman.

Ask Your Druggist for Free Peruna Almanac for 1907.

Novelist's Early Earnings.

A pocket series of Mr. Thomas Hardy's stories is to be published soon, and lately a complete edition of his books in 20 beautiful volumes was issued in America with success. When Mr. Hardy took the manuscript of "Under the Greenwood Tree" to the late Mr. Tinsley that enterprising publisher offered the novelist the sum of $125 down for the book. Mr. Hardy accepted the sum, although he owned that he was "a bit disappointed," adding that nevertheless he "meant to keep on." Next came his book "A Pair of Blue Eyes," for which Mr. Tinsley gave the novelist $500, saying: "There is no money in the book, but I can see that Hardy is going to get a grip some day."

THE FIRST TWINGE

Of Rheumatism Calls for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills If You Would Be Easily Cured.

Mr. Frank Little, a well known citizen of Portland, Ionia Co., Mich., was cured of a severe case of rheumatism by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In speaking about it recently, he said: "My body was run down and in no condition to withstand disease and about five years ago I began to feel rheumatic pains in my arms and across my back. My arms and legs grew numb and the rheumatism seemed to settle in every joint so that I could hardly move, while my arms were useless at times. I was unable to sleep or rest well and my heart pained me so terribly I could hardly stand it. My stomach became sour and bloated after eating and this grew so bad that I had inflammation of the stomach. I was extremely nervous and could not bear the least noise or excitement. One whole side of my body became paralyzed.

"As I said before, I had been suffering about five years and seemed to be able to get no relief from my doctors, when a friend here in Portland told me how Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had cured him of neuralgia in the face, even after the pain had drawn it to one side. I decided to try the pills and began to see some improvement soon after using them. This encouraged me to keep on until I was entirely cured. I have never had a return of the rheumatism or of the paralysis."

The pills are for sale by all druggists or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature

Brent Good

REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

UTTERLY WORN OUT.

Vitality Sapped by Years of Suffering with Kidney Trouble.

Capt. J. W. Hogan, former postmaster of Indianola, now living at Austin, Tex., writes: "I was afflicted for years with pains across the loins and in the hips and shoulders. I had headaches also and neuralgia. My right eye, from pain, was of little use to me for years. The constant flow of urine kept my system depleted, causing nervous chills and night sweats. After trying seven different climates and using all kinds of medicine I had the good fortune to hear of Doan's Kidney Pills. This remedy has cured me. I am as well to-day as I was twenty years ago, and my eyesight is perfect."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

SAVES HER VISITING CARDS.

One Woman's Pet Economy Certainly a Queer One.

Women are proverbially niggardly on one or two points; every woman that ever existed had some pet economy, no matter how extravagant she may be in some respects. There's the woman who spends hundreds of dollars on imported gowns, but hates to give up one penny for a paper of pins. The paper-saving person who drops into department stores and hotels to borrow stationery rather than spend any money upon the commodity always is with us; we all know the stamp stealer and the match borrower; but the visiting-card economizer is a new brand of woman who exists only in the most exclusive society. So niggardly is she on the point of her visiting cards that she demands them back from her intimate friends; from her mere acquaintances she steals them at an opportune moment when the servant's back is turned, or when the mistress has left the room. She puts them slyly back into her card case. By a clever series of manipulations it is said she can make 100 of them go as far as 500 went before.

THE GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC RAILROAD AND WESTERN CANADA.

Will Open Up Immense Area of Free Homestead Lands.

The railway facilities of Western Canada have been taxed to the uttermost in recent years to transfer the surplus grain crop to the eastern markets and the seaboard. The large influx of settlers and the additional area put under crop have added largely to the grain product, and notwithstanding the increased railway facilities that have been placed at the disposal of the public, the question of transportation has proved to be a serious one.

It will, therefore, be good news to everyone interested in Western Canada to know that an authoritative statement has been given out by C. M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, that that railway will do its share towards moving the crop of 1907 from Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba to tide water, and thus assist in removing a serious obstacle which has faced the settlers during recent years. Mr. Hays, who has just completed a trip from Portage la Prairie to Edmonton in a prairie schooner, a distance of 735 miles, which was covered in eighteen days, is enthusiastic about the country.

This will be gratifying to settlers in the Canadian West, even if Mr. Hays declines to be bound to a time limit with the exactitude of a stop-watch. The Grand Trunk Pacific road will be in a position to take part in the transportation of the crop of 1907, and that will be satisfactory to the settlers in that country when the harvest is garnered.

The wheat crop of 1906 in Western Canada was about 90,000,000 bushels, and, with the increased acreage which is confidently expected to be put under crop next year, it is safely calculated that fully 125,000,000 bushels will be harvested in 1907. The necessity for increased transportation facilities are, therefore, apparent, and the statement made by Mr. Hays will bring encouragement to the farmers of the Canadian West, new and old. The opening up of additional thousands of free homesteads is thus assured by the agent of the Canadian Government, whose address appears elsewhere.

Destructive Yellow River.

Thousands of men work all their lives at securing the banks of the great Yellow river in China. Yet every now and then the tide sweeps away all opposition and the loss in human life is greater than any war ever caused. Nineteen years ago the river burst its bonds. Day after day the torrent flowed, 20 miles to the hour, 30 miles wide and ten feet deep. The flood has been described as that of five Danubes pouring from a height for two months on end. For 2,000 years the Chinese have been embanking this river.

Convict's Peculiar Claim.

A life convict in the Andamans had served some long period when an order recently came for his release. All the time he had been in the band, and had evidently so far forgotten that he was a prisoner that on his release he put in a claim for a pension on account of his long and faithful service as a government servant.—Madras Mail.

Economy is the road to wealth. PUTNAM FADELESS DYE is the road to economy. 10c per package.

It's a wise Satan who keeps his beard away from the candles.

Garfield Tea purifies the blood and eradicates disease. Take it for constipation. Guaranteed under the Pure Food Law.

Many a man smacks of freshness, but freshness gets no smacks.

For Prices on Poultry,
Either live or dressed, write R. E. Cobb, S. Paul.

Many a citizen who trades on margins wouldn't think of buying a gold brick.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

And when a man bumps up against hard luck he always blames some other fellow for shoving him.

Top Prices for Hides, Furs, Pelts.
Write for circular and catalogue No. 9, N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

Invention Long Looked for.

A Paris paper devoted to scientific subjects announces the discovery of a practical method of shielding watches and clocks from all magnetic influences. It is said to be the work of a watchmaker named Leroy.

SCALY ERUPTION ON BODY.

Doctors and Remedies Fruitless—Suffered 10 Years—Completely Cured by Cuticura.

"When I was about nine years old small sores appeared on each of my lower limbs. I scratched them with a brass pin and shortly afterwards both of those limbs became so sore that I could scarcely walk. When I had been suffering for about a month the sores began to heal, but small scaly eruptions appeared where the sores had been. From that time onward I was troubled by such severe itching that, until I became accustomed to it, I would scratch the sores until the blood began to flow. This would stop the itching for a few days, but scaly places would appear again and the itching would accompany them. After I suffered about ten years I made a renewed effort to effect a cure. The eruptions by this time had appeared on every part of my body except my face and hands. The best doctors in my native county advised me to use arsenic in small doses and a salve. I then used to bathe the sores in a mixture which gave almost intolerable pain. In addition I used other remedies, such as iodine, sulphur, zinc salve, ——'s Salve, —— Ointment, and in fact I was continually giving some remedy a fair trial, never using less than one or two boxes or bottles. All this was fruitless. Finally my hair began to fall out and I was rapidly becoming bald. I used ——'s ——, but it did no good. A few months after, having used almost everything else, I thought I would try Cuticura Ointment, having previously used Cuticura Soap and being pleased with it. After using three boxes I was completely cured, and my hair was restored, after fourteen years of suffering and an expenditure of at least $50 or $60 in vainly endeavoring to find a cure. I shall be glad to write to any one who may be interested in my cure. B. Hiram Mattingly, Vermillion, S. Dak., Aug. 18, 1906."

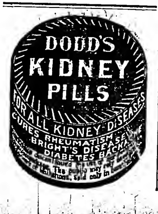
MEN STILL LIVE IN CAVES.

Troglodytic Villages Are Found in Northern Africa.

Grottoes and caverns are used more or less as shelters by primitive peoples and thus inhabited caves are of course most frequent in Africa. A considerable number of natives make their homes in caves along the southern shore of the Strait of Gibraltar and in some of those caves are found the polished stones and arrow heads of the stone age. Troglodyte villages are frequent in the Tebessa territory of Algeria, one of which, at Djeurf, 250 feet above the gorge of the Wadi Hallail, is reached by steps cut in the rock.

The inhabitants of the Tunisian Island of Galite are cave dwellers, their habitations being grottoes which they have dug out of the limestone, or ancient burial caverns that they have enlarged. The subterranean villages of Matmata and of Medennie, hewn out of the rock, are in southern Tunisia.

A Christian monastery built underground in the twelfth century still exists at Goba, Abyssinia. The enormous cavern discovered several years ago within two hours' walk of the port of Tanga, in German East Africa, contains rooms the roofs of which are from 120 to 250 feet above the floor. Only a few of these vast chambers have yet been explored, for the entire cavern seems to be inhabited by millions of bats. One of these killed with a stick measured nearly five feet across its extended wings.



Always to Be Depended Upon.

When a person gets up in the morning with a dull headache and a tired, stretchy feeling, it's an almost certain indication that the liver, or bowels, or both, are decidedly out of order.

At such times Nature, the wisest and best of doctors, takes this means to give warning that she needs the help and gentle assistance which can best be obtained from that old family remedy, Brandreth's Pills, which has been in use for over a century.

They are the same fine laxative tonic pill your grandparents used when doctors were few and far between, and when people had to have a remedy that could absolutely be depended upon.

Brandreth's Pills can be depended upon, and are sold in every drug and medicine store, plain or sugar-coated.

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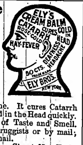

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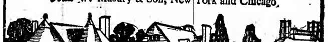

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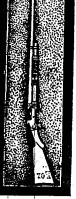

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The Murray Cure

To be Incorporated and Enlarged by Mr. Murray's Family.

The announcement of the sudden death of Edwin Murray, founder of the Murray Cure at Minneapolis, Fargo and Seattle, was a shock to many thousands of people who knew of the good work of the Murray Cure.

Mr. Murray's family, the widow, two grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and corps of attendants and employes will remain the same.

For over seven years the Murray Cure has demonstrated that the drink habit can be cured. If you have a friend that needs the Murray treatment, send him at once to the Murray Cure Institute. If the drink habit has a hold on you that you cannot break without help, remember we can help you.

Call or write, Murray Cure Institute 1319 Nicollet Ave. Minneapolis, or 321 So. 13th St., Fargo, N. D.

New Creamery Officers.

Plummer Pioneer: The annual meeting of stockholders of the Emardville Creamery association was held in this village on Monday last, and while it was hardly what could be called a love feast, it was quite harmonious and a new set of officers was elected that will spare no effort to push the creamery to the front. The new officers elected were:

President—P. S. Medchill.
Secretary—Olaf Tande.
Treasurer—A. J. Hemstad.
Directors—D. D. Haugan, Anton Lee, A. J. Hemstad, John Froiland and Andrew Johnson.

D. D. Haugan was selected for vice president. In vote for president Messrs. Medchill and Haugan tied, Medchill winning out when lots were drawn.

Secretary Olaf Tande, who was re-elected, refused to accept the office for the reason that he is living too far away from the creamery and that his time is too much taken up with the management of his farm and his county agency for the Gold Coin Stock Food and Remedies which business is growing rapidly. Mr. Tande made an exemplary secretary and his refusal to re-accept the office is genuinely regretted by all. It is probable that the new Directors, who meet today will select A. M. Hass to fill the office.

Important to Teachers.

Superintendent McAnulty desires the Gazette to call the attention of the teachers of Red Lake county to the following notes regarding the teachers examinations to be held at Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire on Jaauary 31, February 1 and 2:

It will be remembered that Civics is required for a second grade or a limited certificate. The rule observed at the last August examination with reference to civics will be observed at this examination as well; i. e., "All second grade certificates will remain force until the date of expiration, but for their renewal, and for the exchange of a limited for a complete, civics will be required. To give applicants additional time for preparation, however, a conditional second grade, allowing two conditions, one in civics and one in any other second grade subject, will be issued on this February examination. Also a limited second grade will be issued, in like manner, allowing the condition in civics alone." Beginning with the examination next summer, only one condition will be allowed on a second grade, and no condition on a limited.

Persons who will have taught the five months required for a second grade, or the eight months required for a first grade, by March 1, of this year, may be reported as having taught that length of time, as that is the date from which certificates based on this examination will be dated.

On recommendation of county superintendent the department will extend a conditional first or second grade certificates expiring March 1, 1907, and make it valid, without further examination, until September 1, 1907, thus allowing its holder to remove condition at the next summer examination. This may serve to accommodate many teachers whose schools are now in session, or who, by reason of bad roads, and inclement weather, may find it difficult to attend the examination. It is understood that all such certificates for extension are to be sent in with the other examination returns.

Settlers Granted Leave.

The following telegram to the Crookston Land office will explain itself:

Washington, D. C.
Jan. 19 20, 1907.

Register and Receiver,
Crookston, Minn.

Homestead settlers in your district are granted leave of absence from their land for a period of three months from January 18th provided that the period of actual absence shall not be deducted from the full time of residence required by law. Application for leave not necessary.

—G. F. Pollock,
Acting Commr.

PRISON MACHINERY.

It is reported that the farm machinery combinations have refused to sell extras to persons using goods furnished by the state prison twine plant. An investigation has been set a-foot and if the report be found true the legislature will be asked for an appropriation with which the prison authorities may begin manufacturing farm implements as well as twine. In view of the fact that the state realized $409,452.87 net the past year from its prison twine plant in addition to saving the farmers $734,973 making a net profit of over a million, it would seem a wise thing for the legislature to do. The prison warden also recommends that the prohibiting of the sale of twine to dealers until after July 1st each year be modified, as it gives the trusts an undue advantage in its present form. "If we are to have war with the trusts," says the warden, "give us the open field."

Teachers' Examinations.

The semi-annual teachers' examinations will be held at Red Lake Falls, St, Hilaire and Thief River Falls, Jan. 31, Feb. 1 and 2, 1907. in accordance with the following program:

Note—Civics is now required for second grade and limited certificates.

THURSDAY. JANUARY 31st.
(First Grade Studies)
A. M.— 8:00 Enrollment.
8:15 Geometry.
10:00 Physics.
P. M.— 1:30 Algebra.
3:15 Physical Geography or General History.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1st.
(Second Grade Studies)
A. M.— 8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional Test.
9:30 Spelling.
10:00 Arithmetic.
P. M.— 1:15 Geography.
2:15 Composition and Penmanship.
3:20 Reading.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd
(Second Grade Studies Continued)
A. M.— 8:00 U. S. History.
9:15 English Grammar.
11:30 Music.
P. M.— 1:15 Physiology-Hygiene.
3:45 Civics.
4:00 Drawing.

—H. T. McANULTY,
Co. Supt.

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

ESTATE OF MARGARETTA WALTER

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Margaretta Walter, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Andrew Walter, Phillip Walter, John Walter, Maggie Adler (nee Walter), Anna Skala (nee Walter), Mary Kaus (nee Walter) and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Phillip Walter being duly filed in this court, representing that Margaretta Walter, then a resident of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, died on the 31st day of December, 1906, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Phillip Walter. Now therefore, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable N. W. Tarrant, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 24th day of January, 1907.

[Seal] N. W. TARRANT, Judge.
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Petitioner. j24f7

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake, City of Red Lake Falls. } ss.

Notice is hereby given, That application has been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on February 3rd, 1907, and terminating on February 2nd, 1908, by the following persons and at the following place, as stated in said application, respectively, to-wit:

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In that certain frame building situate on lot 21 of block 7 in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City Hall in the City of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday, the 7th day of February A. D., 1907, at 8 o'clock P. M. of that date.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls, this 24th day of January, A. D., 1907.

(Seal) A. P. TOUPIN.
j24-31 City Clerk.

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF PETER MARTEL.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake. } In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Martel, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Joseph Martel and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, And Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the city Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake. State of Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 9th day of January, 1907.

—N. W. Tarrant,
(Court Seal) Probate Judge.
—Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner. j10-24

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred, Fifty-six and 4-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by C. A. Steen (a single man) Mortgagor, to Sadie O. Elwood, Mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1903, at 2:10 o'clock P. M., in Book 21 of Mortgages on page 142.

That since the execution and delivery of said Mortgage the mortgagee, Sadie O. Elwood has married and that her name is now Sadie O. Grady, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given. That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The northeast quarter (NE¼) of section number twenty-eight (28), township number one hundred and fifty (150) north, range number forty-four 144) west of the 5th Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, according to the U. S. Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of five hundred, fifty-six and 4-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, A. D., 1906.

Sadie O. Grady,
formerly Sadie O. Elwood,
Mortgagee.

Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for the Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. d20-j21

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF CHARLES W. CRESS.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } SS.

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the estate of Charles W. Cress Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Louisa E. Cress, Cora Ellen Cress, Emma May Cress and Floyd J. H. D. Cress, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House. In the City of Red Lake Falls in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the Seal of said Court, this 6th day of January, 1907.

N. W. Tarrant,
[Seal] j10-j24 Probate Judge.

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ORDER FOR CREDITORS TO PRESENT CLAIMS WITHIN THREE MONTHS.

ESTATE OF ANDREW R. PETERSON

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss.

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew R. Peterson, deceased:

Letters of Administration with the will annexed on the estate of Andrew R. Petersen deceased, late of the Village of St. Hilaire, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Claus Petersen:

It appearing on proper proof by affidavit of the administrator with the will annexed made and filed herein, as provided by law, that there are no debts against the estate of said Andrew R. Peterson deceased.

It Is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date on this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased, if any there be, are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said county, for examination and allowance or be forever barred.

It is further ordered that Tuesday, the 16th day of April, 1907, at ten o'clock A. M., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 14th day of January A. D. 1907.

(Probate) By the Court,
(Seal) N. W. Tarrant,
Judge of Probate.

J. K. Hannay,
Attorney for Petitioner,
St. Hilaire, Minn. j17-j31

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy and 99-100 ($70.99) Dollars, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Joseph Brushea, administrator of the estate of John Roushea, deceased, mortgagor, to M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, bearing date the 21st day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 21 of Mortgages, on page 226.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, to John Jaenike by written assignment dated the 9th day of April, 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages on page 119.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Jaenike the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., by written assignment dated the 14th day of December, 1906, and recorded on the 19th day of December, 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m., in book 15 of mortgages page 345, and by reason of the default herein before mentioned the said Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, the assignee of said mortgage, chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable making in all four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The east half of the south-west quarter of section fourteen (14), Township numbered one hundred fifty (150), North of Range forty-two (42), west of the 5th P. M. in the state of Minnesota, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the second day of March, 1907, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 15th, A. D., 1907.

Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. j17-f28

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION.

Estate of AMELIA KORTKE, Deceased.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Amelia Kortke Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Eric Kortke, Henry Kortke, Emil Kortke and Annie Kortke, and Daniel Gerlach, their Guardian, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Chas. E. Boughton, having been filed in this court, representing that Amelia Kortke, then a resident of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, died intestate on or about the 15th day of September 1906; and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Theo Garceau; and the court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition;

Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake state of Minnesota, on the 8th day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of January, 1907.

N. W. Tarrant,
[SEAL] j17-j31 Judge of Probate
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner.

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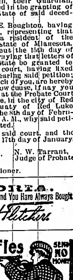

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BOURDON IS PRESIDENT

First State Bank Choose New Officers at Meeting Last Saturday.

The annual election of officers of the First State Bank was held at the banking rooms last Saturday, and the officials for the ensuing year were chosen. This election was to have been held on January 8, at the time the new directors were chosen, but was postponed until last Saturday.

The new officers chosen to conduct the bank's affairs for the next year, are:

President—Chas. N. Bourdon.
Vice-President—Frank E. Hunt.
Cashier—Theo. Gareeau.
Asst. Cashier—Geo. F. Hennings.

The election makes a slight change in the officers, Mr. Gareeau having held the presidency during the past year and Geo. F. Hennings the cashiership. C. N. Bourdon, the new president, is a heavy shareholder in several Red Lake county banks, and is familiar with the banking business. He will not, however, be actively indentified with the working force at the First State.

Theo. Gareeau, who again takes the cashiership, has been identified with the First State Bank for a long number of years, and largely through his excellent management of its affairs has this institution gained their enviable place it now holds in the business circles of Red Lake county. Theo. is a capable banker and prince of good fellows, and will continue to oversee the work at the bank with the good judgment always exercised.

G. F. Hennings who takes the assistant cashiership, is a favorite with the bank patrons, and the public generally, and is a valuable assistant to Mr. Gareeau in the handling of the First State Bank affairs. Harry Gareeau and Noel Delorme will be retained on the clerical force.

The First State Bank is one of county's leading institutions, and the people are interested in its progress.

BIG MASK BALL.

St. Hilaire Firemen Will Give One February 8.

The St. Hilaire fire department has issued bills announcing a grand mask ball to be given at the Imperial hall in that village on the evening of Friday, February 8. The Red Lake Falls Concert Orchestra has been engaged to furnish the music for the occasion, which will insure the St. Hilaireites something good. Supper will be served at Hotel Markham.

The St. Hilaire fire laddies are royal entertainers, and a large number of Red Lake Falls people are planning on going up to enjoy their hospitality on that evening.

NOTICE.

Wanted—30 cords of green poplar cord wood to be delivered at the Red Lake Falls creamery. For further particulars inquire of G. F. Hennings, Secretary. tf

Missing--One Court Commissioner

Of Medium Size, But Feeling Much Larger---Eyes, Wash-blue; Hair Cut Decollete; When Last Seen Was Standing on an Anti-Injunction Plank, Clad in a Stand-up Collar and an Air of Virtuous Indignation, and Wearing the Motto, "Lead Us Not Into Temptation."---It is Feared He Became Top-Heavy and the Plank Tipped Up.---No Reward Has Yet Been Offered, as Court Commissioners Are Not of Much Use Now.

Search at the courthouse Wednesday, developed the fact that the Court Commissioner elected last November, has not showed up at his office for a week. One of the local attorneys desired his services and signature to an attachment order, but he was not to be found, and even his seal had disappeared. The day before he had been required by other attorneys, with the same results, and the papers had to be sent to Crookston, instead.

On Wednesday, the attorney attempted to call him up at Thief River Falls by both the Tri-State and Northwestern telephones, but without result. Several messengers were sent out to look for him, who searched the town from end to end, but reported that they were unable to find him or any one who knew him. From all appearances he was an unknown quantity.

The messengers were told that he was Court Commissioner, an exjustice, and then some, and that he was probably holding his county office in the old barn which Thief River was going to give the county for a courthouse, but they insist that if such a man was ever there it was only on election day and the day the census was taken. Today, a telegram has been sent him from which nothing has yet been heard, and the worst is feared.

A county officer who by law is required to keep his office at the county seat, and to be there when the people want to use him, but who stays away thirty-two days in a month, and can't be found on the thirty third, is not of much use to the county.

In It's Infancy.

Prof. J. L. Haecker, of the Minnesota College of Agriculture and Experiment Station is quoted in an exchange as follows:

"The dairy industry in the northwest is still in it's infancy and we confidentially look for even more rapid growth in the future than it has made in the past. The time is not distant when Minnesota alone will derive an annual income from this one industry of $30,000,000. We will invade not only the eastern but the foreign markets. We can produce better and cheaper butter than can Denmark or any other country, for they all must look to America, and especially to the northwest, for their food stuffs, and whenever we can convince the western grain grower that it is to his advantage to convert his surplus feed into butter, ship the more concentrated product, realize a greater income and at the same time improve the fertility of his farm, the change will surely be made."

Rev. Fayolle Ill.

The Very Reverend Father E. Fayolle has been quite ill at his home here during the past few days and on account of his illness no services were held at St. Joseph's church last Sunday. The reverend father is suffering from an attack of a malady that has bothered him for a long time, which combined with a severe cold has made him a very sick man. He is, however, receiving the best care that medical skill can afford, and the people are hopeful of his recovery within a very short time.

Teachers' Exams.

The regular semi-annual teachers' examinations are being held in this city, at St. Hilaire and at Thief River Falls, today, and will continue until Saturday. Superintendent McAnulty is conducting the examination here, Prof. Hay has charge of the work at Thief River and Miss Knudson is conducting at St. Hilaire. A large number of teachers are taking the exams this year.

Issue One Cent Book.

Postmaster Marshall has received the following information from the postoffice department at Washington, D. C.:

"Postmasters are notified that preparations are being made to issue 1 cent postage stamps in book form beginning about March 1, 1907. There will be only one size containing twenty-four 1 cent stamps in four sheets of six stamps each, interleaved with parafine paper and bound like the books of 2-cent stamps. The selling price will be 25 cents per book. Until a supply of revised requisition Forms No. 3293 can be furnished. Postmasters desiring a supply of the books of 1 cent stamps will make requisition therefrom on form 3293 by interlining the number desired, and the value thereof, above the items of books of 2 cent stamps. The smallest number issued to postmasters will be ten.

Bank Shows Gain

The statement of the condition of the Merchants State Bank is published in today's Gazette. The business of the Merchants State shows a nice increase and is a standing testimonial of the ability of Cashier Duffy and his force of assistants. There are few, if any, towns in the Valley that can boast of two such banking institutions as Red Lake Falls has, and that their business is on the constant increase is a source of much satisfaction to the people of this end of the county.

A FINE ENTERTAINMENT

Colonial Saxophone Quartette Is Pronounced Great Stuff By Critics.

The Colonial Saxophone Quartette which appears at the Metropolitan opera house on Monday, February 11, as the final number in the series of Lyceum course entertainments, comes recommended as the best of the many good numbers in this course, and also one of the finest entertainments ever given in the northwest.

This company presents a musical entertainment varied to suit the tastes of all, and it is a sure thing that the people here will not have an opportunity of hearing as good a company as this for some time to come.

The company is composed of four young men, who are saxophonists, vocalists, cornetists, violinists and all around musicians. The program proper embraces numbers of popular composition as well as the work of the old masters, and it is arranged to suit every musical taste.

The people of this part of the county should turn out in large numbers to this entertainment, in order that high-class companies may find inducement to visit Red Lake Falls occasionally.

The seat sale will open at Anderson's Jewelry Store one day in advance of the date of the entertainment.

Bray Mutual Prospering.

The annual report of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance company as published in last week's St. Hilaire Spectator, shows this excellent society to be in tip-top condition, both financially and as to the new business secured. The company received from new policies and assessments levied during 1906, $1,293.58, and paid losses of $1,110.00 during the same period. The company had a cash balance on December 31, of $59.59, after paying all losses and expenses. The company had 308 policies in force December 31, 1906, in the total amount of $382,295.00, a gain of about $100,000 during 1906. The company does business in fourteen townships in Red Lake county, the town of River Falls having $56,195 insurance in force, the largest amount in any of the towns in which business is written. Nels K. Anderson, of Sanders was re-elected president, and C. P. Swanson, of Bray, was re-lected secretary. These men have been largely responsible for the great success of the company, and are held in high esteem as careful and competent officers.

Names Another Deputy.

Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson announces the appointment of Ben Isaacson as deputy sheriff. Mr. Isaacson will live here and will have charge of the office work, sales, etc., and look after the sheriff's business while L. A. is away. Mr. Nelson is called from here very often in his official capacity, and found it necessary to have a resident deputy. Mr. Isaacson is a brother-in-law of Sheriff Nelson, and is making his home with Mr. Nelson here.

New Pool Hall.

Teunis Lemieux has opened up a pool and billiard hall in the Lemieux building next door to the Merchants State Bank, and is doing a first-class business. Mr. Lemieux has some good tables, and will keep his place strictly up-to-date.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Buttermaker Geo. L. Austin informs us that there will be a farmers' meeting under the auspices of the State Farmer's Club in this village on Friday February 22nd. Preparations are now under way to make this the largest and most successful farmers' meeting ever held in Red Lake county. Three or four of the best speakers on farm topics in the state will be present and these addresses will all be of the practical kind, not theoretical, and by men who thoroughly know what they are talking about.

North Yakima, Washington, and surrounding country has had the coldest weather during the past few weeks that has ever been known there and reports from that place would indicate that a great amount of damage will result to the fruit trees. There are a large number of Red Lake county people located there, and it is probable that authentic information regarding the damage done will be received here shortly.

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Will He Skidoo?

Saturday of this week, February 2, is Ground Hog day, and according to the handed down and worn-out tradition, his hogship will venture forth from his warm winter abode for a smell of the winter ozone and to take a peep at the snow drifts so promiscuously scattered about. And here's the rub! If by chance Mr. Hog shall then see his shadow he will immediately get the hunch that the Thief River county seat committee is after him and will at once "skidoo" back to his warm den, where for six weeks he will rest in contentment, pleased to let old Boreas vent his spite on us to the best of his ability. If, however, his shadow is not descernable when he comes out, tradition has it that he will shake off his winter garb, and then in kindness will the weather man let up on his ferocious attacks, and joyous spring with its singing birds, babbling brooks and budding flowers, will descend upon us with all its glories, surely to the gratification of the long-suffering, snow bound public. Of course, whether you are a believer in these old-time traditions or not, is supposed to cut no ice with our friend, the ground hog, as he will arrive on schedule time any way. Let us hope that the son-of-a-gun will be too thin to make a respectable shadow this year, and that failing to see any alarming signs he will stay with us and not "skidoo."

Honorably Discharged.

The following from the Presides of Monterey, California, News, pertains to a young man whose home is in this city, and who is well and favorably known here:

Corporal E. E. Paul, Co. D, was discharged on the 18th, and it is with sincrere regret that we learn he will not, at the present time, reenlist, having decided to try civil life for awhile. All his comrades in the regiment had hoped be would remain for it is such men as he that makes serving in the army enjoyable. Corporal Paul has not decided upon his future vocation, but it is certain that the firm employing him will find they have a man worthy of their confidence and trust.

TO SCORE THEIR BIRDS

D. E. Hale, Expert On Fancy Poultry, Will Be Here Latter Part of This Week.

D. E. Hale, of Minneapolis, one of the best poultry experts in the west, will visit Red Lake Falls the latter part of this week—probably arriving Saturday and remaining until Monday evening, when he will be a guest of the officers of the Northern Minnesota Poultry association. Mr. Hale was the judge at the recent poultry show at Minneapolis and is this week in Montana officiating in a like capacity.

The object of his visit here will be to score the fancy chickens owned by the members of the association, and meet with them to talk poultry raising from a scientific standpoint. While the association does not intend this as a poultry show, nevertheless they invite anyone who has fancy chickens to bring them in and have them scored while Mr. Hall is here.

When the association was organized something over a year ago, it was the intention at that time to hold a big show here in December last, but owing to the fact that the officers had so many other matters to look after, nothing could be done to that end. It was then thought that they could be able to hold a show in the present month, but at a recent meeting they decided to wait until next fall, when they can make early preparations for an excellent time.

They are getting Mr. Hale here now to get a line on what their birds really are, and also to get pointers on mating for the spring breeding, and hope to realize a great amount of benefit as a result of his visit.

Anyone interested in the poultry business is invited to meet this distinguished poultryman while he is here, and bring in for scoring purposes what fancy birds they may have.

Will Enter Judgment.

On February 5, judgment will be entered in the District Court for the costs in the recent county seat case in the Supreme Court. The costs amount to about $500, and unless the Thief River committee makes good their promise to pay the same, the taxpayers will again be called upon to dig up for Thief River's benefit.

The up-river city forced this fight upon the people of Red Lake county, and so far have made it cost each taxpayer a neat sum, and with the additional $500 the county will have to pay, the fellows who pay the tax will get an additional jolt. The Thief River Falls committee agreed, through their attorneys, to pay the costs in this action in case the decision was against them, and the public will anxiously await their action in the matter. It is a sure shot that they will not pay, though, as they have in many instances in the past proven that they have absolutely no regard for the feelings or pocketbooks of the people in general.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The senate accepted the proposition of the house of representatives to increase the salaries of senators members and territorial delegates to $7,500 annually, and those of the vice president, the speaker of the house and members of the president's cabinet to $12,000.

The senate passed the compromise Foraker resolution authorizing the committee on military affairs to investigate the facts of the affray at Brownsville on the nights of August 13 and 14 last, "without questioning the legality or justice of any act of the president in relation to or connected with that affray."

Representative De Armond, of Missouri, introduced a bill in the house authorizing the president to retire any judge of the United States when he thinks the retirement of such a judge would promote the public welfare, and giving the president power, by and with the advice of the senate, to fill the vacancy thus created.

The house of representatives voted to raise the salaries of congressmen to $7,500 a year.

The house committee on agriculture decided to recommend the discontinuance of free seed distribution.

THE JAMAICA DISASTER.

Rear Admiral Davis' mission of mercy to stricken Kingston came to an abrupt and painful conclusion in consequence of Gov. Swettenham's objection to the presence of American sailors engaged in the work of clearing the streets, guarding property and succoring the wounded and sick, culminating in a sarcastic and insulting letter to the admiral peremptorily requesting him to reembark all parties which had been landed. Admiral Davis promptly sailed away with his three vessels.

American refugees from Kingston arrived in New York and issued a formal complaint against certain British officials in Jamaica and especially Capt. Parsons, of the steamer Port Kingston, which was chartered for Sir Alfred Jones and party. The captain is accused of driving refugees from his vessel, refusing them food, forcing them, including women and injured, to sleep on the docks and behaving generally in an inhuman and uncivil manner. Gen. Wint at Havana, on request of the British consul there, sent army tents to Kingston. Gov. Swettenham cabled his thanks to Washington, but did not explain his insults to Admiral Davis.

The president has assured Esme Howard, British charge, that the government has no intention of paying any attention to the Swettenham-Davis incident at Kingston. Two more very severe shocks terrified Jamaicans Tuesday. Food and other supplies were sent from Boston and Panama. Vice Consul Orrett says the dead probably will number over 2,000.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Judge Oscar Hallam at St. Paul signed an order enjoining James J. Hill and other officials of the Great Northern Railway company from making the proposed increase of $60,000,000 worth of additional stock of that company or issuing the same or a part thereof during the pending litigation without first making an application in writing therefor to the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission and securing its approval thereof.

Theodore P. Shonts has tendered his resignation as chairman of the Panama canal commission and has been elected president of the Interborough Metropolitan Traction company of New York.

Twenty miners lost their lives as a result of an explosion in the Colorado Fuel and Iron company's coal mine near Primero, Col.

Henry Ball, a negro, was lynched at Greenwood, Miss., the home of Gov. Vardaman, Tuesday night, by unknown parties.

Four men were killed and several injured in a freight wreck on the Ohio division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad near Letart, W. Va.

B. F. Scott, prominent lawyer of Ottawa, Ia., committed suicide by shooting himself in the head while brooding over his failure to be elected state representative last fall.

Franklin G. Churchill, a veteran newspaper editor, died at Lansing, Mich.

Former Gov. Higgins of New York is critically ill with heart disease at his home in Olean.

Knute Ole Knudson was found not guilty of his wife's death by poisoning and was given his liberty in Chicago after the jury had been out eight hours deliberating upon the verdict.

The Alabama house of representatives passed a resolution approving the action of President Roosevelt in discharging the negro soldiers implicated in the Brownsville, Texas, affair.

Fire in Viroqua, Wis., destroyed the Vernon county bank and the buildings occupied by the Bell and the La Crosse and Interurban Telephone companies.

The house of representatives of South Dakota passed an anti-lobbying bill, making it unlawful for persons interested in legislation to approach members except through the regularly organized committees.

The 200 Japanese immigrants who arrived at San Francisco on the steamer Alameda, and whose landing was not allowed by the immigration commissioner, were permitted to land later on instructions from Washington.

A maid in the service of Queen Olga of Greece has been arrested charged with the theft of diamonds valued at $2,000 from ornaments belonging to her majesty. The maid substituted paste imitations for the real stones.

The Red Cross sent by cable draft the sum of $5,000 to the American consul general, Rogers, at Shanghai for the relief of the Chinese famine sufferers.

Ferocious wolves are causing panic and havoc in the north provinces of Spain. The heavy fall of snow has driven the animals into the plains, where they have attacked flocks and devoured a man and a child.

The Kansas legislature in joint session ratified the election of Charles Curtis as United States senator for the long term, also for the unexpired term of ex-Senator Joseph R. Burton.

Porter county, Indiana, grand jury and the state railroad commission are probing the wrecks at Woodville, Fowler and Sandford, which cost in the aggregate nearly 100 lives.

Three serious fires in Richmond, Va., did damage aggregating $300,000. The armory of the Richmond Blues, the second oldest military company in the United States, was destroyed.

Mrs. Narcissa Nance Kendrick, aged 68 years, a niece of President James K. Polk, is dead at Uniontown, Pa.

The trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White began in New York Wednesday.

All grades of fine writing paper are to be increased ten per cent in price, according to advices from Holyoke, Mass.

Joseph W. Bailey was reelected United States senator from Texas by a vote, in both houses of the legislature, of 108 to 45; necessary to a choice, 83.

Senator Shelby M. Cullom was given the majority vote of both branches of the Illinois legislature.

Capt. Thomas Peabody, who commanded the transport Sheridan when it ran on a reef off Hawaii last summer, has been suspended for six months.

Senator Guiseppe Saracco, formerly premier of Italy and minister of the interior, is dead at Bistagne. He was 85 years old.

As a result of a revival the entire male population of Port Republic, N. J., has "sworn off" smoking.

The vault of a bank at Crittenden, Ky., was blown open, but the robbers took only $500, leaving $4,000.

The United Mine Workers of America reelected President Mitchell and all the other officers.

The main buildings of the department of communications, Tokyo, Japan, were burned down, involving a loss estimated at $500,000.

The volcano of Asama-Yama, in the island of Hondo, Japan, has been in active eruption since last Friday.

Jeffersonville, Ind., was thrown into mad panic by a false report that the waters of the Ohio river had broken through the Pennsylvania railway roadbed and were flooding the town.

Dr. H. W. Haslett, of Grand View, Ill., one of the injured in the Sandford, Ind., explosion, died at Terre Haute.

Fire in Richmond, starting in the building occupied by the Blues armory, threatened the chamber of commerce and other fine structures.

The steamer Alameda arrived at San Francisco from Honolulu with about 200 Japanese laborers aboard. They were refused landing by Immigration Commissioner North, under instructions from Washington.

The Cuban steamer Atlantico ran aground near Porto Padre and was a total wreck.

The tidal wave in the Dutch East Indies engulfed the island of Simalu, drowning 1,500 persons.

Gen. Luke E. Wright, American ambassador to Japan, has made known to his friends that he will retire from the diplomatic service next August and will return to his home in Memphis, Tenn., to resume the practice of law.

Gov. Deneen appointed B. A. Eckhart, of Chicago, and J. A. Willoughby, of Belleville, members of the Illinois railroad and warehouse commission.

The cold wave in Europe that caused intense suffering reached England.

The mutilated body of William Heston was found hanging in a cabin near South Bend, Ind.

Severe earthquake shocks were reported from Alexandrovsk, the port of Sakhalin and Elizabethpol.

An appropriation of $2,600,000 will be asked from the legislature by the University of Illinois. Of this sum, $1,600,000 is for running expenses and the remaining $1,000,000 for new buildings.

The dreaded nun butterfly is appearing everywhere in Bohemia, threatening the devastation of the forests. The woods of Saxony and Silicia are also threatened. The ministry of agriculture has appointed a commission of investigation.

The Colorado senate ordered an investigation of Senator Morgan's charge that he was bribed two years ago by a railway.

The Arkansas house of representatives refused to indorse President Roosevelt's action in the Brownsville affair.

H. M. Berger, a private banker of Viola, Wis., was admitted to bankruptcy.

W. M. Robertson, a well known Nebraska politician, died at Norfolk, Neb.

At least 23 persons were killed and 35 injured when a carload of powder exploded at Sandford, Ind., just as a Big Four passenger train was passing. The train was blown to pieces and the passengers shockingly mutilated.

Revised lists give the dead in the Big Four wreck at Sandford, Ind., as 28, and the injured as 32.

In a head-on collision at Fowler, Ind., on the Big Four, 13 persons were killed and many injured.

Deep snow covered North Dakota and most of the northwest and put a complete stop to railway traffic.

Senator Tillman made fun of the senate, was sharply rebuked by Senators Spooner and Carmack, and apologized.

Gov. John S. Little of Arkansas suffered a physical collapse and will be confined to his home for several weeks.

The Wabash river levee at Terre Haute broke and the suburb of Taylorville was flooded, hundreds of people being driven from their homes.

Indianapolis was selected as the next meeting place of the convention of the United Mine Workers in January, 1908. Thomas Burke, of Illinois, and Patrick Gilday, of Pennsylvania, were elected delegates to the international congress, which will be held next summer in Salzburg, Austria.

The long and costly Shea labor conspiracy trial in Chicago came to an unsatisfactory end with the $30,000 jury unable to agree on a verdict.

Josiah Flynt Willard, whose experiences as tramp, author, vagabond and sociologist under the name of "Josiah Flynt," gave him a world-wide reputation, died in Chicago.

The Merchants and Farmers' bank of Fairmont, Minn., suspended.

The report of the legislative committee, finding nothing in the charges against Senator Gamble which reflects upon his personal or official integrity, was adopted by large majorities in both houses of the South Dakota legislature.

Republican legislators of New Jersey renominated Senator Dryden, and in Iowa Senator Dolliver was renominated.

A large steamer, believed to be the English steamer Arcola, 3,500 tons, grounded on the rocks close to Morro castle, while trying to enter Havana harbor.

Paul Fournier and George Cyr, of Quiring, Minn., were arrested on charges of killing of N. O. Dahl and his daughter, Aagot, near Quiring in April, 1904.

Fire of unknown origin at Utica, Licking county, Ohio, destroyed the McKittrick business block and the C. W. Jewel hardware store, entailing a loss of $10,000.

A midwinter tornado visited Blackwell, Okla., totally demolishing a number of buildings and injuring several people.

John Leheman and his wife were found dead near Appleton, Wis., presumably having been chloroformed by burglars.

Dr. Thomas F. Mayham, aged 77 years, one of the best known pioneers of Wisconsin and ex-mayor of Fond du Lac, died in his office.

Charges of graft by D. E. Potter, former sheriff, and members of the board of supervisors, which, it is predicted, will rival the Dougherty expose 18 months ago, are being investigated by a grand jury at Peoria, Ill. It is declared that revelations will be made of dishonesty and theft that will involve many county officials.

Rev. W. P. McGlaufin of Minneapolis, was elected general superintendent of the Universalist church, the highest position in the denomination.

Robert Hell, the young farmer who was charged with having murdered Miss Mary Glass, a school teacher, at Whitewater, Ken., died without making a confession.

Colder weather and a gale of wind increased the suffering of those thousands who had been made homeless by the flood in Ohio, and a number of buildings that had been weakened by the water went down before the wind.

Nicholes Sendstone, 27 years old, a tanner of North Woburn, Mass., was burned to death, and Otto Mietzner was probably fatally burned in a fire that destroyed the boathouse of the Medford Boat club.

Joseph N. Good, motorman, was killed and Willerd Bradhurst, conductor, was severely injured at Bryan, O., when a passenger car on the Toledo and Indiana Traction line ran into a box car.

By the explosion of the boiler of a Reading engine attached to one of the Atlantic City flyers at Blue Anchor, N. J., the engineer, Edward McConaghy, the fireman, Frederick Arthur, and an extra fireman named Clark were instantly killed.

Senor Coronado and members of his staff in Havana were challenged to fight duels because of the publication by Senor Coronado's paper, Discusion, of a police raid on a cock fight at Marianao, Cuba, Sunday.

Santa Fe passenger train No. 4, east-bound, the Chicago Limited, was wrecked at Hutchinson, Kan., the engineer killed and a number of passengers injured.

Abe Attell knocked out Harry Baker, of San Francisco, in the eighth round before the Pacific Athletic club at Los Angeles, retaining the featherweight championship.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, Jan. 17—An important bill put in an appearance in the legislature today when Senator P. Fitzpatrick, democrat, of Winona, introduced Senate File 78. The bill establishes the initiative and referendum relative to legislation. A petition of five per cent of the voters may propose any new law or constitutional amendment desired, to be accepted or rejected at the polls the ensuing general election. Or, on a petition of a like number of voters, any legislation enacted by the legislature will have to be submitted to a vote by the people. The bill was referred to the judiciary committee. Senators Elwell and Swanson both today introduced bills to authorize the state board of control to establish stone crushers to be operated by convict labor, the crushed stone to be given to counties applying through their county commissioners, for the improvement of county roads. Senator F. L. Clague, speaker of the house two years ago, presented a measure to create a new judicial district, the Nineteenth, composed of Lincoln, Lyon, Murray and Pipestone counties. Senator Thorpe introduced a measure to abolish private banks in state, a duplicate of a bill he fathered two years ago but which went down in a strenuous battle in the senate.

In the house today, Walter W. Case of Cloquet, introduced a bill, prompted by the increasing number of railroad accidents, to compel the installation of safety devices on railroads wherever the state railroad commission may think such devices needed. Fred V. Burdorf entered a bill importance to Northern Minnesota, to permit town supervisors to construct and maintain drainage ditches. The ditches are to be constructed on petition of property owners of property to be benefited. J. D. Mapleton of Wahpeton with a view to aiding voters to retain their health, has introduced a bill to prohibit political candidates from distributing cigars or intoxicating liquors.

Up to today, there have been introduced 118 bills in the legislature 74 in the senate, 44 in the house. Two years ago on the same legislature day, the 6th, there were but 36 bills presented. At the last session the total number of bills was 1,410. If the increased ratio of the present session compared with the last, continues, the number of bills this session will reach 1,410.

Wm. H. Williams, state labor commissioner, has been investigating the employment of pages in the senate. He has found three boys under 16 years of age employed, which is in violation of the child labor law. The senate is going to patch the matter up by getting special excuse permits for the three boys in question during the three months of the session.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 22—Both senate and house voted for United States senator today, and by a party vote chose Hon. Knute Nelson of Alexandria to succeed himself. Albert Schaller was the canidate for the democrats. When it came to calling upon the senator from Hastings, however, for his vote, after a witty speech he cast it for Frank A. Day, the governor's secretary. Ole E. Sageng of Dalton, the lone populist voted for Gov. J. A. Johnson as the choice of his party for United States senator. The prohibitions in the house cast their ballots for W. J. Dean of Minneapolis. So it was, that in the senate the vote stood, Nelson, 440; Schaller, 141; J. A. Johnson. 10; Frank A. Day, 1. In the house, Nelson, 98; Schaller, 13; Dean, 3. C. J. Gunderson of Alexandria nominated Knute Nelson for the republicans of the senate, and in the house, Judge H. G. Hicks of Minneapolis made the nominating speech. Tomorrow the two houses will meet in joint session and in formal action as one body complete the final step of the re-election of Minnesota's senior United States senator to succeed himself.

In the senate today Senator George P. Wilson of Minneapolis introduced a bill to establish an industrial training school for girls to be located under the state board of control in some county not already containing a state institution. The bill carries an appropriation of $100,000 and provides for an advisory board of five women to be appointed by the governor. Senator Canestorp introduced a measure permitting county boards to purchase ditching machines for uses on highways. Senator Putnam entered another reform insurance bill, aiming to compel insurance companies to make annual apportionment and a counting of their surplus.

In the house Representative Thundale fathered a bill to bring telephone and telegraph companies under jurisdiction of the railroad and warehouse commission. F. E. Nimocks introduced a bill to compel railroads to pay essessments for local improvements. A capitol commission bill appeared, by J. W. Stokes, placing management of the old and new capitols under a board composed of the governor, secretary of state, and treasurer.

Farmers having claims against the state for condemned livestock, will have a special interest in a bill by H. C. Hanson, appropriating $60,000 for the sanitary livestock board to use in wiping out its existing indebtedness.

F. B. Wright of Minneapolis is author of a bill to establish a graded system of taxation on iron ores, according to quality, the royalty running from 25 cents to $1.45 a ton. The provisions of the bill are patterned after the prices paid by the Steel trust in its purchase of the famous J. J. Hill ore lands in northern Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 23—Hon. Knute Nelson, the "little giant" of Alexandria was today formally named United States Senator for a six year term to succeed himself, by the Minnesota legislature. The house and senate met promptly at noon in the house chamber and was called to order by Speaker Johnson. The minutes of yesterday's sessions of both houses telling of the vote in each whereby Senator Nelson was elected were read and formally approved. Speaker Johnson then announced that Senator Nelson was re-elected and adjournment was at once taken until eleven a. m. the following day. The house at its separate session today broke all records so far made as to the number of bills introduced in one day. Thirty-three were today presented. The Anti-cigarette bill made its biennial appearance fathered by S. O. Morse. Walter L. Case of Carlton representing the Head of the Lake delegation introduced a bill for a recount of the vote on the Constitutional amendments, each county to pay its proportionate part of the expense. L. C. Spooner introduced a bill to authorize the board of control to sell binding twine outside the state. The measure follows the recommendations of both the board and the governor and is aimed to give the state more freedom in competing with twine sold by the trust. W. C. Bicknell introduced the Stephens Senate bill for establishing of nine agricultural high schools in different geographical districts of the state. Elias Rachie introduced in the house and Senator Withersteine in the senate a bill calling for the establishment of a state board of immigration consisting of the governor, auditor and secretary of state, these to select two other members and the entire board to elect an executive agent who will be the only salaried member of the immigration bureau. The bill carries an appropriation of $50,000.00.

S. A. Nelson in the senate and J. A. Gates in the house presented a memorial to congress asking for abolishment of the tarriff on lumber with a view to knocking out the alleged lumber trust. The resolution was adopted by the senate without a dissenting vote, but laid over for the day in the house on notice of debate. Senator Putnam introduced a bill in the senate claiming to decrease accidents suffered by railway employes. The measure demands that automatic brakes be placed on all freight cars operated in the state of Minnesota by Jan. 1, 1908. Senator Fosseen is the author of another of the insurance reform bills which put in an appearance today. It forbids insurance companies under heavy penalty from making political contributions in any way whatsoever.

The election committees of both house and senate are now very busy with two contested election cases. In the house Jas. D. Denege, republican, is claiming the seat of J. D. O'Brien, democrat, elected from the 4th ward, St. Paul. O'Brien was given a certificate of election on the strength of but one vote the better of Denege, and that vote is contested by Denege on the ground that the mark on the ballot is on the blank line just below O'Brien's name. The committee has about all the evidence in hand, and it is understood will make a ruling in favor of O'Brien. The senate election committee is taking evidence in the contest inaugurated by Pierce Butler, democrat, against J. M. Hackney, republican, who holds a certificate of election from the suburban and rural district of Ramsey county. There is every indication that the committee will recommend to the senate that the votes of students in college of the district be declared legal which will mean the winning of the contest by Mr. Hackney.

New York Thieves.

There are between 10,000 and 11,000 professional thieves in New York city, and several hundred thousand amateurs who only steal when oportunities are offered.

Spoiled.

"Are you making anything of a hit with Miss Prettygirl?"

"I fear not. Can't seem to interest her. I have lauded her beauty, but my strongest superlative make absolutely no impression."

"Hold on! I forgot to tell you, old man. She was formerly engaged to the press agent of a circus."

Filings at Winona

Winona Minn.—Filings for nominations for the primary election to be held next month prior to the city election on April 1 closed at midnight. Mayor Latsch, who has given the city one of the cleanest administrations it has had in many years, and who on his own initiative is securing the building of public baths that will cost over $10,000, refused to be a candidate for mayor again. Dr. E. S. Muir, popular physician, has filed for the democratic nomination for mayor.

Fruit Growers Meet

Austin, Minn.—The fourteenth annual meeting of the Southern Minnesota Horticultural society opened, with a good attendance. The program was of unusual merit, more papers than usual being presented.

The present officers of the society are: President, A. W. Massee, Albert Lea; vice president, J. C. Hawkins, Austin; vice president, L. P. H. Higby, Albert Lea; secretary, O. M. Peterson, Albert Lea; treasurer, Jens A. Jensen, Rose Creek. Direct all correspondence to O. M. Peterson, sec., Albert Lea.

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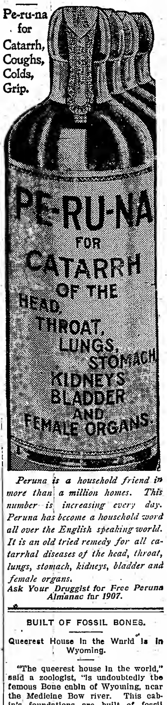

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BUILT OF FOSSIL BONES.

Queerest House in the World is in Wyoming.

"The queerest house in the world," said a zoologist, "is undoubtedly the famous Bone cabin of Wyoming, near the Medicine Bow river. This cabin's foundations are built of fossil bones.

"Bones of dinosaurs jaws of the diplodocus, teeth of the brontosaurus, knuckles of the ichthyosaurus, vertebrae of the camarasaurus, chunks of the barosaurus, the cetiosaurus, the brachiosaurus, the stegioseurus, the the ornitholestes or bird-catching dinoseur—all entered into this wonderful cabin's foundations, making it the most curious and the most costly edifice, not excepting the Pennsylvania capitol, in America.

"This hut was built by a Mexican sheep-herder, who had happened by chance on the grandest extinct animal bed in the world. This was a plot of about 50 yards square wherein lay in rich profusion the bones of all the animals of the reptilian age. The heaviest and the lightest, the largest and the smallest, the most tranquil and the most ferocious lay side by side.

"The place was evidently once a river her, and the dead bodies that floated down the stream were here arrested, to lie for hundreds of thousands of years till a sheep-herder came along, and, rooting among the bones as big as bowlders, set about the building of the world's queerest cabin."

Slightly Mixed.

A travelling salesman died suddenly in Pittsburg, Pa., and some of his friends telegraphed the undertaker an order to make a large wreath. Investigation showed that the telegram ordering the wreath read as follows:

"'Rest in peace,' on both sides of the ribbon; if there should be room: 'We shall meet in heaven.'"

The underteker was out of town, and the new assistant handled the job. It was a startling floral piece which turned up at the funeral. The ribbon was extra wide, and it bore the inscription:

"Rest in peace on both sides, and if there is room we shall meet in heaven."

Judges on Their Dignity.

The ceremony of the United States supreme court judges marching from their robing room across the corridor to take their seats on the bench, which occurs at high noon every week day while the court is holding session, is always a matter of interest to the average visitor at the capitol. Every day there is a small crowd waiting to see the stately procession. The other day Justice Moody, as the youngest member of the august body, brought up the rear. A flicker of a smile appeared on his face as he noted the black-robed figures ahead of him, but it passed away instantly and he became as solemn and grave as the others.

Youthful Astronomer.

Robert H. Baker, formerly of the Amherst faculty is assistant astronomer of the Allegheny observatory at the age of 23.

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER VII.—Continued.

The one who had not laughed was Brigham himself. For to this great man had been given the gift to look upon men and to know in one slow sweep of his wonderful eyes all their strength and all their weakness. He had listened with close attention to the remarkable plan suggested by this fiery young zealot, and he studied him now with a gaze that was kind. A noticeable result of this attitude of Brigham's was that those who had laughed became more or less awkwardly silent, while the Entablature of Truth, in the midst of his pantomime, froze into amazement.

"We'll better consider that a little," said Brigham, finally. "You can talk it over with me to-night. But first you go get your stuff unloaded and get kind of settled. There's a cabin just beyond but two up the street here that you can move into." He put his large hand kindly on the other's shoulder. "Now, go and get fixed and come to my house for supper along about dark."

Somewhat cooled by the laughter of the others, but flattered by this consideration from the Prophet, the young man had gone thoughtfully out to his wagons and driven on to the cabin indicated.

Brigham talked to him late that night, advancing many cogent reasons why it would be unwise to make war at once upon the nation of Gentiles to the east. Of these reasons the one that had greatest weight with his hearer was the assurance that such a war would not at present be pleasing in the sight of God. To others, touching upon the matter of superior force they might have to contend with, he was loftily inattentive.

From matters of civil government they turned to affairs domestic.

"[illegible]," said the young man, "the [illegible] this new order of celestial [illegible]." And Brigham had become [illegible] at once.

"Yes," he said, "when the family [illegible] was revealed from Heaven, and Joseph began on the right and the left to add to his family, oh, dear, what a quaking there was in Israel! But there it was, plain enough. When you have received your endowments, [illegible], all the tokens, signs, and every preparatory ordinance that can be given to a man for his entrance through the celestial gate, then you can [illegible]."

He gazed a moment into the fire of hickory logs before which they sat, and then went on, more confidentially:

"Now you take that promise to Abraham—'Lift up your eyes and behold the stars. So shall thy seed be as numberless as the stars. Go to the sea-shore and look at the sand, and behold the smallness of the particles thereof—I am giving you the gist of the Lord's words, you understand—'and then realize that your seed shall be as numberless as those sands.' Now think for a minute how many particles there are, say in a cubit foot of sand—about one thousand million particles. Think of that! In eight thousand years, if the inhabitants of earth increased one trillion a century, three cubic yards of sand would still contain more particles than there would be people on the whole globe. Yet there you got the promise of the Lord in black and white. Now how was Abraham to manage to get a foundation laid for this mighty kingdom? Was he to get it through one wife? Don't you see how ridiculous that is? Sarah saw it, and Sarah knew that unless seed was raised to Abraham he would come short of his glory. So what did Sarah do? She gave Abraham a certain woman whose name was Hagar, and by her a seed was to be raised up unto him. And was that all? No. We read of his wife Keturah, and also of a plurality of wives which he had in the sight and favor of God, and from whom he raised up many sons. There, then, was a foundation laid for the fulfilment of that grand promise concerning his seed."

He peered again into the fire, and added, by way of clenching his argument: "I guess it would have been rather slow going, if the Lord had confined Abraham to one wife, like some of these narrow, contracted nations of modern Christianity. You see, they don't know that a man's posterity in this world is to constitute his glory and kingdom and dominion in the world to come, and they don't know, either, that there are thousands of choice spirits in the spirit world waiting to tabernacle in the flesh. Of course, there are lots of these things that you ain't ready to hear yet, but now you know that polygamy is necessary for our exaltation to the fulness of the Lord's glory in the eternal world, and after you study it you'll like the doctrine. I do; I can swallow it without greasing my mouth!"

He prayed that night to be made 'holy as Thy servant Brigham is holy, to hear Thy voice as he hears it; to be made as wise as he, as true as he, even as another Lion of the Lord, so that I may be a rod and staff and comforter to these buffeted children of Thine."

His prayer also touched on one of the matters of their talk. "But, O Lord, teach me to be content without thrones and dominion in Thy Kingdom if to gain these I must have many wives. Teach me to abase myself, to be a servant, a lowly sweeper in the temple of the Most High, for I would rather be lowly with her I love than exalted to any place whatsoever with many. Keep in my sinful heart the face of her who has left me to dwell among the Gentiles, whose hair is melted gold, whose eyes are azure deep as the sky, and whose arms once opened warm for me. Guard her especially, O Lord, while she must company with Gentiles, for she is not wonted to their wiles; and in Thine own good time bring her head unharmed to its home on Thy servant's breast."

"You have built me up," he confided to Brigham, one day. "I feel to rejoice in my strength." And Brigham was highly pleased.

"That's good, Brother Joel. The host of Israel will soon be on the move, and I shouldn't wonder if the Lord had a great work for you. I can see places where you'll be just the tool he needs. I mistrust we sha'n't have everything peaceful even now. The priest in the pulpit is thorning the politician against us, gouging him from underneath—he'd never dare do it openly, for our Elders could crimson his face with shame—and the minions of the mob may be after us again. If they do, I can see where you will be a tower of strength in your own way."

"Keep in My Sinful Heart the Face of Her Who Has Left to Dwell Among the Gentiles."

"It's all of my life, Brother Brigham."

"I believe it. I guess the time has come to make you an Elder."

And so on a late winter afternoon in the quiet of the Council-House, Joel Rae was ordained an Elder after the order of Melchisedek; with power to preach and administer in all the ordinances of the church, to lay on hands, to confirm all baptized persons, to anoint the afflicted with oil, and to seal upon them the blessings of health.

In his hard, narrow bed that night, where the cold came through the unchinked logs and the wind brought him the wailing of the wolves, he prayed that he might not be too much elated by this extraordinary distinction.

CHAPTER VIII.

A Revelation from the Lord.

From his little one-roomed cabin, dark, smoky, littered with hay, old blankets, and skins, he heard excited voices outside, one early morning in January. He opened the door and found a group of men discussing a miracle that had been wrought overnight. The Lord had spoken to Brigham and word had come to Zion to move toward the west.

He hurried over to Brigham's house and by that good man was shown the word of the Lord as it had been written down from his lips. With emotions of reverential awe he read the inspired document.

"The Word and Will of the Lord Concerning the Camp of Israel in its Journeyings to the West." Such was its title.

"Let all the people," it began, "of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, be organized into companies with a covenant and a promise to keep all the statutes of the Lord our God.

"Let the companies be organized with captains of hundreds and captains of fifties and captains of tens, with a President and Counsellor at their head under the direction of the Twelve Apostles.

"Let each company provide itself with all the teams, wagons, provisions, and all other necessaries for the journey.

"Let every man use all his influence and property to remove this people to the place where the Lord shall locate a stake of Zion, and let them share equally in taking the poor, the widows, and the fatherless, so that their cries come not up into the ears of the Lord against His people.

"And if ye do this with a pure heart, with all faithfulness, ye shall be blessed in your flocks and in your herds and in your fields and in your families. For I am the Lord your God, even the God of your fathers, the God of Abraham, Isaac, and of Jacob. I am He who led the children of Israel out of the land of Egypt, and my arm is stretched out in these last days to save my people of Israel.

"Fear not thine enemies, for they are in my hands, and I will do my pleasure with them.

"My people must be tried in all things, that they may be worthy to receive the glory that I have in store for them, even the glory of Zion; and he that will not receive chastisement is not worthy of my Kingdom. So no more at present. Amen and Amen!"

This was what he had longed for each winter night when he had seen the sun go down,—the word of the Lord to follow that sun on over the rim into the pathless wilderness, infested by savage tribes and ravenous beasts, abounding in terrors unknown.

Early in April the life began to stir more briskly in the great camp that sprawled along either side of the swollen, muddy river. From dawn to dark each day the hills echoed with the noise of many works, the streets were alive with men and women going and coming on endless errands, and with excited children playing at games inspired by the occasion. Wagons were mended and loaded with provisions and tools, oxen shod, ox bows renewed, guns put in order, bullets moulded, and the thousand details perfected of a migration so hazardous. They were busy, noisy, excited, happy days.

At last, in the middle of April, the signs were seen to be right. Grass grew and water ran, and their part, allotted by the Lord, was to brave the dangers of that forbidding land that lay under the western sun. Then came a day of farewells and merrymaking. In the afternoon, the day being mild and sunny, there was a dance in the bowery,—a great arbor made of poles and brush and wattling. Here, where the ground had been trodden firm, the age and maturity as well as the youth and beauty of Israel gathered in such poor festal array as they had been able to save from their ravaged stores.

The Twelve Apostles led off in a double cotillion, to the moving strains of a violin and horn, the lively jingle of a string of sleigh-bells, and the genial snoring of a tambourine. Then came dextrous displays in the dances of our forbears, who followed the fiddle to the Fox-chase Inn or Garden of Gray's Ferry. There were French Fours, Copenhagen jigs, Virginia reels,—spirited figures blithely stepped. And the grave-faced, square-jawed Elders seemed as eager as the unthinking youths and maidens to throw off for the moment the burden of their cares.

From midday until the April sun dipped below the sharp skyline of the Omaha hills, the modest revel endured.

CHAPTER IX.

Into the Wilderness.

On to the West at last to build the house of God in the mountains. On to what Daniel Webster had lately styled "A region of savages and wild beasts, of deserts, of shifting sands and whirlwinds of dust, of cactus and prairie dogs."

The little band of pioneers chosen to break a way for the main body of the Saints consisted of 143 men, three women, and two children. They were to travel in 73 wagons, drawn by horses and oxen. They knew not where they were to stop, but they were men of eager initiative, fearless and determined; and their consolation was that, while their exodus into the desert meant hardship and grievous suffering, it also promised them freedom from Gentile interference. It was not a fat land into which they were venturing; but at least it was a land without a past, lying clean as it came from the hand of its maker, where they could be free to worship God without fearing the narrow judgment of the frivolous. Instructed in the sacred mysteries revealed to Joseph Smith through the magic light of the Urim and Thummim, and sustained by the divine message engraved on the golden plates he had dug up from the hill of Cumorah, they were now ready to feel their way across the continent and blaze a trail to the new Jerusalem.

They went in military style with due precautions against surprise by the Lamanites—the wretched red remnant of Abraham's seed—that swarmed on every side.

Brigham Young was lieutenant general; Stephen Markham was colonel; the redoubtable John Pack was first major, and Shadrach Roundy, second. There were two captains of hundreds and fourteen captains of tens. The orders of the lieutenant general required each man to walk constantly beside his wagon, leaving it only by his officer's commands. To make the force compact, the wagons were to move two abreast where they could. Every man was to keep his weapons loaded. If the gun was a caplock, the cap was to be taken off and a piece of leather put on to exclude moisture and dirt; if a flintlock, the filling was to be taken out and the pan filled with tow or cotton.

Their march was not only cautious but orderly. At five a. m. the bugle sounded for rising, two hours being allowed for prayers and breakfast. At night each man had to retire to his wagon for prayer at eight-thirty, and to rest at nine. If they camped by a river they drew the wagons into a semicircle with the river at its base. Other times the wagons made a circle, a fore-wheel of one touching a rear wheel of the next, thus providing a corral for the stock. In such manner was the wisdom of the Lord concerning this hegira supplemented in detail by the worldly forethought of his servant Brigham.

They started along the north bank of the Platte river under the auspicious shine of an April sun. A better route was along the south bank where grass was more plentiful and the Indians less troublesome. But along the south bank parties of migrating Gentiles might also be met, and these sons of perdition were to be avoided at any cost—"at least for the present," said Brigham, in tones of sage significance.

And so for 200 miles they broke a new way over the plains, to be known years after as "the old Mormon trail," to be broadened later by the gold-seekers of forty-nine, and still later to be shod with steel, when the miracle of a railway was worked in the desert.

Joel Rae, walking beside his wagon, meditated chiefly upon the manner in which his Witness would first manifest itself. The wonder came, in a way, while he thus meditated. Late one afternoon the scouts thrown in advance came hurrying back to report a large band of Indians strung out in battle array a few miles ahead. The wagons were at once formed five abreast, their one cannon was wheeled to the front, and the company advanced in close formation. Perceiving these aggressive maneuvers, the Indians seemed to change their plan and, instead of coming on to attack, were seen to be setting fire to the prairie.

The result might well have been disastrous, as the wind was blowing toward the train. Joel Rae saw it; saw that the time had come for a miracle if the little company of Saints was to be saved a serious rebuff. He quickly entered his wagon and began to pray. He prayed that the Lord might avert this calamity and permit the handful of faithful ones to proceed in peace to fashion His temple on earth.

When he began to pray there had been outside a woeful confusion of sounds,—scared and plunging horses, bellowing oxen, excited men shouting to the stock and to one another, the barking of dogs and the rattling of the wagons. Through this din he prayed, scarcely hearing his own voice, yet feeling within himself the faith that he knew must prevail. And then as he prayed be became conscious that these noises had subsided to a wonderful silence. A moment this lasted, and then he heard it broken by a mighty shout of gladness followed by excited calls from one man to another.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

LARGE LAND BUSINESS.

St. Paul.—During the last ten years the land business of the state of Minnesota has more than trebled, and the total volume of the financial transactions of the state have nearly doubled.

This is demonstrated by surprising statistics prepared by Samuel G. Iverson, state auditor, relative to the business of his office. For the two years ending July 31, 1896, the end of the fiscal year, the total accumulation from state lands and credited to the different trust funds, was $737,894.65; for the two years ending July 31, 1906, it was $2,239,305.82.

For the two years ending July 31, 1896, the total cash received was $10,909,812.23 and the total amount disbursed during the period was $10,539,751. For the two years ending July 31, 1906, the total amount received was $19,651,114.07, the total amount disbursed, was $19,507,532.62.

Since the formation of its state government, Minnesota has never gone through a year without having a balance to the state's credit at the end of the year. In 1860 this record came near being broken, as the balance at the end of the year was only $675.78. The year 1899 was the one when the state came out with the largest balance ever shown by the auditor's ledger. Exclusive of money carried over from the previous year, it then totaled $2,607,115.97.

ATTEMPTED HOLDUP.

St. Paul.—A daring attempt to hold up a street car at Fillmore avenue and South Robert street was made by a lone highwayman.

The car had stopped to let off some passengers. Just as the conductor rang the "go ahead" bell a man stepped in front of the motorman's window and attracted his attention. Motorman Bernard S. Arndt, thinking that some trouble had happened, opened the door of his car to make inquiries. As he did so the man pointed a revolver at his head.

Mr. Arndt quickly closed the door of the vestibule and scrambled back into the car through the window. When the passengers, the motorman and conductor got outside the car the man was gone. Three men, it is said, were running west on Fillmore avenue.

The police were notified and Sergeant Dennis McCarthy of the Ducas street police station sent out several officers A man giving the name of William Whipple, twenty-eight years old and a stranger in the city, was arrested in a saloon near the Robert street bridge.

EXPERT BEEF CUTTING.

Hamline.—John Gosling is from Missouri, and if there is any one of the component parts of a beef's carcass that he has not discovered, you will have "to show" him. He gave what he calls a "beef demonstration" at the agricultural experiment station of the university, before about 200 of the short course students and a bunch of cattle buyers from South St. Paul.

There is no man in the United States who is better posted on the subject of beefsteak than Mr. Gosling. He was the buyer of export cattle for some of the biggest packing houses in the country for several years; at present he is engaged in the demonstration business, giving his expert opinion on the choice cuts of beef.

There were three beef "critters" used in the classroom—one of the five steers that the school showed at the recent fat stock show in Chicago; a "fair to good" steer from the farm, and a poor skinny cow-creature whose carcass was carved before the farmer-students as a specific warning against killing the wrong sort of "critter" to make beef.

THE STATE WINS.

St. Paul.—Judge Oscar Hallam of the Ramsey district court has granted the request of the state of Minnesota for a temporary injunction against the Great Northern railway's proposed $60,000,000 increase of capital stock. The document was filed with the clerk of court at 8:30 a. m.

Judge Hallam's decision is a complete victory for the state in the action brought last month by Attorney General E. T. Young and his assistant, R. A. Stone, to compel the railroad to recognize the state railroad and warehouse as provided in the laws of the state commission before issuing the stock, requiring railroads first to make application to the commission and to secure its approval of the issue.

All points made by the state were sustained, while the contentions of the railroad company's attorneys, W. R. Begg, F. B. Kellogg, C. A. Severance and R. E. Olds, were contravened.

MINNESOTA LONG JUMP.

Duluth.—More than five thousand people, one of the largest crowds that ever witnessed a ski jumping contest in this country, saw the American record of the long distance jump broken by six feet on the hill of the Duluth Ski club. Ole Feiring of Duluth was the successful contestant. His longest jump was 112 feet, but on each of his trials he broke the former world's record of 106 feet, making 108 on his preliminary attempt, 112 feet on his first regular jump and 110 feet on his second regular jump.

NEWS NOTES.

Northfield.—Carleton's orators chosen by competition to take part in the Ware oratorical contest on Feb. 12 are Edward W. Cross of St. Louis Park, and John Munroe of Dell Rapids, S. D.

Mankato.—District Judge Cray has filed a decision in which he upholds the legality of the re-assessment of the cost of paving Broad street upon the property owners. All but two of the owners have paid. The paving litigation has been in the courts for several years both in the state and federal courts.

Winona.—Wah-a-hauga, the Winnebago chief who was killed on the St. Paul road in the city limits, was buried in Woodlawn cemetery at the expense of the county.

St. Paul.—The Commercial club directors indorse $500,000 bond issue for district high schools.

Ft. Snelling.—Two soldiers were sent to Pasteur Institute.

Minneapolis.—Thomas Hughes, a foreman in the Milwaukee yards, fell down an elevator shaft in the company's storehouse in South Minneapolis and died at St. Barnabas hospital as a result of his injuries.

Minneapolis.—Joseph Habel, who lives at the North Side hotel, was overcome with gas at his room but was rescued by the police who went to the hotel to serve a warrant on him charging him with drunkenness.

Rochester—Rochester's foremost firm of mechanics, Ellis & Edwards, has applied for a patent on an engine which is declared by a patent attorney, W. S. Powers of Minneapolis, to be the most powerful engine yet invented.

Rochester.—At the annual meeting of the Oldsted County Medical association the following officers were elected: President, Dr. J. E. Crewe; vice president, Dr. P. R. Mosse; secretary and treasurer, Dr. Justus Matthews.

Mankato.—Rev. William A. Sunday has replied to the joint committee of local Protestant churches that extended an invitation to him to come to Mankato, saying that he cannot accept the invitation to hold revivals here.

Inver Grove—E. O. Hand, night yardmaster for the Rock Island was severely injured in an accident in the yards. Hand was standing beside a stove in the caboose warming himself when a car struck it, throwing him against the stove.

St. Paul.—The governor also has appointed Dr. Frank D. Parker, a member of the state board of osteopathic examiners and registration, and Dr. C. A. Mack of Stillwater as a member of the state board of veterinary medical examiners.

Mankato.—The annual poultry show of the Central Minnesota Poultry association opened in this city with nearly one thousand entries. The show is the largest and finest yet held by the association, hundreds of entries being made from other towns.

Hitterdal.—Sakri Sandberg, eighty years old and helpless, was burned to death at his home near here. During the absence of his aged wife, Sandberg, who was bedridden, attempted to light his pipe and in doing so set fire to his beard and the bed clothing.

Brainerd.—Attorney General Young has refused to institute proceedings in the name of the state to prevent the division of Itasca county as a contest is already in progress in the courts against the creation of the new county of Koochiching, to comprise the northern half of Itasca county.

Owatonna.—Plans were received in this city for the erection of one of the finest business blocks in this part of Minnesota. The new building is to be erected by the National Farmers' bank. It will cost in the neighborhood of $40,000 or more and will be on one of the most prominent corners of the city.

Hamline.—The proposed legislation before the present session of the legislature requiring graduates of the University of Minnesota law college to take the state bar examination before being admitted to practice, is considered by the faculty members of the law college as a direct slap at their efficiency.

St. Paul.—Governor Johnson announced the appointment of members of the state forestry board for a four-year term as follows: S. M. Owen and John Lind of Minneapolis; F. Weyerhaeuser of St. Paul; W. H. Tomlinson of Le Sueur; N. M. Williams of Little Falls; A. C. Wedge of Albert Lea; S. T. Davis of Duluth.

St. Paul.—Katrina Tschida, 18 years old, and Annie Tschida, 15 years old, daughters of M. A. Tschida, 436 Lafond street, were seriously injured by the closing of a folding bed. Miss Annie has a compound fracture of the right arm below the elbow. Miss Katrina received internal injuries and her recovery is doubtful.

Moorhead.—Gov. Johnson announced the appointment of C. A. Nye as member of the state normal school board, succeeding S. C. Comstock, also of this place. The latter is also a member of the board of regents of the state university, and the governor deemed it advisable to give some other man the position on the normal school board.

Minneapolis.—A clerk employed by the Lund Land company stepped too close to some one while on the way to the bank and the company is out just $400 in cash. The clerk placed the money and started to deposit it, but on reaching the bank found that it was gone. The matter was reported to the police and detectives are investigating.

Mankato.—From $3,000 to $4,000 worth of pearls were taken from the Cedar river by local pearl hunters during the year 1906. Some beautiful pearls were found, one selling for $100 and another for $86. Others ranged in price up to $50 each. The pearls were bought by local dealers and sent to the Eastern market, where the dealers often more than doubled their money.

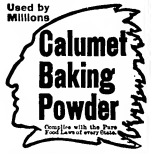
Brainerd.—Fire, which broke out shortly after 6 o'clock in the Reilly block, totally destroyed three store buildings and their contents, entailing a loss in the neighborhood of $75,000, partially covered by insurance. Mrs. Elizabeth Cossins, aged ninety-two, a mother-in-law of two of the men who were burned out, died instantly of the shock when informed that the stores and stock were a total loss.

Duluth.—Minnesota railroads will use every legal effort to prevent the reduction ordered for Jan. 25 in coal, grain and live stock rates by the railroad and warehouse commission.

Wells.—The first meeting of the school boards of Faribault county under the new law was held at Blue Earth on call of County Superintendent Gillman.

St. Paul.—The club women of the state begin an active campaign to secure a separate training school for girls.

Minneapolis.—Two boys from the parental school got away from a deputy sheriff while on the way to the jail.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NO RELIEF HERE.

The lower house of representatives of North Dakota passed a two cent rate bill Monday, and by a vote of [illegible] to 13, which makes the maximum rate to be charged by railroads for carrying passengers, and also prohibits the giving of passes.

The North Dakota legislature appears to be doing something in the way of good for the people this year, and several much desired reform measures have been enacted.

Their work is indeed a contrast to that of the Minnesota legislature now in session at St. Paul. About all the wise solons of our state have done so far is to draw their $5 per and discuss at length a bill to increase their salaries. Bills by the wagon load have been introduced, from prohibiting the use of white elephants as pets down to licensing the stinger on a bee, but the exact worth of the whole bunch of measures isn't but very little.

True, there have been a number of excellent reform measures presented, but they have been so hopelessly covered up by a conglomeration of measures affecting everybody and everything, that they are completely lost in the shuffle, and "the interests" will see to it that they are kept smothered until it is too late to do any good.

The Minnesota legislature is fast earning a reputation as one of the weakest bodies of lawmakers in the west, and the common people may just as well at once abandon all hope of getting any relief at the hands of this august body.

The same people, however, are the ones at fault, and as long as they continue to take no more interest in seeing competent men sent to the legislature than they have done in the past, they can expect to feel the iron grip of the trust or one of its tenacles whenever they attempt to turn around.

Thief River Falls wants the new normal school. Sure Mike! Thief River has always wanted the earth with a few planets thrown in—and it would not be at all surprising to see them attempt to have the capitol at Washington removed to the much inflated burg on the Marshall county line.

The fame of Thief River Falls is widespread. In a mass meeting at Bemidji the other evening, when the normal school proposition was being discussed, a prominent attorney there stated in his speech that Thief River was after the school and had a prominent lobbyist at work at St. Paul in their interests. In contrasting that place with Bemidji as a location for the new school this attorney said: "Thief River Falls was a small burg located at the stub-end of a branch line of the G. N. railway, running from Crookston. True, they had the Soo road, but the trains did not run six months in the year, and were of little value. so far, to that place"

The Northern Pacific railroad company is sending out marked copies of the Minneapolis Tribune containing a series of articles written by Howard Elliot, president of the road, and the newspapers especially are being favored by these marked papers. It is easy to see wherein the railroads will not suffer in articles written by one of the keenest railroad men in the business, and the only purpose the N. P. can have is to lend the impression that the railroads are the benefactors and are hampered by public sentiment being against them. "The People and the Railroads" is a subject that offers food for thought far greater than can be given it off-hand, but when the time comes that the railroads are operated for the benefit of the people instead of the chosen few there will not be any great demand for articles along the lines of the one being written by Mr. Elliot.

MINNESOTA'S FARM LANDS.

Acre for acre, the farm lands of Minnesota are far better than even the best of the lands of either Kansas or Nebraska west of a line drawn through the center of those two states and are as productive as the choicest farming sections east of that line. And this is as true of the lands of Northern Minnesota as of those of the beautifully cultivated and finely productive southern part of the state.

Further, experience has shown in every place where it has been tested, notably in the once great Kankakee marshes of Illinois and Indiana, that lands from which it has been necessary to drain off water are far more fertile than even the choicest bits of the surrounding territory and consequently, command premium prices in the market.

Minnesota has not heretofore attracted its full, fair share of farming immigrants, but it has not taken the same steps to advertise its advantages as its really less favored sister states have done nor has it had the assistance such as the railroads, seeking passenger business, have given to the others for a long term of years in the form of colonist or homeseeker excursions.

In this respect, Minnesota is very like Missouri—another queenly state of immense resources. But Minnesota and Missouri will soon come into their own rightful places in the very forefront of great agricultural states. If the legislature shall enact a good strong drainage law, this advance will be greatly accelerated, especially as regards Northern Minnesota. But it is certain to come nevertheless and that before very many years.—Duluth Herald.

Statement of the Condition of the Merchants State Bank at Red Lake Falls, Minn.

STATEMENT of the condition of Merchants State Bank at Red Lake Falls, Minn., at close of business on Jan. 26, 1007. Date of Call by Supt., Jan. 26, 1907. Date of Report by bank, Jan. 30, 1907.

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts			$102,167 57
Overdrafts			735 31
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			5,649 74
Other Real Estate			1,994 25
Due from Banks		$19,440 58	
Checks and Cash Items		3,271 03	
Cash on Hand, items below		6,107 88	
Currency	$3,146 00		
Gold	1,060 00		
Silver	1,900 00		
Other	1 88		
Total Cash Assets		28,810 49	28,819 49
Other Resources			7,616 65
Total			$146,983 04

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock		$ 15,000 00
Surplus Fund		3,000 00
Undivided Profits, Net		5,768 64
Deposits Subject to Check	$ 43,778 63	
Demand Certificates	1,138 47	
Cashier's Checks	80 48	
Total Immediate Liabilities	44,997 58	
Time Certificates	78,216 82	
Total Deposits	123,214 40	123,214 40
Total		$146,983 04

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake, }

I, J. A. Duffy, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above Statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. DUFFY, Cashier.

Attest:
A. P. TOUPIN, } Directors
L. A. KAUFER, }

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of January. 1907.

P. F. POOLIOT,
Notary Public, Red Lake County, Minn.

My Commission expires March 13, 1908.

WILL NEVER CHANGE.

Fertile Journal: The supreme court last week handed down a decision in the Red Lake county seat fight in which Red Lake Falls gets the best of its rival, Thief River Falls. It seems the fight for county seat honors in that county has only begun and it will be years, if ever, before it will be changed.

In discussing the present as a period of "law enforcement" the Review of Reviews takes a very hopeful view. In part it says: "With the Interstate Commerce Commission showing a new spirit of energy, the Interior Department relentless against evil-doers, the new Department of Commerce able and willing to make use of its powerful weapon of publicity, and the Department of Justice aroused to fresh efforts by the prestige of its recent successes, we are quite sure to see within the coming two years an activity in the enforcement of federal laws such as we have hardly ever witnessed before. In former periods of immense business prosperity and tendency to seculation it has been difficult to keep the Government departments free from corrupt relationship with private enterprise. But we have come into a period of honest as well as efficient administration."

Bray.

Chas. Lindquist transacted business at Red Lake Falls Wednesday.

M. J. Akerlund has arrived home from his work on the G. N. railway to spend a week with brothers and sister.

Alfred Olson and Halvor Hanson drove to St. Hilaire last Tuesday.

A debate was held in the school house Friday evening as usual. The subject for debate was, "Resolved. That it is better to farm a 160 acre farm than a larger one." The verdict of the judges was in favor of the negative side.

C. P. Swanson and E. J. Akerlund transacted business at St. Hilaire Friday.

Carl Person of Thief River Falls has been here during the last week looking over friends and relatives.

Chas. Lindquist drove to St. Hilaire last Friday.

Mike Ault made a trip to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

Badger

Welter Columbus and sister. Miss Florence, crossed the Badger limit Sunday afternoon and were travelling east.

A party of Ed. St. Yves' young friends gathered at the latter's home Sunday and spent the evening most pleasantly. Those present were Messrs. Homer and Horece Laurent, Louis Qnesnell and Edmond Cadieux and the Misses Anne Quesnell and Dore Cedieux.

Demasse LeChance and Adelard Leurent were business callers at M. Quesnell's Monday morning.

Dolphis Champeeu and lady of this place, were visitors at the home of their son, Dan, at Red Lake Falls over Saturday and Sunday.

Pete LaChence and sister, Rose, entertained a number of Terrebonne and Bedger friends at their home Sunday evening.

Messrs. Ovile Robillard and Adelard Laurent and wives were guests at Michel Quesnell's last Sunday.

Miss Annie Ducharme is expected home these days from Lambert where she has been visiting for the past week.

A new milking machine has just been invented and is in successful operation at Dayton, Ohio. It is an electric motor which fastens to the rump of the cow, the electricity being generated by a small dynamo to her tail. She switches her tail, the dynomo starts and by means of a bevel gear and block and tackle the milk is extracted, strained and the pail and strainer hung up to dry. A small phonograph accompanies the outfit and yells "so" every time the cow moves. If she lifts her foot to kick, a little dingus slides over a whatnot and the phonograph says "damn it." If she continues to kick a hinged arm grabs up the milk stool and "lams" her on the back until it loosens a patch of skin the size of a dust pan.—Ex.

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and look in the glass—you will see the effect—You can't help puckering—it makes you pucker to think of tasting it.

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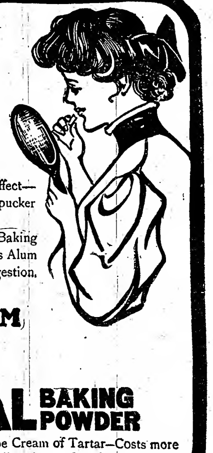
Royal is made from pure, refined Grape Cream of Tartar—Costs more than Alum but you have the profit of quality, the profit of good health.



COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the City Hall, Thursday, January, 24th, 1907.

Meeting called to order by president Borchers.

Roll called.

Aldermen all present.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

John Deforge, for street work		$14 85
John Deforge,	do	9 90
Peter Fairo,	do	75
Julius Keuhl,	do	7 50
Joseph Payment,	do	75
Zelser Bros., livery		3 00
John Drier, salary as fire warden, 2 mo		12 00
James Brady, salary as alderman, etc		37 00
Joseph Sally, for coal		15 90
J. C. Wilkinson, for salary as health officer and city physician bill of $52.00 allowed at		27 00

The application for abatement of taxes of Joseph Lachance on lots 21 and 22 of block 2, in Rail Road addition, was, on motion, duly recommended.

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Hennemutb and seconded by Alderman Crompe:

Resolved, that the sum of $20.00 per month, beginning January 1st, 1907, and ending January 1st, 1908, be and the same is hereby appropriated toward the Red Lake Falls band, and that the mayor and city clerk are hereby authorized to issue its city warrant monthly on the general fund of said city in payment thereof.

Upon roll call the following aldermen voted aye: Hennemuth, Crompe, Bray, Paul and Borchers.

Nays: None.

Whereupon the president declared the motion adopted.

The clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for city printing for the present year.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 30th day of January A. D. 1907.

J. A. Duffy,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until February 2nd, 1907, at 6 o'clock p. m., for 175 cords of green poplar and 25 cords of green oak to be delivered at the Washington and Lafayette schools in Red Lake Falls, on or before April 1st, 1907.

By order of the school board.

Dated January 23rd, 1907.

A. P. TOUPIN, Secy.

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Rocky Mountain Tea Nuggets
A Busy Medicine for Busy People.
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The Local Field---

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Just received a car of Hocking Valley soft coal. See Salley for your supply.

Lewis Seiff visited at Plummer Saturday,

Frank Doyea visited at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Sheriff Nelson was a Thief River Falls visitor on professional business Monday.

Moses Allard arrived here from Bigfork Saturday for a week's sojourn with his relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Moquin, living on the North Side, welcomed the arrival of a girl baby at their home Sunday.

MEN WANTED--To cut 500 cords of poplar wood, eight miles east of this city. Inquire of V. M. Higinbotham.

Conductor James Regan, of Crookston, is spending the week at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Regan, in this city.

For Sale—A "Jewett" Typewriter, just as good as new, which we will sell at a bargain. First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Mrs. C. Baker left for her home at Itaces, this state, Saturday evening, after a visit of a month at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Cairns, in this city.

Services will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m., and 7:30 p. m., the Rev. I. T. Aastad of Thief River Falls officiating. All are invited.

FARM LOAN:—We have money of private parties to loan on improved farms at 7 per cent. Liberal terms of payment. No delays. Come and see us before placing a loan. Germo & Farley. d13-4w

Butcher James Blake was handing out the cigars Tuesday on the arrival of a fine new son of regulation weight at the Blake home that morning. The mother and child are doing nicely while Daddy Jim is bearing up well under his added responsibilities.

F. E. Sullivan, who is a heavy railroad contractor and who at the present time has large contracts near Great Falls, Montana, left last week after having spent a few days with relatives and friends in this city. Despite the heavy snow, work has been continued all winter out west.

Arthur Mercier, formerly of this city, but now of Calgary, N. W. T., and Miss Emma Lonson of Thief River Falls, were married at that place last Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. The newly wedded pair arrived here Monday evening to spend a week with Mr. Mercier's mother and other relatives and friends, after which they will remain a week at Thief River and then depart for Calgary, to make their future home. Mr. Mercier has a fine situation at Calgary and is greatly pleased with that country as a place of abode. He reports that the present winter has been most severe that country has ever known, and that much suffering has been occasioned as a result of the cold weather. However, this winter was an exception, and the general opinion is that it will not occur again for another decade.

'Phone 7—Groceries—SPILLANES.

Best confectionery in the city at Freund's

O. B. Cruzen was in from Wylie on business Monday.

See Salley for your hard and soft coal. Large stock on hand and delivery made promptly.

Samuel Giheau went over to Grand Forks last evening to attend to some business matters for a day or two.

Arthur Zaiser arrived home yesterday from a business trip to the Big Fork country, where he has spent the past week.

County Surveyor Wood came down from Thief River last evening to look after some matters at the court house pertaining to his official capacity.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall departed Tuesday evening for the cities where she will visit her son, Drew, and Mrs. James Meehan for a week. She will also visit at Litchfield before returning.

The official proceedings of the recent meeting of the board of county commissioners appear in supplement form in today's Gazette, and the reader can read for himself what the board accomplished.

Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson arrived home from the cities Saturday morning after having spent several days there in attendance at the meeting of the Minnesota Sheriff's association. Mr. Nelson reports a profitable gathering and a first-class time.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Duffy rejoice in the arrival of a fine new son at their home, which arrived on Thursday afternoon last. The youngster is a healthy specimen of babyhood, and the Gazette trusts that he may live long as a joy and comfort to his parents.

Will Holberg is again able to be about town after a several month's lay-up with a very serious attack of inflamatory rheumatism. "The Pope" has certainly had his share of sickness during the past few years, and his many friends will hope that he may forever and on escape further attacks on his health.

St. Hilaire Spectator: The north bound freight while switching in the yard here last Thursday evening accidently ran into an open switch about seven o'clock and the engine, tender and the front end of a box car ran off the track. The south bound freight was at Red Lake Falls and was sent for and they succeeded in putting them back on the track again after several hours' hard work, and the freight left for Greenbush about 11 p. m.

The Plummer creamery has done a remarkably successful business during the year just past, and the statement published in last week's Pioneer makes a remarkably good showing. During the year 1906 the creamery received 211,070 pounds of cream, and received a totel of $13,561.59, paying the patrons $11,073.02 during the year. The average price paid to patrons for butter fat was 20.6 cents per pound. The farmers out east realize that the creamery and cheese factory help out wonderfully in the year's receipts, and rally to the support of these institutions in a commendable manner.

See Salley for your coal supply.

VALENTINES AND MASKS AT SPILLANE'S.

Editor Harry E. Ives and wife, were down from St. Hilaire over last night.

Linus Hoiberg and wife are now keeping house in the Rogge house on the North Side.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Billy Lee came over from Kelliher Monday and is spending several days with his many friends here. Billy is now employed at Kelliher.

Dr. Spofford is at Grand View Hotel, Red Lake Falls, the 7th day of every month. Latest scientific methods in examining eyes and fitting glasses.

Miss Stella Hennemuth came in from Lambert yesterday to spend a few days at her home here and to take in the teachers' examinations being held at the high school building today.

Mrs. Chas. Cyr returned to her home here Sunday after spending a month at the home of her son, Henry Cyr, in Poplar River. A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cyr on the 17th inst, and Grandma Cyr was out getting acquainted with the new arrival.

The Misses Hanson, Lamb, Trudo and Wilson will entertain at the K. P. hall Saturday afternoon and evening. In the afternoon from 3 to 5 the married ladies will be their guests, and cards will furnish the amusement. In the evening a dancing party will be given, from 9 to 12, when the young people will be their guests.

St. Hilaire Spectator: A couple of mallard ducks have been spending the winter in a little pool of water made by the artesian well on John Maakrud's farm just south of town. They located there early last fall and got quite tame and John took good care that they had plenty to eat. Someone shot one of them a couple of weeks ago and the other soon after left for a warmer climate.

The Foresters and their ladies tendered a reception at their hall last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Eusebe H. Normandeau and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Harlow, two of the Foresters who have recently joined the ranks of the Benedicts. Dancing and cards were the features, Freund's orchestra providing the music. Elaborate refreshments were served and a very enjoyable time resulted.

Justice Toupin rendered his decision Monday in the case of Brohman vs. Singer, which was tried before him last Thursday. The decision is in favor of Brohman, who is giving a judgment for $103. The case was over a dispute in regard to some money paid at the time Brohman held his auction sale, and was stubbornly fought on both sides. Attorney Boughton represented Mr. Brohman. It is thought that Singer will appeal to the district court.

People should beware the pneumonia microbe. This is the time of the year it travels about in large number seeking whom it may attack and lay flat on their backs. The grip and rheumatism microbes are also abroad in the land. Among others the bacilli mentioned flourish in cold weather—a forty below zero atmosphere only merely eases their activity and destructiveness. When you go forth into the frigid atmosphere wrap yourselves warmly, brethren, especially about the chest, and thus frustrate the designs of the ravenous winter microbes.

A case is on in Justice Toupin's court this afternoon entitled the State vs. P.K.Olson. Olson is charged with slander of females, and the action is brought at the instigation of Louis Seiff, the complaint setting forth that the defendant has slandered and vilified the wife of the complaintant. A jury is sitting on the case and it is thought that the entire afternoon will be occupied with the work of hearing evidence and reaching a verdict. County Attorney Germo is conducting the State's case, while Attorney Grady is attorney for Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Whalen arrived here yesterday from LeSueur, and are at present staying with their son on their new farm property in Red Lake Falls township. Mrs. Whalen will remain here from now on with her son, who has charge of the farm, while her husband will return to LeSuer within a few days, where he has some business matters to arrange before moving here definately. Mr. Whalen is the gentleman who recently purchased the Gideon Porier farm in this township, and expects to have everything ready when spring arrives so that the place can be handled to the best advantage. He will bring a large amount of blooded stock here with him, and intends to make his place a model grain and stock farm. Mr. Whalen is worth a lot to any country, and the Gazette is pleased to welcome him as a resident of the best part of the best county in the best state in the union.

Subscribe for The Gazette.

Salley sells coal. Phone 79.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Notice the new ad. of the First State Bank in today's Gazette.

Read the new advertisement of G. A. Kankel in today's Gazette. There is meat in it for the buyer.

M. and Mrs. Joseph Belair returned Thursday last from a several days visit with friends at Crookston.

Miss Rose Cyr arrived home Monday from Bigfork where she has spent the past few weeks with relatives and friends.

Frank St. Martin has been quite ill the past week with an attack of stomach trouble, but is reported as improving at present.

Sheriff Nelson drove out to Plummer yesterday to summon some witnesses in the case that is being tried before Justice Toupin here today.

The Royal Neighbors will give a children's party at the Woodmen hall on Friday evening, February 8. All Royal Neighbors and Woodmen and their families are cordially invited to attend.

Freund's orchestra drove out to Plummer Saturday afternoon and played for a big dance held there that evening. As is usual they gave excellent satisfaction. The dance was a very enjoyable one and was largely attended.

Miss Tillie Matthies is recovering from an attack of blood poisoning. A few weeks ago she scratched her hand with a pin and blood poisoning set in, causing her considerable inconvenience. Dr. Wilkinson attended to the injury and she is at present recovering nicely.

Leo Spillane arrived here Monday from Cloquet and will spend a month or so with his parents and many friends. Leo has been working at the printing business in various parts of the state for the past year, and during the past four months has held a good position on a Cloquet paper.

The thermometer got busy again Sunday and Monday and the mercury lingered persistently around the bottom of the tube continually. Sunday morning the reports varied, but it is safe to say that 35 below is a conservative estimate, while Monday wasn't much better. It is a sure thing that the present winter will long be remembered by the "oldest inhabitant."

Edward Paul who recently received his discharge from Uncle Sam's army at the Presido of Montrey, California, writes to his parents here that he will not be home before May or June. Ed has lived in the land of sunshine and flowers so long that he is a little skittish about coming back into the frigid zone, and there are a lot of us who will pronounce his decision at this time as a wise one.

The regular monthly concert by the Red Lake Falls band was given before a large and appreciative audience at the Metropolitan opera house last Friday evening. The program of band numbers was a well arranged one, and contained many difficult and beautiful selections. The Orpheus Quartette rendered a couple of delightful numbers and Paul Brunelle recited the "Black Horse and His Rider." Both efforts were liberally applauded. A social dance followed the concert, and all present enjoyed a delightful evening.

Martin Helgeson, a young man 22 years of age was crushed under a load of poplar wood last Tuesday and killed two miles southeast of Thief River Falls. He was engaged in hauling polls with his cousin, Henry Helgeson and was walking alongside the load when a bad piece of road caused the load to tip over and fall upon him. His lungs were crushed so badly that he died almost instantly.

County Attorney Germo was called to Thief River Falls yesterday, as he presumed on a criminal case, but when he got there he found there was nothing to it. It appears that a party at Thief River owed a liveryman some money for livery hire, and was unable to pay. The liveryman had him arrested and attempted to make the county attorney's office a collection agency—charging the debtor with fraud. The fellow expressed a willingness to pay, but couldn't do it just now, so there was no grounds for holding him in a criminal action and the case was dismissed.

The annual meeting of the Red Lake County Agricultural association was held at Thief River Falls last Monday evening and new officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: President, C. C. Jackson: 1st vice-president, John Morgan; 2nd vice-president, O. J. Shei; secretary, M. V. Evenson; asst. secretary, Melvin Evenson; treasurer, F. J. Stebbins. The lease for the fair grounds expires this year, and the owner C. J. Knox, will not rent them again. A committee was appointed to arrange for the purchase of new grounds.

The young folks had a very enjoyable party at the W. T. Spillane home last Saturday evening. Various games furnished the amusement and refreshments in abundance were provided. The following were present: The Misses Eda Lizee, Eva and Louise Paradis, Marie Cadieux, Kathleen Spillane, Cora Paul, Dora Toupin, Della Duhuc, Mona Zeh, Alma Guillmette, Leah Latendresse, Eva Beaudro and Erma Schreiter, Masters Carl Buse, Walter and Theo Gareeau, Alfred Floan, Robert Zaiser, Marcus Marshall, David Paradis and Ray Linnihan.

Muslin Underwear, Laces, Embroideries, Lingeries, are now the

Talk of the Hour!

We never were better equipped in those kindred lines than we are now. We always were headquarters in that line and we intend to maintain the supremacy. Our laces and embroideries are put up in book form, so you don't have to spend half a day looking at a stock, you can see it all at a glance, so to speak......................................

Dress Goods

Our dress goods will be here next week. It will be a winner. Never have we spent so much time and exercised such care in selecting a line as we have this spring. Quality, and above all, style will be the strong feature of the line. You may depend on the goods to be the very latest. Wait till they get here before making any selections.

.. Shoes ..

Don't forget the St. Cecilia shoes when you need a pair of fine shoes. These shoes are gaining popularity every day. The price is **$3.50** made in Welts or Turns, plain lace or blucher in B, C, D, E and EE. We have the stock, so you are sure of a fit. For a cheaper shoe try our Godman at 1.75-2.25 You will be surprised at the style and the wear they will do you. No better shoes made.

Specials in Groceries

9 bars Calumet Laundry Soap **25c,** Fancy can Pears **15c-7 for $1,** Corn **75c** doz, maple syrup **1.35,** clothes pins 4 doz for **5c,** pop corn **8c** box, 5 lb jar jelly **20c,** bird seed **7c,** Jap Rose **7c** bar, Castile soap **3c** bar, Ink **3c** bottle, After-dinner Mints **10-25c,** 100-piece set English Semi-Porcelain Dinner set **7.25**

It Pays to Trade at

THE BIG STORE

Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

After Inventory Remnant Sale

We have just completed our annual inventory and find that we have a few remnants in ***Dress Goods*** and other fabrics. These are all staple goods, but in order to clean them out we are offering them at ***Greatly Reduced Prices.***

In Our Winter Goods ... Department ...

we find that we are overstocked in some lines, and wishing to make room for Spring Goods which will arrive later, we are cutting prices on all overstocked lines in order to move them quickly. These are all first-class goods and it will pay you to look them over.

THE BUSY STORE

GARCEAU & ZAISER.

Poultry Taken At Highest Market Prices.

Keen Kutter

E.C. SIMMONS KEEN KUTTER ST. LOUIS MO.

To the buyer of cutlery and tools the trade-mark "Keen Kutter" has a meaning that can only be appreciated after a thorough trial has been given. We are pleased to announce to the trade that we now have a complete line of

"Keen Kutter" Cutlery and Tools

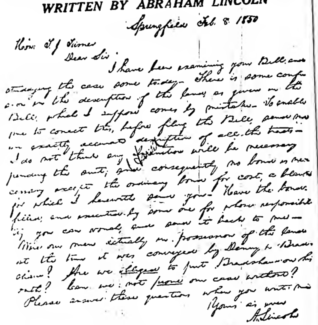
and invite the keenest inspection of this handsome new stock. We have also received some new . . .

"One Minute Washers"

the latest and easiest running washing machine made. If you are in the market for a washing machine don't fail to look at the "One-Minute Washer." Wash day will have no terrors for the housewife thereafter. The women are invited to come in and see one work. No trouble to show its workings.

The Hardware Man **G. A. KANKEL** *Red Lake Falls, Minn.*

WRITTEN BY ABRAHAM LINCOLN



Springfield Feb. 8. 1850

Hon: T. J. Turner

Dear Sir:

I have been examining your Bill. and studying the case some to-day. There is some confusion in the description of the land, as given in the Bill, which I suppose comes by mistake. To enable me to correct this, before filing the Bill, send me an exactly accurate description of all the tracts. I do not think any injunction will be necessary pending the suit; and consequently no bond is necessary except the ordinary bond for cost, a blank for which I herewith send you. Have the bond filled, and executed by some one for whose responsibility you can vouch, and send it back to me. Was our man actually in possession of the land at the time it was conveyed by Denny & Brad. Are we obliged to put Bradshaw on his oath? Can we not prove our case without? Please answer these questions when you write me.

Yours as ever

A. Lincoln

An autograph letter of Abraham Lincoln written more than half a century ago to his life-long friend, Thomas J. Turner, of Freeport, Ill., afterward a colonel in an Illinois regiment, is here reproduced as an object of national interest.

The value of this letter to the family to whom it has descended—like an heirloom in succession—may be estimated from the fact that it has passed from deathbed to deathbed as a sacred trust in the Turner generations, the man to whom it was written treasuring the series of Lincoln's correspondence in order to bequeath to members of his family souvenirs whose value he foresaw with prophetic eye.

Any letter of Abraham Lincoln's would be of interest to the people of Illinois, especially one written before the period of war and turmoil, when the Springfield lawyer was engaged in the vocations of peace. The owner of the letter—a Freeport man—is now living in Chicago.

Famous Illinois Tavern.

Where Lincoln, When a Circuit Riding Lawyer, Swapped Stories.

With the demolition of the old Kelley tavern, torn down to make room for a barn, there passed one of the famous old hostelries of Illinois. Built in [illegible], the old tavern became the stopping place of all west bound travelers, it being the only hotel between Danville and Urbana on the state road.

For years it enjoyed great popularity, especially during its ownership by [illegible] Kelley, who operated it from [illegible] until 1861. During the '50s it was the regular stopping place of the old time circuit riding lawyers, among whom were Abraham Lincoln and Judge David Davis. Both Lincoln and Davis were warm friends of Kelley, whose ready wit and great fund of stories made him a favorite with both men. Kelley was a great story teller, and during the months intervening between the April and September terms of court he searched assiduously for "new stories to tell Abe."

Often Lincoln's coming, being heralded about the surrounding country, drew scores of farmers to the hotel, and not infrequently residents of Urbana drove down to enjoy the contest between the two great story tellers. However well equipped with new material was Mr. Kelley he always found himself vanquished by Mr. Lincoln, whose fund of anecdotes seemed inexhaustible. Old residents say that the two champions frequently told stories almost all night, Lincoln sitting in an immense armchair, with wide rockers and a buffalo robe cushion, known to the household as "Abe's chair." The old chair is still in the possession of the Kelley family, one of its most cherished heirlooms.

The old tavern played an important part in the social life of the community. Here during the winter months assembled all the young people for miles around to dance and enjoy themselves. In the yard were held the turkey shoots on Thanksgiving and Christmas, when the pioneers assembled to prove their wonderful skill with their old muzzle loading firearms. Whisky on these occasions flowed freely, and some famous fights have occurred about the old building, but for the most part the early settler was good natured, even in his cups, and no serious damage was done in these encounters.

With the coming of the railroads and the passing of the stage coach the old tavern suffered a lamentable falling off in business, and after a precarious existence it was closed and the building became the home of a tenant farmer. Later it was used for the storage of grain and farm implements. Falling into decay, it has at last been torn down, after an existence of 75 years, many of its timbers going into the new barn.

As Wallace Saw Lincoln.

Famous Author Wrote Entertainingly of First Meeting.

The charm of Lew Wallace's Autobiography consists not only in the fact that the author was a famous general and famous novelist, but that so many of his recollections are reminiscent of the great.

One of the most fascinating descriptions is that of his first sight of Abraham Lincoln. It was in 1850, at a tavern in Danville, Ill.

Wallace writes as follows:

"There was one of the contestants who arrested my attention early, partly by his stories partly by his appearance. Out of the mist of years he comes to me now exactly as he appeared then.

"His hair was thick, coarse and defiant; it stood out in every direction. His features were massive, nose long, eyebrows protrusive, mouth large, cheeks hollow, eyes gray and always responsive to the humor. He smiled all the time, but never once did he laugh outright. His hands were large, his arms slender and disproportionately long. His legs were a wonder, particularly when he was in narration; he kept crossing and uncrossing them, sometimes it actually seemed he was trying to tie them into a bowknot.

"Altogether, I thought him the gauntest, quaintest and most positively ugly man who had ever attracted me enough to call for study. Still, when he was in speech, my eyes did not quit his face. He held me in unconsciousness.

"About midnight his competitors were disposed to give in; either their stories were exhausted, or they were tacitly conceding him the crown. From answering them story for story, he gave two or three to their one. At last he took the floor and held it. And, looking back, I am now convinced that he frequently invented his replications; which is saying he possessed a marvelous gift of improvisation.

"Such was Abraham Lincoln. And to be perfectly candid, had one stood at my elbow that night in the old tavern and whispered: 'Look at him closely. He will one day be president and the savior of his country,' I had laughed at the idea but a little less heartily than I laughed at the man.

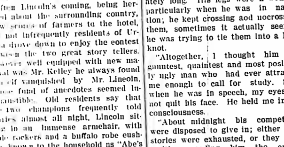
"Afterward I came to know him better, and then I did not laugh."

Lincoln Then and Now.

Tall, swart, ungainly, gaunt, he stood before us,
Chaffed by the mob for his unsightliness.
Now like a very god he towers o'er us,
Beloved for his tender knightliness.

A laughing-stock his figure when we knew him,
A shrine for all that's best in us since then.
Revering e'en the blessed soil that grew him—
A model he for all his fellow men.
—Baltimore American.

MODEL OF LINCOLN'S ONLY PATENT



One of the most valuable of the government's unique collection of patent models, the finest in the world, is No. 6,469, granted May 22, 1849 to Abraham Lincoln for method of lifting vessels over shoals. The device consists of the application to a river steamer, of two or more collapsible floats made like bellows, worked from sides of boat by upright poles. When a vessel so equipped strikes shoal water the bellows are inflated by pressure on the poles, which is supposed to raise the boat clear of the bottom. When the bellows are to be deflated a windlass raises the poles.—N. Y. World.

A STRAPPING YOUTH.

Kneeling at her tiny feet
Shod in dainty shoes,
For a pleasure so complete
Who'd a chance refuse?
As she lingers on the ice
And to give awaits
Joy to some admirer nice
Strapping on her skates.

Careful not to pinch her toes,
Nor to bruise her heels,
Though a fellow freeze his nose
Or an ear congeals,
Naught can chill his bliss to hold
Those wee pedal mates,
Though he shivers with the cold
Strapping on her skates.
—Judge.

Too Suggestive.

Sandy Pikes—What did the kind lady say when you told her all dem historical stories?

Gritty George—She said I was a wss a "wise old saw."

Sandy Pikes—Great hobos! Yer better run. Next thing she'll be expecting you to show up at de woodpile.—Chicago Daily News.

DIDN'T LIKE DARK COLORS.

Jobos—I heard you tell that man to never darken your door again. Trying to marry your daughter?

Thoms—No; he's a painter and he painted my front door ebony instead of oak.—Troy Budget.

Father Explains.

Johnny—Papa, what does automobile mean?

Papa—It comes from the Greek "auto"—self—and the Latin "mobile" movement. It means a machine that goes by itself.

Johnny—Doesn't any one have anything to do with it?

Papa (who tries to drive a horse and buggy)—No one with any self-respect.—Home Magazine.

Rough on Bill.

"What has become of Bad Bill?" asked the new arrival in the Frozen Heart hotel.

"Bad Bill?" echoed the landlord. "Oh, he 'bit the dust' yesterday."

"What? Bad Bill dead?"

"Oh, no. Bill took a ride in a tenderfoot's gasoline carriage and swallowed a peck of dust in a twenty-mile spin."—Chicago Daily News.

All His Trouble in Vain.

The scientist had invaded the jungle and conquered the monkey language.

"And now that you have acquired our lingo," said the head monkey, "have you any information of value to convey to us?"

Of course, the scientist, nonplused, had to sneak back to civilization.

Moments of History.

Ulysses looked upon the sirens with considerable amusement, at the same time ordering the man at the prow not to hurry.

"There was a time," he observed flippantly, "when your antics would have amused me. But—musical comedy is not what it used to be."—Life.

Mr. Henpeck Warned.

Mr. Henpeck—I shall have to go to town to-day, my dear, and I shall want some money, for there's train fare, lunch, 'bus fares, and I've got to—

Mrs. H.—Well, then, take this shilling, and mind, if you come home the worse for drink I'll not let you in.

A Society Mother.

Rector—And have you any children?

Society Woman—Yes; three little darlings.

Rector—Are they boys or girls?

Society Woman—Dear me! Do you know, for the moment I can't remember?—N. Y. Times.

Not Guilty.

"Pop!"

"Yes, my son."

"Do poets have to be born?"

"Yes, my boy."

"Ain't the stork responsible for them, too?"—Yonkers Statesman.

His View Point.

"I see that the duke of Atholl, in England, has 22 titles."

"What of it?"

"Wouldn't you like to have that many and be able to sell each one to an heiress?"—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Compact.

Eve—Belle going to be married and live in a flat? Why, I don't see how she will have room.

Edna—Oh, yes, she is going to accept such a narrow-minded chap.—Chicago Daily News.

Simplified Art.

Patience—That painting doesn't look like one of the old masters.

Patrice—No, it's not. The artist belongs to the new school of simplified painters.—Yonkers Statesman.

BOY WAS SOMEWHAT MIXED.

Had Wrong Idea of the Sound to Be Removed.

Deacon Allen Sheldon, who recently passed away, was universally respected by all who knew him, and his stories were listened to with much delight, says a writer in the Boston Herald. He used to tell the following with a great deal of interest:

When a very small boy he asked his father to let him go with him to the town meeting. He went, with the promise that when he returned he would tell the folks what happened.

In those days the church was supported by a tax on every property holder. Whatever of interest came up for the church had to be voted on at the town meeting.

The pastor being feeble and his voice not strong, an article in the town warrant called for the removal of the sounding board from over the pastor's head, since it acted as an extinguisher, and not as originally planned. When Allen returned he told his mother about the sounding board, and said:

"Mr. Flagg got up and said, in his squeaky voice: 'Mr. Moderator, I make a motion that we remove the sound from under the board.'"

AWFUL EFFECT OF ECZEMA.

Covered with Yellow Sores—Grew Worse—Parents Discouraged—Cuticura Drove Sores Away.

"Our little girl, one year and a half old, was taken with eczema or that was what the doctor called it. We called in the family doctor, and he gave some tablets and said she would be all right in a few days. The eczema grew worse and we called in doctor No. 2. He said she was teething, as soon as the teeth were through she would be all right. But she still grew worse. Doctor No. 3 said it was eczema. By this time she was nothing but a yellow, greenish sore. Well, he said he could help her, so we let him try it about a week. One morning we discovered a little yellow pimple on one of her eyes. Of course we 'phoned for doctor No. 3. He came over and looked her over, and said that he could not do anything more for her, that we had better take her to some eye specialist, since it was an ulcer. So we went to Oswego to doctor No. 4, and he said the eyesight was gone, but that he could help it. We thought we would try doctor No. 5. Well, that proved the same, only he charged $10 more than doctor No. 4. We were nearly discouraged. I saw one of the Cuticura advertisements in the paper and thought we would try the Cuticura Treatment, so I went and purchased a set of Cuticura Remedies, which cost me $1, and in three days our daughter, who had been sick about eight months, showed great improvement, and in one week all sores had disappeared. Of course it could not restore the eyesight, but if we had used Cuticura in time I am confident that it would have saved the eye. We think there is no remedy so good for any skin trouble or impurity of the blood as Cuticura. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Abbott, R. F. D. No. 9, Fulton, Oswego Co., N. Y., August 17, 1906."

Rich Men Work for Pleasure.

Theodore Gill, the world's greatest authority on fishes, works for the United States government, receiving one dollar a month for his services. He is a rich man on whom many universities have conferred titles and degrees. Dr. Harrison G. Dyer, another wealthy man, who knows more about mosquitoes than any other living person, devotes much of his time to government, receiving $25 a month. Gifford Pinchot, a millionaire, is head of the United States forestry service, but he is comparatively well paid, his salary being $45 per annum. Several other rich men are on the government pay roll at nominal figures, working for the pleasure of "doing things," as President Roosevelt puts it.

Thoroughly Reliable.

If ever there was a reliable and safe remedy it is that old and famous porous plaster—Allcock's. It has been in use for sixty years, and is as popular to-day as ever, and we doubt if there is a civilized community on the face of the globe where this wonderful pain reliever cannot be found. In the selection of the ingredients and in their manufacture the greatest care is taken to keep each plaster up to the highest standard of excellence, and so pure and simple are the ingredients that even a child can use them.

Allcock's are the original and genuine porous plasters and are sold by Druggists all over the world.

Makes Plea for Dance.

It seems a very great pity that some determined effort cannot be made to make dancing more popular. Nowadays, when exercise is a kind of religion to men and women alike it is odd that one recommended by all doctors and recognized all the world over and in all ages as an attractive pastime, into which the art of fascination largely enters, should be more and more neglected among us.—Lady's Pictorial.

Then They Went Off.

"It strikes me that you are loaded," said the pistol to the double-barrel shotgun.

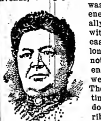
"Oh, not quite," rejoined the latter. "I'm only half-shot."

Whereupon they both exploded with laughter.—Chicago Daily News.

A poor man's chances for reaching the age of three-score and ten are far better than a rich man's, because the doctors waste less on him.

TERRIBLE TO RECALL.

Five Weeks in Bed With Intensely Painful Kidney Trouble.



Mrs. Mary Wagner, of 1367 Kossuth avenue, Bridgeport, Conn., says: "I was so weakened and generally run down with kidney disease that for a long time I could not do my work and was five weeks in bed. There was continual bearing down pain, terrible backaches, headaches and at times dizzy spells when everything was a blur before me. The passages of the kidney secretions were irregular and painful, and there was considerable sediment and odor. I don't know what I would have done but for Doan's Kidney Pills. I could see an improvement from the first box, and five boxes brought a final cure."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

No Longer Novel.

When James P. Magenis was chief deputy in the internal revenue service he was stricken with a severe attack of typhoid fever, and it was some weeks before he was able to resume his duties.

Before his illness his hair was luxuriant, but after it a bald spot began to show, which was noticed by a deputy, who spoke to him about it.

"Pardon me, Jim," he said, "but you are getting bald, and you know a head of hair like yours is quite a novelty these days."

"Yes," said Magenis, "I have been told my hair was quite a novelty, but do you know," he said, and a gleam of fun was in his eye, "I notice since my illness, that every time I run my hand over the top of my head the novelty is wearing off."

Shakespeare as Novel Hero.

William Shakespeare is the hero of a new and striking novel by the Danish woman writer Sophus Banditz. Moreover, British and American readers will probably soon have a chance to read this tale, for Queen Alexandra, who recently read it in the original, was so much impressed by it that she advised the authoress to have it translated into English. This translation is now proceeding and the English version is to be dedicated to the queen, who is herself a Dane.

Freak of Dublin Corporation.

The Dublin corporation adopted a proposal to provide the captain and mate of the mud barge Shamrock with gold-laced uniforms of Irish manufacture.

Garfield Tea (the Herb remedy which is Guaranteed under the Pure Food and Drugs Law) should be taken to regulate the Liver, Kidneys, stomach and bowels, and to purify the blood.

Choose always the way that seems the best, however rough it may be; custom will soon render it easy and agreeable.—Pythagoras.

Panthers and Grizzly Bears.

Ship Furs Pelts McMillan Fur & Wool Co., Minneapolis, Minn. Write for prices.

There is no cure for the indigestion caused by being compelled to eat your own words.

Trappers' Supplies Sold Cheap.

Write for catalog and circular No. 9. N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Naturally a man would rather part his hair than part with it.

For Prices on Poultry,

Either live or dressed, write R. E. Cobb, St. Paul.

Lots of fools look wise and lots of wise men look otherwise.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS.

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Every time a man accepts a 10-cent gift it costs him a dollar.

We pay the highest price for Butterfat in cream. Write for prices. Milton Dairy Co., St. Paul.

You can also tell a man by the company he doesn't keep.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Love your enemies—but not John Demijohn.

RHEUMATISM
AND
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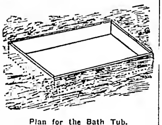
Dipping hogs is at best nasty work, and by providing a properly constructed bath tub much, if not all, of this work may be avoided.

Construct a tank of any width and length you please, just so it is large enough, but be careful not to get it more than 15 inches deep, directs the Prairie Farmer. A good size to make is five feet wide by ten feet long and 15 inches deep, using lumber two inches thick and 15 inches wide for the sides and ends, and flooring of galvanized iron for the bottom.



Plan for the Bath Tub.

Set this in the ground under a shed near where the hogs are fed and fill to a depth of about ten inches with water and on top of this place half an inch of crude oil.

During summer and fall, and even on real warm rays in winter, hogs will gladly use this to wallow in if shut away from mudholes, and it is sure death to lice and skin diseases.

The advantage of this tub over pouring the crude oil into mudholes as has been suggested, is that it is more economical and is cleaner, besides being more effective.

GIVE THE SHEEP A CHANCE.

Protect the Little Fellows From Parasites and Germ Diseases.

The lambs come into the world perfectly free from parasites and generally from germ diseases. It is probable that most of them are free from internal parasites. The flock owner should realize this and endeavor to protect the little things from all that would make them less thrifty than they are when they are born, says Farmers' Review. Some of the most successful flocks of sheep in the country have been made so because of the care bestowed upon them. In the very first place they have been protected against all kinds of parasites, and have been given quarters in which disease germs could not thrive.

Their owners have realized the fact that about all that sheep need is a chance to be thrifty. It is well known that they have in themselves an unusual power of resisting disease and of rising above averse conditions. The successful raising of sheep does not require extraordinary measures so much as ordinary measures. The steps to be taken need to be those of protecting the sheep against enemies of various kinds rather than to devise new methods generally.

It will be found that the successful shepherds are in all cases men that look carefully after the multitude of little things, which go to make up the grand total of things making for the welfare of the flock. To give the sheep a good fighting chance is all that is necessary to insure success.

SEPARATOR MILK FOR PIGS.

It Should Prove the Best Kind of Feed When Warm.

There is an impression among some farmers that the feeding of skim milk warm from the separator is injurious to pigs. Prof. William Deitrich, of the Illinois experimental station, writing on this matter, says that there is no reason why it should cause trouble since warm milk is the natural food of pigs. It may be that the scouring and running down in flesh that is sometimes observed is caused by sudden changes in feed; such as, for instance, change from cold sour skim-milk to warm fresh skim-milk. The skim-milk in either form is good feed, but it will not do to change from one to the other very suddenly. Another cause of the trouble may be that the pigs are being fed too much. Sometimes people think that when the cream is taken out of the milk there is not much left that is of any value and young animals are fed very liberally and often overfed, and this becomes a very serious matter. The skim-milk has relatively more protein than whole milk and a comparatively small excess of protein in the system will very likely bring about digestive troubles.

Give Boar Plenty of Room.

Many breeders make the mistake of keeping the herd boar in a small, dirty pen and provide no yard for him to exercise in. He should have a strong pen and a yard of about an acre away from the rest of the herd.

Sheep Growing.

There is a great tendency among farmers to go into the sheep business, as we advised. This country ought to grow all its wool, export a lot, and mutton ought to be within the reach of every man's table.

BALM OF SCRIPTURE

HEALING PROPERTIES OF PINE KNOWN TO ANCIENTS.

Oil of the White Pine Tree Used Successfully by Physicians in Treating Consumptive Patients.

The Oil of the Pine Tree is supposed to be the balm of Scripture. It contains great medicinal properties and was regarded with the utmost esteem by the ancients, and to the present day is peculiarly prized by the people of the East.

A noted authority on diseases of the throat and lungs, who established a camp for consumptives in the Pine Woods of Maine, says that his entire treatment consisted of fresh air, nourishing food and the Pure Virgin Oil of the White Pine Trees, mixed with Whisky and Glycerine in the following proportions:

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure)..	½oz.
Glycerine	2 "
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SURELY WINS THE PALM.

One Mean Man Who Outdoes Some Others.

Many stories have been told of mean men, such as he who used a wart for a collar-button and he whose birthday gift to his son consisted in washing the windows so that the lad might watch the cars go by. This man, however, seems to have won the palm:

There was an extremely mean man in New Hampshire, who was the proprietor of a hotel. By his direction rules were posted in the hostelry forbidding almost every conceivable privilege to those not guests of the place. There was absolutely no chance for the casual loafer to get newspapers, pen, ink, stationery, etc. There were not even free seats in the office.

One day, relates the Success Magazine, he chanced to observe a chronic loafer gazing at the old clock that hung on the wall The next day a sign was placed over the clock. It read: "This clock is for the use of the guests of the hotel only."

Berth Was Reserved.

Franklin K. Lane, interstate commerce commissioner, went west last week. He wanted to reserve a berth from Chicago to Minneapolis. He wired the request and this reply came back: "Can't do it. Interstate commerce commission will not allow it." He fired a wire back reading: "By what authority do you say interstate commerce commission will not allow you to reserve a berth in a sleeping car?" The Pullman agent answered: "By the authority of a recent ruling." Mr. Lane was interested by this time and he telegraphed: "I am a member of the interstate commerce commission and am not familiar with the ruling. Give me a reference." And a short time afterward he received this telegram: "Berth reserved."

WHITE BREAD

Makes Trouble for People with Weak Intestinal Digestion.

A lady in a Wis. town employed a physician who instructed her not to eat white bread for two years. She tells the details of her sickness and she certainly was a sick woman.

"In the year 1887 I gave out from overwork, and until 1901 I remained an invalid in bed a great part of the time. Had different doctors but nothing seemed to help. I suffered from cerebro-spinal congestion, female trouble and serious stomach and bowel trouble. My husband called a new doctor and after having gone without any food for 10 days the doctor ordered Grape-Nuts for me. I could eat the new food from the very first mouthful. The doctor kept me on Grape-Nuts and the only medicine was a little glycerine to heal the alimentary canal.

"When I was up again doctor told me to eat Grape-Nuts twice a day and no white bread for two years. I got well in good time and have gained in strength so I can do my own work again.

"My brain has been helped so much, and I know that the Grape-Nuts food did this, too. I found I had been made ill because I was not fed right, that is I did not properly digest white bread and some other food I tried to live on.

"I have never been without Grape-Nuts food since and eat it every day. You may publish this letter if you like so it will help someone else." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Get the little book "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

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The year of 1906 was one of prodigal plenty on our seed farms. Never before did vegetable and farm seeds return such enormous yields.

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In Japan hot baths are used at a temperature of 104 degrees. Fahrenheit. Immediately they leave this the bathers plunge into perfectly cold water. A European doctor who has spent many years in Tokio declares that, after a bath of this heat and the subsequent douche he used to feel warm all day in the coldest winter weather, while in summer the bath had the exactly contrary effect, and was most cooling and refreshing.

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Slightly Mixed.

A traveling salesman died suddenly in Pittsburg, Pa., and some of his friends telegraphed the undertaker an order to make a large wreath. Investigation showed that the telegram ordering the wreath read as follows:

"'Rest in peace,' on both sides of the ribbon; if there should be room: 'We shall meet in heaven.'"

The undertaker was out of town, and the new assistant handled the job. It was a startling floral piece which turned up at the funeral. The ribbon was extra wide, and it bore the inscription:

"Rest in peace on both sides, and if there is room we shall meet in heaven."

Makes Plea for Dance.

It seems a very great pity that some determined effort cannot be made to make dancing more popular. Nowadays, when exercise is a kind of religion to men and women alike it is odd that one recommended by all doctors and recognized all the world over and in all ages as an attractive pastime, into which the art of fascination largely enters, should be more and more neglected among us.—Lady's Pictorial.

Life of Horses and Dogs.

The statement has been made that horses average from 20 to 30 years of life, and dogs from 12 to 14 years. A French encyclopedist credits the horse with 30 to 40 years, the dog with 20 to 24. There is a sufficient range of uncertainty in these figures to cause doubt whether detailed study has been made of the subject.

Washington a Shingle State.

The state of Washington produced 10,500,000,000 shingles in 1906 fiscal year, or 68½ per cent of the total output of the United States. Washington has 459 mills, with a daily output of 47,940,000, or 18 per cent more than in 1905. In no other other state does the yearly output approximate 1,000,000,000.

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Developing the Sudan.

There is talk in England of the proposed development of the natural resources of the Sudan through scientific exploration. Immense forests line the banks of the Blue Nile along its upper reaches, extending to the Abyssinian frontier. The ebony tree is met with along that river and also near the Sobet. Along the White Nile the India rubber creeper, a valuable source of rubber, abounds. There are large forests in the Behr-el-Ghazal province and gold has been mined in some of the mountains. Search will be made for fuel.

Scrupulous Senator.

Senator Spooner of Wisconsin surprised some members of congress with whom he was chatting the other day by announcing that he has never taken part in a congressional junket of any kind. "I never shall undertake such a journey at government expense," he said. "There is something very objectionable to me in members of congress going on such expeditions." For the same reason that made him sidestep a congressional junket Senator Spooner said he had never been shaved in the senate barber shop, which is maintained at Uncle Sam's expense.

Priscilla's Revenge.

It was in the days of old when knights were bold and dressed in gleaming armor.

"George, dear," said Priscilla, over her daily task, "wilt thou not help me with my skeins?"

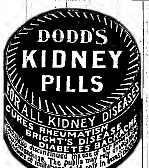
"By the tower of London—no!" roared George, as he sharpened his lance. "You haven't a spinning wheel for a husband."

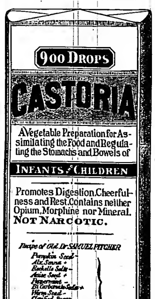
Two hours later George returned from the fray with his armor battered and torn.

"Dearest Priscilla," he said, softly, "wilt thou not put a few patches on my dress suit?"

"No, George," replied Priscilla, sweetly. "You haven't a blacksmith for a wife."

And the bold knight was so humiliated he went over to Ye Frozen Heart tavern and stood the tavern-keeper off for a tankard.





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Mr. Murray's family, the widow two grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and corps of attendants and employes will remain the same.

For over seven years the Murray Cure has demonstrated that the drink habit can be cured. If you have a friend that needs the Murray treatment, send him at once to the Murray Cure Institute. If the drink habit has a hold on you that you cannot break without help, remember we can help you.

Call or write, Murray Cure Institute 1419 Nicollet Ave, Minneapolis, or 321 So. 13th St., Fargo, N. D.

Harry Mitchell's Editorial

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Teachers' Examinations.

The semi-annual teachers' examinations will be held at Red Lake Falls, St, Hilaire and Thief River Falls, Jan. 31, Feb. 1 and 2, 1907, in accordance with the following program:

Note—Civics is now required for second grade and limited certificates.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 31st.

(First Grade Studies)

A. M.— 8:00 Enrollment.
8:15 Geometry.
10:00 Physics.
P. M.— 1:30 Algebra.
3:15 Physical Geography or General History.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1st.

(Second Grade Studies)

A. M.— 8:00 Enrollment.
8:30 Professional Test.
9:30 Spelling.
10:00 Arithmetic.
P. M.— 1:15 Geography.
2:45 Composition and Penmanship.
3:20 Reading.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 2nd

(Second Grade Studies Continued)

A. M.— 8:00 U. S. History.
9:45 English Grammar.
11:30 Music.
P. M.— 1:15 Physiology-Hygiene.
3:45 Civics.
4:00 Drawing.

—H. T. McANULTY,
Co. Supt.

Origin of Ox Tail Soup.

During the reign of terror in Paris in 1793 many of the nobility were reduced to starvation and beggary. The abattoirs sent their hides fresh to the tanneries without removing the tails, and in cleaning them the tails were thrown away. One of the noble beggars asked for a tail, and it was willingly given to him. He took it to his lodging and made (what is now famous) the first dish of ox tail soup. He told others of his good luck, and they annoyed the tanners so much that a price was put upon them.

Ambition.

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CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

ESTATE OF MARGARETTA WALTER

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Margaretta Walter, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Andrew Walter, Phillip Walter, John Walter, Maggie Adler (nee Walter), Anna Skala (nee Walter), Mary Kane (nee Walter) and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Phillip Walter being duly filed in this court, representing that Margaretta Walter, then a resident of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, died on the 31st day of December, 1906, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Phillip Walter. Now therefore, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable N. W. Tarrant, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 24th day of January, 1907.

[Seal] N. W. TARRANT, Judge.

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Petitioner. j24-f7

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake, City of Red Lake Falls. } ss

Notice is hereby given, That application has been made in writing to the City Council of said City of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on February 3rd, 1907, and terminating on February 2nd, 1908, by the following persons and at the following place, as stated in said application, respectively, to-wit:

J. KERSTING & CO.

In that certain frame building situate on lot 21 of block 7 in Champagne & Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Said application will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City Hall in the City of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday, the 7th day of February A. D., 1907, at 8 o'clock P. M. of that date.

Witness my hand and seal of the City of Red Lake Falls, this 21th day of January, A. D., 1907.

(Seal) A. P. TOUPIN.
City Clerk.
j24-31

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF PETER MARTEL.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake. } In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Martel, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Joseph Martel and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, And Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the city Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 1st day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 9th day of January, 1907.

—N. W. Tarrant,
Probate Judge.

(Court Seal)

—Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner. j10-24

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Five Hundred, Fifty-six and 4-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by O. A. Steen (a single man) Mortgagor, to Sadie O. Elwood, Mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of March, 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of April, 1903, at 2:10 o'clock P. M., in Book 21 of Mortgages on page 142.

That since the execution and delivery of said mortgage the mortgagee, Sadie O. Elwood has married and that her name is now Sadie O. Grady, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The northeast quarter (NE¼) of section number twenty-eight (28), township number one hundred and fifty (150) north, range number forty-four (44) west of the 5th Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres of land, according to the U. S. Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock, a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of five hundred, fifty-six and 1-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, A. D., 1906.

Sadie O. Grady,
formerly Sadie O. Elwood,
Mortgagee.

Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for the Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. d20-f24

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF CHARLES W. CRESS.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } SS.

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the estate of Charles W. Cress Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Louisa E. Cress, Cora Ellen Cress, Emma May Cress and Floyd J. H. D. Cress, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 2nd day of February, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the Seal of said Court, this 9th day of January, 1907.

N. W. Tarrant,
Probate Judge.

[Seal] j10-j24

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until February 14th, 1907, 12 o'clock M, for printing the official business of the city council for the year ending January, A. D., 1908.

—By Order of the City Council.

—A. P. TOUPIN,
City Clerk.

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ORDER FOR CREDITORS TO PRESENT CLAIMS WITHIN THREE MONTHS.

ESTATE OF ANDREW R. PETERSON

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss.

In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Andrew R. Peterson, deceased:

Letters of Administration with the will annexed on the estate of Andrew R. Peterson deceased, late of the Village of St. Hilaire, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, being granted to Olaus Peterson:

It appearing on proper proof by affidavit of the administrator with the will annexed made and filed herein, as provided by law, that there are no debts against the estate of said Andrew R. Peterson deceased:

It is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date on this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased, if any there be, are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said county, for examination and allowance or be forever barred.

It is further ordered that Tuesday, the 16th day of April, 1907, at ten o'clock A. M., at a Special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And it is further ordered, that notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 14th day of January A. D. 1907.

(Probate)
(Seal)

By the Court,
N. W. Tarrant,
Judge of Probate.

J. K. Hannay,
Attorney for Petitioner,
St. Hilaire, Minn. j17-j31

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy and 99-100 ($70.99) Dollars, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Joseph Boushea, administrator of the estate of John Boushea, deceased, mortgagor, to M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, bearing date the 21st day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 21 of Mortgages, on page 226.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, to John Jaenike by written assignment dated the 9th day of April, 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages on page 119.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Jaenike the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., by written assignment dated the 14th day of December, 1906, and recorded on the 19th day of December, 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m., in book 15 of mortgages page 345, and by reason of the default herein before mentioned the said Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, the assignee of said mortgagee, chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable making in all four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The east half of the south-west quarter of section fourteen (14), Township numbered one hundred fifty (150), North of Range forty-two (42), west of the 5th P. M. in the state of Minnesota, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the second day of March, 1907, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 15th, A. D., 1907.

Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. j17-f28

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION.

Estate of AMELIA KORTKE, Deceased.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake } ss

In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Amelia Kortke Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Eric Kortke, Henry Kortke, Emil Kortke and Annie Kortke, and Daniel Oerlach, their Guardian, and all persons interested in the granting of administration of the estate of said decedent:

The petition of Chas. E. Boughton, having been filed in this court, representing that Amelia Kortke, then a resident of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, died intestate on or about the 15th day of September 1906; and praying that letters of administration of her estate be granted to Theo Garceau; and the court, having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition; Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake state of Minnesota, on the 8th day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of January, 1907.

N. W. Tarrant,
Judge of Probate

[SEAL] j17-j31

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner.

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THE FINAL NUMBER

Lyceum Series Will Conclude With Saxophone Quartette Next Monday Evening.

The Colonial Saxophone Quartette, the final number of the Lyceum entertainment course, will hold the boards at the Metropolitan opera house Monday evening next, and every indication points to a record-breaking attendance.

The quartette comes with a reputation of being one of the finest ever seen in this section of the state, and as the entertainment they put up is out of the ordinary run it will without question please everyone who is present.

Nothing too good can be said of this company as princely entertainers, and the people who remain at home on Monday night will surely miss something good.

Casey Will Leave.

J. A. Casey, formerly of this city, who has been the manager of the yards of the Robertson lumber company at Crookston for the past five years, will sever his connection with that company March 1st and will be succeeded by Fred Morin, whose home is here, but who has been with the company at Hallock for some time past. Mr. Casey goes to South Dakota where he owns a half interest in two yards. He will sell one and run the other himself. Last year Mr. Casey did the biggest business since he went to Crookston. He is a business man from the ground up, pleasant, affable and thoroughly versed in the lumber business. He has a host of friends in the valley who regret his approaching departure but who will wish him all manner of success.

Attended Directors Meeting.

Samuel Gibeau returned home Friday from Grand Forks, where he spent last Thursday attending the meeting of the Red River Valley Developement and Immigration association. Mr. Gibeau represented Mayor Duffy, who was unable to get away.

The meeting was well attended and much good work was outlined. Early in the session committees were named to report resolutions which will tell of the actual conditions in the Red River Valley at the present time. These resolutions are to be sent to newspapers and other places, where they will do the most good. It was pointed out that the snow blockade conditions in this section have been grossly exaggerated in the east and there is need of a movement to get the truth before the people.

The matter of railway rates for homeseekers was taken up and the committee appointed at the Fargo meeting reported correspondence with the railways in regard to the matter. Some progress has been made in the movement.

It was decided to continue the work of organization. An effort will be made to have the organization of the Red River Valley as complete as possible.

HAD OUR FIRST TIE-UP

Red Lake Falls Experiences Its First Day Without Train Service On Great Northern.

What proved to be one of the heaviest of the many heavy storms of the present winter struck this section of the country last Friday afternoon, and until Saturday evening the wind and snow combined carried things with a high hand, and made it decidedly uncomfortable for the fellow who was foolish enough to put his nose out of doors.

The storm was probably the worst of the winter, inasmuch as it tied up this branch of the Great Northern completely for two days, the first time that the road has failed to get its train over the line daily during the winter. Friday evening's passenger to Crookston got through by hard work, but owing to the heavy drifting and terrible cold Saturday no service was attempted and not until Monday noon did the Great Northern passenger get through. A snow plow and flanger came this far Sunday and cleared up the big cuts about this city.

The Northern Pacific did not get any trains through Monday and it was reported that between here and Hill Top the track was covered by drifts twenty feet high in some places, and as hard as ice.

The storm also played havoc with the country roads, which were nearly in good shape again after the last storm, and as a result no wood can be brought to town. Red Lake Falls is at present nearly face to face with a fuel famine. No wood is to be had on the market, and hard and soft coal are both minus quantities.

So far no actual suffering has been reported, but there are many business places and families that are condensing their living space in order to save fuel, as there will apparently be no relief for a few weeks as yet. The coal dealers have a lot of coal on the road, but with the condition the railroads are in just at present not much hope is held out that it will get here very soon.

Worth Trying.

A writer in the Rochester Post and Record who claims to have knowledge of the fact indites the following: "A tried remedy, yet few seem to know of it as a cure. Don't cut your hand or foot off when you have been so unfortunate as to freeze them but pack well in fine salt as soon as possible, and leave so until frost is all out, and all will be well as before frosted and without pain." This should be printed at the beginning of cold weather every year by all newspapers—it would save hands and feet. Papers please copy.

NOTICE.

Wanted—30 cords of green poplar cord wood to be delivered at the Red Lake Falls creamery. For further particulars inquire of G. F. Hennings, Secretary. tf

See Salley for your hard and soft coal. Large stock on hand and delivery made promptly.

TEACHERS WILL MEET

Next Gathering of Red Lake County Association To Be Held at Thief River Falls.

The next meeting of the Red Lake County Teachers' association will be held at Thief River Falls on Friday and Saturday, February 22 and 23.

The committee in charge of the program preparation reports fair progress, and hope for one of the largest and most interesting gatherings in the history of the association. While all the details are not fully completed, the following is a brief outline of the program that will be rendered:

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, FEB. 22

Discussion of State Teachers' Examination questions written upon Jan. 31st, Feb. 1st and 2nd, 1907.

FRIDAY EVENING.

Lecture on Alaska by Dr. Gamble. Music and entertainment will be furnished by the High School Mandolin Club, and by the faculty and students of Thief River Falls schools.

SATURDAY, FEB. 23.

Discussion of examination questions continued.

All teachers are requested to bring exhibits of work done in their respective schools by pupils in all grades.

Prof. Hay has charge of the evening's entertainment, and a good time is assured.

IRON ORE DISCOVERED

Sixty Foot Ledge Struck at Kelliher at Depth of Five Hundred Feet.

When the drilling for iron ore was commenced last August, a short distance south of Kelliher, it was generally believed by those acquainted with the conditions existing in the country surrounding that place, that iron ore would sooner or later be discovered. But the hopes of even the most enthusiastic probably never realized the extent of the deposits nor the richness of the ore.

The drill, which has been operated almost continuously since last August, completed its work, having drilled to a depth of over 500 feet. Although small deposits of iron were discovered at frequent intervals after the drill had been lowered one hundred feet, it was not until three weeks ago that the main ledge, the "pay dirt," was encountered. Since that time the diamond drill has been used exclusively, and approximately sixty feet of solid iron ore has been gone through.

From time to time samples of the ore have been sent away to be assayed, and while the results of the tests have not been divulged yet it is known that the ore is very rich.

Next week other drills will be commenced to determine in what direction the ledge runs and the extent of the deposit. Drilling will be commenced at different points and exact position of the ledge determined.

The finding of ore will mean much to Kelliher and the entire county. It will create a new industry that will employ hundreds of men, and that in conjunction with her lumbering and agricultural industries will make Kelliher the metropolis of Beltrami county and one of the most substantial cities in Northern Minnesota.

Fred Krueger Hurt.

The venerable Fred Krueger was quite badly injured Tuesday, and as a result will be confined to his bed for several weeks. He was starting for home carrying a box under his arm when he slipped and fell heavily to the ground, his side striking across the edge of the box. The fall broke two ribs and injured him otherwise. He was removed to his home and medical aid attended to his injuries, and while he is doing as well as can be expected it will be some time before he is out again. "Uncle Fred" is a familiar figure on our streets, and his many friends hope that his period of enforced lay-up will be decidedly brief.

EXHIBIT OF POULTRY

Local Chicken Fanciers Enter Birds In Crookston Poultry Exhibition.

Several of the local poultry enthusiasts sent some of their choice poultry down to Crookston last evening to be entered in the poultry show being held there this week under the auspices of the Red River Valley Poultry association.

This show is the annual exhibit of the association, and it was expected that a large number of feathered beauties would be entered to compete for the prizes hung up. The chickens sent by the local enthusiasts are all fine specimens and will undoubtedly cut a figure when it comes to judging the winners. The following gentlemen sent birds from here: M. A. Converse, pen of Barred Rocks and pen of Single Comb White Leghorns; Dr. J. C. Wilkinson, pen of White Plymouth Rocks and pen of Rhode Island reds; Fred L. Farley, pen of White Wyandottes.

Expert D. E. Hale, who was expected here last Saturday to score the birds for the members of the local association, wired Saturday that he was snow-bound at Minot and could not get here on time, if at all. As there was no telling what time he might be able to come the matter was dropped for the present and the association will wait until next fall, when they plan to have a monster poultry show in this city.

MUCH SNOW FALLEN

U. S. Weather Observer Grasse Gives Comparative Snowful Figures.

U. S. Weather Observer Grasse of the Moorhead office has furnished the following comparative figures anent the snowfall during the seasons 1896-7 and 1906-7:

	Winter of 1896-7	Winter of 1906-7
November	30.4	14.6
December	7.1	13.8
January	15.5	17.5
February	13.6	
March	7.3	
Total	73.9	45.8
Total to Jan. 31	53.	

It will be noted that while the snowfall of the winter of 1896-7 to Jan. 31 was 53 inches whereas the snowfall during the present winter to Jan. 31 was 45.8 inches, the difference is only 7.2 inches.

The heavy snowful in the winter of 1896-7 was in November, the first month of the winter, being more than double that of November of last year, but the snowfall during December of 1906 was nearly double that of December, 1896 and the snowfall during the past month was nearly two inches greater than during January, 1897. Should February and March make a record to that of December and January, the snowfall for this winter will exceed that of 1896-7 and render the recurrence of a big flood probable. February and March have a chance to become very popular months in the Red River Valley.

Wedding at Dorothy.

Tom O'Neil and Miss Laura Cassavaunt, two popular young people of Dorothy, were married at the Gentilly Catholic church Monday in the presence of a large number of friends. After the ceremony the guests returned to the home of the bride's parents near Dorothy where a wedding reception and good time was held during the afternoon and evening. The contracting parties are both well known in this part of Red Lake county. Mr. O'Neil is the carrier on the Dorothy-Red Lake Falls mail route and is a first class young man. His bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Cassavaunt, of Parnell, Polk county, and is known as an accomplished young lady. The young people will live at Dorothy.

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STORE GUTTED BY FIRE

Store Room Occupied By J. R. & R. Fortier The Scene of a Hot Blaze.

Last evening at about half past eight, the clang of the fire bell called out the populace in double quick time, when it was seen that the store of J. R. & R. Fortier, adjoining the post-office was a mass of flames.

The department responded very quickly and were at once getting busy to check the flames. Before the engine was in operation, however, the fire had gained great headway on the interior of the building, and the room was a seething mass of fire. Just before the water was turned on the fire broke through the front, and ten minutes more would have meant the utter ruin of the building. As soon as the water was available, however, quick work was made of the blaze, and within a very few moments the fire boys had the flames under complete control.

The entire stock of general merchandise owned by J. R. & R. Fortier is a total loss, the fixtures and all being completely destroyed. Upstairs is the photograph gallery of W. A. Reichel, and Mr. Reichel suffers a heavy loss from water and smoke, although nothing in his rooms was burned. After the fire had been put out down stairs, a small blaze was found in the second story and the water was again turned on, playing havoc with the interior of Mr. Reichel's gallery. In the front part of the building upstairs, Miss Elida Peterson conducted a dressmaking establishment, and while considerable damage was done to her goods through moving and with the smoke and water, her loss will not be very heavy.

The origin of the fire is a complete mystery. Mr. Fortier had closed his store yesterday for a few days to mark down his goods preparatory to inaugurating a closing out sale. During the day yesterday his stove had given trouble, and it is thought that after closing up last evening the store must have again blown up, and set fire to the contents.

The building is owned by W. A. Reichel, and while quite badly damaged down stairs can be put in shape again very easily. Owing to the damage done by water and smoke to his photographic outfit upstairs, Mr. Reichel will be a heavy loser, but it is understood that he is fairly well covered by insurance.

The lack of wind was favorable to the firemen, but had the flames got a few minutes longer start, it is likely that several buildings would have gone up in smoke before the fire could have been checked.

NOTICE.

All knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned by book account or otherwise, will confer a great favor by settling same at the earliest moment possible. —J. R. & R. Fortier.

Accounts can be seen at V. M. Higinbotham's office.

Best confectionery in the city at Freund's.

WILL ELECT OFFICERS

The Commercial Club Meeting Next Monday Will Be An Important One.

The regular monthly meeting of the Red Lake Falls Commercial Club will be held at the city hall on Monday evening next, and it is desired that every member of the club be present as it is one of the most important of the year.

At this meeting officers for the ensuing year will be chosen, and here in itself is a matter that should be of general concern, as during the next few months the officers and directors of the club will be called on to do a lot of work, and it is important that they be men of recognized ability and good judgment.

At Monday night's meeting Delegate Gaass, who attended the meeting of the Valley association a few weeks ago, and Delegate Gibeau, who attended the directors' meeting of the same association at Grand Forks last week, will make their report to the club as to the observations taken.

Manny other matters of especial interest in general will come up, and it is hoped that a goodly number of the members will be present.

Many Took Exams.

The semi-annual teachers' examinations held in the three principal cities of the county Thursday, Friday and Saturday were fairly well attended, and County Superintendent McAnulty is busy getting his reports out for the state superintendent.

Thirty-four took the examinations here; twenty at St. Hilaire and forty-three at Thief River Falls, a total of ninety-seven, which is a few less than took the February examinations last year.

Superintendent McAnulty reports that all but about twenty schools in the county have engaged teachers for the spring term, and that prospects for a successful school year were never better.

BOOKS FINE FEATURE.

Famous Elks Quartette To Sing at February Band Concert.

Manager Tracy of the local band organization has made arrangements for an excellent special feature for the February band concert, which will undoubtedly prove a good drawing card.

He has secured the famous Elks' male quartette, of Crookston, for this occasion and this popular musical bunch will be on the program for a couple of numbers. This quartette has been singing together for a long time, and are very highly spoken of by all who have heard them.

The date of the next concert has not yet been given out, but it will take place some time the latter part of this month. A number of extra fine numbers are being worked up, and it is planned to make this concert one of the best of the winter series.

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MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The interstate commerce commission transmitted to congress its first report on its investigation on discriminations and monopolies under the joint resolution of congress of March 7, 1906. The report deals with the bituminous coal monopoly of the east, says the railways control the output and makes recommendations for remedial legislation.

The interstate commerce commission severely arraigned the Standard Oil company, accusing it of nearly every crime that a corporation can commit.

The house representatives restored to the agricultural appropriation bill the provision for free distribution of seeds.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Several hundred men and boys attempted to lynch a negro in the business section of Pittsburg because he fought a newsboy.

Secretary Loeb announced that the Panama canal contract had not yet been let to W. K. Oliver or anyone else, and that all bids might be rejected.

It was stated that at least 2,000 cars loaded with merchandise for the northwest were stalled at Minneapolis and many more at other points.

Representative Wadsworth, of New York, in vindicating himself and the agricultural committee for the work done last session on the meat inspection bill, assailed President Roosevelt's course.

California congressmen had a long conference with the president and said the outlook was good for a satisfactory solution of the Japanese school trouble.

Charles L. Stevens, grand master of Michigan Masons, died of heart disease at Detroit.

While testing a new fire escape on a sorority house at Madison, Wis., Miss May Douglas, of Winona, Minn., fell from the third story to the ground and was probably fatally injured.

Every building in Vandalia, Ill., was shaken by an earthquake and many persons were aroused from deep sleep. The shock was accompanied by a loud rumbling.

A fifth attempt to wreck trains on the Kansas City, Clinton & Springfield railway was made one mile south of Osceola, Mo. A section foreman found eight railroad spikes between rails.

The mill of the Economic Gold Extraction company, located in Eclipse Gulch, near Victor, Col., was destroyed by fire. The plant was installed at a cost of $500,000.

Indian Inspector James McLaughlin, of Washington, has secured an agreement with the Rosebud Sioux Indians for the throwing open by the federal government of nearly a million acres of land in Tripp county, S. D.

Twenty-three Mexican revolutionists under sentence of imprisonment for five to eight years, were released from jail at Monterey, Mex., by sympathizers.

Edmund E. Price, well-known criminal lawyer and playwright of New York, died suddenly.

Secretary Taft authorized the superintendent of the West Point Military academy to take the entire corps of cadets to the Jamestown exposition.

Students of Lawrence university attending a banquet at Kaukauna, Wis., were attacked by roughs and burnt with sulphuric acid.

Capt. George B. Boynton, sentenced to six months on Blackwell's island for complicity in a plan to counterfeit the silver dollars of Venezuela, was pardoned by the president.

Stockholders of the Santa Fe Railway company voted for the issuance of $98,000,000 in bonds.

Two men were killed by the explosion of a locomotive near Fort Wayne, Ind.

State Senator S. A. D. Keister, of Wyoming, died of appendicitis at Chadron, Neb.

Socialists in Warsaw undertook and carried out the execution of a bandit who made an unsuccessful attempt to secure $500 from the Commercial bank of Warsaw.

James Wade, one of the oldest and best known members of the bar of Cleveland, O., is dead.

The joint postal commission authorized at the last session of congress recommended many additions to the law relative to second class mail matter.

Every able-bodied man in Shawneetown, Ill., helped repair a break in the levee and the city was saved from flood.

John F. Magner, associate editor of the Star-Chronicle of St. Louis, died suddenly at his home from hemorrhage of the stomach.

Eighty or more men were entombed in the Stuart coal mine near Fayetteville, W. Va., by a terrific explosion. Rescuers could not enter the shaft and it was believed not one of the miners would be taken out alive.

Late estimates of the dead in the Stuart mine disaster placed the number at 60.

Mrs. Nancy White, a negress, 106 years old, the oldest woman in western Pennsylvania, is dead at her home in New Haven, Pa. Up to three years ago she worked as a washerwoman.

The grand jury of Allegheny county, Pa., returned six true bills against the Pullman Palace Car company, alleging the sale of impure milk and cream to its patrons.

It was reported from the Vatican that the offerings of Peter's pence this year are smaller than usual.

Martial law was declared in Valencia, Spain, following the food-tax riots and a strike of workmen. Serious trouble is feared.

Maj. Austin Cushman, who was private secretary to President Fillmore, died while attending a Masonic celebration in Boston. He was 80 years old and a prominent G. A. R. man.

Dudley Chase, ex-chaplain of the United States army, is dead in Philadelphia, aged 91. He was a son of Dr. Philander Chase, an early bishop of Illinois.

M. Guidema, governor of the political prison on Vasili Ostrov, a suburb of St. Petersburg, was shot in the main street of the island and died almost immediately. The assassin escaped.

Five men were killed and 11 were hurt by an explosion of powder in the Johnson City and Big Muddy coal mine at Johnson City, Ill.

The mine disaster at Saarbruecken, Prussia, resulted in 148 deaths, according to an official report.

Fire, which started with an explosion in the paint shop, destroyed one entire section of the big Baldwin Locomotive Works at Philadelphia, entailing a loss of $1,000,000.

Gov. Swettenham of Kingston formally withdrew his offensive letter to Rear Admiral Davis and expressed regret for having written it. Residents of Kingston passed resolutions condemning the governor's conduct.

W. K. Oliver, to whom the Panama canal contract is to be awarded, formed a partnership with F. C. Stevens, president of a bank in Washington and state superintendent of public works of New York.

Hundreds of cars of fuel and groceries for the people of the northwest were stalled in snow drifts.

The Kansas legislature passed a bill abolishing capital punishment.

The Maritime express train, from Montreal to Helifax, was wrecked near Windsor Junction, on the Intercolonial railroad, but no one was killed.

Mayor Erickson of Blomington, Ill., who was missing, returned after a trip to New York.

The hydrographic office at New Orleans announced that the Gulf stream had made important changes in its course.

Gen. Rylke, president of the St. Petersburg court martial, was given the post of military procurator which had been vacant since the assassination Jan. 9 of Gen. Pavloff.

Henry J. Allen, of Ottawa, Kan., bought from Harry J. Hagney the Wichita Daily Beacon.

McKinley's birthday was appropriately celebrated in Washington and other cities.

Harry Allen, who was prominent in the movement to make Kansas a free state, died suddenly at the National Soldiers' home at Lansing, Kan.

Reports that Count Leo Tolstoi was dying were contradicted by his son.

Two men were killed by an explosion that destroyed a powder mill near Fontninet, Ind.

Eight persons were injured, two fatally, by a railway collision at Crowder City, I. T.

Charles Behrens was indicted for embezzling $42,000 of the funds of a bank at Huntingburg, Ind.

The Portland (Me.) poorhouse is caring for Mrs. Steele, formerly Miss Jessamy Bret Harte, daughter of the author, Bret Harte. Mrs. Steele is said to be without means and is ill.

Many Dutch officials have been killed or wounded by revolting natives on the island of Java.

Jacob Gerbovitz, 24 years old, fired four shots at his wife, Emma Gerbovitz, and then turned the revolver upon himself, inflicting a wound from which he is expected to die, at Kenosha, Wis.

Seven thousand naphtha workers went on strike at Baku, Transcaucasia.

In a collision between an express train and an extra freight on the Fitchburg division of the Boston & Maine railroad at South River, Mass., five employes of the railroad were killed.

Tony Sain committed suicide at Uniontown Pa., by jumping into a coke oven.

It is reported that Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of Senator La Follette, of Wisconsin, is soon to leave the stage and marry Alfred T. Rogers, an attorney of Janesville.

Representative A. D. Dulaney of Little Rock county, Arkansas, was indicted on the charge of accepting a bribe of $200.

Attorney General Young, of Minnesota, made another attack on the Great Northern railway by beginning quo warranto proceedings to compel the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railroad company to show cause why its charter should not be forfeited. This company is really the parent of the Great Northern Railway company and the Great Northern was joined in this issue, as it is the owner of the Manitoba company's stock.

Rev. Cornelius Hill, oldest of the Oneida chiefs, is dead on the reservation near Green Bay, Wis., aged 75 years.

Otis Eddy, aged 102 years, died at his home in Rockford, Ill. He was believed to be the oldest Mason in this country in years of membership, having been initiated into the order May 20, 1826.

Mail reports from American consular officers in China confirm the worst stories of the famine.

More than 100 Chinese were drowned when a severe windstorm swept Hong Kong harbor.

Fire in a garage in New York destroyed 100 automobiles, the loss being $750,000.

J. J. Hill, E. H. Harriman and the Republican policy of protection were assailed in the minority adverse report on the Littauer compromise ship subsidy bill, which was filed in the house, signed by four Democratic members of the committee on merchant marine.

Charles W. Schulte, aged 63, a capitalist and banker of Memphis, Tenn., committed suicide at the Battle Creek sanitarium, where he was being treated for a nervous trouble.

Mrs. August Ringling, mother of the Ringling brothers, died in Baraboo, Wis.

James H. Beatty, for 15 years judge of the United States district court for the district of Idaho, tendered his resignation to President Roosevelt.

Col. Richard W. Blue, formerly a well-known Kansas politician and attorney, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Bartlesville, I. T., aged 65 years.

Gesper Kuhiczoi of Jersey City, N. J., deliberately placed his head on a rail at Allegheny, Pa., and a train severed it. He was insane.

The plant of the Phelps Publishing company, Springfield, Mass., was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at nearly $1,000,000.

Walter L. Lane, publisher of the Muscatine (Iowa) Journal, died of heart trouble.

Albert Houck found the body of his wife lying on a table of her room, burned to a crisp, in Pittsburg, when he returned from work.

The lifeless bodies of Jacob Weil, the proprietor of a Brooklyn restaurant, and of his wife, Rosa Weil, were found in their apartments. Both had been asphyxiated by gas.

H. L. F. Lagercrantz has been appointed minister of Sweden to the United States.

Mrs. Emma Randall and Miss Della Ihde of Geneva, Iowa, saved an Iowa Central passenger train from being wrecked. They discovered a broken rail, and with a shawl flagged the train.

The first international exposition of safety devices and industrial hygiene was opened in New York.

The levee broke at Luxorn, Ark., and the town was flooded.

Thirty thousand people passed by the bier of the late Senator Alger, whose body lay in state in the Detroit city hall.

Senator Alger was buried at Detroit with full military honors.

Three firemen were killed and many injured by falling walls when the Seneca building in Buffalo, N. Y., was destroyed by fire.

Five men were killed, two fatally hurt and 20 injured by the explosion of an ammonia tank in Armour & Co.'s plant at the Chicago stockyards.

Reed Knox, son of Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, was married to Miss Elizabeth McCook of Washington.

John T. Williams, 40 years old, paying teller of the Lincoln National bank of New York, was found dead in Bronx park with an empty bottle that had contained poison lying at his side. Gen. Thomas L. James, president of the bank, said the dead man's accounts were straight.

Sigmond Weinstein, cashier of the Galveston agency of the North German Lloyd Steamship company, shot and killed himself in the reading room of the Elks club.

Rev. Dr. Henry Martin Field, for 44 years editor of the Evangelist, of New York, and brother of Cyrus W., David D. and Stephen J. Field, died, aged 85 years.

The French steamer St. Germain, bringing 200 laborers for the canal from West Indian ports, arrived at Colon and was at once placed under quarantine on account of smallpox on board.

The necessity for the restoration of the canteen in the American army was strongly set forth in a letter from Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee to Capt. J. Walter Mitchell of the Spanish-American War Veterans' association.

Mrs. Patrick Rice rescued her 12-year-old son from her burning home in Chicago and then was fatally burned in a vain effort to save another son, aged eight.

Alton Cameron, aged 23 years, a brother-in-law of Judge William F. Connolly, of the Detroit recorder's court, was shot and instantly killed in a saloon by Joseph Schulte, the bartender, after a quarrel.

Rev. Alexander Gilchrist, D. D., secretary of the Home Mission board of the United Presbyterian denomination and one of the most prominent figures of the church, died at his home in Pittsburg, Pa.

An unknown young man and young woman at Camden, N. J., committed suicide by letting an electric train strike them.

Twelve miners were killed by an explosion of fire damp in a mine at Lorentz, W. Va., and nine men were killed by a dynamite explosion near Pearisburg, Va.

The German government won a definite victory in the general election for a new reichstag. The liberal, radical and conservative parties, supporting Prince von Buelow's colonial policy, won at least 20 seats and the socialists lost 17 or 18 seats.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 26—Both senate and house today took action to endorse Edward T. Young, attorney general, in his legal battle against the railroads, both in the matter of that official's attack on the legality of the Manitoba charter now held by the Great Northern, and that of the injunction brought against the state by the ten railroads operating within it to prevent the putting into effect of the new lower rates ordered by the state railroad commission.

In the house L. O. Spooner, chairman of the railroad committee, today introduced a bill to grant the attorney general $25,000 a year for the employment of additional counsel and for entering into such expenses as are necessary in important litigations. Spooner gave notice that he would ask next Tuesday for passage of the bill under suspension of the rules which usually tie a bill down to a number of weeks before it is passed after its introduction. Spooner believes that no red tape should hamper the state in legal defense of the rights of the people at this time.

In the senate, B. E. Sundberg introduced a lengthy resolution calling for the appointment of a committee of five senators to make a special investigation of railroads, freight tonnage, etc., in Minnesota, the committee to engage for a clerk an expert on railroad matters. The author of the resolution said that at the present time the temporary injunction granted the railroads against the state railroad commission, in part ties the hands of the commissioners from immediate further action and investigation of railroad matters; but that the state senate is free to take up the fight for the people. The resolution will be acted upon next Tuesday when according to another resolution by Senator Putnam which passed, the state railroad commission is asked to report on what information about railroads it has on hand and what further data it desires.

The session of the senate today was marked by the introduction of nine bills for reform of life insurance companies. The bills regulate the salaries of insurance company officials and employes, disbursements and investments of companies, provisions relative to agents, prohibition of nonparticipating policies, prohibition of discriminations, and methods for election of company directors by policyholders. The bills were introduced by Senators Cashman (two), Glotzbach (two), Coller (two), Works and Farrington (two).

Senator J. F. Calhoun of Minneapolis introduced a bill to appropriate $10,000 for a silver service to be presented by the state to the new Battleship Minnesota, the governor to name a committee of three to purchase the service and present it to the secretary of the navy.

A new county option bill, to take the place of the one now pending, was introduced in the upper house today by Senator Thorpe of Willmar, and in the lower house by Representative Rachie of Madison. The new bill is endorsed by the prohibitionists, Anti-Saloon league, and several Scandinavian temperance organizations which are interested in the issue. The new bills call for a petition of 25 per cent of the voters to have the matter voted upon. The district court receives the petition, and is authorized to order a special election on the subject instead of having the issue met at the regular town election.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 29—Senator Sundberg of Kennedy today succeeded in getting his resolution, calling for an investigation of Minnesota railroads by a special senate committee, passed by the upper house. The vote on the resolution stood 55 to 1, practically every senator wanting to have his vote recorded "right" in the sight of his constituents, tho many were evidently opposed to the measure. J. F. Calhoun was the lone senator who voted against the resolution, and he probably would have joined the "band wagon" if it were not that his name on the roll call is about the first and he had to announce his vote before knowing how the rest of the senate would declare itself. There was much discussion on the resolution. E. E. Smith thought it unnecessary extravagance to engage and extra clerk for the committee when the senate already had so many employes. Sundberg replied that Smith might as well come out and try to kill the resolution in the open. Geo. P. Wilson, former attorney general, took exception to the insinuations made by Sundberg to an honest criticism and Sundberg said if his remarks had been ungentlemanly he would apologize.

The chair named on the special committee Senators Sundberg, chairman, Cashman, Nelson, Sageng and Canestorp. The opposition to the resolution on the part of some of the senators was because of the belief that the "expert clerk" called for by the resolution was to be Eric Olson, who injected himself into most of the railroad rate hearings before the state commission, and whose evidence submitted, though voluminous, was of little aid from a point of view of legal intelligence and enlightenment.

There were numerous bills introduced in the senate today, but they were for the most part of little interest. Senator George P. Wilson introduced a bill making uniform laws for the sale of all goods. The bill was drafted by a conference of commissioners on uniform state laws. Senator Hinton introduced a bill appropriating $25,000 as state aid for the teaching of domestic science in high schools, the aid to be from $200 to $400 a school. Senator Dar Hall presented a measure to appropriate $16,000 for establishment of a state fruit breeding farm, and making a standing appropriation for the institution of $2,000 annually.

In the house today S. D. Peterson caused a lively debate by offering a resolution commending former Congressman J. M. McCleary of the Second district for his stand in congress for a high tariff. The resolution went over on notice of debate by Ambrose Tighe of St. Paul. A third fish hatchery is established at Detroit Lake in a bill introduced by Representative Bjorge. The measure carries an appropriation of $10,000. J. A. Gates introduced a bill to propigate prairie chickens in the state by forbidding that they be killed for the next two years.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 30—Senator Albert Schaller of Hastings, democrat, today introduced a bill in the senate which if it passes, will permit the state to give the laugh to the railroads which have secured a temporary injunction against the putting in effect of the new low tarriff on general commodity freights, as established by the railroad and warehouse commission. The bill reads that the tariffs for carrying general commodity freight in the state of Minnesota shall be—and then follows in detail a table of rates promulgated by the state commission. If this became a law, the rates would of course be in effect and in the meantime it will be impossible for the railroads to bring an injunction suit against the legislature to stop the passage of the bill.

Another important measure which put in an appearance today was an innocent looking bill by Senator V. B. Seward of Marshall, proposing the substitution of the words "every person" for the word "male," in section 1, article 7 of the constitution. The effect of this change would be to permit free and equal suffrage of women with men at any and all elections.

The senate held a long debate this morning on the Moonan resolution, ordering the senate railroad committee to report on the 2-cent fare as soon as possible, and not later in any event than Feb. 6. The resolution suffered several amendments, finally being lost by a vote of 22 to 31. Senator Peterson, the author of one of the 2-cent fare bills, led the attack on the resolution on the ground that the railroad committee had not had an opportunity to meet and consider its bills because several of its members had been busy serving on the elections committee on the Butler-Hackney contest; and that the committeemen should not therefore, be made to suffer the odium which would attach on the passage of a criticising resolution.

The house adjourned at 11 a. m., after passage of resolutions to the memory of the late Dr. L. W. Babcock of Wadena, a former speaker of the house. Some business was transacted, however. S. O. Morse, on his own request, had his resolution appropriating $250 legislative expenses to each member, referred back to himself, a gentle parliamentary method of giving a resolution or bill its funeral. His action was the result of a story, the truth of which is not doubted, that the attorney general was preparing a report for the house relative to the resolution which dealt with the proposition with ungentle hand, and Morse desired to avoid the coming trouble.

The house voted to adopt the report of the committee on express and telegraph lines, which recommended the adoption of Donald Robertson's resolution calling for investigation of express rates. N. J. Holmberg offered a measure prohibiting the sale of liquor or cigarettes within one mile of the state agricultural college. The measure, however, makes no refence to the "makings," and the student who formerly rolled his own cigarette may continue to do so even if the legislature passes the bill. N. F. Hugo of Duluth offered a bill to stimulate the building of rural street railway lines. It provides that roads and highways may be condemned for tracks on consent of county commissioners.

Tomorrow afternoon the senate will take up as a special order of business the contest brought by Pierce Butler, democrat, for the senatorial seat of J. M Hackney of Hamline. The elections committee has a majority report in favor of Hackney, but there is liable to be a wordy battle on the proposition. The attorneys of each side are to be allowed an hour and a quarter each to address the senate.

Stuck by the Way

Minneapolis, Minn.—There are hundreds of cars loaded with coal from Duluth side tracked all over the Northwest, and they will not reach their destination till spring.

This statement was made by a prominent official of the Pittsburg Coal company to The Tribune, in discussing the coal supply of Northern Minnesota and North Dakota.

"It is hard to help," added the official, "it is simply a problem of the snows and storms. A train of coal leaves Duluth and is blocked by snow."

Will Suffer

St. Cloud, Minn.—Theodore H. Beaulieu of the White Earth Indian agency says there will be intense suffering in northern Minnesota before supplies can be taken in. He refers particularly to the White Earth reservation, where, he says, conditions are much different from former years.

Since the land has been allotted Indians and others are not permitted to help themselves to timber, even for fuel, and they now have to buy their wood. The winter has been exceptionally severe.

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BROKE THE DEER'S BACK.

How Treed Hunter Escaped From Threatened Death.

Peter Rindernecht, of Camp Bailey, Pa., is still talking of his narrow escape from an infuriated deer, which he finally killed in an unusual manner.

While the other members of the camp were away on a long drive, Pete, finding things slow in camp, decided to do a little hunting on his own hook.

Back of the Hinkle farm he jumped a large buck and fired a shot which made a flesh wound. The angry deer, lowering its prongs, made for Pete, who dropped his rifle and climbed the nearest tree.

The deer pawed at the tree, snorting with rage, and Pete thought it a fine joke until night began to draw near with the buck still on guard.

Pete yelled for help, but his cries only echoed through the ravines. It was very cold, and the hunter found that it would not be long until he would release his hold on the branches and fall to the ground.

A desperate plan was determined upon. Pete weighs close to 280 pounds, and when the buck, walking around the tree, was directly beneath him, the hunter doubled himself up like a ball and dropped.

He landed right on the buck's back, breaking its spinal column and crippling it so that the work of killing it with his hunting knife was easy.

Has Cinch on Position.

Various authorities have passed on a letter received at the post office department a short time ago and it has finally been sent to the postmaster general. The letter came from a western postmaster at a small office and read: "In accordance with the rules of the department, I write you to inform you that on next Saturday I will close the post office for one day, as I am going on a bear hunt. I am not asking your permission to close up and you can discharge me if you want to. But I will advise you now that I am the only man in the county who can read and write." It is not likely that the postmaster will be discharged.

Long and Remarkable Life.

Suffold tells us of a remarkable record of an old man of his acquaintance employed by Mr. William Lodge, of Gorleston-on-Sea. This old gentleman began his working life as a farm laborer 71 years ago, before Queen Victoria came to the throne, and at 81 he can still drive a plow as well as most men of half his years. Almost more remarkable is the fact that although he has spent practically all his long life within sight of the sea he has never been on it, nor has he ever been inside a train.—Tit-Bits.

The Well Knit College Chap.

Ethel's big sister has an ardent admirer who is a college athlete, a big, broad-shouldered chap. Ethel overheard her sister say that he was well knit. The next evening, when the young man called, Ethel went into the parlor to entertain him.

"Do you know what sister says about you?" demanded Ethel.

"No. Something nice, I hope," said the young man.

"Oh, yes, it's very nice," replied Ethel. "She says you are beautifully crocheted."

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The interstate commerce commission transmitted to congress its first report on its investigation on discriminations and monopolies under the joint resolution of congress of March 7, 1906. The report deals with the bituminous coal monopoly of the east, says the railways control the output and makes recommendations for remedial legislation.

The interstate commerce commission severely arraigned the Standard Oil company, accusing it of nearly every crime that a corporation can commit.

The house representatives restored to the agricultural appropriation bill the provision for free distribution of seeds.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Several hundred men and boys attempted to lynch a negro in the business section of Pittsburg because he fought a newsboy.

Secretary Loeb announced that the Panama canal contract had not yet been let to W. K. Oliver or anyone else, and that all bids might be rejected.

It was stated that at least 2,000 cars loaded with merchandise for the northwest were stalled at Minneapolis and many more at other points.

Representative Wadsworth, of New York, in vindicating himself and the agricultural committee for the work done last session on the meat inspection bill, assailed President Roosevelt's course.

California congressmen had a long conference with the president and said the outlook was good for a satisfactory solution of the Japanese school trouble.

Charles L. Stevens, grand master of Michigan Masons, died of heart disease at Detroit.

While testing a new fire escape on a sorority house at Madison, Wis., Miss May Douglas, of Winona, Minn., fell from the third story to the ground and was probably fatally injured.

Every building in Vandalia, Ill., was shaken by an earthquake and many persons were aroused from deep sleep. The shock was accompanied by a loud rumbling.

A fifth attempt to wreck trains on the Kansas City, Clinton & Springfield railway was made one mile south of Osceola, Mo. A section foreman found eight railroad spikes between rails.

The mill of the Economic Gold Extraction company, located in Eclipse Gulch, near Victor, Col., was destroyed by fire. The plant was installed at a cost of $500,000.

Indian Inspector James McLaughlin, of Washington, has secured an agreement with the Rosebud Sioux Indians for the throwing open by the federal government of nearly a million acres of land in Tripp county, S. D.

Twenty-three Mexican revolutionists under sentence of imprisonment for five to eight years, were released from jail at Monterey, Mex., by sympathizers.

Edmund E. Price, well-known criminal lawyer and playwright of New York, died suddenly.

Secretary Taft authorized the superintendent of the West Point Military academy to take the entire corps of cadets to the Jamestown exposition.

Students of Lawrence university attending a banquet at Kaukauna, Wis., were attacked by roughs and burnt with sulphuric acid.

Capt. George B. Boynton, sentenced to six months on Blackwell's island for complicity in a plan to counterfeit the silver dollars of Venezuela, was pardoned by the president.

Stockholders of the Santa Fe Railway company voted for the issuance of $98,000,000 in bonds.

Two men were killed by the explosion of a locomotive near Fort Wayne, Ind.

State Senator S. A. D. Keister, of Wyoming, died of appendicitis at Chadron, Neb.

Socialists in Warsaw undertook and carried out the execution of a bandit who made an unsuccessful attempt to secure $500 from the Commercial bank of Warsaw.

James Wade, one of the oldest and best known members of the bar of Cleveland, O., is dead.

The joint postal commission authorized at the last session of congress recommended many additions to the law relative to second class mail matter.

Every able-bodied man in Shawneetown, Ill., helped repair a break in the levee and the city was saved from flood.

John F. Magner, associate editor of the Star-Chronicle of St. Louis, died suddenly at his home from hemorrhage of the stomach.

Eighty or more men were entombed in the Stuart coal mine near Fayetteville, W. Va., by a terrific explosion. Rescuers could not enter the shaft and it was believed not one of the miners would be taken out alive.

Late estimates of the dead in the Stuart mine disaster placed the number at 60.

Mrs. Nancy White, a negress, 106 years old, the oldest woman in western Pennsylvania, is dead at her home in New Haven, Pa. Up to three years ago she worked as a washerwoman.

The grand jury of Allegheny county, Pa., returned six true bills against the Pullman Palace Car company, alleging the sale of impure milk and cream to its patrons.

It was reported from the Vatican that the offerings of Peter's pence this year are smaller than usual.

Martial law was declared in Valencia, Spain, following the food-tax riots and a strike of workmen. Serious trouble is feared.

Maj. Austin Cushman, who was private secretary to President Fillmore, died while attending a Masonic celebration in Boston. He was 80 years old and a prominent G. A. R. man.

Dudley Chase, ex-chaplain of the United States army, is dead in Philadelphia, aged 91. He was a son of Dr. Philander Chase, an early bishop of Illinois.

M. Guldema, governor of the political prison on Vasili Ostrov, a suburb of St. Petersburg, was shot in the main street of the island and died almost immediately. The assassin escaped.

Five men were killed and 11 were hurt by an explosion of powder in the Johnson City and Big Muddy coal mine at Johnson City, Ill.

The mine disaster at Saarbruecken, Prussia, resulted in 148 deaths, according to an official report.

Fire, which started with an explosion in the paint shop, destroyed one entire section of the big Baldwin Locomotive Works at Philadelphia, entailing a loss of $1,000,000.

Gov. Swettenham of Kingston formally withdrew his offensive letter to Rear Admiral Davis and expressed regret for having written it. Residents of Kingston passed resolutions condemning the governor's conduct.

W. K. Oliver, to whom the Panama canal contract is to be awarded, formed a partnership with F. C. Stevens, president of a bank in Washington and state superintendent of public works of New York.

Hundreds of cars of fuel and groceries for the people of the northwest were stalled in snow drifts.

The Kansas legislature passed a bill abolishing capital punishment.

The Maritime express train, from Montreal to Halifax, was wrecked near Windsor Junction, on the Intercolonial railroad, but no one was killed

Mayor Erickson of Blomington, Ill., who was missing, returned after a trip to New York.

The hydrographic office at New Orleans announced that the Gulf stream had made important changes in its course.

Gen. Rylke, president of the St. Petersburg court martial, was given the post of military procurator which had been vacant since the assassination Jan. 9 of Gen. Pavloff.

Henry J. Allen, of Ottawa, Kan., bought from Harry J. Hagney the Wichita Daily Beacon.

McKinley's birthday was appropriately celebrated in Washington and other cities.

Harry Allen, who was prominent in the movement to make Kansas a free state, died suddenly at the National Soldiers' home at Lansing, Kan.

Reports that Count Leo Tolstoi was dying were contradicted by his son.

Two men were killed by an explosion that destroyed a powder mill near Fontainet, Ind.

Eight persons were injured, two fatally, by a railway collision at Crowder City, I. T.

Charles Behrens was indicted for embezzling $42,000 of the funds of a bank at Huntingburg, Ind.

The Portland (Me.) poorhouse is caring for Mrs. Steele, formerly Miss Jessamy Bret Harte, daughter of the author, Bret Harte. Mrs. Steele is said to be without means and is ill.

Many Dutch officials have been killed or wounded by revolting natives on the island of Java.

Jacob Gerbovitz, 24 years old, fired four shots at his wife, Emma Gerbovitz, and then turned the revolver upon himself, inflicting a wound from which he is expected to die, at Kenosha, Wis.

Seven thousand naphtha workers went on strike at Baku, Transcaucasia.

In a collision between an express train and an extra freight on the Fitchburg division of the Boston & Maine railroad at South River, Mass., five employes of the railroad were killed.

Tony Sain committed suicide at Uniontown Pa., by jumping into a coke oven.

It is reported that Miss Fola La Follette, daughter of Senator La Follette, of Wisconsin, is soon to leave the stage and marry Alfred T. Rogers, an attorney of Janesville.

Representative A. D. Dulaney of Little Rock county, Arkansas, was indicted on the charge of accepting a bribe of $200.

Attorney General Young, of Minnesota, made another attack on the Great Northern railway by beginning quo warranto proceedings to compel the St. Paul, Minneapolis & Manitoba Railroad company to show cause why its charter should not be forfeited. This company is really the parent of the Great Northern Railway company, and the Great Northern was joined in this issue, as it is the owner of the Manitoba company's stock.

Rev. Cornelius Hill, oldest of the Oneida chiefs, is dead on the reservation near Green Bay, Wis., aged 75 years.

Otis Eddy, aged 102 years, died at his home in Rockford, Ill. He was believed to be the oldest Mason in this country in years of membership, having been initiated into the order May 20, 1826.

Mail reports from American consular officers in China confirm the worst stories of the famine.

More than 100 Chinese were drowned when a severe windstorm swept Hong Kong harbor.

Fire in a garage in New York destroyed 100 automobiles, the loss being $750,000.

J. J. Hill, E. H. Harriman and the Republican policy of protection were assailed in the minority adverse report on the Littauer compromise ship subsidy bill, which was filed in the house, signed by four Democratic members of the committee on merchant marine.

Charles W. Schulte, aged 63, a capitalist and banker of Memphis, Tenn., committed suicide at the Battle Creek sanitarium, where he was being treated for a nervous trouble.

Mrs. August Ringling, mother of the Ringling brothers, died in Baraboo, Wis.

James H. Beatty, for 16 years judge of the United States district court for the district of Idaho, tendered his resignation to President Roosevelt.

Col. Richard W. Blue, formerly a well-known Kansas politician and attorney, died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Bartlesville, I. T., aged 65 years.

Gasper Kubiczoi of Jersey City, N. J., deliberately placed his head on a rail at Allegheny, Pa., and a train severed it. He was insane.

The plant of the Phelps Publishing company, Springfield, Mass., was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at nearly $1,000,000.

Walter L. Lane, publisher of the Muscatine (Iowa) Journal, died of heart trouble.

Albert Houck found the body of his wife lying on a table of her room, burned to a crisp, in Pittsburg, when he returned from work.

The lifeless bodies of Jacob Weil, the proprietor of a Brooklyn restaurant, and of his wife, Rosa Weil, were found in their apartments. Both had been asphyxiated by gas.

H. L. F. Lagercrantz has been appointed minister of Sweden to the United States.

Mrs. Emma Randall and Miss Della Ihde of Geneva, Iowa, saved an Iowa Central passenger train from being wrecked. They discovered a broken rail, and with a shawl flogged the train.

The first international exposition of safety devices and industrial hygiene was opened in New York.

The levee broke at Luxora, Ark., and the town was flooded.

Thirty thousand people passed by the bier of the late Senator Alger, whose body lay in state in the Detroit city hall.

Senator Alger was buried at Detroit with full military honors.

Three firemen were killed and many injured by falling walls when the Seneca building in Buffalo, N. Y., was destroyed by fire.

Five men were killed, two fatally hurt and 20 injured by the explosion of an ammonia tank in Armour & Co.'s plant at the Chicago stockyards.

Reed Knox, son of Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, was married to Miss Elizabeth McCook of Washington.

John T. Williams, 40 years old, paying teller of the Lincoln National bank of New York, was found dead in Bronx park with an empty bottle that had contained poison lying at his side. Gen. Thomas L. James, president of the bank, said the dead man's accounts were straight.

Sigmond Weinstein, cashier of the Galveston agency of the North German Lloyd Steamship company, shot and killed himself in the reading room of the Elks club.

Rev. Dr. Henry Martin Field, for 44 years editor of the Evangelist, of New York, and brother of Cyrus W., David D., and Stephen J. Field, died, aged 85 years.

The French steamer St. Germain, bringing 200 laborers for the canal from West Indian ports, arrived at Colon and was at once placed under quarantine on account of smallpox on board.

The necessity for the restoration of the canteen in the American army was strongly set forth in a letter from Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee to Capt. J. Walter Mitchell of the Spanish-American War Veterans' association.

Mrs. Patrick Rice rescued her 12-year-old son from her burning home in Chicago and then was fatally burned in a vain effort to save another son, aged eight.

Alton Cameron, aged 23 years, a brother-in-law of Judge William F. Connolly, of the Detroit recorder's court, was shot and instantly killed in a saloon by Joseph Schulte, the bartender, after a quarrel.

Rev. Alexander Gilchrist, D. D., secretary of the Home Mission board of the United Presbyterian denomination and one of the most prominent figures of the church, died at his home in Pittsburg, Pa.

An unknown young man and young woman at Camden, N. J., committed suicide by letting an electric train strike them.

Twelve miners were killed by an explosion of fire damp in a mine at Lorentz, W. Va., and nine men were killed by a dynamite explosion near Pearisburg, Va.

The German government won a definite victory in the general election for a new reichstag. The liberal, radical and conservative parties, supporting Prince von Buelow's colonial policy, won at least 20 seats and the socialists lost 17 or 18 seats.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 26—Both senate and house today took action to endorse Edward T. Young, attorney general, in his legal battle against the railroads, both in the matter of that official's attack on the legality of the Manitoba charter now held by the Great Northern, and that of the injunction brought against the state by the ten railroads operating within it to prevent the putting into effect of the new lower rates ordered by the state railroad commission.

In the house L. C. Spooner, chairman of the railroad committee, today introduced a bill to grant the attorney general $25,000 a year for the employment of additional counsel and for entering into such expenses as are necessary in important litigations. Spooner gave notice that he would ask next Tuesday for passage of the bill under suspension of the rules which usually tie a bill down to a number of weeks before it is passed after its introduction. Spooner believes that no red tape should hamper the state in legal defense of the rights of the people at this time.

In the senate, B. E. Sundberg introduced a lengthy resolution calling for the appointment of a committee of five senators to make a special investigation of railroads, freight tonnage, etc., in Minnesota, the committee to engage for a clerk an expert on railroad matters. The author of the resolution said that at the present time the temporary injunction granted the railroads against the state railroad commission, in part ties the hands of the commissioners from immediate further action and investigation of railroad matters; but that the state senate is free to take up the fight for the people. The resolution will be acted upon next Tuesday when according to another resolution by Senator Putnam which passed, the state railroad commission is asked to report on what information about railroads it has on hand and what further date it desires.

The session of the senate today was marked by the introduction of nine bills for reform of life insurance companies. The bills regulate the salaries of insurance company officials and employes, disbursements and investments of companies, provisions relative to agents, prohibition of non-participating policies, prohibition of discriminations, and methods for election of company directors by policyholders. The bills were introduced by Senators Cashman (two), Glotzbach (two), Coller (two), Works and Farrington (two).

Senator J. F. Calhoun of Minneapolis introduced a bill to appropriate $10,000 for a silver service to be presented by the state to the new Battleship Minnesota, the governor to name a committee of three to purchase the service and present it to the secretary of the navy.

A new county option bill, to take the place of the one now pending, was introduced in the upper house today by Senator Thorpe of Willmar, and in the lower house by Representative Rachie of Madison. The new bill is endorsed by the prohibitionists, Anti-Saloon league, and several Scandinavian temperence organizations which are interested in the issue. The new bills call for a petition of 25 per cent of the voters to have the matter voted upon. The district court receives the petition, and is authorized to order a special election on the subject instead of having the issue met at the regular town election.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 29—Senator Sundberg of Kennedy today succeeded in getting his resolution, calling for an investigation of Minnesota railroads by a special senate committee, passed by the upper house. The vote on the resolution stood 55 to 1, practically every senator wanting to have his vote recorded "right" in the sight of his constituents, tho many were evidently opposed to the measure. J. F. Calhoun was the lone senator who voted against the resolution, and he probably would have joined the "band wagon" if it were not that his name on the roll call is about the first and he had to announce his vote before knowing how the rest of the senate would declare itself. There was much discussion on the resolution. E. E. Smith thought it unnecessary extravagance to engage and extra clerk for the committee when the senate already had so many employes. Sundberg replied that Smith might as well come out and try to kill the resolution in the open. Geo. P. Wilson, former attorney general, took exception to the insinuations made by Sundberg to an honest criticism and Sundberg said if his remarks had been ungentlemanly he would apologize.

The chair named on the special committee Senators Sundberg, chairman, Cushman, Nelson, Sageng and Canestorp. The opposition to the resolution on the part of some of the senators was because of the belief that the "expert clerk" called for by the resolution was to be Eric Olson, who injected himself into most of the railroad rate hearings before the state commission, and whose evidence submitted, though voluminous, was of little aid from a point of view of legal intelligence and enlightenment.

There were numerous bills introduced in the senate today, but they were for the most part of little interest. Senator George P. Wilson introduced a bill making uniform laws for the sale of all goods. The bill was drafted by a conference of commissioners on uniform state laws. Senator Hinton introduced a bill appropriating $25,000 as state aid for the teaching of domestic science in high schools, the aid to be from $200 to $400 a school. Senator Dar Hall presented a measure to appropriate $16,000 for establishment of a state fruit breeding farm, and making a standing appropriation for the institution of $2,000 annually.

In the house today S. D. Peterson caused a lively debate by offering a resolution commending former Congressman J. M. McCleary of the Second district for his stand in congress for a high tariff. The resolution went over on notice of debate by Ambrose Tighe of St. Paul. A third fish hatchery is established at Detroit Lake in a bill introduced by Representative Bjorge. The measure carries an appropriation of $10,000. J. A. Gates introduced a bill to propigate prairie chickens in the state by forbidding that they be killed for the next two years.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 30—Senator Albert Schaller of Hastings, democrat, today introduced a bill in the senate which if it passes, will permit the state to give the laugh to the railroads which have secured a temporary injunction against the putting in effect of the new low tarriff on general commodity freights, as established by the railroad and warehouse commission. The bill reads that the tariffs for carrying general commodity freight in the state of Minnesota shall be—and then follows in detail a table of rates promulgated by the state commission. If this became a law, the rates would of course be in effect and in the meantime it will be impossible for the railroads to bring an injunction suit against the legislature to stop the passage of the bill.

Another important measure which put in an appearance today was an innocent looking bill by Senator V. B. Seward of Marshall, proposing the substitution of the words "every person" for the word "male," in section 1, article 7 of the constitution. The effect of this change would be to permit free and equal suffrage of women with men at any and all elections.

The senate held a long debate this morning on the Moonan resolution, ordering the senate railroad committee to report on the 2-cent fare as soon as possible, and not later in any event than Feb. 6. The resolution suffered several amendments, finally being lost by a vote of 22 to 31. Senator Peterson, the author of one of the 2-cent fare bills, led the attack on the resolution on the ground that the railroad committee had not had an opportunity to meet and consider its bills because several of its members had been busy serving on the elections committee on the Butler-Hackney contest; and that the committeemen should not therefore, be made to suffer the odium which would attach on the passage of a criticising resolution.

The house adjourned at 11 a. m., after passage of resolutions to the memory of the late Dr. L. W. Babcock of Wadena, a former speaker of the house. Some business was transacted, however. S. O. Morse, on his own request, had his resolution appropriating $250 legislative expenses to each member, referred back to himself, a gentle parliamentay method of giving a resolution or bill its funeral. His action was the result of a story, the truth of which is not doubted, that the attorney general was preparing a report for the house relative to the resolution which dealt with the proposition with ungentle hand, and Morse desired to avoid the coming trouble.

The house voted to adopt the report of the committee on express and telegraph lines, which recommended the adoption of Donald Robertson's resolution calling for investigation of express rates. N. J. Holmberg offered a measure prohibiting the sale of liquor or cigarettes within one mile of the state agricultural college. The measure, however, makes no refence to the "makings," and the student who formerly rolled his own cigarette may continue to do so even if the legislature passes the bill. N. F. Hugo of Duluth offered a bill to stimulate the building of rural street railway lines. It provides that roads and highways may be condemned for tracks on consent of county commissioners.

Tomorrow afternoon the senate will take up as a special order of business the contest brought by Pierce Butler, democrat, for the senatorial seat of J. M Hackney of Hamline. The elections committee has a majority report in favor of Hackney, but there is liable to be a wordy battle on the proposition. The attorneys of each side are to be allowed an hour and a quarter each to address the senate.

Stuck by the Way

Minneapolis, Minn.—There are hundreds of cars loaded with coal from Duluth side tracked all over the Northwest, and they will not reach their destination till spring.

This statement was made by a prominent official of the Pittsburg Coal company to The Tribune, in discussing the coal supply of Northern Minnesota and North Dakota.

"It is hard to help," added the official, "it is simply a problem of the snows and storms. A train of coal leaves Duluth and is blocked by snow.

Will Suffer

St. Cloud, Minn.—Theodore H. Beaulieu of the White Earth Indian agency says there will be intense suffering in northern Minnesota before supplies can be taken in. He refers particularly to the White Earth reservation, where, he says, conditions are much different from former years.

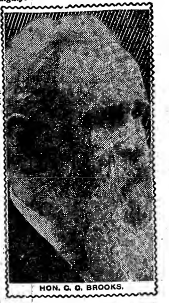
Since the land has been allotted Indiana and others are not permitted to help themselves to timber, even for fuel, and they now have to buy their wood. The winter has been exceptionally severe.

MAYOR OF SUNBURY

Says Pe-ru-na Is a Good Medicine.

Hon. C. C. Brooks, Mayor of Sunbury, Ohio, also Attorney for Farmers' Bank and Sunbury Building and Loan Co., writes:

"I have the utmost confidence in the virtue of Peruna. It is a great medicine. I have used it and I have known many of my friends who have obtained beneficial results from its use. *I cannot praise Peruna too highly.*"



HON. C. O. BROOKS.

THERE are a host of petty ailments which are the direct result of the weather.

This is more true of the excessive heat of summer and the intense cold of winter, but is partly true of all seasons of the year.

Whether it be a cold or a cough, catarrh of the head or bowl complaint, whether the liver be affected or the kidneys, the cause is very liable to be the same.

The weather slightly deranges the mucous membranes of the organs and the result is some functional disease.

Peruna has become a standby in thousands of homes for minor ailments of this sort.

Ask Your Druggist for Free Peruna Almanac for 1907.

BROKE THE DEER'S BACK.

How Treed Hunter Escaped From Threatened Death.

Peter Rindernecht, of Camp Bailey, Pa., is still talking of his narrow escape from an infuriated deer, which he finally killed in an unusual manner.

While the other members of the camp were away on a long drive, Pete, finding things slow in camp, decided to do a little hunting on his own hook.

Back of the Hinkle farm he jumped a large buck and fired a shot which made a flesh wound. The angry deer, lowering its prongs, made for Pete, who dropped his rifle and climbed the nearest tree.

The deer pawed at the tree, snorting with rage, and Pete thought it a fine joke until night began to draw near with the buck still on guard.

Pete yelled for help, but his cries only echoed through the ravines. It was very cold, and the hunter found that it would not be long until he would release his hold on the branches and fall to the ground.

A desperate plan was determined upon. Pete weighs close to 280 pounds, and when the buck, walking around the tree, was directly beneath him, the hunter doubled himself up like a ball and dropped.

He landed right on the buck's back, breaking its spinal column and crippling it so that the work of killing it with his hunting knife was easy.

Has Cinch on Position.

Various authorities have passed on a letter received at the post office department a short time ago and it has finally been sent to the postmaster general. The letter came from a western postmaster at a small office and read: "In accordance with the rules of the department, I write you to inform you that on next Saturday I will close the post office for one day, as I am going on a bear hunt. I am not asking your permission to close up and you can discharge me if you want to. But I will advise you now that I am the only man in the county who can read and write." It is not likely that the postmaster will be discharged.

Long and Remarkable Life.

Suffold tells us of a remarkable record of an old man of his acquaintance employed by Mr. William Lodge, of Gorleston-on-Sea. This old gentleman began his working life as a farm laborer 71 years ago, before Queen Victoria came to the throne, and at 81 he can still drive a plow as well as most men of half his years. Almost more remarkable is the fact that although he has spent practically all his long life within sight of the sea he has never been on it, nor has he ever been inside a train.—Tit-Bits.

The Well Knit College Chap.

Ethel's big sister has an ardent admirer who is a college athlete, a big, broad-shouldered chap. Ethel overheard her sister say that he was well knit. The next evening, when the young man called, Ethel went into the parlor to entertain him.

"Do you know what sister says about you?" demanded Ethel.

"No. Something nice, I hope," said the young man.

"Oh, yes, it's very nice," replied Ethel. "She says you are beautifully crocheted."

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered In the Gopher State.

State Fair.

Secretary E. W. Randall of the Minnesota State Fair has been officially informed that the board of directors of the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association, at their annual meeting, formally voted an appropriation of $2,500 for premiums for a special shorthorn show at the Minnesota state fair. The appropriation is made with the provision that the Minnesota State Agricultural Society shall set aside a like amount and thus make the entire premium offerings for shorthorn cattle the full sum of $5,000.

Immediately upon receipt of this notification the managers acquiesced in the provision and have appropriated $2,500 and have thus secured the holding of a great Shorthorn exhibition at the next fair. But in addition they have promoted an enormous livestock show all along the line, as the action in regard to shorthorns will stimulate other breeders' associations and there are good chances of liberal appropriations from several of these organizations. Secretary Randall is in correspondence with the American Hereford Breeders' Association, the American Aberdeen-Angus Association and others and expects favorable action in the near future.

One feature of the Shorthorn show will be of great interest to Minnesota livestock breeders. Of the total of $5,000, $1,000 will be set aside exclusively for Minnesota Shorthorns. This will give the breeders of the state a chance to show their stock without competition with fancy stock from other parts of the country—a privilege which they will not be slow to take advantage of. At the same time if they wish to compete in the open classes for a share of the $4,000 offered without limitation, they are at liberty to do so—and some of the Minnesota herds will have good chances of winning in this general competition.

State Dairymen.

Owatonna.—The election of officers at the state dairymen's convention was held and resulted as follows:

President—Lucien A. Sweet of Fairmont.

Vice President—Robert Crickmeyer of Owatonna.

Secretary—John Morley of Owatonna.

Treasurer—August Ahlswede of Jordan.

The highest scores were announced as follows:

Creamery Classes—	Score.
H. P. Schultz, Shakopee	96
I. J. Lovlock, Lake Stella	95¾
A. G. S[illegible], St. Clair	95½
Hand Separator Class—	
A. L. G[illegible]son, Beltram	93½
C. P. [illegible], Bock	93
Nels L[illegible], Plainview	93
H. P. White, Ortonville	93
Gust Holt, Lake Park	93
Dairy Class—	
Mrs. John Neilson, Morgan	90½
E. E. Butler, Owatonna	90
Mrs. J. H. McRostie, Owatonna	89
David Swenson, Spicer	87
Alberta Winn, Redwood Falls	86½

One hundred and seventy tubs of butter were entered, seventy more than at any preceding convention.

Must Comply With the Law.

St. Paul.—The attorney general has made a ruling to the effect that foreign insurance companies must comply with law requiring foreign corporation to file their articles of incorporation with the secretary of state, providing, however, that they shall not be liable for the payment of more than the minimum fee of $50. As the insurance companies must secure permission from the insurance commissioner to do business in the state they have gone on the theory that this is all that is required of them. The ruling of the attorney general holds them subject to the regulations relating to foreign corporations generally.

Hurled Under Train.

Dodge Center—John Daggett, who lived about five miles west of town, was killed by a freight train, midway between here and Kasson. He was with Riley McKean and they were overtaken by a freight train and both stepped to one side while it passed. Daggett then called out, "Let's catch on," which he tried to do. Losing his hold, he fell under the train, both legs being cut off, and he was also bruised about the head and died instantly.

Capitol Commission Reports.

St. Paul—The seventh annual report of the capitol commission has been filed with the governor. It shows that of the $1,500,000 appropriated at different times for the new capitol, there is $70,530 unexpended. But of this amount $29,158 is to meet balances due on pending contracts and $38,295 must be used to pay interest on the last issue of $500,000 of capitol certificates. Thus the real balance will be but $3,077.

$20,000 Fire at Dexter.

Austin—Fire at Dexter village, about eighteen miles east of Austin, destroyed the fine double brick block belonging to Medberry Brothers, general merchants. The building and contents are a total loss save for partial insurance. The Masons, whose hall was upstairs, lost all their furniture and paraphernalia. The fire is supposed to have started from the furnace. The aggregate loss is estimated to be $20,000.

G. A. R. is Growing.

St. Paul—In spite of the large losses by death, the membership of the Minnesota department, G. A. R., is increasing. Adjt. O. S. Clark has just completed the report for the last half of the year, and it shows a net gain of 34, with a net gain of 202 for the whole of 1906.

During the last six months the department has gained by muster 114, by transfer 63, and by reinstatement 144. In the same time there have been lost by death 106, honorable discharge 13, transfer 43, and suspension 125, a total of 287. The total number in good standing on Dec. 31 was 8,725.

A Pioneer Passes Away.

St. Paul.—Captain James G. McGrew a Minnesota pioneer and a prominent character in some of the stirring affairs of Minnesota territorial days, died at his home, 942 Cromwell avenue, St. Anthony Park, at the age of 73 years. Captain McGrew was born near Dayton, Ohio, 1833 and came to Minnesota territory in 1854, locating in Fillmore county, where he taught school.

At the outbreak of the civil war he enlisted in Company B of the Fifth Minnesota Infantry. He was elected sergeant, but he rose to the rank of captain and at the close of the war was on the staff of General L. F. Hubbard. Though a true soldier and a hard fighter, participating in many engagements, notably the assault on Vicksburg and at Nashville, he was never wounded.

Histories of the Indian massacres, when the Sioux broke loose in 1862, give Captain McGrew credit for the saving of Fort Ridgely. His bravery and skill as an officer and artillerist saved the position and the settlers gathered in it for protection.

Divide Road Funds.

St. Paul.—The first distribution of state road and bridge funds by the state highway commission is about to be made. During the year it is expected that about $60,000 will be available, most of it coming in on the regular tax settlements, as a result of the one-twentieth of a mill road and bridge tax. Under the law no county may receive more than 3 per cent of the fund or less than one-half of 1 per cent but the state is only to pay one third of the cost of state bridges and roads, built under supervision of the state engineer. Counties that do not conform in the regulations will not get anything.

The highway commission met with the road and bridge committees of both houses. A resubmission of the road and bridge amendment, defeated last fall, will be considered, also the amendments to the law that will make it easier for counties to raise their share of funds for state work.

Regents Will Figure.

Minneapolis.—President Cyrus Northrop has sent out an official call for a special meeting of the board of regents of the University of Minnesota, to be held in the president's office Wednesday, Feb. 13.

The meeting is called for the purpose of considering the various needs of the university and the advisability of requesting the legislature for larger appropriations. The matter of campus extension will be brought up, and the proposed raise in the salaries of professors and instructors.

Several minor matters are slated for discussion also, among them the installation of a printing plant for the use of the university and the various university publications.

$50,000 Fire at Halloway.

Halloway.—Fire completely destroyed the main business street of this place. Three general stores, the village hall, postoffice and the bank of Halloway were burned. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is supposed to have started from a defective stove. The loss is estimated at $50,000, covered by $38,000 insurance.

Train and Wagon Collide.

Moorhead—A farmer named Anderson was driving over the N. P. crossing on Fifth street with a wagon and grain tank when an extra west-bound freight struck the wagon on the pilot of the locomotive and dragged the whole outfit nearly a hundred feet. The wagon and tank were broken to splinters, but neither the team nor the man was seriously injured. Anderson escaped with a few bruises, but otherwise all right. It was almost a miracle that he was not killed instantly or maimed for life.

Postoffice Burned.

Granada—Fire destroyed the F. C. Stone general store, postoffice and telephone exchange at Northrup, six miles northwest of this place. Nothing was saved. The loss is about $3,500, with but little insurance.

News Notes.

Minneapolis.—Little headway has been made in solving the mysterious disappearance of Miss Stewart of Bemidji, who, on her way to visit her sister in Decorah, Iowa, stopped in Minneapolis and vanished.

Minneapolis.—The second annual convention of the Northern Pine Manufacturers closed after re-electing R. M. Weyerhauser of Cloquet, Minn., as president, and recommending that congress take some action toward establishing a wood-testing laboratory in the agricultural department of the University and calling for a uniform grade on lath.

Winona.—Capt. W. A. Thompson, who is in charge of river improvement work on this section of the Mississippi, is pleased at the increase of appropriation to half a million dollars for upper river work. He says that if the bill containing this appropriation is passed, it will bring the addition of new barges and boats to the present fleet. There also will be more money available to make changes in the river channel. A large part of the work this year will be done in the vicinity of Winona.

Virginia.—Emil La Fortune, a Frenchman, thirty-five years old, employed as a top loader in a camp of the Virginia Lumber company, was killed while engaged in loading cars. The boom broke and the end fell, striking him on the back of the head. He lived but a few moments.

Thief River Falls.—The city schools are suffering from a severe attack of matrimony—six of the teachers employed last fall have resigned to be married.

Clarkfield.—Charles A. Anderson, a well known painter of this place, died from the effects of drinking wood alcohol.

Currant Is Recommended to Improve Complexion

It is becoming easier every year to secure a great variety of tonic foods even during the cold weather. Our physicians and food chemists are constantly working to discover the nutritive and tonic properties of food products, and our common sense enables us to use the results of their experiments in planning our own dietaries.

The English doctors and food specialists, including the king's own physician, are just now recommending currants as not only a good, but a necessary, article of daily diet. This fruit has gained an unquestionable reputation as a body builder, and further, it is highly recommended as a purifier of the blood and a reliable beauty food. Its virtues are summed up in the question: "Of what other food—flesh, vegetable, fruit or cereal—can it be said that 99 per cent. is actual nutriment?"

The currant is not only nutritive, but it is economical because of its low price. It is not unagreeable as a food taken straight from the carton, but it is capable of extended use in puddings, cakes and bread.

It has been for a long time recognized that fruits contain predigested food elements which do not clog the system, and are valuable in sustaining strength. Fruit acids cleanse the stomach and bowels and are at the same time valuable as nutritive elements of diet. Any extension of the available winter list should be welcomed. The fruits are foods and medicines, or as some one has said foods which avert the necessity of medicine.

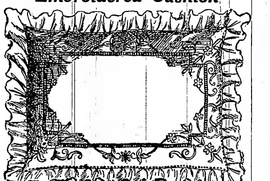
It is only in Greece that the real currant vine will thrive. Strong sunshine, tempered with mountain air and sea breezes; a soil that is light, dry and loamy—these are the first essentials to currant culture. Given such conditions, and grant, further, that the tract of country destined for the currant vineyard is on the slopes of the hills that stretch eastward from the Gulf of Patras to the Gulf of Corinth, and the currant vine, after seven years' careful culture, will be at its best.

Travelers speak of the great richness and beauty of these districts when the currant vines are in full bloom, and of the delicious fragrance of the air when laden with the perfume of the grape berry. The luscious fruit, when fully ripe, is gathered by the Grecian peasantry, much of this pleasant work being relegated to the young countrywomen.

Beautiful girls they are—these Grecian maidens—full of life and laughter. The Grecian girl lives mostly out of doors. Her diet is simplicity itself—bread, olives, thin wine and currants make up her bill of fare. There is, however, no denying that this diet agrees with her health and enriches her complexion.

Visitors to the currant country usually share the general diet of the Greeks. Thus we have the poet Byron writing from Greece in 1824: "For the past five days I have subsisted mainly on currants, a staple product of this classic land. They are an ideal food, largely consumed here, as they would be in other countries if their merits were known."

Embroidered Cushion



This is a rather small cushion, measuring 13 inches in length without the frilled border. It is intended for hanging on the back of a chair to form a head-rest; it is not only comfortable, and a pretty ornament, but prevents the top of an easy chair becoming soiled.

It may be worked on linen with Peri Lusta embroidery, so that it may be frequently washed; or it may be of silk, satin, or art serge worked with silk. Say, for instance, that a pretty shade of art green is used for the cushion, then the embroidery might be worked in shades of blue or gold. The bars are outlined in Italian-stitch, then are crossed by long-stitches; or if linen is used, threads might be drawn to form these bars. The rest of the design is worked in close satin stitch, a little padded by a few running stitches to raise it.

The back of cushion is of sateen unworked. The frill, which is set between the two, is cut on the cross about five inches deep, then folded, the two cut edges being gathered up together and set between the double edges of the cushion. Loops of cord should be sewn at the top of back of cushion by which to suspend it on the chair-back.

Ideas for the Celebration of the Day of St. Valentine

Very little is known of the good old saint whose memory is so wrapped up with Cupid's messages, heart throbs and love verses that it takes a good deal of digging back into the annals of the past to ascertain why he was chosen to be the patron saint of the capricious god of Love.

History tells us that Valentine lived in the third century, was a bishop of Rome, was persecuted for his faith, and died a martyr. English literature of the Elizabethan period contains a number of verses written for Valentine's day showing how in that time the fourteenth of February was regarded as a special season of lovemaking even among the birds, as the following lines of Drayton show:

> "Muse, bid the morn awake,
> Sad winter now declines,
> Each bird does choose a mate,
> The day's Saint Valentine's.
>
> "For that good bishop's sake
> Get up, and let us see
> What beauty it shall be
> That fortune us assigns."

In this world, now so lacking in sentiment, it is well that the spirit of Valentine's day with its renewal of love vows among those already married, its pledges of undying affection between betrothed lovers, and the exchange of love tokens among near and dear friends is being revived. The children of this age and generation need all the poetry and sentiment that can be put into their lives and I am sure that St. Valentine, bishop and martyr, must feel a keen sense of gratitude to have been chosen to preside over and guide the footsteps of his special messenger, Cupid, as he flits hither and yon hearing the healing balm of love for all who are pierced with the sharp darts from his quiver.

Just one word, do not for one minute think that this festival is for the youthful alone. Send a valentine to the very oldest person you know and just see what pleasure the unexpected missive will give.

A Valentine Party.

To make the rooms look very attractive, take down all heavy draperies and replace them with tarlatans in the delicate pastel shades. This completely transforms the house and gives the airiest effect imaginable. Cheese cloth is almost as effective. Veil all electric globes and gas jets with rose crepe paper or the tarlatan. Asparagus vines trailing over the draperies and from the center lights is very pretty and adds fairyland effect.

The hostess will see that only thoroughly congenial young people are asked. When all have arrived pass heart-shaped cards, bearing the names of the men present, to the ladies, and those of the ladies to the men. In this way partners are found for the game to follow, which is usually "Hearts" on this occasion, for no other scheme seems quite as appropriate.

The refreshment table can be made a thing of beauty with pink and green candies, pink and white carnations or roses. Oyster, chicken or sweetbread patties in heart-shaped shells, heart-shaped sandwiches, white grape, nut and apple salad in aspic heart moulds; cherry ice in heart cases and pink frosted heart cakes with the usual accessories will make a delicious menu.

The "piece de resistance" will be a "St. Valentine cake." It will contain two rings, one-half the cake iced in pink and the other in white. The hostess or guest of honor cuts the pink half and passes it to the men, while the host or a man whom the hostess specially wishes to honor cuts the white and passes to the ladies. Those who find the rings are supposed to marry within the year and are in honor bound to entertain the party on next Valentine's day.

The First American Valentine.

It is of interest to know that a young woman of Worcester, Mass., invented the first American valentine in the year 1856, and her business of manufacturing these dainty trifles became so enormous that one firm alone ordered over $25,000 worth of valentines annually. Before this Germany had sent us our supply for the celebrating of this pretty festival.

An invitation to an affair at which "postoffice" is to be a feature of the evening bears this little verse on a card decorated with tiny gilt hearts:

> "Cupid will distribute letters
> On St. Valentine's night;
> Love has bound you in his fetters,
> Come and loose the seal that night."

MADAME MERRI.

WOMAN IS SCIENTIST

FAIR JEWESS RECEIVES MEDAL FROM ROYAL SOCIETY.

Enviable Honor Enjoyed by Mrs. Hertha Ayrton—First Person of Her Sex So Rewarded for Unaided Research.

London.—Mrs. Hertha Ayrton, who is already known to some extent in America, can now claim recognition as England's foremost woman scientist. She is the first woman in the world to be awarded the Royal society's medal for her own unaided efforts in scientific research. Mme. Curie has the medal, it is true, but it was awarded to her jointly with her late husband for their renowned discovery of radium.

Oddly enough, Mrs. Ayrton is also the wife of a renowned scientist; her husband being Prof. W. E. Ayrton, the distinguished electrical engineer and inventor. She is to receive the Royal society's coveted medal on the last day of this month, the occasion being the annual banquet of this world-famous body. It was awarded to her at a recent meeting of the society's council because of her investigations on the electric arc and also as to the nature of sand ripples.

Mrs. Ayrton enjoys two other enviable distinctions. She is the only woman member of the Institute of Electrical Engineers, and four years ago was nominated a Fellow of the Royal society. This is the first time the highest tribunal of English science had nominated a woman. It was such an honor that it attracted immense attention everywhere, and opinion was expressed that the election of a woman was illegal: The Royal society thereupon took the highest judicial opinion, which was that the council had no power to elect a woman. Therefore, Mrs. Ayrton cannot put the magical letters of "F. R. S." behind her name.

She is well known in the United States, for she visited there six years ago, and at the Electrical Congress in Chicago read one of the most interesting of the papers.

At 16, Mrs. Ayrton had graduated and began to earn her living as a professor at Girton college, Cambridge, then in its infancy as a college for women. She was surely the youngest teacher in the history of Girton. It was there that she took up her first researches into mathematics and physics. She invented a sphygmograph for recording pulse beats, but finding something similar on the market, abandoned hers and patented a line divider—an instrument for immediately dividing up a line into any number of equal parts.

For nine years Mrs. Ayrton devoted herself to her family life. Then in 1893 her husband was summoned to the United States on business. His services have often been asked as an expert by India, Japan, the United States, in fact, all parts of the world. In his absence, Mrs. Ayrton continued his work, his investigations and experiments on the electric arc. Seven years later, when his paper on the subject, read before the International Electrical congress, was unfortunately burned in Chicago, Mrs. Ayrton surprised her husband by writing a substitute on the points he had noticed, which he declared was better than the original.

MRS. HERTHA AYRTON.
(Honored by British Royal Society for Scientific Research.)

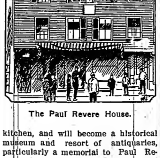
From that time on, she continued her investigations on her own account. For the past six years she has given the electric arc her continued attention. Now having completed her work and solved the knotty problems, she will publish her results in book form. It is partly for this that the Hughes medal of the Royal society was awarded her. Her other achievement is establishing the cause and effect of sand ripples by the tides. This is invaluable in the charting, navigation, and ultimate straightening of winding rivers. It was her first hobby as a child on the seaside. Now she has a score of huge tanks, with sand and pebbly bottoms. Sets of rollers move the waters, and the onlooker can see the sand gradually forming into ripples.

PAUL REVERE'S HOUSE SAVED

Famous Structure at Boston to Be Preserved as Historical Museum.

Boston.—The old house on North square occupied by Paul Revere at the time of his famous midnight ride in 1775, which has been hovering between salvation and destruction for the last five years, is at last saved to posterity beyond the possibility of a doubt.

What is more, it will cease to be used for any of the homely purposes of its recent past, such as the manufacture of cigars, the vending of cabbages and other supplies for the kitchen, and will become a historical museum and resort of antiquaries, particularly a memorial to Paul Revere, thus realizing the dream of many public-spirited Bostonians who have been active in raising the money to preserve it.



The Paul Revere House.

The first decisive move for its preservation was made four years ago by John P. Reynolds, Jr., a descendant of Paul Revere, who bought the property at that time to hold it till such time as a fund could be raised to purchase it for public purposes. The time has now arrived, and Mr. Reynolds has deeded the property for $12,000, his original purchase price, to Grafton D. Cushing, Walter Gilman Page and Charles S. Rackemann, as trustees, who will administer its affairs in the public interest for the present.

About $6,000 will be required for the restoration of the house, which is thoroughly dilapidated. The trustees have at present about $3,000, so it will be necessary to raise as much more before the place will be in first-class condition. It is hoped that all who feel pride in the preservation of the house, and who have not already contributed, will help to make up the deficit, sending any sum, however small, to one of the trustees.

It is also hoped to raise a fund for the maintenance of the building and for the payment of the taxes, unless it shall be exempted from taxation, as its preservers believe it should be, by reason of the object for which it is preserved.

Though the fact is not generally known, the house is undoubtedly much changed in appearance since Revere's day. An architect who is familiar with it says that in Revere's day it was only one story high and had a pitch roof. Now it is of two stories and has an ugly flat roof.

Though it would be both more picturesque and more correct if the extra story was removed and the pitch roof restored, it is feared that if such change should be made there would be a great protest from people who have always regarded the building as representing in its present aspect what it was when Revere lived in it.

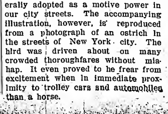
The interior is very different from what it once was, the rooms having been rearranged to accommodate tenement dwellers and lodgers. Beyond the heavy timbers and possibly a few of the window sashes and doors, it is doubtful if any part of the interior of 1775 remains.

The house is believed to be 220 years old. Revere bought it in 1770 and lived in it till about 1789, when his enlarged income enabled him to purchase a more pretentious house in Charter street, in which he lived till he died in 1817.

OSTRICH DRIVEN TO HARNESS.

Unique Turnout Occasionally Seen in Streets of New York City.

New York.—The ostrich when properly broken to harness makes a remarkably satisfactory steed. Its long legs and characteristic habits of running render it very speedy. Remarkable records for speed and endurance have been made by the ostrich in California, but it has yet to be generally adopted as a motive power in our city streets. The accompanying illustration, however, is reproduced from a photograph of an ostrich in the streets of New York city. The bird was driven about on many crowded thoroughfares without mishap. It even proved to be freer from excitement when in immediate proximity to trolley cars and automobiles than a horse.



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COUNTY OWNS ITS PROPERTY.

The balance of the purchase price for the Red Lake county court house which was bought by the county commissioners from Ernest Buse two years ago, was paid this week and Red Lake county now owns its property here. With the court house and jail property the county now has about $17,000 dollars invested in Red Lake Falls, but in the face of this fact the Thief River "committee" would have the people vote to abandon this property and move the seat of government to Thief River Falls, where the county has not a dollar's worth of holdings.

The mere moving of the county seat is not all they are after, either, as just as soon as they got the county seat—which, thank goodness, they never will—they would force a bond issue upon the taxpayers, and with the vote of the floating population of the up river town, who have not a dollar's worth of property in the world, would put the farmers and taxpayers of the county in the hole for $100,000 to build a court house and jail at Thief River Falls. This is their intention, and has so been voiced by more than one Thief Riverite who is onto the inside workings at the up-river burg.

Red Lake county now owns all its buildings here, and with the county seat left here will not be taxed a cent for new buildings for many years to come, as both the court house and jail are sufficient for all county purposes.

It would seem that the people would be anxious to see this expensive fight dropped, inasmuch as there is already so much invested in county property in Red Lake Falls, and the sooner that it is dropped for all time to come the better it will be for all concerned.

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Minnesota now has eighty-four counties--Mahnomen and Koochiching are the two new ones.

The last juror has been drawn and the Thaw murder trial is on. We will now be treated to disgusting details.

Six more weeks—or more—of winter. The ground hog has sustained his reputation in the shadow casting line. When he dies, may his ashes rest in pieces.

The fuel famine has become so acute in one town in North Dakota that the people are burning up the sidewalks. They are probably thankful that the walks are not cement.

The newspaper is a law book for the indolent, a sermon for the thoughtless, a library for the poor and an admonisher for the lawless. It may stimulate the most indifferent, but it cannot be published without cost and sent free to subscribers. This is no joke.

The report of the geological survey in the drainage investigation of Indian lands in northern Minnesota made last summer goes into more or less minute details on the president's plan for relaiming about 400,000 acres in Red Lake, Marshall and Beltrami counties at a total estimated cost of $1,080,000. The estimated cost for draining the improved land is $1.60 an acre and of unimproved and wholly swamp land, $3.60 an acre.

The Crookston Times says: "The local U. S. land office has received notice that about 25 sections of the land selected by the state as part of its swamp land grant has been cancelled and will now be open for homestead entry. The land in question are located in towns 159-52, 163 and 164-40, and 163-45. These towns are in Kittson and Roseau counties but mostly in Kittson. The reason of the cancellation is because of the treaty by which the government secured the lands from the Indians.

Editor Hunt, of the Sunbeam, sees the need of drastic action on the part of the Thief Riverites, and suggests the heaving overboard of the Johah managers of the up-river county-seat campaign. The Sunbeam says:

"There is a prospect now that Thief River Falls will either abandon the county seat removal proposition, or elect a new lot of managers as it is very evident that the Red Lake Falls boys are too smooth for the managers of the Thief River Falls end of the deal. We only judge by the events of the past few months, for if we employed a man to work in our office as a printer and he should blunder around until he "pied" one of the forms, we should conclude he did not understand his business, and would fire him at once."

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THE SOCIAL WHIRL.

Society Events Come Thick and Fast Before Lent.

The past week has been quite a busy one in the matter of society doings, and many pleasing functions have taken place.

Saturday afternoon last the Misses Hanson, Lamb, Trudo and Willson entertained a large party of ladies at the K. of P. hall. Despite the disagreeable weather, nearly all who had received invitations braved the elements to attend, and all were well repaid. The young ladies who were hostesses of the occasion had the hall very nicely decorated and cosily arranged for the comfort of their guests. Progressive cinch furnished the amusement of the afternoon, Mrs. Wm. Findeisen and Mrs. J. J. Padden tieing for first honors—Mrs Padden winning the draw for honors. The prize was a handsome silver souvenir spoon, with a picture of the high school building engraved thereon. Elaborate refreshments were served.

In the evening from 9 to 12, the same young ladies entertained the young people at an enjoyable dancing party. Some thirty couple were present, and spent a delightful evening. Good music was provided and an excellent time was had. Refreshments were served.

Monday evening at the K. of P. hall a dance and reception was given by the young people in honor of Arthur Mercier and bride, who left this week for their home in far-off Canada. About thirty-five couples were there and the evening was very enjoyably spent. Dancing furnished the chief amusement, and at midnight refreshments were partaken of. Mr. and Mr. Mercier were the recipients of the well wishes of all for a long life of happiness and prosperity.

Miss Leah Latendresse entertained a party of young people at her home on Sunday evening, and a pleasant time resulted. The evening was spent at games and various other amusements, and the guests were treated to elaborate refreshments before departing for their homes.

Mrs. Conrad Lajambe entertained informally at her home yesterday afternoon—a few close friends being present.

WHITE EARTH

Reservation Indians Are Feeling Effects of Cold Weather.

Theodore H. Beaulieu gives it out as his opinion that there will be intense suffering at some points in northern Minnesota before supplies can be taken to the people. He was speaking in particular of the White Earth reservation. The conditions there this year are much different than in former years. Since the allotments were allowed the Indians and others are not allowed to help themselves to timber even for fuel. They now have to buy their fuel like anyone else. The winter thus far has been a severe one, and the conditions along the new Soo line on the west side of the reservation, which is prairie land, are rather alarming. The Soo, according to Mr. Beaulieu, has practically abandoned this line and the general merchandise people in the small towns have reduced their stocks to a minimum. It is hard even to get the necessaries of life, and as for fuel those who have none are having a hard time of it to get enough to keep warm.

NOTICE FOR BIDS.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned until February 14th, 1907, 12 o'clock M for printing the official business of the city council for the year ending January, A. D., 1908. —By Order of the City Council.

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LENTEN SEASON SOON

Next Wednesday, February 13, Marks Beginning of Period of Sack Cloth and Ashes.

Wednesday of next week, February 13, is Ash Wednesday, the beginning of Lent, and for a period of forty days the faithful will abstain from worldly pleasures and give up their time to worship.

The Lenten season comes early this year—earlier than for a number of years—and Easter Sunday will fall on March 31. Palm Sunday comes on March 21 and Good Friday on March 29.

Lent is observed principally by those of the Catholic and Episcopalian faith, but as a rule society events are few during this period through respect for what it represents.

Bishop McGolrick of the diocese of Duluth, has issued his annual instructions to the parishes of the diocese regarding Lent, and the following are a few extracts taken therefrom:

All the days of Lent, the Sundays excepted, are days of fast. The precept of fast restricts the use of food to one full meal in the middle of the day and a collation in the evening not exceeding the fourth part of a full meal—custom, however, authorizing the taking in the morning of a cup of coffee, tea or chocolate, with a small piece of bread. When the full meal or principal repast cannot be taken without serious inconvenience toward the middle of the day, the order of repasts may be reversed, the full meal or principal repast being taken in the evening, and the collation at an earlier hour of the day.

The use of flesh is allowed at all meals on Sundays, and at the principal meal on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, except the Saturday of Ember Week (Feb. 23) and the Saturday of Holy Week (March 30th.)

The use of flesh meet, therefore, is forbidden at all meals on Wednesdays Fridays, the Saturdays of Ember Week and the Saturday of Holy Week; and on other days, outside of Sundays it is forbidden at other repasts, outside the full meal. The use of lard is permitted at all times in the preparation of food. Both fish and flesh meat cannot be taken at the same meal, even on Sundays. Persons legitimately excused or dispensed from the precept of fasting may use flesh meat at all meals on whatever day there is a general permission to use it at the principal meal.

From the percept of fast are excused: Those under the age of twenty-one years or over the age of sixty; the infirm and the convalscent; women bearing or nursing children, persons engaged in hard labor or other duties exhaustive of physical strength; persons who from poverty are unable to procure for the principal meal a sufficency of nutritive food. From the precept of abstinence are excused: The young under the age of seven years; the sick; persons who are so situated as not to be able to procure for themselves abstinence food.

In virtue of the authority conceded to Bishops of the United States by a recent Pontifical Indult, permission is granted to "working people" to use meat on all days of Lent, with the exception of Friday, Ash Wednesday, the Wednesday and the Saturday of Holy Week. The Sovereign Pontiff exhorts all who make use of the privileges of the Indult to be still mindful of their duty to practice self-denial; and he counsels that instead of the abstinence from meat some other sacrifice of bodily comfort be practiced, the Sovereign Pontiff himself suggesting as such sacrifice abstinence from intoxicating drink.

When doubt exists as to whether one's condition or circumstances allow exemption from the precept of fast and abstinence, counsel should be asked from confessors or pastors, who are the authoritative interpreters of the law and who are even empowered in special cases, for good and sufficient reasons, indicated in Catholic theology, to commute the precepts of fast and abstinence to other penitential works. In enjoining upon the faithful fast and abstinence, Holy Church makes a practical application of the evangelical law of self-denial, of which the Savior and his apostles were, by example and by word, such eminent teachers. Without self-denial there is no Christianity. Indeed, without self-denial there is no natural morality. The man who has not acquired by habit the power of self-restraint will not be victorious over sin, amid the storms and temptations of life which all men must encounter

The observance of the fast and abstinence prescribed by the church is taken by the world as a public and fearless profession of Catholic faith. He who, without sufficient or obvious reasons, eats meat or takes his usual meals when abstinence or fast is enjoined, is not accepted as a practical Catholic. The devotion of the Way of the Cross will be observed, when possible, in all churches and chapels, on the Friday evenings through Lent.

Statement of the Condition of the First State Bank at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

STATEMENT of the condition of First State Bank at Red Lake Falls, Minn., at close of business on Jan. 26, 1907. Date of Call by Supt., Jan. 26, 1907. Date of Report by bank, Feb. 2nd, 1907.

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts			$156,282 39
Overdrafts			468 75
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			7,600 00
Other Real Estate			1,417 59
Due from Banks		$25,721 33	
Checks and Cash Items		118 37	
Cash on Hand, items below		7,714 27	
Currency	$2,076 00		
Gold	4,180 00		
Silver	1,308 00		
Other	150 27		
Total Cash Assets		33,553 97	33,553 97
Total			$199,322 70
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock			$ 25,000 00
Surplus Fund			5,000 00
Undivided Profits, Net			3,087 40
Deposits Subject to Check		$ 34,449 62	
Demand Certificates		1,072 18	
Certified Checks		1,231 58	
Cashier's Checks		225 25	
Due to Banks		1,584 73	
Total Immediate Liabilities		38,563 36	
Time Certificates		127,671 94	
Total Deposits		166,235 30	166,235 30
Total			$199,322 70

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake, } ss.

I, Geo. F. Hennings, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above Statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. F. HENNINGS, Cashier.

Attest: (Two) Directors
THEO. GARCEAU
CHAS. N. BOURNON } Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of February, 1907.

NOEL DELORME,
Notary Public, Red Lake County, Minn.

My Commission expires Oct. 24, 1913.

D. W. Brown visited at Thief River Falls yesterday.

Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson was a caller at Thief River Falls Monday.

The list of delinquent real estate taxes was returned to Auditor O'Brien by Clerk Johnson today and is being compared before going to the printer for publication. The list is considerably longer than that of last year.

Willie wailed and Winnie wheezed, while wintry winds whined weirdly. Willie wriggled while Winnie wheezed wretchedly. Wisdom whispers, winter winds work wheezes. Wherefore we write, "Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup." Nothing else so good. Sold by all druggists.

Piles of people have Piles. Why suffer from piles when you can use DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve and get relief. Nothing else so good. Beware of imitations. See that the name is stamped on each box. Sold by all druggists.

Plummer Pioneer: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Green are happy over the arrival of a new baby boy at their home in Equality on Tuesday evening. Mother and child are well and Ralph's recovery hoped for in time.... Paul I. D. Ostby shipped his furniture to Thief River Falls on Monday and Mrs. Ostby and children left on Wednesday evening. Mr. Ostby has accepted a position in the freight department at the Soo depot.

New Barber Shop

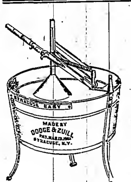
I have opened up for business the

Kaufer Barber Shop and Bath .. Parlors ..

and respectfully ask the public to give me a call. Will guarantee the best of work and courteous treatment. I will appreciate your trade

E. A. NELSON
THE NEW BARBER

The Syracuse "Easy" Washer



A Few Reasons Why You ... Should Have One ...

It saves the clothes.

It saves precious time.

It saves physical force.

It saves in cost—no new tubs or boards to buy.

It washes cleaner and rinses better.

It is adapted to both heavy and light clothes.

We Have Sold Hundreds of these machines since we have had the agency—another good reason why you should have one. We wouldn't have sold so many if they weren't right. Remember we put them out on trial and the price is only ....

$8.00

Hunt Hardware Co.

The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Joe Morisette was here from Plummer yesterday.

J. A. Rothstein, of Plummer, spent yesterday here.

Just received a car of Hocking Valley soft coal. See Salley for your supply.

Fred Brosseau of Crookston, was a guest at the home of his brother-in-law, Ed. Bray, Tuesday.

MEN WANTED--To cut 500 cords of poplar wood, eight miles east of this city. Inquire of V. M. Higinbotham.

For Sale--A "Jewett" Typewriter, just as good as new, which we will sell at a bargain. First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Hjalmer Johnson, a prominent Polk Center farmer, was a caller here yesterday, looking after some ditch business at the court house.

Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere spent a couple of days with her parents at Crookston the first of the week returning yesterday morning.

D. E. Foote, of East Grand Forks, was an over-Sunday visitor with friends here, and remained to take in the dance on Monday evening.

A case will be tried before Justice Toupin next Tuesday entitled Lillie C. Olson vs. Johnson & Norby. The case arises out of rent for the Plummer saloon building.

Miss Stella Hennemuth has returned home from Lambert and will spend a couple of months here. The school she was teaching out there was closed last week on account of the scarcity of fuel and will not be started again until warmer weather comes.

According to the government weather bureau at Crookston Monday was the coldest February 4 for the past seven years. The thermometer on this day stood 38 below, by the government thermometer, and these instruments are generally recognized as very conservative.

'Phone 7—Groceries--SPILLANES'

A. D. Berry was in from Louisville yesterday.

VALENTINES OF ALL KINDS AT FREUND'S.

C. J. Knox, of Thief River Falls, spent last night in the city.

Mike McCarthy, the geolal Gund man, spent last night in the city.

Ed. Johnson and Tom Norby were in from Plummer on business yesterday.

Milk and Cream delivered to any part of the city every evening. Phone 65. Fred Westphal.

Wm. Koch, of the Courier, was confined to his home several days the first of the week with an attack of tonsilitis.

Dr. Wilkinson was called to Dorothy Friday evening, and on account of the severe storm of Saturday did not return here until Sunday.

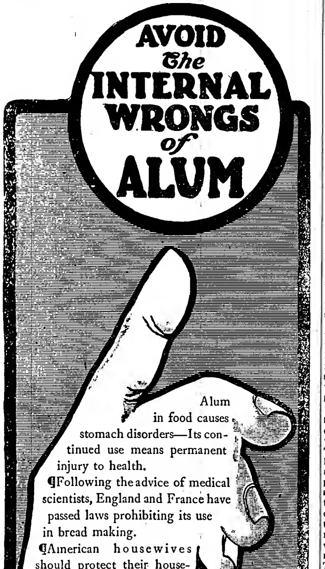
Joe Wessel, the favorite candy salesman, spent Tuesday in the city, placing a large amount of Wessel Bros.' choice goods with our dealers.

James McPeak has purchased the Duffy cottage near the N. P. track and will move it to his lots east of the Clearwater where he will fit it up for a residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mercier left yesterday for Thief River Falls, after spending a week with relatives and friends here. After a week's visit with their Thief River friends they will depart for their future home at Calgary, Canada.

The Sunday School of the Presbyterian church will give a supper Tuesday, Feb. 12th, at the church parlors. Supper will be served from 6 o'clock throughout the evening, for 25c. The following menu will be served:

Creamed Potatoes Cold Meats
Baked Beans Cold Slaw
Cranberry Sauce
Rolls Bread
Pickels Jelly
Doughnuts Assorted Cakes
Coffee.



Alum in food causes stomach disorders—Its continued use means permanent injury to health.

¶Following the advice of medical scientists, England and France have passed laws prohibiting its use in bread making.

¶American housewives should protect their households against Alum's wrongs by always buying pure Grape Cream of Tartar Baking Powder.

¶Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder is to be had for the asking—

Buy by name—

Royal

See Salley for your coal supply.

VALENTINES AND MASKS AT SPILLANE'S.

E. J. Garceau was in from Polk Centre Monday.

Rev. Father Ambrose was a Thief River Falls visitor Monday.

The Big Store has an interesting new ad elsewhere in today's Gazette.

Dr. J. E. Argue was at St. Hilaire over Sunday on his regular monthly professional call.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

County Attorney Germo and Sheriff Nelson were called to Thief River Falls yesterday on a criminal case.

Al J. Pouliot returned home Tuesday from a two weeks' business and pleasure trip to the big woods country over east.

See the new ad of the Hunt Hardware company in today's Gazette. It will give you an idea of the usefulness of the Syracuse "Easy" washing machine.

Dr. Spofford is at Grand View Hotel, Red Lake Falls, the 7th day of every month. Latest scientific methods in examining eyes and fitting glasses.

Warden Wolfer of the Minnesota State Prison has sent out notice to binding twine agents throughout the state to the effect that all orders for twine this year should be completed and turned in by the 1st of March.

A handsome new daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cadieux at their Terrebonne home Sunday morning last. The new arrival was right royally welcomed, and the many friends of her popular parents will hope that she may ever remain as a joy and comfort to them.

Joseph R. Pouliot came over from Grand Rapids Monday and will spend a few months resting up at his home here. Joe has been employed in one of the large stores at Grand Rapids for the past year, but recently resigned his position. He has not decided where he will go next, but will stay in Red Lake Falls at least 'till the birds come again.

Elsewhere in today's Gazette will be found the statement of the condition of the First State Bank of Brooks. This bank is making constant strides ahead and each succeeding statement shows a handsome gain in business. President Simons and Cashier Cheshire are popular with the people out that way, and the increase in the banks business is pleasing to note.

Julius Pleth was in from Plummer over Tuesday night looking after some business matters. Mr. Pleth will open his office at St. Paul about the 15th of next month, and is optimistic over the outlook for a good real estate business the coming year. He states that the impression that he is to forget Red Lake county is erroneous, as he will keep his office open at Plummer just the same, and will spend considerable time himself up this way. Julius thinks that Red Lake county is a winner in all respects, and plans on doing a big business in this section before another fall.

A lady who understands advertising says: "No lady wishes to be looked up a shopping fiend; she does not care to go into a store and have a merchant show all his stock in order to find out whether he keeps what she wishes to purchase and whether the article is sold at a price she can afford. It is much easier and pleasanter to look thru the advertisements of a paper than it is to bore the clerks and waste her own time. Next to the local news items, the advertisements in a paper stating articles for sale with prices, will keep much of the money that goes to the large cities at home."

The south-bound Great Northern freight was tied up here from Monday evening until Tuesday afternoon, and was finally hauled in to Crookston on Tuesday's freight. The train was late in arriving here Monday and after doing their yard work started to pull out but could not make the cut south of the depot. They attempted to pull up a few cars at a time but could not even do this on account of the extreme cold, and to cap the climax the engine went to the bad and was backed to a siding where it remained until Tuesday afternoon. The life of the railroad man is not by any means all roses at this season of the year, and a great deal of hardship is experienced by the trainmen in attempting to get the trains through at all.

Christian Endeavor Rally.

Rev. A. L. Hall-Quest of the Presbyterian church at Blackduck will visit Red Lake Falls next Tuesday in the interest of the Christian Endeavor work. He is one of the leaders in young people's work in the state. He will have charge of a rally at the Presbyterian church Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Hall-Quest is an accomplished pipe-organist, and will no doubt give some special music on this occasion. Arrangements are being made for an informal reception to Mr. Hall-Quest either before the [illegible] afterwards. Everyone is invited.

Salley sells coal. Phone 79.

Ed. Bray was a Crookston visitor over Monday night.

Medore Robillard spent several days at Crookston last week.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

H. F. Brown, the Crookston cigar man, was a caller here yesterday.

W. W. Prichard came down from Thief River Falls last evening on a brief business mission.

Frank Jeffers went down to Minneapolis Tuesday evening on a several days' business mission.

Nels Person and Halvor Kordal, prominent Polk Center farmers, were county seat callers yesterday.

Miss Laura Lizee went down to Crookston Tuesday evening and spent yesterday with friends there.

Master Louis Marchand has been quite ill at his home this week, but is reported as some better today.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain, Wednesday, Feb. 13th. Every member is urged to be present.

All headaches go
When you grow wiser
And learn to use
An "Early Riser."

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, safe, sure pills.—All druggists.

Abner Fletcher came over from Grand Forks Friday and visited with his parents and many friends here until Monday evening. Abner is now studying law at the U of North Dakota, and is well pleased with his work.

Merchant J. C. Mathews and wife of Dorothy spent Tuesday afternoon and night in Red Lake Falls. They started to drive home that evening but broke their bobsled before proceeding very far and were obliged to return and spend the night here.

The statement of the condition of the First State Bank is published elsewhere in today's Gazette. The statement shows that this popular banking institution has enjoyed a healthy and substantial growth since the last call, and the increase has been very gratifying to the officers, directors and public generally. The First State Bank is a carefully and well managed institution and deserves the success it is meeting with.

During the heavy wind of last Friday afternoon, an alarm of fire was turned in and the dreaded clang of the fire bell brought the people out in double quick order. The fire was in the house of Levi Miller in the extreme west limits of the city, and was caused by an over-heated stove pipe which was used as a chimney. Luckily Mr. Miller was home at the time and by hard work had the fire nearly out by the time the department arrived with the chemicals. The damage to the building was slight.

Mrs. J. B. Armstrong went down to Crookston Monday evening where she remained a couple of days to be present at an operation on the person of her niece, Miss Ethel Reed, which was performed at St. Vincent's hospital. The little girl has been bothered with some neck trouble for several years and while here last summer was operated upon and greatly relieved. However, the trouble did not entirely cease and she returned to Crookston from her home at Wadena for a further operation, which is hoped will cure her of the troublesome malady.

A SPECIAL
..MONTH..

The month's selling will move along with a dash here. We've a selection of values—real energetic values for you. We propose making it one of the greatest of months for economical buying. Your interest demand that you keep in touch with us ....

100 Pieces of New Dress
... Goods Just In ...

Fresh from the best looms of this country and Europe. The cream from different importers. Never have we exercised such care in selecting a line. It will please you, we are sure—positive of it. No use trying to describe it to you, we could not do justice to the line. Quality and Style are the slogans for spring. We have cheap goods, but our specialty is in stylish stuffs. Come and see for yourself or send for samples ....

15c to $2.00 per yd.
is the range of our new line.

Do you know that Butterick Patterns are now 10c and 15c—none higher............

There is no excuse now for not buying the best when they are as cheap as any other. We keep everything in stock shown in the fashion cards—no waiting.

It Pays to Trade at
THE BIG STORE
The Great Quality Store.
Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

K. O. Lee, of Aberdeen, South Dakota, spent several days here this week, looking after some real estate interests.

Sam E. Hunt was in over Monday for a visit with the home folks. He intended getting here Saturday, but the storm of the night before made a change in his plans necessary.

Anthony Paradis returned home Friday from St. John's college at Collegeville, having received his diploma for a complete course in stenography, typewriting and bookkeeping. The young man will remain here the balance of the winter, and expects to accept a situation in the spring.

A liquid cold relief with a laxative principle which drives out the cold through a copious action of the bowels, and a healing principle which lingers in the throat and stops the coughs—that is Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Safe and sure in its action; pleasant to take; and conforms to National Pure Food and Drug law. Contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.

Freund's orchestra will go to St. Hilaire Friday, where they will furnish music for the firemen's mask ball which will be held at the Imperial hall that evening.

Star
Restaurant
MRS. M. R. HALL, Prop.

Building formerly occupied by O'Brien Bros.' Hardware.

Meals and Lunches at All Hours
Board by the Day or Week

Complete stock of Confectionery, Nuts, etc. Fresh new line.

Everything New and Up-to-Date
Give me a call.

Keen Kutter

To the buyer of cutlery and tools the trade-mark "Keen Kutter" has a meaning that can only be appreciated after a thorough trial has been given. We are pleased to announce to the trade that we now have a complete line of

"Keen Kutter" Cutlery and Tools

and invite the keenest inspection of this handsome new stock.
We have also received some new . . .

"One Minute Washers"

the latest and easiest running washing machine made. If you are in the market for a washing machine don't fail to look at the "One-Minute Washer." Wash day will have no terrors for the housewife thereafter. The women are invited to come in and see one work. No trouble to show its workings.

The Hardware Men G. A. KANKEL Red Lake Falls, Minn.

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER IX.—Continued.

He looked out in calm certainty to observe in what manner the Lord had consented to answer his petition. He saw that the wind had veered and, even as he looked, large drops of rain came pounding musically upon his wagon cover. Far in front of them a long low line of flame was crawling to the west, while above it lurid clouds of smoke rolled away from them. In another moment the full force of the shower was upon them from a sky that half an hour before had been cloudless. Far off to the right scurried the Indians, their feathered figures lying low upon the backs of their small ponies. His heart swelled within him, and he fell again to his knees with many earnest words of thanksgiving for the intercession.

They at once made camp for the night, and by Brigham's fire later in the evening Joel Rae confided the truth of his miracle to that good man, taking care not to utter the words with any delight or pride in himself. He considered that Brigham was unduly surprised by the occurrence; almost displeased in fact; showing a tendency to attribute the day's good fortune to phenomena wholly natural. Although the miracle had seemed to him a small, simple thing, he now felt a little ashamed of his performance. He was pleased to note, however, that Brigham became more gracious to him after a short period of reflection. He praised him indeed for the merit which he seemed to have gained in the Lord's sight; taking occasion to remind him, however, that he, Brigham, had meant to produce the same effects by a prayer of his own in due time to save the train from destruction; that he had chosen to wait, however, in order to try the faith of the Saints.

By the first of June they had wormed their way over 500 miles of plain to the trading post of Fort Laramie. Here they were at last forced to cross the Platte and to take up their march along the Oregon trail. They were now in the land of alkaline deserts, of sage brush and greasewood, of sad, bleak, deadly stretches; a land where the favor of Heaven might have to be called upon if they were to survive. Yet it was a land not without inspiration,—a land of immense distances, of long, dim perspectives, and of dreamy visions in the far vague haze. In such a land, thought Joel Rae, the spirit of the Lord must draw closer to the children of earth.

CHAPTER X.

The Promised Land.

So far on their march the Lord had protected them from all but ordinary hardships. True, some members of the company had suffered from a fever which they attributed to the clouds of dust that enveloped the column of wagons when in motion, and to the great change of temperature from day to night. Again, the most of them were for many weeks without bread, saving for the sick the little flour they had and subsisting upon the meat provided by the hunters. Before reaching Fort Laramie, too, their stock had become weakened for want of food; an extended drought, the vast herds of buffalo, and the Indian fires having combined to destroy the pasturage.

This weakness of the animals made the march for many days not more than five or six miles a day. At the last they had fed to the stock not only all their grain but the most of their crackers and other breadstuffs. But these were slight matters to a persecuted people gathering out of Babylon.

Late in June they reached the South Pass. For many hundred miles they had been climbing the backbone of the continent. Now they had reached the summit, the dividing ridge between streams that flowed to the Atlantic and streams that flowed to the Pacific. From the level prairies they had toiled up into the fearsome Rockies where bleak, grim crags lowered upon them from afar, and distant summits glistening with snow warned them of the perils ahead.

Through all this time of marching the place where they should pitch the tent of Israel was not fixed upon. When Brigham was questioned around the camp-fire at night, his only reply was that he would know the site of their new home when he saw it. And it came to be told among the men that he had beheld in vision a tent settling down from heaven and resting over a certain spot; and that a voice had said to him, "Here is the place where my people Israel shall pitch their tents and spread wide the curtains of Zion!" It was enough. He would recognize the spot when they reached it.

From the trappers, scouts, and guides encountered along the road they had received much advice as to eligible locations; and while this was various as to sites recommended, the opinion had been unanimous that the Salt Lake valley was impossible. It was, they were told, sandy, barren, rainless, destitute of timber and vegetation, infested with hordes of hungry crickets, and roamed over by bands of most savage Indians. In short, no colony could endure there.

They dared not, indeed, go to a fertile land, for there the Gentiles would be tempted to follow them—with the old bloody end. Only in a desert such as these men had described the Salt Lake valley to be could they hope for peace. From Fort Bridger, then, their route bent to the southwest along the rocky spurs of the Uintah mountains, whose snow-clad tops gleamed a bluish white in the July sun.

By the middle of July the vanguard of the company began the descent of Echo canyon,—a narrow slit, cut straight down a thousand feet into the red sandstone,—the pass which a handful of them was to hold a few years later against a whole army of the hated Gentiles.

"Down, Down on Your Knees and Pray."

The hardest part of their journey was still before them. Their road had now to be made as they went, lying wholly among the mountains. Lofty hills, deep ravines with jagged sides, forbidding canyons, all but impassable streams, rock-bound and brush-choked,—up and down, through or over all these obstacles they had now to force a passage, cutting here, digging there; now double-locking the wheels of their wagons to prevent their crashing down some steep incline; now putting five teams to one load to haul it up the rock-strewn side of some waterway.

From Echo canyon they went down the Weber, then toward East canyon, a dozen of the bearded host going forward with spades and axes as sappers. Sometimes they made a mile in five hours; sometimes they were less lucky. But at length they were fighting their way up the choked East canyon, starting fierce gray wolves from their lairs in the rocks and hearing at every rod of their hardfought way the swift and unnerving song of the coiled rattlesnake.

Eight fearful miles they toiled through this gash in the mountain; then over another summit—Big mountain; down this dangerous slide, all wheels double-locked, on to the summit of another lofty hill,—Little mountain; and abruptly down again into the rock gorge afterwards to become historic as Immigration canyon.

Following down this gorge, never doubting they should come at last to their haven, they found its mouth to be impassable. Rocks, brush, and timber choked the way. Crossing to the south side, they went sheerly up the steep hill—so steep that it was all but impossible for the straining animals to drag up the heavy wagons, and so narrow that a false step might have dashed wagon and team half a thousand feet on to the rocks below.

But at last they stood on the summit,—and broke into shouts of rapture as they looked. For the wilderness home of Israel had been found. Far and wide below them stretched their promised land—a broad, open valley hemmed in by high mountains that lay cold and far and still in the blue haze. Some of these had slept since the world began under their canopies of snow, and these flashed a sunlit glory into the eager eyes of the pilgrims. Others reared bare, scathed peaks above slopes that were shaggy with timber. And out in front lay the wondrous lake—a shield of deepest glittering turquois held to the dull, gray breast of the valley.

Again and again they cried out: "Hosanna to God and the Lamb!" and many of the bearded host shed tears, for the hardships of the way had weakened them.

Then Brigham came, lying pale and wasted in his wagon, and when they saw him gaze long, and heard him finally say: "Enough—drive on!" they knew that on this morning of July 24, 1847, they had found the spot where in vision he had seen the tent of the Lord come down to earth.

There on the summit they knelt to entreat the mercy of God upon the land. The next day, by their leader's direction, they consecrated the valley to the Lord, and planted six acres of potatoes.

CHAPTER XI.

Another Miracle and a Temptation in the Wilderness.

The floor of the valley was an arid waste, flat and treeless, a far sweep of gray and gold, of sage-brush spangled with sunflowers, patched here and there with glistening beds of salt and soda, or pools of the deadly alkali. Here crawled the lizard and the rattlesnake; and there was no music to the desolation save the petulant chirp of the cricket. At the sides an occasional stream tumbled out of the mountains to be all but drunk away at once by the thirsty sands. Along the banks of these was the only green to be found, sparse fringes of willow and wild rose. On the borders of the valley, where the steeps arose, were little patches of purple and dusty brown, oak-brush, squaw-berry, a few dwarfed cedars, and other scant growths. At long intervals could be found a marsh of wire-grass, or a few acres of withered bunch-grass. But these served only to emphasize the prevailing desert tones.

The sun-baked earth was so hard that it broke their plows when they tried to turn it. Not until they had spread water upon it from the river they had named Jordan could the plows be used. Such was the new Canaan, the land held in reserve by the Lord for His chosen people since the foundations of the world were laid.

Dreary though it was, they were elated. Had not a Moses led them out of bondage up into this chamber of the mountains against the day of wrath that was to consume the Gentile world? And would he not smite the rocks for water? Would he not also be a Joshua to sit in judgment and divide to Israel his inheritance?

They waited not nor demurred, but fell to work. Within a week they had explored the valley and its canons, made a road to the timber eight miles away, built a saw-pit, sawed lumber for a skiff, plowed, planted, and irrigated half a hundred acres of the parched soil, and begun the erection of many dwellings, some of logs, some of adobes. Ground had also been chosen and consecrated by Brigham, whereon, in due time, they would build up their temple to the God of Jacob.

Meantime, they would continue to gather out of Babylon. During the late summer and fall many wagons arrived from the Missouri, so that by the beginning of winter their number was nearly 2,000. They lived rudely, a lucky few in the huts they had built; more in tents and wagon-boxes. Nor did they fail to thank Providence for the mild winter vouchsafed to them during this unprotected period, permitting them not only to survive, but to continue their labors—of logging, home-building, the making of rough furniture, and the repairing of wagons and tools.

When the early spring came they were again quickly at the land with their seeds. Over 5,000 acres were sown to needful produce. When this began to sprout with every promise of a full harvest, their joy was boundless; for their stock of breadstuffs and provisions had fallen low during the winter, and could not last later than harvest-time, even with rigid economy.

But early in June, in the full flush of this springtide of promise, it appeared that the Lord was minded to chasten them. For into their broad, green fields came the ravenous crickets in wide, black streams down the mountain sides. Over the growing grain they spread as a pall, and the tender sprouts were consumed to the ground. In their track they left no stalk nor growing blade.

Starvation now faced the Saints. In their panic they sought to fight the all-devouring pest. While some went wildly through the fields killing the crickets, others ran trenches and tried to drown them. Still others beat them back with sticks and brooms, or burned them by fires set in the fields. But against the oncoming horde these efforts were unavailing. Where hundreds were destroyed hundreds of thousands appeared.

Despair seized the Saints, the bitter despair of a cheated, famished people—deluded even by their God. In their shorn fields they wept and cursed, knowing at last they could not stay the pest.

Then into the fields came Joel Rae rebuking the frenzied men and women. The light of a high faith was upon him as he called out to them:

"Have I not preached to you all winter the way to salvation in times like this? Does faith mean one thing in my mouth and another thing here? Why waste yourselves with those foolish tricks of fire and water? They only make you forget Jehovah—you fools—you poor, blind fools—to palter so!"

He raised his voice, and the wondering group about him grew large.

"Down, down on your knees and pray—pray—pray! I tell you the Lord shall not suffer you to perish!"

Then, as but one or two obeyed him—

"So your hearts have been hardened? Then my own prayer shall save you!"

Down he knelt in the midst of the group, while they instinctively drew back from him on all sides. But as his voice rose, a voice that had never failed to move them, they, too, began to kneel, at first those near him, then others back of them, until a hundred knelt about him.

He had not observed them, but with eyes closed he prayed on, pouring out his heart in penitent supplication.

As his words rang out, there had been quick, low, startled murmurs from the kneeling group about him; and now loud shouts interrupted his prayer. He opened his eyes. From off toward the lake great flocks of gulls had appeared, whitening the sky, and now dulling all other sounds with the beating of their wings and their high, plaintive cries. Quickly they settled upon the fields in swirling drifts, so that the land all about lay white as with snow.

A groan went up: "They will finish what the crickets have left."

He had risen to his feet, looking intently. Then he gave an exultant shout.

"No! No!—they are eating only the crickets! —the white birds are devouring the black pests; the hosts of heaven and hell have met, and the powers of light have triumphed once more over darkness! Pray—pray now with all your hearts in thanksgiving for this mercy!"

And again they knelt, many with streaming eyes, while he led them in a prayer of gratitude for this wondrous miracle.

All day long the white birds fed upon the crickets, and when they left at night the harvest had been saved. Thus had Heaven vouchsafed a second miracle to the Lute of the Holy Ghost. It is small wonder then if his views of the esteem in which he was held by that power were now greatly enlarged.

In August, thanks to the Heaven-sent gulls, they were able to celebrate with a feast their first "Harvest Home." In the center of the big stockade a bowery was built, and under its shade tables were spread and richly laden with the first fruits their labors had won from the desert—white bread and golden butter, green corn, watermelons, and many varieties of vegetables. Hoisted on poles for exhibition were immense sheaves of wheat, rye, barley, and oats, coaxed from the arid level with the water they had cunningly spread upon it.

There were prayers and public thanksgiving, songs and speeches and dancing. It was the flush of their first triumph over the desert. Until nightfall the festival lasted, and at its close Elder Rae stood up to address them on the subject of their past trials and present blessings. The silence was instant, and the faces were all turned eagerly upon him, for it was beginning to be suspected that he had more than even priestly power.

When he was done many pressed forward to take his hand, the young and the old, for they had both learned to reverence him.

Near the outer edge of the throng was a red-lipped Juno, superbly rounded, who had gleaned in the fields until she was all a Gypsy brown, and her movements of a Gypsy grace in their freeness. She did not greet this young Elder as did the others, seeming, indeed, to be unconscious of his presence. Yet she lingered near as they scattered off into the dusk, in little groups or one by one; and still she stood there when all were gone, now venturing just a glance at him from deep gray eyes set under black brows, turning her splendid head a little to bring him into view. He saw the figure and came forward, peeringly.

"Mara Cavan—yes, yes, so it is!" He took her hand, somewhat timidly, an observer would have said. "Your father is not able to be out? I shall walk down with you to see him—if you're ready now."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HORTICULTURE

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This greenhouse was built for the purpose of supplying a country town with cut flowers, but later young plants of tomatoes, cabbage and cauliflower were grown as an experiment. These proving successful, many vegetables were grown and put upon the home market, some time before the gardeners had sowed the seed.

This greenhouse is perhaps larger than most gardeners would need, being 60x80 feet, says a correspondent of Orange Judd Farmer. The main entrance is from the south, there being two walks two and one-half feet wide, each extending the length of the house. At the north end of the walk is a door and window opening into the furnace room. This window furnishes all the air for the furnace room during cold weather. This furnace room is 7x18 feet and has an outside door. The pipes extend through the house from the furnace under the center bench and back again to the boiler. The center bench is six feet wide and two side benches each three and one-half feet wide.

Interior of Greenhouse.

Some 840 feet of lumber was required for the benches, which cost $1.25 per hundred feet, rough oak being used for most of the work. The bill of materials for construction of this house was as follows:

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Fight the scale or cut your trees down.

How many apples have you eaten today?

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We must grow low headed apple trees so that we can spray and pick the fruit at least cost, says a correspondent of Farm and Home. I advocate to start a head nine in from the ground and keep the tree low so that the fruit can be picked with a 12-foot ladder.

Send in your nursery order before the rush.

Too much land is the bane of many small fruit growers.

Be sure to have a full crop of nursery catalogues. Write for 'em.

Keep an eye on the strawberry bed. If winds blow the mulch off in spots, replace it at once.

Be prepared to adopt the valuable practical advice which is given so freely by neighbors and practical fruit growers.—Farm Journal.

Heart of the Apple Tree.

It is quite a popular impression that the heart of the apple tree is essential to its well-being. Yet it is known that the heart is but dead wood and plays little part in the life or usefulness of the tree. It helps to keep the tree upright and gives strength to it after the wood that composes the heart has ceased to perform cellular work. The strength given by the heart is valuable when great windstorms sweep over the orchard; for without the hard wood in the center of the tree, it would bend and break. It is often noticed that hearts of apple trees rot out, and the trees go on bearing as if nothing had happened.

Fruit Tree Whitewash.

Last spring I made a whitewash for apple trees with water in which tobacco stems and refuse tobacco had been boiled, using the usual amount of lime required to make a good thick coat on the trees when applied. The effect was beyond my expectation. It made the bark look sleek and healthy, even on trees that had considerable moss on them, also the insects were destroyed on most of the trees. To spray an orchard thoroughly in early winter and again in the spring with the above whitewash will, says Farm and Home, at least hold many insects in check.

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The STORY of CUPID

ST. VALENTINE'S Day perbaps is the least understood of all the days of the year that havs special significance. It is popular. It is observed. Swains a legion make it the occasion for sending tokens to their lady loves, yet not many know why.

Everybody knows what Christmas means, or Independence day, Thanksgiving day, Easter, but the origin of St. Valentine's day, or even its meaning, is a riddle but few have solved.

It is one of the oldest of the holidays. Only Christmas and Easter go further back into antiquity. These days have been observed ever since there was religion. But all the rest of the holidays are but infants beside the February occasion when belaced, befringed and beflowered love tokens are sent on their sentimental journeys.

St. Valentine's day began somewhere about the opening of the third century. It is a quaint combination of religion and sentiment. It represents the dual worship of a great man of the church and cupid, the mischievous patron and saint of love.

It was a queer beginning for a great holiday that people should have united on the same day to honor St. Valentine and Cupid. No more dissimilar deities could be found.

St. Valentine was an early day martyr. He died for the church, and in commemoration of his goodness and piety the Holy See set aside February 14 as the day on which the faithful should do honor to his memory.

On this day it became the custom to hold a love feast, which became known as the Feast of Lupercalia. It was at first a peculiarly religious observance modeled somewhat on the love feasts that are still held in many churches, in which members of the congregation break bread with each other, as a sign of peace and good fellowship.

Eventually the young folks passed from the purely religious feature of the holiday, and began to give it a somewhat secular tone. From loving your sister as a fellow believer in the tenets of the church was not a far step from loving her with the sort of sentiment that usually leads to the altar.

So in place of merely breaking bread together, according to the simple form of old, the young men inaugurated the custom of sending beautiful gifts to the women of their hearts. It was easy to do this without fear of reproof, for custom prescribed that no one could of right refuse that which came on St. Valentine's day, with all the gentle sentiments of love and Christian brotherhood that the festival inspired.

Thus in a gradual way Cupid had come to usurp the place that St. Valentine had once held all alone, and what was originally a time of prayer gradually transformed itself into the season when love sent out its messengers and pleas.

The wise old fathers of the church fought this merging of the religious with the secular, but the idea had taken a firm hold on the people, and was not to be easily abolished.

For a long time the worship of the day was fairly divided between St. Valentine and Cupid. First, the people would send up a prayer for the martyr. Then, this duty discharged, they would assemble in the public squares, the maids forming in line, and youths standing by in laughing eagerness.

One by one the girls would file up to a huge wooden box affixed to a pole and drop in the opening a slip of paper with her name written thereon.

When every girl had deposited her slip, the youths would file up and draw each one a slip. With palpitating hearts would they read the names drawn, for to the maiden thus given to them by good St. Valentine they must be faithful for one year.

Frequently the girl thus drawn, known as a valentine, became the wife of the man to whose lot she had fallen before the expiration of the year of service. The custom lasted through many centuries.

St. Valentine gave the excuse for these sentimental exchanges, but Cupid reaped the actual profit. In point of antiquity, Cupid was far the senior of St. Valentine, though the latter is also pictured in the dignity of a gray beard, while Cupid is a mere sprite of a boy, with bow and arrows. St. Valentine's era was some 20 centuries back. Cupid reaches into the dimmest mist of the antiquities. In fact, there never was time when Cupid did not exist.

The little god himself sent the first valentine of which there is any record, though it wasn't the kind of missive that now comes through the mails in a big square envelope.

The first valentine was a rather crude sort of love message, for it gave pain, but Cupid had an excuse. He lacked other means of reaching the affections of the obdurate Psyche, and when maidens resist a zealous suitor they must expect summary treatment.

Cupid was the son of Venus, herself the goddess of love; hence by inheritance he had a right to expect to know all about the tender passion. But while Venus was queen of love, she also had all the power of experiencing to the full that other passion that so frequently comes with love—jealousy.

The green monster was stirred in her breast by the acclaim that greeted the youngest daughter of a certain king and queen, a maiden known as Psyche. All men raged to possess the hand of this beautiful young girl, and Venus, unable to see her complete dominion even disputed, called to her aid Cupid.

"My son," she said, [illegible] thot beauty. Give thy mother revenge. Infuse in her bosom a love that shall be unrequited, so that her eventual mortification may be as great as her triumph now."

Thus it was that Cupid set out to woo Psyche, not with real love, not with a right motive, but animated by the base desire to feed a mother's hatred.

In Venus' gardens were two fountains, one of sweet, the other of bitter water. From these Cupid filled two amber vases, and suspending them from his quiver, hastened to the chamber of Psyche, whom he found asleep. He poured a few drops of the bitter liquid on her lips, then touched her with his arrow in the side.

Love has queer ways of working out its destiny, and even the god of love was not exempt from its perils. Psyche awoke, and in his eagerness to escape, Cupid slightly wounded himself with his own arrow.

Instantly he himself became stirred with the throbbings of tenderness, and knowing only the motive to repair the damage he had done, he poured all of the sweet water over the startled maiden, and being invisible himself, was able to escape before she could comprehend what had happened.

The two waters and the touch with the quiver may be accurately termed the first valentine of which history affords record. The valentine of today represents the desire of the suitor to win the lady of his love; so did the waters and arrow of Cupid.

That his first motive was base makes little difference, for afterwards he came to love Psyche with genuine loyalty, and against the wishes of his mother, married her.

Cupid, being a god, and Psyche only a mortal, it was not possible that the union should be of the earthly kind. Psyche went to the mountain, conducted by the Zephyr, and was set down at the palace of Cupid.

Then he came to her in the darkness, proclaimed her his wife, and fleeing always before the dawn of day, so maneuvered that while Psyche was filled with love of him and the joy of his presence she had never been able to see him.

Her envious sisters played on her feelings, told her that the husband of her choice, whom she had never seen might be some dangerous monster, who, having fattened her to his liking, would eventually feed upon her.

So they persuaded Psyche to the plan of stealing upon him as he slept, and knife in hand for protection, to gaze upon his features.

Psyche followed out this program, but just as she discovered that her husband was no monster, but the most beautiful of gods, she was unfortunate enough to spill a drop of oil from the lamp. It fell upon his shoulder and awakened him. Saddened and angered, Cupid, after rebuking her for her curiosity, vanished.

Psyche wandered alone and forlorn for a long time, but eventually Jupiter made her immortal, and she was united to Cupid for all time.

EMBARRASSING!

Mrs. Neersite—I found this horrid comic valentine in the coal-bed! I suppose some idiot sent it to Bridget?

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Valentine Baskets.

For the Valentine day luncheon oranges make pretty baskets. To make them cut a slice off one end of each orange about a third of the way down to its circumference. Remove all the pulp of the orange from the basket and with a sharp knife scrape out the bitter white lining. Throw both the basket and its cover into ice water, and put the orange pulp in the ice box. When ready to serve, stand the baskets in a pretty glass dish, propping them up against the sides with the circular pieces cut from the top. Fill each orange skin with pink ice cream and lay a red candy heart on each basket, tie with red ribbon with a red heart attached to each ribbon.

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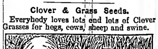

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BENEFITS OF INDUSTRIAL ARTS

(Affirmative of a debate on this question, recently held at the High School here.)

Madam President, Hon. Judges, Fellow Schoolmates:

The question for discussion today is, "Is is beneficial to introduce into our schools industrial arts?" I speak for the affirmative. I will endeavor to prove to you my side of this question.

The function of the school at the present age is greater than making scholars of the pupils. One of its greater aims is to make men and women of them. On all sides people oppose this important question. But are we going to listen to the friend of the old time school who on general principles, opposes all that has been added since his childhood days as a fad and insists upon old methods and courses of study?

Every school ought to offer more than one course from which the pupil may choose. The school may be small but place can always be found in the building to teach Domestic Science and Manual Training. The basement labratory or even the attic could be made to answer the purpose by few alterations, which would cost but little in comparison to the benefits it would render its pupils. In our case our halls could be used. Perhaps the lower hall would do best as it is not in use as extensively as our upper hall.

Let us first consider the necessity of Domestic Science. Every girl will at some time find the necessity of knowing how to cook. Where can she best learn how to cook? Surely in a school, well-equipped and near at hand where it is being taught under able instructors. You may say that home is the place where the girl should learn how to cook. I will endeavor to prove to you that a girl cannot easily learn to cook at home and at the same time attend to her school-work. She leaves at eight or half-past eight in the morning and gets home at half past four or five in the evening. The time before supper she must spend in bracing out-door air, to keep up her health. After supper she spends from 3 to 4 hours studying tomorrow's lessons. What time has she left to learn cooking at home? Practically none. Therefore we should teach cooking in our school and would be in reach of all, since many a girl cannot go to a real cooking school because she has not the time or money to spend. Then since cooking is of such great importance in our lives, every girl when she comes to the proper age should be able to cook the pure substantial cooking that would be taught in our school. The child that eats pure and wholesome food is the child that grows up strong and robust. While the child that is fed upon dainty fussy dishes, grows up peaked and sickly.

There is yet another point that I wish to bring out in favor of cooking being taught in our school.

The rich girl that learns to cook at home usually becomes exceedingly careless about the amount of material she uses and is not taught the lesson of economizing which every girl ought to know.

Likewise every girl should know how to sew, so she does not have to go to a dressmaker for every stitch she needs. In this way she can save a great deal of money as dressmakers usually charge a good price for their work. Then she will not have to idle her spare moments but can do odd bits of fancy work.

I would say that Manual Training is of as great importance to the boy as Domestic Science is to the girl, tho in entirely different ways. As we all know boys have a great tendency to drop out of school. Now if we had some course as manual training that would attract the boy to school as well as be beneficial to him there would not be as many idlers and criminals as are in the world today. To drop out of school is the first road that leads to the boy's destruction.

Agriculture is another art which is of a vast importance to youth. As I have before mentioned, many boys stay out of schools to learn a trade. And one of these is farming. The boy reaches the seventh or eighth grade, then drops out of school and hires himself to work on the farm. Here he works thru seeding, harvesting and threshing. Then he comes into the city and does all sorts of odd jobs for the city people. Thus he becomes a jack-of-all-trades and knows no trade or profession thoroughly when he gets to be a man and must look out for himself. His life is a complete failure. On the other hand if this boy had gone to school until he knew just what occupation he wished to pursue, he could have been a brilliant success. We could cheaply and easily buy from five to ten acres of land adjoining our city on which the boy could spend sometime raising beans, corn and other vegetables, under the directions of a teacher.

Inventions are made only by men who have had physical training as well as mental training. When such a man comes in contact with machinery he will invent. As soon as his eye perceives his hand will do. If the world wants new inventions she looks to this kind of men. A man will say that his son does not need to have an educated brain to become a farmer. But that is just where people are wrong. A man must be educated to some extent no matter in what profession he be, if he wishes to make a success. Educated farmers is what the world wants now-a-days.

Training the mind only is the cause of many physical defects upon the pupil. A weak body cannot contain a fully developed mind. To have a strong mind one must have a strong body. Look at some of our well educated people—how frail and weak they are—some men so weak that they cannot make use of their hard-earned education. This is all due to the fact that their physical training was entirely left out in the school they acquired their knowlegde. What better physical training can we have in a school than the industrial arts I have just named?

To introduce into our schools industrial arts will do away with the antagonistic feeling between the poor and the capitalists. In one of speeches, E. W. Walker, President of the Wisconsin Teachers' Association, says: "Education for labor not always from labor is the spirit of the modern school. Put intelligence with manual labor not separate intelligence from manual is the new school ideal." Probably no sounder educational ideal has ever been developed.

Another educator says we should place freedom to serve as the supreme educational ideal. It is in accordance with the development of these ideas that industrial schools have multiplied so rapidly: that courses in these subjects have been added in so many of our schools and that the spirit of labor and service is penetrating all our school work. I believe one of the best results manual training and agriculture has been the tendency to unite education of the hand with education of the brain, and thus help abolish the old fallacy of degradation in the work of hands.

Shall we look down upon the man who works with his hands? Let us rather assume the attitude of President Roosevelt when he says in his simple but forceful language: "I pity no man because he has to work. If he is worth his salt he will work. I envy the man who has a work worth doing and does it well. It is the fact of doing work WELL that counts, not the kind of work, so long as that work be honorable."

Thus as the poor and wealthy grow up side by side doing the same kind of work, the old fallacy of thinking work done by the hands degrading, will soon be abolished.

Many a poorer boy or girl cannot go to school until he has acquired a finished education. Here is a great advantage to that boy or girl. They can fall back upon one of these trades learned in school, whereby they can earn a fair and honest living.

Another result of the learning of these arts in our schools, is a rise in the salary of the common people. A person who is thoroughly familiar with his work is wanted by the world now-a-days, and the world pays most any salary to such a man.

A certain business man had employed in his office two men who learned the trade from him and one young man who learned the trade before he took it up as his profession. Within six months the man who had learned the business before he took it up as his work, received twice the amount the other, who had worked in the place for two years received. Thus we see the advantage.

You may say, "why not go to special schools to learn these trades?" They are often a great distance from us and to attend these schools a year or two would require a large amount of money, and time might be wasted. Suppose a boy graduated from a high school and went off to an agricultural school for a year or two. At the end of this time he finds that he does not want to become a farmer so he goes to the university and takes up law. There we see the time wasted. Again he isn't certain if he will ever become a lawyer.

It would be far better to extend our school work for two years at the end of which every pupil would well know what profession he wished to pursue and go directly at it.

My worthy opponent may say that these courses in addition to our present course are far too much for the pupil. The pupil must study enough as it is. This I oppose. In proportion, the pupils lessons would be shorter and he could more firmly impress each lesson upon his mind. There would be a variation in his school work and thus the monotony could be overcome and the pupil would like to study a great deal better.

The points that I advocate are as follows:

1. Plain wholesome cooking is learned.
2. Attraction to the boy who has dropped out or soon will because he is tired of his monotonous school work.
3. It makes a genius of the pupil, the result of which is a new invention.
4. It destroys the feeling between the poor and the capitalists.
5. Training mind and hand at the same time prevents many physical defects upon the pupil.
6. The boy or girl who must stop school before he has acquired a finished education can fall back upon one of these trades learned in school whereby they can earn a fair and honest living.
7. It would cause a rise in the salary of common working people.

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Bray.

A good sized blizzard passed over here last Friday and Saturday.

Gust Sebolin returned home from the woods last Tuesday where he has been working during the winter.

Messrs. C. P. Swanson and E. J. Akerlund drove to St. Hilaire last Tuesday.

M. J. Akerlund returned to his work on the G. N. railroad last Thursday after a week's visit at home.

C. P. Swanson was at Wylie last Thursday to attend a meeting of the Wylie Elevator and Mercantile Co.

Messrs. Ernest Akerlund, Ray Lindquist and Gust Dahlen, all from Bray transacted business at St. Hilaire Thursday.

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CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

ESTATE OF MARGARETTA WALTER

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake } ss

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mergeretta Walter, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Andrew Walter, Phillip Welter, John Walter, Maggie Adler (nee Walter), Anna Skala (nee Walter), Mary Kaus (nee Walter) and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Phillip Walter being duly filed in this court, representing that Margaretta Walter, then a resident of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, died on the 31st day of December, 1906, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Phillip Walter. Now therefore, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable N. W. Tarrant, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 24th day of January, 1907.

[Seal] N. W. TARRANT, Judge.

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Petitioner. j24f7

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy and 99-100 ($70.99) Dollars, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Joseph Boushea, administrator of the estate of John Boushea, deceased, mortgagor, to M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, bearing date the 21st day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 21 of Mortgages, on page 226.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, to John Jaenike by written assignment dated the 9th day of April, 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages on page 119.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Jaenike the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., by written assignment dated the 14th day of December, 1906, and recorded on the 19th day of December, 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m., in book 15 of mortgages page 345, and by reason of the default herein before mentioned the said Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, the assignee of said mortgagee, chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable making in all four hunared twenty and 99-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The east half of the south-west quarter of section fourteen (14), Township numbered one hundred fifty (150), North of Range forty-two (42), west of the 5th P. M. in the state of Minnesota, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the second day of March, 1907, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 15th, A. D., 1907.

Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. j17-f28

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Rudolf Warberg and Katharina Warberg, his wife, mortgagors, to Ralph Rogers mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in book 29 of mortgages, on page 29

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Ralph Rogers mortgagee, to G. B. Ward by written assignment dated the 15th day of October 1906, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of November 1906, at 1:00 o'clock P. M.; in book 32 of mortgages on page 391.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said G. B. Ward, the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, by written asignment dated the 13th day of November, 1906, and recorded on the 22nd day of November, 1906, at 3:10 o'clock P. M., in book 15 mortgages page 339, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otberwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

North east quarter of section numbered twenty-eight (28), in township numbered one hundred fifty (150), north of range forty-one (41), west of the 5th P. M. in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 23rd day of March, 1907, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty and no-100 dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, February 6th, 1907.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

F. A. Grady, Attorney for
Assignee of Mortgagee, f7-m21
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Statement of the Condition of the First State Bank of Brooks, Minnesota.

STATEMENT of the condition of First State Bank of Brooks, at Brooks Minn., at close of business on January 26th, 1907. Date of Call by Supt., January 29th, 1907. Date of Report by Bank, January 31st, 1907.

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts			$36,739 10
Overdrafts			1,121 29
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures			2,925 24
Due from Banks		$1,808 64	
Checks and Cash Items		79 75	
Cash on hand, items below		2,013 82	
Currency	$1,162 00		
Gold	555 00		
Silver	290 60		
Other	6 22		
Total Cash Assets		3,902 21	3,902 21
Total			$44,687 84
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock			$10,000 00
Surplus Fund			600 00
Undivided Profits, Net			643 50
Deposits Subject to Check		12,789 26	
Demand Certificates		1,212 25	
Total Immediate Liabilities		14,001 51	
Time Certificate		19,442 83	
Total Deposits		33,444 34	33,444 34
Total			$44,687 84

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake, } ss.

I, W. B. Cheshire, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above Statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. CHESHIRE, Cashier.

Attest: (Two) Directors
L. C. Simone, }
Chas. N. Bourdon, } Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of January, 1907.

O. C. Moore,
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MAY REVOKE HIS ORDER

President Has Been Told of Hardships Which Would Be Put on Homesteaders.

It is understood from Washington that the president will, in a few days, take action that will cancel his previous order holding up certain land transactions in the west awaiting investigation as to probable fraud. The president has been strongly advised that he should do this in the case of strictly agricultural lands, where there could be little, if any motive for fraud and collusion, and he is disposed to follow the advice given him.

Senator McCumber, of North Dakota, discussed this question with the president Saturday. He said that there are probably 500 cases in his state where homesteaders made entry, but were unable to make final proof because of the president's order holding up these entries. Senator McCumber asked that the president allow the receivers of public lands to issue receipts, thereby completing the transactions and permitting the homesteaders to begin improvements on the property. When they have obtained receipts they can borrow money on the lands for improvements, this being the method usuall pursued.

"There have been no frauds in the public lands in our state," said Senator McCumber, "and the holding up of these cases has been peculiarly hard upon the persons desiring to make homes for themselves."

The president has had several conferences with western congressmen on this subject including Congressman Steenerson, all of them urging that in the case of agricultural lands, there to be a revocation of the president's order.

There are many homesteaders in this country who will anxiously await the announcement of the president's order.

Honors Are Easy.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Word comes from far-off Worcester, Mass. that Attorney Francis Bergstrom, locally known as the attorney who started the "dump-ground" case, has at last won a law-suit. You never can tell what will happen these days.

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A BIG DAIRY MEETING

Farmers Club of St. Hilaire To Hold One Friday of Next Week.

The Farmers' Club of St. Hilaire are the sponsors for a big dairy meeting which will be held at that place Friday of next week, and plans are well under way to make it the biggest meeting of its kind ever held in Red Lake county.

A large number of practical speakers have been secured and will give valuable pointers on farming and dairying. The meeting will be opened at 10 o'clock a. m. and free dinner tickets will be given to farmers attending. Great interest is being manifested in the gathering, and indications point to one of the most successful meetings ever held in the valley.

The farmers around St. Hilaire are endeavoring to make it a great big event, inasmuch as the day will be the fifth anniversary of the organization of the St. Hilaire creamery, now one of the foremost creameries in the state.

Every farmer in Red Lake county is invited to attend.

Trains Get Stuck.

The gale of yesterday played havoc with the railroads again, and caused several tie-ups and had delays. The Great Northern passenger train got through here about on time in the morning, and got back on time in the evening. At this place the freight was side-tracked and the engine was hitched on to the passenger to help them through. However, in the cut at Delorme's south of town, they got stuck in the deep snow and the fire in the front engine got put out, leaving it dead. There were tied up there for several hours before they were finally able to get loose and proceed on their journey. The N. P. south bound got stuck out at Hill Top, and the section crews went out to shovel it out, which required several hours of hard work. The wind drifted the loose snow very badly yesterday and it soon got where it made trouble for the railroads.

New Flax A Wonder.

Flax that will yield from 20 to 25 per cent more flaxseed an acre than the common variety has been developed at the Minnesota experiment station. It has been tried with uniform success for two years, and it is unhesitatingly recommended to the farmers of the state. The new variety is known as No. 25.

In 1905 seed was distributed among forty-eight farmers in various parts of the state, and these reported an average increase in the yield of 26 per cent. The experiments in 1906 showed that it was 20 per cent better as a yielder than the common flax. There are now several thousands of bushels of the new flax available for seed.

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NEW OFFICERS ELECTED

Commercial Club Holds A Brief Business Session Monday Evening.

The Commercial club held a brief important session at the city hall Monday evening, and a large number of the members were present.

The election of officers for the ensuing year was the only important matter brought up, and the new officers chosen were as follows:

President—L. P. Berthon.

Vice-president—Ed L. Healy.

Secretary and Treasurer—Dan J. Doran.

Board of Managers—J. A. Duffy, Theo. Garceau, A. P. Toupin, S. M. Sivertson, L. C. Simons, M. O. Sortedahl, W. A. Schreiter.

A communication was read from the Great Northern railway company, asking for data, etc., for a booklet they are preparing regarding conditions in this section of the state. They want several letters from farmers and others, and matters of interest otherwise. Ed L. Healy and L. C. Simons were appointed as a committee to look after securing such matter as is desired.

On account of the entertainment at the opera house the meeting was adjourned early, to be convened again this (Thursday) evening, when several other important matters are to be brought up.

It is hoped that a large number of the members will turn out this evening to participate in the deliberations.

Sunday School Convention.

The Forty-Ninth Annual Convention will be held in the city of Minneapolis, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, April 10-11 and 12, A. D. 1907.

This will be a mass convention and every county will be allowed to send as many delegates as it can to come. However, all delegates must obtain credentials from either pastor or superintendent in order to receive entertainment.

No such array of talent has ever been offered to any Sunday School Convention in Minnesota and therefore we earnestly ask the hearty co-operation of all pastors, superintendents and other Sunday school workers of the state in giving the greatest publicity to this convention.

All railroads in the state will give a fare and one-third for the round trip on the certificate plan.

CRADLE AND THE GRAVE

List of Births and Deaths In Red Lake County For The Past Year.

Clerk of Court C. W. Johnson has received from the state health board, a list of the births and deaths for Red Lake county during 1905, which shows that through the medium of the stork the county enjoyed a nice increase in population. The following is the list:

	Births	Deaths
Bray	5	3
Black River	5	2
Clover Leaf	3	2
Deer Park	11	4
Equality	9	0
Emardville	6	3
Gervais	6	1
Garnes	19	4
Goodridge	11	0
Highlanding	24	2
Kratka	9	3
Louisville	14	2
Lambert	23	8
Lake Pleasant	4	1
Mayfield	11	1
North	8	1
Numedal	6	2
Norden	9	3
Poplar River	14	4
Polk Center	1	0
River Falls	8	7
Smiley	5	0
Sanders	6	1
Silverton	12	4
Terrebonne	21	7
Wyandotte	8	5
152-29	2	1
Unorganized	1	0
154-39	5	0
153-49	5	4
Plummer	1	1
St. Hilaire	34	12
Red Lake Falls city	36	4
Thief River Falls	105	24

BIRDS WIN SOME PRIZES

Exhibitors From Here At Crookston Show Bring Home Ribbons.

Red Lake Falls is again to the front. This time it is in the poultry line. Last week Messrs. M. A. Converse, Dr. J. C. Wilkinson and Fred L. Farley sent several pens of chickens to be exhibited at the poultry show of the Red River Valley Poultry association held at Crookston, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, and back they come with a bunch of ribbons for honors fairly won.

The show was one of the biggest ever held in the Red River Valley, and many of the birds exhibited there would have drawn prizes in any show in the world. Poultry fanciers from all over the valley, on both sides of the river were there with entries, and the rivalry for prizes was keen.

The prizes won by M. A. Converse's birds were: Barred rock pullet, 1st; Single Comb White Leghorn, cockerel, 1st and 2nd; Pullet 1st.

F. L. Farley won first on his White Wyandotte cockeral; and 2nd and 3rd on his pullet of the same breed.

Dr. Wilkinson's white Plymouth rocks cockerel won 1st and 2nd; pullets, 1st, 2nd and 3rd. He also got 3rd on Rhode Island Red pullet. The doctor had seven exhibits and secured six prizes.

The local fanciers are well pleased at this showing, as their birds were alongside of the very best in the valley, and that they all won prizes is gratifying to the poultry men and people generally.

The local poultry association will begin their plans early for a big poultry show here next fall, and they will endeavor to make it a record breaker in point of exhibits and prizes offered.

Better Than It Uster Was.

St. Hilaire Spectator: The Great Northern passenger failed to arrive last Saturday for the first time this winter and we were without a passenger from Friday until Monday. Ten years ago we had a winter similar to this one and we were lucky to see a train once a week. During the latter part of January and the first of February, 1897. the train failed to arrive for seventeen days. In fact this branch of the Great Northern ten years ago was run a good deal like they run the Soo at present

A Good Start.

Spectator: "The output of the St. Hilaire creamery so far this year is nearly double that of a year ago," says Buttermaker Geo. L. Austin, and the prospects are bright for a continued increase during the year. When asked what he estimated the total increase would amount to for the year Mr. Austin put it at $15,000, or a $65,000 total for 1907 and he is of the opinion that this is a conservative estimate. $75,000 would sound good; why not make a try for it?

Lent Is On.

Yesterday was Ash Wednesday—the beginning of the Lenton season—and appropriate exercises were held in the Catholic churches of the city. Lent comes much earlier than usual this year, Easter Sunday coming late in March. The usual services will be held in the churches throughout the Lenten period.

Willie wailed and Winnie wheezed, while wintry winds whined weirdly. Willie wriggled while Winnie wheezed wretchedly. Wisdom whispers, winter winds work wheezes. Wherefore we write, "Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup." Nothing else so good. Sold by all druggists.

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PLAN ON FINE MEETING

Committee in Charge Will Have Much Entertainment For Those Attending.

The committee in charge of the program preparations for the meeting of the Red Lake County Teachers association to be held at Thief River Falls Friday and Saturday of next week, February 22 and 23, are making a great effort to show the teachers and others that attend the best time in the association's history.

The program as published in last week's Gazette will be carried out, with many additions of interest. The Thief River Glee club will assist in the evening's entertainment.

Perhaps the most interesting feature of the meeting, will be the discussion of the questions asked at the recent state examinations. It is planned to have the full set of questions in all subjects answered and discussed at this session. It is thought that a general discussion of these questions will result in a world of good to the teachers, and they should all go prepared to take an active interest in this part of the program. The meeting will be a good one, and gives promise of being very largely attended.

St. Valentine's Day.

Today, February 14th, is St. Valentine's day. According to the legion, St. Valentine was beheaded on February 14th, while Rome was under the rule of Claudis. The old notion was that the birds began to couple on that day, and hence arose the custom of young persons of both sexes choosing each other as "Valentines," for the ensuing year by a species of lottery. A valentine is, also, and this is the more common acceptance, a letter or other missive sent by young persons to each other on this day, the missive is usually of an amatory or satirical nature and is usually sent annonymously. The recalled "comic valentine" is of late years more in evidence than the elaborate ones of years gone by, but this fact does not make it any more acceptable to the recipient. The number of hideous caricatures that annually change hands on St. Valentine's day runs up into the millions.

Jeff Is Traveling.

Word from Frank Jefferes to friends here announces that he has accepted a position as traveling salesman for the Miller-Davis Printing company of Minneapolis, and will cover territory in northern Wisconsin and Michigan for his house. He does not announce whether or not he will move his family from here. Frank is a hustler and if he don't make good at the work it won't be his fault.

NOTICE.

All knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned by book account or otherwise, will confer a great favor by settling same at the earliest moment possible. —J. R. & R. Fortier.

Accounts can be seen at V. M. Higinbotham's office.

CONCERT NEXT FRIDAY

Red Lake Falls Concert Band Assisted by the Elks Quartette of Crookston.

The regular monthly band concert will be given at the Metropolitan opera house on Friday evening of next week—February 22nd—and inasmuch as this date will be the anniversary of the birth of the Father of His Country, a special effort will be made to make this concert a decidedly pleasing one.

There are a number of special numbers down on the program, and with the choice array of band pieces in course of preparation, the evening's entertainment will be an attractive one.

Chief among the specialties will be the celebrated Elks' Quartette of Crookston. This quartette is composed of C. A. Hitchcock, D. Toutan, W. B. Krons and J. A. Wessel, and has made a decided hit wherever it has appeared. They are down on the program for two numbers and the public can rest assured that they will be good.

Prof. Bruckman is down for a clarinet solo, Harry B. Healy will play a trombone solo, and the full band orchestra will play a number, so that the evening will be one continual round of pleasure to all.

The following is the program:

PART I.

March.................... Selected
Overture.............. von Suppe
Waltz..................... Bailey
"Auf Wiedersehn."
Clarinet Solo........... Thornton
"Second Air Varie,"
E. H. Bruckman.
Song.................... Selected
Elks' Quartette.

PART II.

Overture ....
"Bridal Rose,"
Band Orchestra.
Trombone Solo..........Bennett
Air and Variations.
H. B. Healy.
Song.................... Selected
Elks' Quartette.
Selection............... Czibulka
"Amorita."
March................... Selected

Course Was A Success.

The Colonial Saxophone Quartette, the last of the Lyceum series of entertainments, held forth at the opera house Monday evening of this week, and gave a delightfully pleasing entertainment. Every member of the company was an artist and each succeeding number of the long and excellent program seemed better than its predecessor. A large number of people turned out to listen to the program, and not a single one went away a least bit disappointed. This was the final number of the series, and on the whole course the Study Club who had charge of the course, netted the sum of $33.93 which will be turned over to the school library.

The Lyceum course was a signal success, and all of the five entertainments were fine ones. The Study Club and all those who subscribed so liberally to insure a series of such entertainments, should feel amply repaid for the labors and money expended.

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RECORD OF MOST INTERESTING EVENTS TOLD IN BRIEFEST MANNER POSSIBLE.

HOME AND FOREIGN ITEMS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

RESUME OF THAW TRIAL.

Harry Thaw's counsel announced that his defense would be a plea of hereditary insanity, after the prosecution had stated its case and introduced witnesses to prove the killing of Stanford White.

District Attorney Jerome's cross-examination of Dr. C. C. Wiley, the first "expert" witness who took the witness stand to try to prove that Harry K. Thaw was insane when he killed Stanford White was merciless and searching, resulting in signs that several of Thaw's lawyers would withdraw from the case. It was reported that Delphin M. Delmas and four of his colleagues were so angered by what they considered the usurpation of authority by Attorney John B. Gleason that they had decided to sever all connection with the case unless he relinquished the leading part.

The defense of Harry K. Thaw, under the direction of Attorney Delphin M. Delmas of California, began to assume definite shape and testimony was placed before the jury to the effect that Stanford White had been heard to make a threat to kill the defendant, coupling the threat with the display of a revolver; that Thaw's actions following the killing of White on the roof of Madison Square garden were considered by several eyewitnesses to have been "irrational;" that an uncle of the defendant was insane; that Evelyn Nesbit Thaw passed a note to her husband during dinner at the Cafe Martin the evening of the tragedy; that District Attorney Jerome has this note, and refused, on the demand of the defense, to introduce it in evidence.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The advocates of a 14-foot channel for the Mississippi river from Chicago to St. Louis and the gulf met defeat when the house, in committee of the whole, having under consideration the river and harbor appropriation bill, voted to stand by the recommendation of the committee in opposition to the project.

Former Sergeant Harris, of D company, Twenty-fifth infantry, testified before the senate committee, asserting the men of that company were not implicated in the Brownsville shooting.

Former Sergeant Fraser of the Twenty-fifth infantry told the senate committee that the colored troops were unpopular in Brownsville and he believed the shooting was part of a plot by citizens to get rid of them.

The national house committee on interstate and foreign commerce decided to make a favorable report on the Livingston resolution providing for an investigation of the New York cotton exchange by the department of commerce and labor.

Senator Hale presented to the senate the detailed plans for the big battleship which it is proposed shall be built as the equal of any fighting vessel now afloat or planned.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The London Pilgrims gave a farewell banquet to James Bryce, new ambassador of Great Britain to the United States.

Senator Richard W. Morgan was expelled from the Colorado senate for accepting a bribe.

Three coal barges broke loose from a tug off the Jersey coast in a storm and one foundered with her crew.

President Diaz of Mexico has expressed a desire to visit Los Angeles during the imperial council of the Mystic Shriners in May.

The Gloucester schooner Gleason rammed a liner on the Newfoundland banks, smashing her own bow, and her crew of 15 was rescued by the steamer.

The Congressional Limited train on the Pennsylvania railroad ran through Philadelphia at terrific speed with the engineer, Joseph Toms, dead at the throttle.

J. J. Moore, millionaire shipping and commission merchant of San Francisco, was kicked by a horse at Ascot park, Los Angeles, and suffered a skull fracture which may prove fatal.

Miss Helen Livingston and her two young nephews froze to death at Grand Rapids, Mich.

Gen. Mark D. Flower, postmaster at St. Paul, Minn., died.

Florence Cecilia Paget, marchioness of Hastings, died at Windsor, after a romantic career.

David Peck Rhoades, one of the founders of the New York Tribune and an associate of Horace Greeley, died at his home in Stratford, Conn.

Archbishop Vilatte was nearly mobbed when he inaugurated the French Apostolic Catholic church in Paris.

Count John A. Creighton died at his home in Omaha, Neb. He leaves about $10,000,000.

Julius Culbertson, a prominent business man of Glidden, Ia., for 35 years a resident of that place, committed suicide by shooting.

Prof. William C. Pickett, one of the best known medical authorities in the United States on nervous diseases and a member of the faculty of the Medico-Chirurgical college of Philadelphia, is dead.

Mrs. Drusilla Morrell, whose husband fought in the war of 1812, is dead in Brooklyn at the age of 102.

Raymond Meyer, a schoolboy of Brooklyn, who was bitten Janaury 17 by a mongrel dog, died of hydrophobia at the Long Island Collega hospital.

Miss Bertha Gootbill was instantly killed, Stewart Shermen was probably fatally injured and George Morris, a hackman, was seriously hurt when a cab was struck by a freight train at Long Branch, N. J.

Alarmed by the recent bomb outrages that have occurred in Madrid many wealthy citizens have left the city. The anarchists are still active.

An unknown man tried to plunge a dagger into George Cristich, son of the late King Milan of Servia, at Constantinople. The weapon spent its force on a thick pocket book.

In a sensational speech before a state senate committee at Lincoln, Neb., Senator Patrick (fusionist), of Sarpy county, accused the brewery and distillery interests of trying to corrupt the legislature and prevent the passage of "unfriendly" bills.

The constitutional convention of Oklahoma killed the woman's suffrage clause.

Harry Strickland, 14 years old, was indicted at Gainesville, Ga., for the murder of his brother.

The Panama Construction company was formally organized with John B. McDonald as president and W. J. Oliver as vice president and general manager.

Frank O. Briggs, of Trenton, was elected United States senator from New Jersey to succeed John F. Dryden.

Assistant Secretary Howe, of the Standard Oil company, denied the assertion of the interstate commerce commission that the company had forced editorial matter on newspapers in which it advertised.

Frank Frink, a rejected suitor, killed Miss Bessie Newton, of Ponca, Neb., on the eve of her marriage to another, and then attempted suicide.

A federal investigator unearthed big land frauds in which rich Californians are involved.

Three men were killed when the boilers of a steamer blew up near Chattanooga, Tenn.

Two persons were killed by a snowslide at Kirwin, Wyo.

Tommy Rayn knocked out Dave Barry in the fifth round of a scheduled 20-round fight before the Whittington Athletic club at Hot Springs, Ark.

Elmer S. Dundy, of the theatrical firm of Thompson & Dundy, died suddenly at the home of his mother at Eighty-third street and Broadway, New York.

State Insurance Commissioner James V. Barry, of Michigan, telegraphed to Paul Morton his declination of the position of secretary of the Association of Life Inurance Presidenis.

At a meeting of the Kingston city council a motion was passed expressing unabated confidence in Gov. Swettenham.

Title to mines in the Fergnson district of Nevada, said to be worth many millions, was won by Joseph de Lamar through a decision rendered by Superior Judge Seawell at San Francisco.

The London music hall strike has been ended. The stars are said to have gained all they asked, but concessions were refused to the musicians and stage hands.

The principal business portion of Coal Harbor, N. D., a small town on the Soo road, was destroyed by fire. The use of snow and wet blankets saved many buildings.

An active campaign against bull fights has begun in Mexico City. Following a mass meeting petitions are being circulated for those who wish to protest.

The American hominy mills at Terre Haute, Ind., were destroyed in a spectacular fire. The loss is $100,000.

Four persons were burned to death at Pelham, N. Y.

George Butler, a structural ironworker of Buffalo, N. Y., was shot and killed at Ashtabula Harbor, O., in a fight with four men. The murder is believed to be a result of trouble between union and nonunion men.

Mary S. Anthony, sister and coworker of Susan B. Anthony, died in Rochester, N. Y.

Three trainmen were killed by the explosion of a locomotive boiler near Mt. Sterling, Ky.

The two little daughters of Adolph Cagason of Dike, Ia., were burned to death.

Fire in Detroit burned out Dillon's dry goods store and other business houses, the loss being $140,000.

John Dransfield, seven years old, was shot and killed in Philadelphia by John Neall, aged 14, becausa he threw a snowball.

H. H. Harvey, manager of the Hancock Buggy company, was shot twice by E. A. Murphy at Lynchburg, Va., after he had knocked Murphy down for calling him a vile name. Hervey will recover.

Sergeant James Lynch, who refused to obey orders to attend church service at Columbus army post, Columbus, O., was ordered stripped of his chevrons and transferred to Fort Thomas, Ky.

C. C. Lewis, editor of tha Normal, Ill., Advocate, was killed by a train at Bloomington.

Racing in Tennessee was killed by tha passage of the anti-pool selling bill.

About 12 persons were killed by a snowslide that overwhelmed three buildings in Monarch, Col.

Several men perished in a blizzard in South Dakota, a man was frozen to death in Leavenworth, Kan., and much stock was lost in tha storms in the northwest.

A legislativa committee in Missouri reported that farmers and shippers had been mulcted by the Kansas City Stock Yards company.

The Cincinnati congregation of Zion, founded by Dowie, voted to cut loose from the parent church in Zion City.

Norman MacDougall, a well-known real estate dealer of Winnipeg, Man., and his little daughter were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their home.

United States District Court Judge Charles D. Parlange died suddenly at New Orleans of apoplexy.

Senator La Follette denied the announcement of the engagement of his daughter, Miss Fola La Follette.

Mrs. Frank Schneck and her two little children were murdered at Centropolis, Kan., and Schneck was arrested.

N. Dyment, a well known race horse owner and millionaire lumberman, died at Barrie, Ont.

Fred Hemmen, an old settler, admitted to the county jail at Chippewa Falls, Wis., on his own application, was found in his cell with his throat cut.

The Panama Construction company, incorporated to finance tha Panama contract, bid for by William J. Oliver, of Knoxville, Tenn., filed articles of incorporation with the secretary of state of New York.

National Bank Examiner George A. Silsby has informed the comptroller of the currency that he has closed the First National bank of Scotland, S. D.

John J. H. Kelly, lata of the Fifth United States infantry, and a veteran of the Sitting Bull and Chief Joseph Indian wars, died while sitting in his chair at Springfield, Ill.

Miss Margaret Sheppard ended her life at her residence in Oakland, Cal., by inhaling gas fumes. Disappointment in love is said to have been the cause. She formerly lived in Detroit, Mich.

Capt. George Jackson Grammer, vice president in charge of freight traffic, New York Central lines, died in Chicago. He was 63 years old.

The federal supreme court upheld the injunction restraining Chicago from reducing the price of gas to 75 cents.

Twenty-two miners were killed by an explosion in a coal mine at Thomas, W. Va.

Just as he was stepping from the engine cab of the Cleveland flyer at the Pittsburg & Lake Erie railroad station, Pittsburg, after completing the fast run from Cleveland, Engineer S. H. Morrow dropped dead from heart disease.

A. G. Barker, assistant general passenger agent of the Chicago & Northwestern railway, whose headquarters were in Portland, Ore., died there of pneumonia.

Ulderic Hugron, of Waterbury, Conn., entered an apartment in New York where a wedding party was gathered and blew out his brains.

Lady Grenfell, daughtar of Lord Grey, viceroy of Canada, died at Ottawa, of typhoid fever.

Advices from Vladivostok say a number of men uniformed as sailors tried to blow up the steamers Gregory and Mercury with bombs in Vladivostok.

"Perry Martin," who secured a position as bellboy in tha Oaks hotel. Beaumont, Tex., has been discovered to be a woman of 25 years. She has disappeared.

Three volunteer firemen were killed and four seriously hurt while fighting a blaze at White Plains, N. Y. Seven persons were hurt in a tenement house blaze in Cherry street, New York city.

United States Senator John E. Dryden, of New Jersey, withdrew his name as a candidate for reelection because of poor health and "for the sake of his party and state."

The Hotel Trimmer at Ashland, Wis., burned and William Thombs was asphyxiated.

Chester Thompson, on trial for the murder of Judge George Meade Emery in Seattle, was found "not guilty by reason of insanity."

G. Sinclair Moulton, proprietor of the Manhattan Square hotel of New York, committed suicide because of sickness.

Ase Kenyon of Oneonta, N. Y., and Mrs. Marie Dedrick of Syracuse made a suicide pact and drank laudanum; tha woman died, but the man may recover.

The bark Charles Loring, lumber laden, was sunk by the Old Dominion steamer Seneca off Sea Girt, N. J., but the crew was rescued.

The body of Miss Frances Martin, 18 years old, was found in a room in the Forest building, Washington, Pa. Whether or not she was murdered has not been determined.

The woodworking plant of the Wilts-Veneer company at Plymouth, N. C., was destroyed by fire. The loss is $250,000, on which there is partial insurance.

The railroad commission at Austin, Tex., issued an order requiring the five railroads entering the city of Galveston to build a causeway across the Galveston bay.

Edward P. Hipple, a brother of the late F. A. Hipple, who ended his life after the wreck of the Real Estate Trust company, of which he was president, committed suicida at his homa in Philadelphia with a revolver.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, Minn., Fab. 1—The legislatura hald a rathar uneventful session today although mora than tha usual amount of time was consumed by both housa and senate. The senate davoted the hours till noon in discussing what congress should do on tha subject of ship subsidy, then awoke to the fact that it had bean wasting time on a subjact ovar which it had not the least control and continued in session without a break for luncheon till after two o'clock. Tha ship subsidy proposition was brought up by a resolution of Senator Ola O. Sageng, populist, danouncing tha great amounts of monay congress contemplates voting as subsidies for tha Pacific steamship lines of Spreckals, Harriman and Hill. Ha mada a langthy speech against tha congressional measura and asking the passage of a memorial to congress to lat that body know how Minnesota felt on the matter. Sanator Laybourne was the first to oppose the measure. Ha suggested the senate pay attention to tha 225 pending bills that had been introduced and let the Minnesota delegation in congress attend to tha needs of Minnesotans at Washington. Sanator Geo. P. Wilson former attorney general, said he would have to refuse to vote for a board resolution that denied the propriety of any ship subsidy, as they were necessary to a fair limit to establish our merchants marina which now amounts to little or nothing compared to other nations which have granted subsidies. On a vote just before noon, the Sageng resolution was given its death blow, 37 against to 22 in favor of it.

Tha sanate spent nearly anothar hour when in committee of the whole, debating the Coller bill for increases in salaries of judges. The bill was finally recommended for passaga with tha salaries of suprema court justices fixed at $7,000, district judges generally at $5,000, and in Hennepin and Ramsey counties, $1,000 for each district judge to be contributed by the respective counties.

Bills introduced in the senate today included a measure by Senator Hinton to prevent political candidates from making any pledges not made public to voters; by Senator A. L. Hanson establishing normal schools at Thief River Falls and Bemidji; by Glotzbach, compelling attendance of all deaf children at the state school for deaf, instead of leaving it optional as at present; by Wilson, to prohibit sale of goods by wholesalers with a requirement that only the line sold be handled by the retail dealer.

The house spent most of its time today introducing bills. Saventeen insurance measures put in an appearance, one after another. The author wera S. D. Peterson, Allen, Brady, Zelch, Saari, Adams, W. I. Nolan, Nimrocks, H. M. Hansen and Timberlake. These ware all measures already in the senate for insurance reforms suggested by Gov. J. A. Johnson and Insurance Commissioner T. D. O'Brien, and were referred to the insurance committee. Representative Case introduced a bill to prohibit the killing of elk, caribou and moose for five years. Representative Carl presented a measura prescribing uniform methods for handling grain, prohibiting irregularities, and providing penalties. A duplicate of the senate woman suffrage bill was introduced by Representative Higgins.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 5—The house held a short session last night, long enough to permit the presentation of over a dozen bill. E. W. Gates of Garden City wants Minneopa Park, near Mankato, enlarged 14 acres, and a bill he introduced appropriates $4,000 for this purpose. C. L. Sawyer of Minneapolis introduced a bill for summer sessions at normal schools, similar to a measure pending in the senate. Killing of prairie chickens and quail during 1907–1908 is prohibited by a measure by J. A. Gates of Kenyon. J. B. Murphy of Minneapolis presented a measura to make payment of wages at least twice a month by corporations compulsory. H. W. Libby of Winona introduced a bill which will find favor in tha country but not with residents of cities who are largely the auto owners. It permits any town to prohibit autos to pass over any designated road by placing a sign so stating. The violation of the order is made a misdemeanor.

The house committea on railroads held a meeting late yesterday on the Nolan (of Grand Meadow) reciprocal demurrage bill, and after a lengthy hearing and debate, recommended the bill for passage. There were 11 committee votes for the bill, one against, and six members were absent.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 5—A distance tariff railroad bill, said to have been drawn by George S. Loftus, president of the Minnesota Shippers' association, was introduced in the senate today by Senator Canfield. The bill establishes a classification of ten classes of freight for lass than carload lots, and twelve classes for carload lots. Tha bill provides a distance tariff charging in five mila steps, the greater the distance, the less the rate. The rate in total shall not ba mora than 10½ cants per 100 pounds first-class freight up to 7½ miles, 11 cents 7½ to 12½ miles, and so on. Tha bill was referred to tha reilroed committea.

A proposed law to make state offices come under tha primary election law, and to fix the date of tha election the last Tuesday in June instead of in Saptembar, is the feature of a lengthy bill introduced by Senator Canfield.

The sanate today passed a bill introduced by Senator J. M. Hacknay. It provides for transfer of one acra of tha state agricultural farm at St. Anthony park to the fedaral government, on which "Uncla Sam" will erect a weather bureau building to ba haadquarters for tha northwest.

A new judicial district, to be known as the Twentieth, is created out of Kanabec, Pine, Chisago and Washington counties by a bill by Senator Sullivan.

Senator Frank Clague, speaker of the house two years ago, introduced a bill which calls upon all telegraph and express companies to reduce their Minnesota charges a flat thirty per cent.

The Higgins' bill for "woman suffrage" came near getting a death blow in the house today when the judiciary committea raported it back without any recommendation — almost equivolent to an adverse recommendation. Things looked bad for the future of "woman's rights" when the speaker suddenly discovered tha bill had been wrongly given to tha judiciary committee: that tha order had been for it to go to tha alactions committee and it had been switched around by mistake. It accordingly was turned over to the tender mercies of the elections committea, and George W. Higgins, its author breathes the easier for a whila longer.

No friend of Towser, but a trua friend to humanity, put in an appearance in a bill by J. R. Randall requiring all dogs be muzzled from May 1 to Oct. 1. C. L. Sawyer presented a bill for a registry tax on mortgages, one half of one per cent.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Gen. Mark D. Flower, postmaster of St. Paul and member of the house two yaars ago, were presented by Ambrose Tighe of St. Paul and adopted. No session of the house will be held tomorrow in respect for his memory.

Tha house will considar tha Nolan reciprocal demurrage bill as a special order Feb. 14, and friends of the bill predict the housa will then pass it as a Valentine for the public.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 6—The most important action of the legislature today was tha passaga by the senate after considerable debate of the Coller bill to increase judicial salaries. Senator Ola O. Sageng, the lone populist in the senate, desired to speak against the bill but tha chair ruled a bill is not debatable when on tha calendar of the day awaiting passage and that the senator only had the privilege of explaining his vote. The bill as passed by the senate provides the salaries of supreme court justices shall be $7,000, and judges of the district court $5,000. In Hennepin, Ramsey and St. Louis counties tha district judges are each to receive an additional $1,000 out of county funds.

Another important action of tha senate today, also along judicial lines, was the passage of a resolution by Senator Geo. P. Wilson of Minneapolis calling for a committee of three senators and fiva representatives to draft a bill redistricting the state for judicial purposes.

Two municipal ownership bills, ona by W. I. Nolan in the house, and the other by Sanator Mauly Fasseen in the senate, put in an appearance today. They are duplicates and copies of the famous Mueller law of Illinois to permit cities to issue bonds for purchase of public utilities.

The house held no session this morning and only a brief one this afternoon. Representative Spencer presented a bill to create the office of county weighmaster in aach county, as general official weigher and acting under the county commissioners. A bill by C. R. Miller would increase the railroad gross earnings tax 4 to 5 per cent and make roads liable to special assessments for local improvements. Senator Nelson introduced a bill to make elective the offices of the clerk of the municipal court, city clerk, city attorney, and city assessor in municipalities throughout the state.

Owatonna — William Radke was bound over to the Grand jury upon the charge of having robbed the Milwaukee station at Medford. Closely questioned Radke became enmeshed in his own story and finally admitted his guilt. All of the money was found, except 10 cents which had gone for a lunch at a restaurant.

St. Paul—Edward W. Johnson of Faribault was appointed a member of the board of trustees for the state institute for defectives, to succeed the late C. D. McKillup, also of Faribault.

Revenue Sales for January

St. Paul—The report of the internal revenue department of Minnesota for the month of January showa a decreasa in the revenua derived from the sales of stamps, compared with the sales of January, 1906. The total sales last month amounted to $228,831.66, whareas in the same month of 1906 the sales amounted to $23,488.20. Stamps for beer brought in the greater part of the revenue, $19,260. The tax on cigars was $3,408.29, that on snuff $1.50, and the sale of stamps for tobacco, $161.87.

Jumps on Moving Train

Dodge Center—John Daggett, living five miles west of here, was killed while attempting to board a moving freight train about half way between Dodge Center and Kasson. Daggett attempted to catch one of the cars as it went by, but losing his hold fell baneath the wheels, both legs being cut off. He died almost immediately afterwards.

St. Paul—The body of George Harris, janitor at 457 East Sixth street was found frozen in his room.

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Appeals for Starving.

St. Paul—Governor John A. Johnson, both as governor and president of the Minnesota branch of the Red Cross Association, has issued an appeal to Minnesotans to aid the starving thousands in China. Contributions should be addressed to Kenneth Clark, treasurer, St. Paul. Governor Johnson's letter says in part:

"No one is ignorant of the distressing condition of the people of China. Millions are on the verge of starvation. To relieve distress immediate action is needful, if human suffering and human life are to be spared. The people of Minnesota have been abundantly blessed in material matters and out of their abundance should respond to the cry of suffering humanity.

"The Minnesota branch of the national Red Cross offers its services in receiving and forwarding contributions to the suffering millions of China. Will not the people of Minnesota respond quickly and generously to this appeal for aid?"

Owl Claws Boy.

Moorhead—A big white owl was responsible for the severe injury of a ten-year-old boy named Crume yesterday afternoon.

The boy was playing in the streets near his home, carrying the big bird on his arm. Suddenly it fastened its long sharp claws on his wrist, the talons entering nearly to the bone. The little fellow screamed with pain, but held tightly onto the other leg of the bird, fearing that it would grip him with the other claw.

Oscar Cederberg heard the boy's screams and hurried to his assistance, wringing the owl's neck. He then with great difficulty succeeded in loosening the claws of the dead bird from the boy's arm, the blood spurting from the wounds in a stream. The doctor says the boy will recover unless blood poisoning supervenes.

Crushed in a Lift.

Minneapolis—Valdeman Mortenson was almost instantly killed in the lift used to carry paper rolls from the basement of the Journal building to the pressroom. Mortenson was a wagon driver, and after finishing his work he was sitting around the basement when he proposed to one of the other boys that he ride up on the lift. He stepped onto the platform and his companion, starting the motor, ran up the steps to the pressroom. Before he reached the room he heard a scream and found Mortenson wedged in between the floor and the edge of the lift.

Clubs Abuse Hubby.

Winona—William Fischer of this city according to his wife's story, raised a rough house at his home, and after kicking his wife just to show his authority, he went to bed. His helpmate alleges that he has been abusing her for more than twenty years, but that kick settled the business, so after he was in bed she hit him over the head with a club, then called the police and had him arrested. He was put under bonds of $100 to keep the peace for six months. From appearances it will be about that time before his head is healed.

Former Professor Dead.

St. Paul—Rev. E. J. Thompson, for twenty years professor of mathematics and astronomy in the University of Minnesota, and for two terms superintendent of schools of Hennepin county, is dead at Albany, Ore., aged 72. His chair in Minnesota was held in the '60's and '70's. He began a Presbyterian ministerial career at Casselton, N. D., in 1881, and in 1884 went to Oregon, where since that time he has been a leading figure in the Presbyterian church. In 1886 and 1887 he acted as president of Albany College.

Heavy Death Roll.

Minneapolis—Death claimed 268 victims in Minneapolis in January. Of these 150 were males and 118 females. The total is the largest for a single month in years, except the total of 281 for last August. Pneumonia, with 36 deaths charged to it, led the list of causes. Tuberculosis was a close second with 32 deaths. Bright's disease claimed 23, heart disease 18, old age 15 and cancer and cerebral congestion and hemorrhage took 13 each. Accidents of various sorts cost 11 lives.

Tears House in Two.

Minneapolis—Charles Leo Sedblom's house, at 691 Polk street northeast, was torn in two by a Great Northern freight train. One-half of the house was smashed into and piled in an unrecognizable heap, while the other half was left intact and in just as good order as it was before the crash. At the time of the accident six people were in the house, but fortunately they were all in that part of it that escaped injury.

Find Man Badly Frozen.

Nashwauk—An unidentified Swede was picked up on the road between here and Keewatin in a badly frozen condition. His hands and arms were frozen as stiff as boards and another hour of exposure to the terrific storm and sub-zero temperature would have resulted in his death. It is thought that both his hands will have to be amputated.

News Notes.

Faribault— A young son of Louis Maguire, living in Kilkenny town, accidentally shot his sister with a shotgun, the charge entering the little girl's thigh. She was within a few feet of the gun and the wound is an ugly one, but probably will not prove fatal.

Two Harbors—Barney Heath, a woodsman, was so badly injured by a Duluth & Iron Range train at Hornby, a station 29 miles north of here, that he died shortly after reaching a hospital. He was about 35, and had relatives in Avoca, Mich.

Alexandria—Former State Senator G. B. Ward succeeds the late F. B. Van Hoesen as president of the First National Bank of this city. Mr. Ward was cashier of the bank for twenty-three and one-half years.

St. Paul—The government proposes to consolidate the weather bureaus of the Twin Cities and erect a building in St. Anthony Park.

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

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CHAPTER XI.—Continued.

She had been standing much like a statue in guarded restraint, but at his words and the touch of his hand she seemed to melt and flow into eager acquiescence, murmuring some hurried little words of thanks for her father, and stepping by his side with eyes down.

In words that were well chosen but somewhat hurried, he proceeded to instruct her in the three-fold character of the Godhead. The voice at first was not like his own, but as he went on it grew steadier. After she drew her hand gently out of his, which she presently did, it seemed to regain its normal and calmness.

He saw her to the door of the cabin on the outskirts of the settlement and there he spoke a few words of cheer to her ailing father.

Then he was off into the desert, pacing swiftly into the grim, sandy solitude beyond the farthest cabin light and the bark of the outmost watchdog. Feverishly he walked, and far, until at last, as if naught in himself could avail, he threw himself to the ground and prayed.

"Keep me good! Keep me to my vows! Help me till my own strength grows, for I am weak and wanting. Let me endure the pain until this wicked fire within me hath burned itself out. Keep me for her!"

Back where the houses were, in the shadow of one of them, was the flushed, full-breathing woman, hurt but dumb, wondering, in her bruised tenderness, why it must be so.

Still farther back, inside the stockade, where the gossiping group yet lingered, they were saying it was strange that Elder Rae waited so long to take him a wife or two.

CHAPTER XII.

A Fight for Life.

The stream of Saints to the Great Basin had become well-nigh continuous—Saints of all degrees of prosperity, from Parley Pratt, the Archer of Paradise, with his wealth of wives, wagons and cattle, to Barney Bigler, unblessed with wives or herds, who put his earthly goods on a wheelbarrow and to the everlasting glory of God trundled it from the Missouri river to the valley of the Great Salt Lake. Train after train set out for the new Zion with faith that God would drop manna before them.

One by one the trains worked down into the valley, the tired Saints making fresh their covenants by rebaptism as they came. In the waters of the River Jordan, Joel Rae made hundreds to be renewed in the Kingdom, swearing them to obey Brigham, the Lord's anointed, in all his orders, spiritual or temporal, and the priesthood or either of them, and all church authorities in like manner; to regard this obligation as superior to all laws of the United States and all earthly laws whatsoever; to cherish enmity against the government of the United States, that the blood of Joseph Smith and the Apostles slain in that generation might be avenged; and to keep the matter of this oath a profound secret then and forever. And from these waters of baptism the purified Saints went to their inheritances in Zion, took their humble places, and began to sweat and bleed in the upbuilding of the new Jerusalem.

From a high, tented wagon in one such train, creaking its rough way down Emigration canyon, with straining oxen and tired but eager people, there had leaped late one afternoon the girl whose eyes were to call to him so potently—incomparable eyes, large and deep, of a velvety grayness, under black brows splendidly bent. Nor had the eyes alone voiced that call to his starved senses. He had caught the free, fearless confidence in her leap over the wheel, and her graceful abandon as she stood there, finely erect and full-curved, her head with its Greek lines thrown well back, and her strong hands raised to readjust the dusky hair that tumbled about her head like a storm cloud.

Men from the train were all about, and others from the settlement, and these spoke to her, some in serious greeting, some with jesting words. She returned it all in good part without embarrassment—even the sally of the winking wag who called out: "Now, then, Mara Cavan! Here we are, and a girl like yourself ought to catch an Elder, at the very lowest."

She laughed with easy good nature, still fumbling in the dusk of blown hair at the back of her head, showing a full-lipped mouth, beautifully large, with strong-looking, white teeth. "I'll catch never a one myself, if you please, Nathan Tanner! I'll do no catching at all, now! I'm the one will have to be caught!"

Her voice was a contralto, with the little hint of roughness that made it warm and richly golden; that made it fall, indeed, upon the ears of the listening Elder like a cathedral chime calling him to forget all and worship—forget all but that he was five and twenty with the hot blood surging and crowding and crying out in his veins.

Now, having a little subdued the tossing storm cloud of hair, she stood with one hand upon her hip and the other shading her eyes, looking intently into the streets of the new settlement. And again there was bantering jest from the men about, and the ready, careless response from her, with gestures of an impishly reckless unconcern, of a full readiness to give and take in easy good fellowship. But then, in the very midst of a light response to one of the bantering men, her gray eyes met for the first time the very living look of the young Elder standing near. She was at once confused, breaking off her speech with an awkward laugh, and looking down. But, his eyes keeping steadily upon her, she, as if defiantly, returned his look for a fluttering second, trying to make her eyes survey him slowly from head to foot with her late cool carelessness; but she had to let them fall again, and he saw the color come under the clear skin.

He knew by these tokens that he possessed a power over this splendid woman that none of the other men could wield—she had lowered her eyes to no other but him—and all the man in him sang exultantly under the knowledge. He greeted her father, the little Seumas Cavan, of indomitable spirit, fresh, for all his march of a thousand miles, and he welcomed them both to Zion. Again and again while he talked to them he caught quick glances from the wonderful eyes—glances of interest, of inquiry—now of half-hearted defiance, now of wondering submission.

The succeeding months had been a time of struggle with him—a struggle to maintain his character of Elder after the Order of Melchisedek in the full gaze of those velvety gray eyes, and in the light of her reckless, full-lipped smile; to present to the temptress a shield of austere piety which her softest glances should not avail to melt. For something in her manner told him that she divined all his weakness; that, if she acknowledged his power over her, she recognized her own power over him, a power equal to and justly balancing the other. Even when he discoursed from the pulpit, his glance would fasten upon hers, as if there were but the one face before him instead of a thousand, and he knew that she mocked him in her heart; knew she divined there was that within him which strongly would have had her and himself far away—alone.

Nor was the girl's own mind all of a piece. For, if she flaunted herself before him, as if with an impish resolve to be his undoing, there were still times when he awed her by his words of fire, and by his high, determined stand in some circle to which she knew she could never mount. That night when he walked with her in the moonlight, she knew he had trembled on the edge of the gulf fixed so mysteriously between them. She had even felt herself leaning over to draw him down with her own warm arms; and then all at once he had strangely moved away, widening this mysterious gulf that always separated them, leaving her solitary, hurt, and wondering. She could not understand it. Life called through them so strongly. How could he breast the mighty rush? And why, why must it be so?

During the winter that now came upon them, it became even a greater wonder to her; for it was common suffering—a time of dark days which she felt they might have lightened for each other, and a time when she knew that more than ever she drew him.

For hardly had the feast of the Harvest Home gone by when food once more became scarce. The heaven-sent gulls had, after all, saved but half a crop. Drought and early frost had diminished this; and those who came in from the east came all too trustingly with empty meal sacks.

By the beginning of winter there were 5,000 people in the valley to be fed with miraculous loaves and fishes. Half of these were without decent shelter, dwelling under wagon covers or in flimsy tents, and forced much of the time to be without fuel; for wood had to be hauled through the snow from the distant canyons, and so was precious stuff. For three months the cutting winds came down from the north, and the pitiless winter snows raged about them. An inventory was early taken of the foodstuffs, and thereafter rations were issued alike to all, whether rich or poor. Otherwise many of the latter must have perished. It was a time of hard expedients, such as men are content to face only for the love of God. They ranged the hills and benches to dig sego and thistle roots, and in the last days of winter many took the rawhides from their roofs, boiling and eating them. When spring came, they watched hungrily for the first green vegetation, which they gathered and cooked. Truly it seemed they had stopped in a desert as cruel in its way as the human foes from whom they had fled.

It was now that the genius of their leader showed. He was no longer Brigham Young, the preacher, but a father in Israel to his starving children.

The efforts of Brigham to put heart into the people were ably seconded by Joel Rae. He was loved like Brigham, but not feared. He preached like Brigham submission to the divine will as interpreted by the priesthood, but he was more extravagant than Brigham in his promises of blessings in store for them. He never resorted to vagueness in his pictures of what the Lord was about to do for them. He was literal and circumstantial to a degree that made Brigham and the older men in authority sometimes writhe in public and chide him in private. They were appalled at the sweeping victories he promised the Saints over the hated Gentiles at an early day. They suggested, too, that the Lord might withhold an abundance from them for a few years until he had more thoroughly tried them. But their counsel seemed only to inflame him to fresh absurdities. In the very days of their greatest scarcity that winter, when almost every man was dressed in skins, and the daily fare was thistle roots, he declared to them at a Sunday service:

"A time of plenty is at hand—of great plenty. I cannot tell you how I know these things. I do not know how they come to me. I pray—and they come to life in my spirit; that is how I have found this fact; in less than a year states goods of all needed kinds will be sold here cheaper than they can be bought in eastern cities. You shall have an abundance at prices that will amaze you."

And the people thrilled to hear him, partaking of his faith, remembering the gulls that ate the crickets, and the rain and wind that came to save the pioneer train from fire. To the leaders such prophesying was merely reckless, inviting further chastisements from heaven, and calculated to cause a loss of faith in the priesthood.

And yet, wild as it was, they saw this latter prophecy fulfilled; for now, so soon after the birth of this new empire, while it suffered and grew weak and bade fair to perish in its cradle of faith, there was made for it a golden spoon of plenty.

She Had Lowered Her Eyes to No Other But Him.

Over across the mountains the year before, on the decayed granite bedrock of the tail race at the mill of one Sutter, a man had picked up a few particles of gold, the largest as big as grains of wheat. The news of the wonder had spread to the east, and now came frenzied hordes of gold seekers. The valley of the mountains where the Saints had hoped to hide was directly in their path, and there they stopped their richly laden trains to rest and to renew their supplies.

The harvest of '49 was bountiful in all the valley; and thus was the wild prophecy of Joel Rae made sober truth. Many of the gold seekers had loaded their wagons with merchandise for the mining camps; but in their haste to be at the golden hills, they now sold it at a sacrifice in order to lighten their loads. The movement across the Sierras became a wild race; clothing, provisions, tools and arms—things most needful to the half-clad, half-starved community on the shores of the lake—were bartered to them at less than half-price for fresh horses and light wagons.

The next year the gain to the Saints was even greater, as the tide of gold seekers rose. Early that summer they sold flour to the oncoming legions for a dollar a pound, taking their pay in the supplies they most needed on almost their own terms.

This passing of the gold seekers was not, however, a blessing without drawbacks. For the Saints had hoped to wax strong unobserved, unmolested, forgotten, in this mountain retreat. But now obscurity could no longer be their lot. The hated Gentiles had again to be reckoned with.

First, the United States had expanded on the west to include their territory—the fruit of the Mexican war—the poor bleak desert they were making to blossom. Next, the government at Washington had sent to construe and administer their laws men who were aliens from the Commonwealth of Israel. True, Millard Fillmore had appointed Brigham governor of the new territory—but there were chief justices and associate justices, secretaries, attorneys, marshals, Indian agents from the wicked and benighted East; men who frankly disbelieved that the voice of Brigham was as the voice of God, and who did not hesitate to let their heresy be known. A stream of these came and went—trouble-mongers who despised and insulted the Saints, and returned to Washington with calumnies on their lips. It was true that Brigham had continued, as was right, to be the only power in the territory; but the narrow-minded appointees of the federal government persisted in misconstruing this circumstance; refusing to look upon it as the just mark of Heaven's favor, and declaring it to be the arrogance of a mere civil usurper.

Under such provocation Joel Rae longed more than ever to be a Lion of the Lord, for those above him in the church endured too easily, he considered, the indignities that were put upon them by these evil-minded Gentile politicians. He would have rejected them forthwith, as he believed the Lord would have had them do,—nay, as he believed the Lord would sooner or later punish them for not doing. He would have thrust them into the desert, and called upon the Lord for strength to meet the storm that would doubtless be raised by such a course. He was impatient when the older men cautioned moderation and the petty wiles of diplomacy. Yet he was not altogether discouraged; for even they lost patience at times, and were almost as outspoken as he could have wished.

The spring of '56 found them again digging roots and resorting to all the old pitiful makeshifts of famine.

"This," declared Joel Rae, to the starving people, "is a judgment of Heaven upon us for permitting Gentile aggression. It is meant to clench into our minds the God's truth that we must stand by our faith with the arms of war if need be."

"Brother Rae is just a little mite soul-proud," Brigham thereupon confided to his counsellors, "and I wouldn't wonder if the Lord would be glad to see some of it taken out of him. Anyway, I've got a job for him that will just about do it."

Brigham sent for him the next day and did him the honor to entrust to him an important mission. He was to go back to the Missouri river and bring on one of the hand-cart parties that were to leave there that summer. The three years of famine had left the Saints in the valley poor, so that the Immigration fund was depleted. The oncoming Saints, therefore, who were not able to pay their own way, were this summer, instead of riding in ox-carts, to walk across the plains and mountains, and push their belongings before them in hand-carts. It had become Brigham's pet scheme, and the Lord had revealed to him that it would work out auspiciously. Joel prepared to obey, though it was not without aversion that he went again to the edge of the Gentile country.

He was full of bitterness while he was obliged to tarry on the banks of the Missouri. The hatred of those who had persecuted him and his people, bred into him from boyhood, flashed up in his heart with more fire than ever. Even when a late comer from Nauvoo told him that Prudence Corson had married Capt. Girnway of the Carthage Grays, two years after the exodus from Nauvoo, his first feeling was one of blazing anger against the mobocrats rather than regret for his lost love.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

GIFT FROM A QUEEN.

HISTORIC HEIRLOOM THAT IS HIGHLY PRIZED.

"Great Willoughby Chest" Presented by Elizabeth to Second Cousin Who Shared Her Captivity in the Tower of London.

Boston.—If the "great Willoughby chest," a priceless heirloom in the possession of Theodore Raymond of Springfield, Mass., could talk, what tales it might tell of the captivity of Princess Elizabeth, afterward the "Good Queen Bess" of England, in the Tower of England, a captivity shared by her devoted maid of honor, and second cousin once removed, Lady Margaret Willoughby, through whom this chest, undoubtedly a gift from Queen Elizabeth, passed to her descendants, the Raymonds of New England. And what joy it would bring to the Raymonds, the Lyndes, the Griswolds and other families of Massachusetts and Connecticut in establishing their direct descent from the beautiful Elizabeth Woodville, who became the wife of King Edward IV. These families trace their genealogy back to the kings of England with only one slight break.

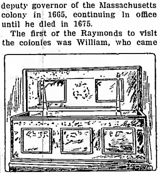
Other precious relics of Queen Elizabeth were handed down with the chest, including a tablecloth embroidered by the princess during her imprisonment in the tower, another gift to the faithful Lady Margaret.

The chest is a massive affair, seven feet in length, two feet seven inches in width and two feet seven inches high. It is made of a peculiar hard wood, originally very light in color, but darkened exceedingly by age. The quaint old carvings on the front and on the inside of the cover, the hand-wrought massive iron hinges and handles, the cumbersome lock and huge keys are eloquent testimony of its age. The carvings on the outside, which are nearly worn off, evidently represent horsemen riding through a forest. At either end of the three front panels is a gallant of the Elizabethan period, long-haired, plume-hatted and a mass of ruffs and laces from neck to knees. The carvings on the inner side of the lid represent two scenes, one of Sir Walter Raleigh spreading his cloak before Queen Elizabeth, the other of a gay pleasure party in boats among small islands, with a turreted castle in the background. Between the two scenes is a coat-of-arms. The shield has either a cross or lines to make four quarterings.

The tradition that this chest, with the tablecloth embroidered in the tower and other valuable gifts, was given by Queen Elizabeth to Lady Margaret Willoughby is so well authenticated as to seem beyond dispute. At any rate the tablecloth came down through the Willoughbys to the Raymonds with the chest, and the cloth, at least, was the gift of the queen to Lady Margaret, for English history is clear on this point.

The Raymonds, Lyndes and Griswolds of New England, numbering now several thousands trace their ancestry back to Col. William Willoughby, who was commissioner of the British navy from 1648 to 1651, when he died. His son, Francis Willoughby, came to New England in 1638, and returned to England in 1651. In 1652 he was appointed successor of his father as commissioner of the navy, and in 1658 was chosen member of parliament for Portsmouth. In 1662 he returned to New England, and became deputy governor of the Massachusetts colony in 1665, continuing in office until he died in 1675.

The first of the Raymonds to visit the colonies was William, who came over from Kent "with other stewards and 40 servants," for the "Company of Laconia," formed to trade and fish on the grant given to Capt. John Mason a London merchant, comprising part of what is now New Hampshire. He came to Little Harbor (now Portsmouth, N. H.), in 1630, and remained but a short time.



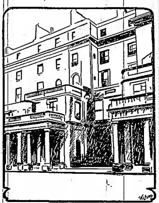
The Willoughby Chest.

The first real settler and head of one of the most prolific branches of the family in New England was Richard Raymond, who in 1636 received a grant of land on what is now Winter Island in Salem harbor. He is described in the records as a mariner and part owner of the ketch Hopewell of Salem. He afterward removed to Norwich, Conn., and in 1664 to Saybrook, where he was engaged in trade with the English and Dutch settlers on Manhattan.

The great chest, which had come into the Raymond family by marriage with the Willoughbys, was brought from Block Island to New London in 1704 by Mrs. Mercy Raymond, widow of Joshua, who was a grandson of Richard. It was then known both as the "great Willoughby chest" and as the "Elizabeth chest." From generation to generation it was handed down, and finally was bequeathed to Theodore Raymond of Springfield, the present owner, by his grandfather, Theodore Raymond of Norwich, Conn.

MARK HOME OF STEPHENSON.

Tablet Will Be Placed on Building Where Locomotive Inventor Lived.



Where Stephenson Lived.

London.—So rapidly is the London county council's historical department advancing with its work of searching out the authentic past residences of famous persons that within a short time hardly a building in the metropolis having interesting associations with celebrities, will not bear the familiar little round tablet.

Many Americans are likely to see the latest building to be marked; the house at 34 Gloucestetr square, Hyde Park, in which Robert Stephenson, the inventor of the locomotive, lived during one of the most active and important periods of his life, and in which he died in 1859 at the age of 56. Stephenson moved into this house in 1847, and in the ten years following his engineering projects took him nearly around the world. He built the great Victoria bridge over the St. Lawrence at Montreal; he constructed the Alexandria to Cairo railway, a number of big railway bridges in England, and the Royal Border Viaduct over the Tweed, and at the urgent request of the Norwegian government he supervised that stupendous piece of engineering which connects Christiania with Lake Miosen.

During most of these years Robert Stephenson was member of parliament for Whitby and a hard worker on various commissions and committees. The Gloucester square house, which contains many interesting relics of him, has now passed out of the hands of his descendants.

GETS A SMITHSONIAN POST.

Charles D. Walcott Elected Secretary of the Institution.

CHARLES D. WALCOTT.
(New Secretary of the Smithsonian Institute.)

Washington.—Charles D. Walcott, director of the geological survey, has been elected secretary of the Smithsonian institution by the board of regents. It is quite likely that Dr. Walcott would have been elected to the secretaryship of the Smithsonian institution some time ago had it not been for the desire of President Roosevelt that he should continue as director of the geological survey.

Dr. Walcott is a geologist and paleontologist of distinction and has won for himself a reputation among scientists not only of this country but also of Europe. The degree of LL. D. has been conferred on him by Hamilton college, the University of Chicago and Johns Hopkins university. He has been director of the geological survey since 1894 and secretary of the Carnegie institution since 1902. He is a member of the National Academy of Sciences of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and is the author of important scientific works. The salary of his new position is $7,000 a year, while that of the director of the geological survey is $6,000. Dr. Walcott is nearly 57 years old and long has been a resident of Washington.

In Chicago.

Mrs. Dearborn—Some people never do learn to say "no."

Mrs. Wabash—I know it. There's that woman next door—she's had six husbands!—Yonkers Statesman

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TIME TO JUMP.

The newest scare is the prospect of war between this country and Japan. Some white country will have to give them a good thumping soon, and it may be this country.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Sure thing! Japan has been making too great strides the past few years, and presents such a tempting opportunity today for the capitalist that this or some other trust-ridden nation will sooner or later call on its army to turn Japan over to the exploiters. The fact that a few thousand American soldiers might be sacrificed in such a war, and absolutely not one iota of good accrue to the common people, would cut no ice with the gang of leeches that has our own government at the throat and would jump at the chance to get a like hold on little Japan.

The law of Ohio under which a poor man, who opened an unlocked door of a porch and stole five pounds of corned beef for his own personal use, was sentenced to the penitentiary for life is so grossly severe as to seem incredible. Were it not that the court records of Greenvill substantiate it and find that a petition is even now being prepared for presentation to the governor for mitigation of the fearfully unjust sentence, one would be inclined to credit the story to some over-enterprising press correspondent. That such a sentence should be imposed in a state where a banker who robbed thousands of trusting people of hundreds of thousands of dollars, was sent to prison for only five years, where men who slay their fellow men and women receive light punishment, where those responsible for such terrible train wrecks as that of the Twentieth Century Limited near Cleveland were not even punished, is a severe shock to the sense of justice of the America. It is just such crass injustices as are to be found, not only in Ohio alone, but in practically all the states of the Union, such fearful libels on right and wrong, that have tended to make the people of America, more than other people in the civilized world, have lax respect for the laws that are supposed to govern but only too often, as in this instance, misgovern by their grimly ludicrous excessiveness.—Duluth Herald.

The Jar of Coughing

Hammer blows, steadily applied, break the hardest rock. Coughing, day after day, jars and tears the throat and lungs until the healthy tissues give way. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral stops the coughing, and heals the torn membranes.

The best kind of a testimonial—"Sold for over sixty years."

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We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

Billousness, constipation retard recovery. Cure these with Ayer's Pills.

"WE YIELD NOTHING."

The railroads have hung their serape banners upon the outer walls; have covered their broad shoulders with chips; have united in solid phalanx, and their slogan is, "We yield nothing!" They cannot give two-cent passenger rates, not even for round trips, nor give transferable mileage books.

In fact, their trousers are now worn to a frazzle, their boots are run down at the heels, and their coats are out at the elbows. They have been brought to this condition through years of work on half rations for the people and in the labor of building up this great nation.

All the money they ever made was in watering their stocks, and now they must raise rates instead of lowering them, as the present earnings are not enough more than will pay dividends on the water already injected and on hand to warrant future aquatic fortunes. To lower rates would mean to make railroading merely a legitimate business with a reasonable return, and they have been used to the other way too long to ever consent to that.

The man who thought that the railroads of Minnesota would recognize public opinion and its justice was evidently foolish. There is but one way to treat them, and that is to do what is right and not waste precious time listening to their jugglery of figures through the mouths of lawyers who have sold themselves to their bidding.

The argument that the rate now, including excursions and specials, is only a trifle above two cents is a confession of the weakness of their argument that they cannot afford the reduction. There is no law and will be none compelling them to pack human beings like cattle into dirty old cars and haul them hundreds of miles at freight rates.

They can cut out the excursions and the state will be vastly better off physically, mentally and more especially morally. The people will then travel sanely and comfortably and have time to see and learn. They prefer this to being ground through the excursion sausage machine.

The railroads will yield nothing. Few are surprised or care. But the legislature must not forget to be equally unyielding. The people in overwhelming numbers demand the two-cent fair. They are not looking for compromises, and the members are pledged to carry out their wishes.—Duluth News-Tribune.

North Dakota towns are rejoicing over the arrival of the first train in from two to six weeks.

An English college has in one of its halls, in a frame, these wise words of Abraham Lincoln, well worth consideration in days when success, instead of character, is made the rule of life: "I am not bound to win, but I am bound to be true. I am not bound to succeed, but I am bound to live up to the light that I have. I must stand with anybody that stands right, stand with him while he is right, and part with him when he goes wrong."

The federal supreme court has decided that where a railroad has granted a rate of two and one-half cents a mile per hundred pounds of grain between points in the state of Mississippi to certain favored shippers, but has charged all others to cents a mile, the state railroad commission has a right to fix the former rate for all shippers. The court said that while a state may not compel a railroad company to do business at a loss, and while a railroad company may insist as against the power of the state upon the right to establish such rates as will afford compensation for services rendered, yet when it voluntarily grants lower rates for some shippers it cannot resist the power of the state to enforce the same rates for all. This decision from the highest tribunal in the land will doubtless greatly assist in putting an end to favoritism by railroads.

We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times.—First State Bank, Red Lake Falls.

On March 1st, 1907, the postal treaty between the United States and Canada governing second-class mail matter will expire and the Canadian government has announced that the pound rate on newspapers will be withdrawn. This will make it necessary for us to raise our subscription price to Canadian subscribers fifty cents additional, as a one-cent stamp will be required on each paper going to that country.

It is plain why drainage helps soil that is too wet, why does it help soil that is too dry? In the spring when the ground is too wet the plant cannot shoot its roots down into the water because the roots need air, so they spread out, rooting shallow, above the water line; when summer comes the water drops and the shallow roots have a hard time getting moisture. On the other hand if there is a drain in the land the water is brought down to the level of the drain and the plant sends its roots down deep instead of wide and shallow so that when the summer comes the deep roots can get out the moisture in the ground more rapidly than the shallow roots, that is why drained land offers more moisture in summer to plants than the undrained lands. You can readily see that the above is a correct explanation and worth considering.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the City Hall Thursday, February 7th, 1907, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by president Borebers.

Roll called.

Aldermen all present.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., for street lights for Dec. 1906 and January, 1907	$222 22
D H McCoullough, labor	2 00
Nap Delorme "	1 00
John Deforge, street work	19 80
Joseph Salley, labor	1 00
Julius Keubi, street work	10 50
Berthon & Armstrong, mdse.	5 00
Ben Puschinsky, acct for scraper	35 00

The bill of Jeff Porter of $3.40 for services rendered as appraiser in proceedings of the Schmidt's land case, was on motion laid on the table.

The application of F. Brouillet for correction and abatement of taxes on lots 1 and 2, block 21, in Champagne & Dow's addition, was on motion recommended.

The liquor application of J. Kersting Co., was on motion granted.

An ordinance granting the Standard Oil Co., permission to construct certain warehouses, tanks and other buildings in this city passed its first reading.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 13th day of February A. D. 1907.

J. A. Duffy,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

Piles of people have Piles. Why suffer from piles when you can use DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve and get relief. Nothing else so good. Beware of imitations. See that the name is stamped on each box. Sold by all druggists.

Bray.

We are now enjoying a spell of unusually fine weather.

Mr. E. J. Larson drove to St. Hilaire last Friday.

Mr. C. P. Swanson transacted business at Wylie last Friday.

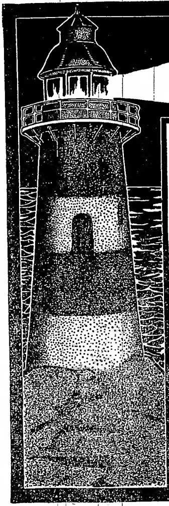
The weekly debate was held as usual in the school house Friday evening. The subject was: "Resolved, that the county seat should be moved from Red Lake Falls to Thief River Falls," but in spite of the efforts of the affirmative side to move it, the judges decided in favor of the negative side.

Mr. E. J. Akerlund drove to St. Hilaire Friday and returned accompanied by his sister, Hildor, who has been visiting there for a while.

Mr. Alfred Johnson made a trip to Wylie Friday.

Mr. O. Mosbeck of Polk Centre was Bray Friday.

A liquid cold relief with a laxative principle which drives out the cold through a copious action of the bowels, and a healing principle which lingers in the throat and stops the coughs—that is Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Safe and sure in its action; pleasant to take; and conforms to National Pure Food and Drug law. Contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.



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"Many a slender flagpole has been ruined," said a rigger, "by drawing the halyards down too snugly when making them fast after hauling down the flag. If this is done in dry weather and it comes on wet, the shrinking of the halyards thus drawn taut to start with may be enough to bend the pole, and if it should be left in that way long enough the pole would be permanently bent. Flag halyards when no flag is flying should be made fast with a little slack."

With a Home.

The great millionaire looked up impatiently.

"Well," he said, "what is it?"

"I desire, sir," the young man faltered, "to marry your daughter, provided"—

The other frowned.

"Provided what?"

"Just provided," murmured the youth.

Vocabularies.

The English language, according to a German statistician who has made a study of the comparative wealth of languages, heads the list with the enormous vocabulary of 260,000 words; German comes next, with 80,000 words; then Italian, with 75,000; French, 30,000; Turkish, 22,500, and Spanish, 20,000.

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The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Chas. Morin of Wylie, was a caller here Monday.

P. O. Hagglund of St. Hilaire, was a caller here Tuesday.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Rosch yesterday morning.

Z. Cadieux came over from Crook Crookston Monday to spend a week or so here.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Miss Ida Bliven of Milton, North Dakota, is a guest at the home of her grandfather, Andrew Lemieux, in this city.

The Misses Page and Dubuque, of Crookston, and Miss Page of Gentilly, took in the M. B. A. dance here Monday evening.

Leo Spillane went up to Thief River Falls, Tuesday, and from there went to Detroit over the Soo, where he has a job in sight.

For Sale A "Jewett" Typewriter, just as good as new, which we will sell at a bargain. First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Garceau & Zaiser announces the arrival of their new spring dress goods, etc., in their advertising space in today's Gazette. Read what they offer.

Mrs. J. M. Makinson, of St. Paul, arrived Saturday for a visit of several weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. O'Brien. Mrs. Makinson is Mrs. O'Brien's mother.

If the Gazette is a trifle shy on news this week, it is not because any loafing has been done around the shop. The list of delinquent taxes for Red Lake county has been set up in this office this week, and with other extra work has left the news gathering end slightly neglected.

Thief River News: Mrs Paul I. D. Ostby received a telegram Tuesday from Freeborn county announcing the death of her father, Ole O. Gavle, one of the pioneer and highly respected citizens of Southern Minnesota. Mrs. Ostby left Tuesday evening to attend the funeral.

Joseph Jerome came down from Battle River, Saturday evening, and spent Sunday at the home of Attorney C. E. Boughton in this city. Mr. Jerome is conducting a store at Battle River which adjoins the Red Lake agency, and enjoys a good business. His daughter, Miss Elsie, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Boughton for several weeks past returned home with him.

Miss Ethel Reed of Wadena, is a guest at the home of her uncle, J. B. Armstrong. The Gazette erred last week in stating that the young lady had undergone another operation at Crookston. It was thought that she might have to, but Dr. Dunlap decided it unnecessary and she returned here with her aunt to receive further treatment by Dr. Watson.

'Phone 7—Groceries--SPILLANES'

VALENTINES OF ALL KINDS AT FREUND'S.

Edison phonographs for sale from $10 up.—Anderson & Wander.

H. Langevin, the Crookston veterinary surgeon, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Edward St. Yves of Terrebonne was here to take in the M. B. A. dance Monday evening.

Milk and Cream delivered to any part of the city every evening. Phone 65. Fred Westphal.

S. M. Sivertson went out on the road Tuesday for a brief trip in the interests of the Red Lake Falls Milling company.

The venerable Fred Krueger. who was quite seriously hurt last week, is reported as gaining very nicely at present, greatly to the satisfaction of the people of the city.

Chas. Johnson of Wylie, spent Monday in the city with his son, Clerk of Court Johnson. He had been at Crookston for a week's visit with friends and was on his way home.

C. L. Hansen. the popular St. Hilaire banker, spent Sunday here. The Gazette might add that this was not an unusual happening, either, as Harry Ives used to do the same thing.

A four-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Euclid Reopelle, of Gervais, died last Friday after a brief illness from diphtheria. No other cases are reported in that neighborhood, however, and it is not thought that the disease will spread.

The Big Store has a new ad in today's Gazette, showing the reader wherein he can save money by buying at home. There is much in this ad that should be carefully read by the people of this neighborhood, as it shows wherein the home stores are selling cheaper than the catalogue houses.

Fruend's orchestra furnished music for the big masquerade ball given by the St. Hilaire fire department last Friday evening. The dance was one of the biggest ever held in the country, and St. Hilaire's popular fire laddies sustained their reputation as immense entertainers. Those who attended from here were: Clement Brunelle, Harry Healy, Leland Healy, F. F. Fruend, the Misses Amelia Perget, Mollie Allard, Lillian Buse and Etta Garceau.

The editor of today has to get his nose down to the grindstone and keep it there sixteen to eighteen hours per day and 365 days in the year, or he falls by the wayside. There are men who quit work Saturday night and rest until Monday morning. They lay aside business cares at five or six o'clock every evening and do not resume them until seven or eight the next morning. Not so your editor. He has no elegant leisure. He knows no hours, no Sunday, no night. When he goes to a party, or to church, or on an alleged pleasure trip. it is all in the line of duty.—Ex.

See Salley for your coal supply.

J. R. Fortier spent Monday night with his parents at Crookston.

Mrs. Harry E. Ives of St. Hilaire, was a guest of her parents here several days this week.

Attorney W. A. Tautges, of Thief River Falls, was a business caller here over Sunday.

W. W. Emmrich, the Singer sewing machine hustler, was over from Crookston Tuesday.

W. W. Prichard, of the Frst National Bank of Thief River Falls, spent Tuesday night in the city.

Reuben Gervais, of North Yakima, Washington, arrived here last Friday for a month's visit with relatives and old-time friends.

John Feirs of Grand Forks, came over from that place Monday and spent a couple of days at the home of his uncle, J. P. Harren.

Dr. Spofford is at Grand View Hotel, Red Lake Falls, the 7th day of every month. Latest scientific methods in examining eyes and fitting glasses.

Arthur Mercier came down from Thief River Falls last evening, and spent the day here looking after some business matters. Mr. and Mrs. Mercier will leave Saturday for their home in Calgary.

Nice assortment—from 150 to 200—of the latest Edison gold-mounted phonograph records, always on hand. Latest issued; all good. Buy your phonograph records from us.—Anderson & Wander.

W. Zingg, adjuster for the Continental Insurance company, was a caller here yesterday to adjust the loss of the insurance companies on the Reichel building. Mr. Reichel's loss was adjusted satisfactory to all concerned.

The local lodge of M. B. A's. held a grand dance at their hall Monday evening last, and had a very enjoyable time. A large number of the members and their ladies were present and made merry until the wee sma' hours.

Monday was the 40th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Paul, and the occasion was celebrated by a pleasant party at their home that evening, a number of their friends coming in to surprise them. Games were played, and the evening was delightfully spent by all. Refreshments were served, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul were wished forty years more of happiness.

The K. of P. hall has been the scene of several pleasant dancing parties during the past week. Saturday evening the young people danced till the midnight gong sounded, Monday evening the "little tots," properly chaperoned, had a delightful party there. and then again Tuesday evening the young folks danced away a few pleasant hours. Yesterday marked the beginning of the Lenten season and social events will cease now for a period of forty days or so.

The fuel situation has been very materially changed in Red Lake Falls during the past week, and while it costs shekels to keep warm, nevertheless there is plenty of fuel for all—if they have the price. The fine weather of the past week has caused the farmers to bring in lots of wood and Coalman Sally has received a sufficent supply of coal to fill the orders he had on hand. Poplar wood has been selling at $4 and $4.25 here for the past week, but has been eagerly snapped up at that price. Hard coal is $10 the ton. However, if this section could have a continuance for the next few weeks of the weather of the week just past, the terrors of the fuel bills would rapidly diminish.

Plummer Pioneer: A freight train arrived here yesterday afternoon from the east on the Soo line and its arrival has relieved a decided shortage which was manifest in many lines among the business houses here. This is the first freight train that has delivered any freight to Plummer in over two weeks.....The contract for carrying the mail between here and Lillo was awarded on the 1st inst. and Ole Himly, the present contractor secured the job for the next four years at a substantial advance in price. Mr. Himly has been a good mail carrier and the people whom he serves on his route will be pleased to learn of his having secured the contract again.

The past week's weather, with the exception of a few hours yesterday, has been a decided relief from the long January cold spell, and the warmer days has brought a smile of satisfaction back to most of the weary countenances one would meet every day when the mercury was cutting didos at the bottom of the tube. Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday were beautiful days, and the warm sun made a noticeable impression on the snow. The warm spell resulted in an abundance of wood and hay coming to town to break what threatened to be a famine and also caused trade to pick up nicely after the lull. While the weather of yesterday and today resembles winter a little more, nevertheless it is away ahead of what we have had for the past seven or eight weeks and is certainly welcomed

Salley sells coal. Phone 79.

VALENTINES AND MASKS AT SPILLANE'S.

J. J. Padden was a business caller at Crookston over Monday night.

Edison phonographs with fancy decorated concert horns, from $15 to $35.—Anderson & Wander.

Mrs. J. Carl, of Tilden, spent several days of this week with her mother, Mrs. James McAnulty, here.

Mrs. J. B. O'Brien and daughter, and Mrs. Makinson visited with friends at St. Hilaire Tuesday.

Tuesday was a legal holiday—Lincoln's birthday—and the schools, banks, postoffice, etc., were closed in due observance of the day.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall returned home Saturday after a pleasant visit with friends at the Twin Cities and other points in central Minnesota.

Carl Krueger came in from Antlers N. D., Monday, being called here by the serious condition of his father. Carl likes North Dakota quite well, but nevertheless felt at home once more when he landed in Red Lake Falls.

The local Grange had a very pleasant party at the M. B. A. hall last evening. A large crowd was present and cards were played. At eleven a bountiful lunch was served. The next meeting will be held on the evening of February 20.

Use a little KODOL after your meals and it will be found to afford a prompt and efficient relief. KODOL nearly approximates the digestive juices. It digests what you eat. It is sold on a guaranteed relief plan. Sold here by all druggists.

Prison Mirror: I was reading just recently of a carpenter who stopped driving a nail when the noon whistle blew. It is needless to say that this man will remain only a roustabout board butcher with an ear ever open to the call of the dinner horn to the end of the chapter. A man who is interested in his work has mightly little use for a clock. Working by the clock, because you are compelled to work is the incarnation of slavery.

As will be seen by an announcement elsewhere, Harry B. Healy has identified himself with the Ed L. Healy Land company and will have active charge of the business this summer while Ed L. is away. Harry is one of Red Lake Falls' best young men and has had a good business training, so that he will make a first-class partner in the business. The Healy Land company will cut a big figure in the land movement in this county during the coming season.

All headaches go
When you grow wiser
And learn to use
An "Early Riser."

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, safe, sure pills.—All druggists.

Do You Want to Sell?

Just a word to say that the Ed L. Healy Land Co., is getting into shape to do a larger business than ever before, and as we want to get out our new lists, we would be glad to have any of you who want to sell call in our office and list your farm with us.

It will be necessary for me to be away from the office part of the time this summer, but Harry, my son, who has identified himself with the company will be here, so your wants will be attended to. —Ed L. Healy.

Don't Send Your Money Away for Groceries; You Can Do Better At Home

Below is an exact copy of an order to a St. Paul house through a local agent. We also give our prices on same or better goods. On original order no mention of quality of goods is made. We guarantee our goods to be of the highest quality:

	St. Paul Price	Our Price.
2 gals N. O. Molasses........	$ 1.00	*$1.00*
1 box Crackers..................	1.37	*1.50*
1 box Ginger......................	.25	*.30*
1 25-lb box Prunes..............	1.57	*1.50*
18 bars Mottled Soap..........	1.00	*.65*
5 lb. Head Rice..................	.45	*.35*
5 lb. Raisins, 3 crown.........	.55	*.50*
5 lb. Ring Apples................	.63	*.63*
100 lbs Granulated Sugar.....	4.90	*5.50*
Freight..............	.87	
Draft at bank.....	.20	$11.93
	$12.79	

In not a single instance have our prices been cut for this occasion. These are our regular, all-year 'round prices. The order in question can be seen at our store at any time. The party who sent for above goods says our molasses and crackers are superior to his.

Now, why send your money to people who do nothing for your town or county; pay no taxes here. We want YOUR trade, but if for some reason you will not give it to us, there are other stores here besides ours, and good stores at that. We are not "mad;" we only want to show you where we think we are in the right.

Special for This Week:

3 lb can Hominy for only..............	10c	Good Cheese, at....................	10c
Cocoanut, at..............................	19c	Macaroni, at..........................	8c
½ gal good Catsup at.................	39c	3 lb can of good Pears, per doz......	$1.50
Fine Corn per dozen cans...........	75c	5 lb can of Preserves for............	40c
Fancy Sorghum, per quart..........	20c	All kinds of Choice FISH	

Good Crackers at $1.25 per box.

It Pays to Trade at

THE BIG STORE

The Great Quality Store.

Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

Morehead News: Two young ladies who are attending the normal school, tell a frightful tale of suffering and death from freezing in the northwestern part of North Dakota, which came to them from friends who were eye witnesses of the ghastly scenes. They state that a party of four young men had been living upon a claim north of Minot, and hearing that congress had passed a resolution granting ninety days leave of absence during the winter, they decided to pull out. They went to the house of a neighbor about four miles from their own shack, for the purpose of bidding the family goodby. No response being given to their knocks, they antered the house and found husband and wife and six children frozen to death. Hurrying on to their destination to inform the authorities, they stopped at another shack and there found the lone inhabitant—a strong man—frozen to death. They state that opening of spring will disclose a frightful loss of life out upon the northwest prairies, and the conditions really appear to be such as to make one shudder for the unfortunates who are caught without fuel or provisions.

.. NEW ..

Spring Fabrics

Our winter stock is gradually disappearing and its place is being taken to display the many new and attractive fabrics in dress good which are now arriving. The fabrics for the coming season are demanding considerable attention, for never before have we shown weaves and patterns so bewitchingly beautiful. You will find a decided advantage in making your selections early, for it will not only give you the entire line of dainty creations to select from, but will give you ample time to prepare them for Easter which comes unusually early this year ....

SPRING SUITINGS

PANAMA AND MOHAIR SUITINGS In the new tan and light brown shade, also red, green and grey from 60c a yard to **75c**

HIGHER CLASS SUITINGS. In the new tan, checks and mixtures, suitable for street and party wear, pr yd $1 to **$1.50**

GINGHAMS

We have an extra fine assortment of LANCASTER and ZEPHYR GINGHAMS at 10c, 12½ and.................. **15c**

A special discount of 25 per cent on all Skirts and Cloaks for one week.

Suesine Silk--the New Fabric

has just reached us, ask to see it.

THE BUSY STORE

Garceau & Zaiser

Keen Kutter

SIMMONS KEEN KUTTER ST. LOUIS MO

To the buyer of cutlery and tools the trade-mark "Keen Kutter" has a meaning that can only be appreciated after a thorough trial has been given. We are pleased to announce to the trade that we now have a complete line of

"Keen Kutter" Cutlery and Tools

and invite the keenest inspection of this handsome new stock.

We have also received some new . . .

"One Minute Washers"

the latest and easiest running washing machine made. If you are in the market for a washing machine don't fail to look at the "One-Minute Washer." Wash day will have no terrors for the housewife thereafter. The women are invited to come in and see one work. No trouble to show its workings.

The Hardware Man **G. A. KANKEL** *Red Lake Falls, Minn.*

Ideas for Three New and Seasonable Entertainments

An Umbrella Bazar.

This scheme is adaptable to an outdoor fete, or it is equally pretty to have all the booths at a winter festival built on the same plan, viz., an umbrella surrounded by a circular counter. The effect is lovely.

The Japanese table would have a huge paper umbrella and they come of enormous size, with a tiny parasol attached to each rib. Under this attendants in costume would serve tea and Japanese favors.

An umbrella covered with white cotton partially sprinkled with diamond dust and hung with glass icicles would be "Winter" for the sale of ice cream, or whatever the committees deemed best.

Turkey could be represented by an umbrella covered with turkey feathers, with a sale of dusters, or sandwiches and coffee. "China," "Summer" and "Autumn" are easy of representation and the whole effect will be worth the trouble of preparation. It will soon be Lent and this is an affair that would be an attraction for an Easter sale.

Valentine Post Cards.

To the hostess who wishes to give an impromptu entertainment on the 14th of February, the Valentine post card will prove a friend in need, for they may be used for the invitations as well as making charming place cards. Some of them look like miniatures in water colors. With an appropriate sentiment below they are stunning.

Write the name of the guest on the blank side and if a used one-cent stamp is placed where the stamp ought to be they will look as if "Cupid" had sent them in care of "Uncle Sam."

Some of the heart-shaped designs, Cupids, true lover's knots, etc., may be cut from postals and pasted on cards prepared by the hostess. The cost is far less than to order them hand-painted and if the work is carefully done the result is good. With a little forethought and skill the average hostess can achieve dainty and artistic place cards for her Valentine functions by watching for attractive postcards.

For Washington's Birthday.

At a Washington's birthday party for children between the ages of eight and 14, this amusement has been devised. Figures of George Washington, a number of generals, a drum, a boat, a flag, tent, picture of Mt. Vernon and a cannon have been cut out of white cardboard. Red, white and blue crayon are to be given each child with the request to decorate their designs. A half hour will be allowed.

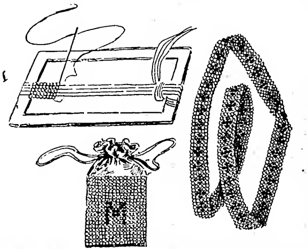
The table centerpiece is to be a small open boat, with miniature soldiers in it and a flag. It is to rest upon a round table mirror. The bonbons are to be of chocolate, moulded perfectly round and piled up like cannon balls on a flag-decorated box.

The sandwiches are to be cut star shaped and the snapping motto's are red, white and blue, with a tiny cannon attached with a trigger that really pulls.

The ice cream will be moulded in the form of a cherry tree thickly studded with candied cherries.

MADAME MERRI.

Directions for Making the Bead Chains So Much Worn



Taking one of the methods employed by our grandmothers in the manufacture of bead work, we will endeavor to see how it can be utilized in the making of a bead chain and pence-bag. As bead chains are so much worn, some of our readers may find a hint or two of use to them. The only tools necessary are some silk or filosel, an old picture or slate frame of convenient size, and a sewing-needle. Of course, a chain may be of any width; still, a very wide one would look clumsy, and a narrower one than that sketched here would not allow sufficient scope for design. First of all, bind four strings of silk upon the frame as in Fig. 1, then thread a needle with five beads and pass it beneath the threads, pressing them through them, a bead between each. Keep them in position with the left hand and pass the needle through the beads on the upper side. Take up five more beads and proceed in the same manner. To form the pattern, take up beads of other colors; for instance, taking mauve and gold tints, to form a diamond, begin the first row with 2 mauve, 1 gold, 2 mauve.

Second row: 1 mauve, 3 gold, 1 mauve.

Third row: 2 mauve, 1 gold, 1 mauve.

Other designs will suggest themselves to the ingenious worker with a little practice. When the threads on the frame are full, move them further down and keep on till the chain is complete.

For the pence-bag 19 threads should be used and only 18 beads, because when sewn together a thread at each end of the row would be more convenient than a bead, whereas a better finish is given to a chain if a bead is left at each end of the rows. In the illustration an initial occupies the center of the bag, but, of course, this might be substituted by a quite elaborate design if preferred. Having doubled the completed strip and sewn up the sides, line with silk, which should stand out at the top deep enough to form a frilled heading drawn up by a slide of ribbon.

Brief Items Concerning the Boudoir, Parlor and Kitchen

A bad-tempered woman is not beautiful.

Perfect repose of manner is simply conserving vitality.

White vaseline is excellent for keeping the lips soft and smooth.

Sleepless people should live in the sunshine as much as possible.

Flaxseed tonic will counteract the effect of dampness on the hair.

Powdered orris-root and prepared chalk combined is a good dentifrice.

Needless twisting and distorting the face is a potent cause of wrinkles.

Be sure that the bed linen is always perfectly dry before sleeping upon it.

Take good care of the teeth. Disease and contagion lurk in the human mouth.

Milk, taken hot or cold, is generally fattening, but it should always be sipped.

Cowslip root dried and reduced to a powder is an excellent remedy for insomnia.

Children should not be given solid food until they are one year old and then sparingly.

Sunshine should never be shut out of the nursery. Sleep at night will be more refreshing for the flood of sunshine let into the room during the day.

If troubled with pleurisy apply flannel cloths wrung out of hot water, to which a small quantity of mustard has been added. Change the cloth often.

Brooding over the calamity of being thin will not produce flesh. Settle down to work and pleasanter thoughts and before long you will surprise yourself.

Clear honey and sweet oil warmed together are good to take for loosening a cold. The amount of sweet oil should be proportioned according to the condition of the patient's stomach.

Strain strong sage tea, add a teaspoonful of alcohol to a pint of the tea, and apply it to the eyelashes with a soft brush once a day, to darken them and stimulate their growth.

Two ounces of boric acid crystals dropped in a glass quart jar and the jar filled with water, makes a saturated solution. It is useful in cases of burns and is an effectual antiseptic.

Nothing enhances a woman's face so much as a pair of beautiful eyes. Nature has not endowed the majority of girls with beautiful eyes, but Nature's work can be improved by careful management. Character and disposition figure most, of course, in the expression of the eyes, but the eyes can be improved by keeping them in a healthy condition and taking particular care of the brows and lashes.

The up-to-date woman will have her hat trimming on the right side instead of on the left. If she cares for flowers in winter millinery she is apt to choose roses or, perhaps, fuchsias. The latter are decidedly new. She will also be careful in the selection and adjustment of her veil, for it gives the finishing touch to her hat.

AT THE BARGAIN RUSH.

"Here, gimme that. I seen it first. Here, clerk, this woman—"

"Didn't, neither. I had my hand on them before she got there. You ain't no lady, or—"

"Neither are you. You can't come none of them tricks on me. I want you to understand that I saw these stockings first and—"

"Well, take 'em. They're big enough for an elephant, anyway. I'm too much of a lady to quarrel over such things."

"Do you mean to insinuate that I'm no lady? I'll tell my husband about you, that's what I'll do. Your face would cook cawfee."

"Yes, and you're a hussy. You ain't got no more manners than—"

"Ladies," said the dignified floorwalker, "the gymnasium and sparring ring is on the fifth floor. A gentlemanly attendant will assist with the gloves if you wish."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Gentle Hint.

Across the shimmering lake sped the merry skaters.

"Ah, the ring of steel," breathed the poetical young man. "What can compare with the beautiful ring of steel?"

The girl in the crimson cap laughed merrily.

"Lots of things," she whispered. "For instance, I much prefer the beautiful ring of gold."

And the next day the cards were out.—Chicago Daily News.

Unfathomable.

"I cannot be your wife," she replied, and added: "This is final."

He paced swiftly to and fro several times, then halted abruptly in front of her.

"Pray be candid with me," he said, not without the note of masculine impatience. "About how final?"

This was too much. She burst into tears.

"How do I know?" she sobbed.—Puck.

Sad Occasion.

"Yes," said the old man reminiscently, "when Saintlie died they wuz unyversal grief. Th' whole popylation turned out to his funeral, th' business houses wuz shet, an' every meetin'-house bell in th' town wuz a-ringin'. Yes, they wuz 20 bells a-ringin', all tolled."

But the next funeral in that town was not so large.—Judge.

A Conversational Demand.

"Why don't you try to make yourself agreeable?" asked the reproving friend.

"My dear," answered Miss Cayenne, "the desire to be agreeable is what has spoiled my disposition. You can't make yourself agreeable to some people without saying things about others."—Washington Star.

WHEN AIRSHIPS ARE IN VOGUE.

Mrs. Hardapple (dumbfounded)—For lands sakes! What does this mean?

City Niece—Nothing unusual, auntie, dear. You know you invited George and me to drop in some time.—Chicago Daily News.

The Significant "For."

"Your constituents must realize that you are working for them."

"Yes," answered Senator Sorgbum; "but a good many of them have gotten the idea that I am omitting the preposition."—Washington Star.

Misnamed.

"Is this your boasted Flatiron building?" asked the Philadelphian.

"It is," said the New Yorker. "What's the matter with it?"

"Why don't you use it to smooth the wrinkles out of your streets?"—Chicago Tribune.

Natural Conclusion.

"When did Henpeque get a divorce?"

"Why, he isn't divorced. What made you think so?"

"Well, he was talking about the unalloyed satisfaction, at his time of life, of being his own boss."—Judge.

Natural Enough.

Mr. Whiffle (reading)—The empress of Austria suffers from insomnia.

Mrs. Whiffle (meditatively)—Well, no wonder. I'm sure if I was an empress I'd be so proud of it I couldn't sleep a wink.—N. Y. Weekly.

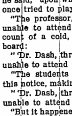
Different.

"But you told me she was a good dressmaker?"

"She is; she goes to church regularly; but she is by no means an expert dressmaker."—Houston Post.

AILING WOMEN.

Keep the Kidneys Well and the Kidneys Will Keep You Well.



Sick, suffering, languid women are learning the true cause of bad backs and how to cure them. Mrs. W. G. Davis, of Groesbeck, Texas, says: "Backaches hurt me so I could hardly stand. Spells of dizziness and sick headaches were frequent and the action of the kidneys was irregular. Soon after I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills I passed several gravel stones. I got well and the trouble has not returned. My back is good and strong and my general health better."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

PROFESSOR HAD LAST LAUGH.

Final Erasure Neatly Turned Joke on Students.

President Hadley, of Yale, was talking about his student days. "I remember a stately and venerable professor," he said, "upon whom some sophomore once tried to play a trick.

"The professor, one morning, being unable to attend to his class on account of a cold, wrote on the blackboard:

"'Dr. Dash, through indisposition, is unable to attend to his classes to-day.'

"The students erased one letter in this notice, making it read:

"'Dr. Dash, through indisposition, is unable to attend to his lasses to-day.'

"But it happened a few minutes later that the professor returned for a box he had forgotten. Amid a roar of laughter he detected the change in his notice, and, approaching the blackboard calmly erased one letter in his turn.

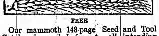
"Now the notice read:

"'Dr. Dash, through indisposition, is unable to attend to his asses to-day.'"

Oats—Heads 2 Foot Long.

The John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis., are bringing out a new oats this year with heads 2 foot long! That's a wonder. Their catalog tells!

Spetz—the greatest cereal hay food America ever saw! Catalog tells!



FREE

Our mammoth 148-page Seed and Tool Catalog is mailed free to all intending buyers, or send 6c in stamps and receive free samples of new Two Foot Long Oats and other cereals and big catalog free.

John A. Salzer Seed Co., Box W, La Crosse, Wis.

By Endless Chain.

"Speaking of the endless chain prayer that is going the rounds," said the woman with the cheerful voice, "I can't see what good that can do, unless, maybe, it might start some poor wretch on the road to glory, but I got an awfully nice silk petticoat through an endless chain once. The manufacturers sent letters asking for five names and a ten-cent piece. I sent five names and the ten-cent piece, not thinking much about it, just trying it, and it wasn't long before they sent me this lovely silk petticoat. It was the nicest sort of silk, too. As long as I wore it it didn't crock."

Caution.

Imitations have been placed upon the market so closely resembling Allcock's Plasters in general appearance as to be well calculated to deceive. It is, however, in general appearance only that they compare with Allcock's, for they are not only lacking in the best elements which have made Allcock's so efficient, but are often harmful in their effects. Remember that Allcock's are the original and only genuine porous plasters—the best external remedy known—and when purchasing plasters the only safe way is to always insist upon having Allcock's.

New Canadian "Homesteaders."

According to the Canadian department of the interior the total number of new "homesteaders" in the Canadian northwest in the last fiscal year was 41,689; made up of 12,485 Americans, 12,370 Canadians, 5,897 English, 2,193 Austrians, 1,657 Scotch, 1,624 Germans and 543 Irish. The total number of immigrants from the United States during the first four months of the present fiscal year was 17,907, as compared with 12,664 in the same period of 1905 fiscal year.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

And people who stand up for their rights usually want to sit on the rights of others.

We Pay Top Price for Cream.

Cash every day. Write for prices and tags. Miller & Holmes, St. Paul, Minn.

A man will remember the kiss he failed to get long after the others are forgotten.

Panthers and Grizzly Bears.

Ship Furs Pelts McMillan Fur & Wool Co., Minneapolis, Minn. Write for prices.

When a man makes a show of himself he's not always comedy.

Top Prices for Hides, Furs, Pelts.

Write for circular and catalogue No. 9, N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis.

Two heads are better than one—especially at kissing.

We Pay the Highest Price

for butter fat in cream. Write for price. Milton Dairy Co., St. Paul.

A cheerful lie is often better than the solemn truth.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES color Silk, Wool and Cotton at one boiling, fast, beautiful colors. 10c per package.

Don't be too sure of the man who boasts of being sure of himself.

Trappers' Supplies Sold Cheap.

Write for catalog and circular No. 9. N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

A reform champion's husband believes a reformation would be good.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

And by not getting married some men manage to live happily ever after.

We Want Your Cream.

Write to-day for tags and prices. North Star Creamery Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

There are more ways than one by which a woman can get even with a man. One way is to marry him, and another is not to.

Garfield Tea, an unusually practical household remedy; take it for constipation, to keep the liver normal, to purify the blood, to dispel colds, to cure rheumatism, to keep well!

Tannic Acid for the Skin.

One of the most annoying results of eye strain is the baggy condition under the eyes, which is very disfiguring. To restore the condition of the skin tannic acid is generally effectual, using 20 grains to an ounce of glycerine. It is applied to the puffiness with a soft camel's hair brush night and morning.

Universal Atmosphere.

The Swedish savant Ryberg has suggested that the discovery of the element metargon in the air strengthens the theory of the existence of a universal atmosphere extending between the planets and throughout the solar system. This, it is said, was already known to exist in the sun before its discovery, some eight or nine years ago—that is, in the immediate surroundings of the sun, in all comets and in meteorites—from which facts the Swedish scientist infers that it constitutes a common atmosphere for our system.

Couldn't Figure It Out.

The story is told of a lank, disconsolate looking farmer who one day during the progress of a political meeting in Cooper Institute stood on the steps with the air of one who has been surfeited with a feast of some sort.

"Do you know who's talking in there now?" demanded a stranger, briskly, pausing for a moment beside the disconsolate farmer, "or are you just going in?"

"No, sir, I've just come out," said the farmer, decidedly. "Mr. Evarts is talking in there."

"What about?" asked the stranger.

"Well, he didn't say," the farmer answered, passing a knotted band across his forehead.—Youth's Companion.

CHINESE HAD FIRST ZOO.

Institution of Menageries Was Due to Two Incentives.

The Chinese had the first zoo. Menageries are thought to owe their origin partly to the cult of sacred animals and partly to the ambition of rulers to possess specimens of rare and valuable creatures from foreign lands or savage beasts from their own. In the simplest forms zoological gardens were one of the earliest developments of culture, and were familiar to the Chinese, Indians, Greeks, Romans, and pre-Spanish Mexicans in ancient times. The oldest recorded menagerie is Chinese, dating from 1150 B. C. The den of lions kept by Darius, as described in the book of Daniel, is an example of one of those primitive menageries, while the cult of sacred white horses by the ancient Greeks and Romans and that of so-called white elephants in Burma and Siam are instances of a second type. A live giraffe was received at the menagerie of Schonbrunn as early as 1828.

NERVOUS HEADACHES

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Will Cure Most Cases and Should Interest Every Sufferer.

Nobody who has not endured the suffering caused by nervous headache can realize the awful agony of its victims. Worst of all, the ordinary treatment cannot be relied upon to cure nor even to give relief. Some doctors will say that if a person is subject to these headaches there is nothing that can be done to prevent their recurrence.

Nervous headaches, as well as neuralgia, are caused by lack of nutrition—the nerves are starved. The only way to feed the nerves is through the blood and it is in this way that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have accomplished so many remarkable cures.

Mrs. Addie Merrill, of 39 Union Street, Auburn, Me., says: "For years I suffered from nervous headaches, which would come on me every five or six weeks and continue for several days. The pain was so severe that I would be obliged to go to bed for three or four days each time. It was particularly intense over my right eye. I tried medicines but got no relief. I had no appetite and when the headache passed away I felt as if I had been sick for a month. My blood was thin and I was pale, weak and reduced in weight.

"I read about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in a paper and decided to try them. I first noticed that they began to give me an appetite and I commenced to gain in weight and color. My headaches stopped and have not returned and I have never felt so well as I do now."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

If afflicted with sore eyes, use **Thompson's Eye Water**

DEFIANCE STARCH easiest to work with and starches clothes nicest.

HURT, BRUISE OR SPRAIN

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THE OLD-MONK-CURE RELIEVES FROM PAIN

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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It cleanses, soothes heals and protects the diseased membrane. It cures Catarrh and drives away a Cold in the Head quickly. Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. Full size 50 cts., at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size 10 cts. by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

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In the Best Section of the South

Unexcelled for General Farming, Stock Raising, Berries, Fruit and Vegetables.

Cantaloupes, Strawberries, Peaches, Apples, Grapes, etc., give handsome returns.

Cattle need but little winter feed.

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LOUISVILLE, KY.

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The testimony of thousands during the past year is that the Canadian West is the best West. Year by year the agricultural returns have increased in volume and in value, and still the Canadian Government offers 160 acres FREE to every bona fide settler.

Some of the Advantages

The phenomenal increase in railway mileage—main lines and branches—has put almost every portion of the country within easy reach of churches, schools, markets, cheap fuel and every modern convenience.

The NINETY MILLION BUSHEL WHEAT CROP of this year means $60,000,000 to the farmers of Western Canada, apart from the results of other grains and cattle.

For advice and information address the SUPERINTENDENT OF IMMIGRATION, Ottawa, Canada, or any authorized Government Agent.

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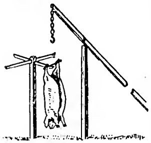
HOG BUTCHERING DERRICK.

Device That Will Make the Task an Easy One.

A correspondent of Prairie Farmer sends a plan for butchering and hanging hogs. Set a pole in the ground nine feet and put a 14-foot pole on this with a swingle so as to turn, as illustrated in the accompanying cut. Another pole is set six feet from the first. Two wide wagon tires about four feet long are mortised in the top of the second post so as to afford support for hanging four good sized hogs. Friend Heater recommends this plan as a great convenience to a person desiring to butcher a few hogs with short help and limited butchering facilities.



Derrick For Killing Hogs.

CARE OF YOUNG PIGS.

It Should Begin Before They Are Born —Keep Sow Vigorous.

It is not best to wait until the pigs are farrowed to begin to care for them. The brood sow needs careful attention before this time, especially in the matter of feeding. I have always had success in feeding a well balanced ration before, as well as after, this time, says a writer in Farm and Home. I aim to keep the brood sow in good condition and never have had any trouble with feeds. After farrowing I increase the ration and as soon as the pigs are old enough encourage them to eat along with the sow. Milk, wheat middlings, oats and corn in proper proportions have always been my favorite feeds for pigs. When confined in pens I supply them with fresh water and green feed, charcoal, wood ashes and salt being fed at regular intervals. At six or eight weeks old I wean the pigs and feed them in the same manner, only oftener than before. I keep them in a warm, roomy place during the winter, and when spring comes they are in excellent condition.

FEEDING THE BEEF COW.

Ration Must Be Increased When She Is In Calf.

The ration necessary for a breeding cow that is carrying a calf must be enough to permit of the maintenance of her body as well as the growth of the calf. Cows of the beef type may be wintered without grain, providing they are given all the oat straw and corn stover that they well consume during the early part of the season.

They should be fed a little clover hay during the early spring months. This, however, is not the best method of feeding. Shocked corn or silage with a little clover hay is a good winter ration for cows. More gain in weight can be secured where silage is used than where dry fodder is fed.

The corn plant fed in the form of silage is more palatable than if fed in the form of shocked corn, which is probably the cause of its being a better ration for the beef cows. Silage supplemented with clover hay in small amounts is about the best feed for breeding animals that can be produced on most farms.

NOTES OF THE HOG LOT.

Select long, roomy sows, but not the slow maturing kind.

The man who feeds for market cares more for type than breed.

Barb wire fencing ruins many good hogs and is a poor excuse for a hog fence.

Every yard should have a good strong gate, carefully made, hung and fastened.

Brood sows should show quality, but not at the expense of bone, muscle and constitution.

A good rule to follow is to make large yards and not confine the pigs on too small an area.

Uniformity in a herd is one of the most essential points and its advantages are obvious.

All things considered, woven wire properly constructed makes the best and most satisfactory hog fence.

Many good sows are ruined by being hurt by horses and cattle, and should be kept by themselves during pregnancy.

Pigs of about the same age and size thrive best when confined in yards by themselves; they look better, feed better and sell better.

In building any farm fence it is a good plan to put ground wires down to moisture about every six posts to give stock protection from lightning.

The hog can make himself an intolable nuisance if not confined in proper bounds, and no man should attempt to raise hogs unless he has adequate yard and fencing.

THE WHITE PLAGUE

SYSTEMATIC WARFARE WAGED TO WIPE OUT CONSUMPTION.

Warning That Intemperance Increases the Liability to Contract Disease —Neglected Colds a Prolific Source.

Organized effort is now being made throughout the United Stated to fight consumption. A warning is given against intemperate habits, which increase the liability to consumption, while spitting in public places is deprecated, as the disease is frequently contracted from dried sputum.

Colds should not be neglected, as they leave the lungs in a peculiarly receptive condition for the tubercular germ. The following simple formula will break up a cold in twenty-four hours. A leading authority on lung trouble says that when prepared from pure ingredients, it will cure any cough that is curable.

Take half ounce Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure); two ounces glycerine and half pint good whisky. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses every four hours.

The ingredients can be secured from any good prescription druggist at small cost, and to avoid substitution should be purchased separately and mixed in your own home.

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) is put up in half-ounce vials for dispensing. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper, with the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.—plainly printed thereon. There are many rank imitations of Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), which are put out under various names, such as Concentrated Oil of Pine, Pino Balsam, etc. Never accept these as a substitute for the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine, as they will invariably produce nausea and never effect the desired result.

Thinks Little of Chinese Army.

Dr. Morrison, the well-known correspondent of the London Times at Peking, went to see the recent maneuvers of the modernized Chinese army in the neighborhood of Chang-te-fu. He describes them as a repetition of the performances of 1905—a set piece carefully prepared long beforehand by a number of Japanese advisers. The inefficiency of the officers is still conspicuous and the field training of the men inadequate, but the material is good. Dr. Morrison hints that without Japanese officers to direct affairs the contending armies would have been little better than a rabble.

State Prison Makes Money.

The Connecticut state prison for the fiscal year ended September 30, 1906, established a new record of revenues. Earnings from productive labor aggregated $57,411, while receipts from various other sources swelled the total income to $61,015. This showing, representing nearly 74 per cent. of the operating expenses of the institution, surpasses the income exhibit of any previous year, and enabled the prison management, despite the high cost of supplies, to limit to $22,861 its drafts upon the state treasury.

Where It Really Does Rain.

There is one man in San Francisco who is not bothered by the rain. He is F. S. Morris, of Portland, who is at the Imperial. Morris came in dripping with water yesterday afternoon, and somebody remarked: "Gracious, isn't this rain a fright?" "Naw, nothing much," said the man from Portland. "You just ought to live in my country. Why, at home," and the Oregonian swelled with pride, "in my country the rain falls so fast that the rivers frequently fill up two feet above their banks."—San Francisco Chronicle.

MAY BE COFFEE

That Causes all the Trouble.

When the house is afire, it's like a body when disease begins to show, it's no time to talk but time to act—delay is dangerous—remove the cause of the trouble at once.

"For a number of years," says a Kansas lady, "I felt sure that coffee was hurting me, and yet, I was so fond of it, I could not give it up. I paltered with my appetite and of course yielded to the temptation to drink more. At last I got so bad that I made up my mind I must either quit the use of coffee or die.

"Everything I ate distressed me, and I suffered severely almost all the time with palpitation of the heart. I frequently woke up in the night with the feeling that I was almost gone,—my heart seemed so smothered and weak in its action that I feared it would stop beating. My breath grew short and the least exertion set me to panting. I slept but little and suffered from rheumatism.

"Two years ago I stopped using the old kind of coffee and began to use Postum Food Coffee, and from the very first I began to improve. It worked a miracle! Now I can eat anything and digest it without trouble. I sleep like a baby, and my heart beats full, strong and easily. My breathing has become steady and normal, and my rheumatism has left me. I feel like another person, and it is all due to quitting coffee and using Postum Food Coffee, for I haven't used any medicine and none would have done any good as long as I kept drugging with coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. "There's a Reason." Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. All grocers.

Spring Excursions to Milwaukee.

The Jobbers and Manufacturers' Association has arranged for three Merchants' Excursions to Milwaukee during February and March.

Any merchant in the Northwest is entitled to a rate of one and one-fifth fare for the round trip, not alone for himself and wife, but for anyone actively interested in his business.

You can buy tickets to Milwaukee as follows:

First Excursion, February 16th to 24th, and return home February 18th to March 6th.

Second Excursion, March 2d to 10th, and return home March 4th to 20th.

Third Excursion, March 16th to 24th, and return home March 18th to April 3d.

Purchase a ticket to Milwaukee only, at full fare and at the same time ask for a certificate (not a receipt) for fare paid. This certificate will entitle you to one-fifth fare to return home if validated at the Secretary's office, 45 University Building, at any time within the dates fixed.

His Practical Idea.

A benevolent old man who lived on his farm in Iowa never refused shelter to any who might ask it of him. His many friends remonstrated with him about this characteristic, knowing that many unscrupulous hoboes would avail themselves of the opportunity, and that there was great danger of the old man being robbed. To these remonstrances the old man replied that he believed in "practical Christianity."

"But," said one of his friends, "this seems very impractical. Suppose one of these men took it into his head to rob you one night?"

"My dear young friend," was the reply, "I bid all enter in the name of God, but I prove my belief in practical Christianity by locking up their pants during the night."

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Ownership of National Banks.

The ownership of the national banks of the United States is not in the hands of the rich few, as is commonly supposed, because fully one-half of the banks have a capital of less than $100,000 each. Twelve per cent. have capitalizations of from $100,000 to $250,000, while only seven per cent. range between $250,000 and $1,000,000.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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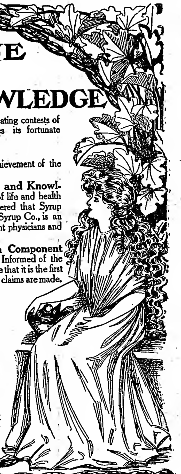

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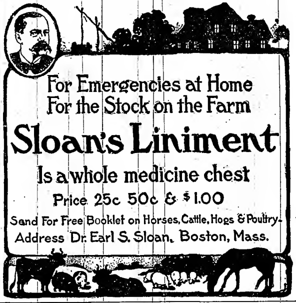

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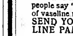

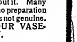

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Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The west half of the north east quarter of section fourteen (14), in township one hundred fifty (150) of range forty-two (42) and lots numbered five (5) and (6) in block numbered five (5) in the townsite of Brooks, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 30th day of March, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Four hundred fifty-six and 78-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

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RURAL WATER SUPPLY.

Its Sanitary Condition Not What It Ought to Be.

When such great sums of money are being expended by city governments that the inhabitants of towns may have a sanitary water supply it seems strange that the supply in rural towns should receive little or no attention. This latter population may seem relatively insignificant, but it comprises about 40,000,000 souls. This means that those 40,000,000 people are drinking the water most available without a thought of its sanitary condition.

These various sources of supply, whether wells, springs or small streams, are similarly unreliable for furnishing drinking water. The statistics of mortality in the country are very indefinite, but even these show that the rural population is not as free from illness as it should be. And though everywhere the rural death rate is lower than the urban death rate, yet the lowering in the country has not been as great as in the city. An examination of typhoid statistics shows that the death rate of other diseases is generally lower in the country than in the city, but the prevalence of typhoid is almost equal to if not greater in the rural districts than in the cities.

Several instances have been reported which show the rural typhoid rate to be ten times greater than the urban rate for the same district. To particularize, a certain district in central Pennsylvania proves this fact. It is made up of a rural population with 100 inhabitants to the square mile. It is a region of fine farms, wild mountains and woods, country residences and picnic groves. And in this valley there has been as much typhoid fever as in the city of Philadelphia.

Sad as this condition is, there seems to be no remedy for it. The sources of a city water supply are few and the city government easily controls the conditions affecting it. But what can be done when the sources of supply are numbered by the thousands? A mint of money and an army of chemists would not be sufficient to give the same care to the country supply that is given to that of the city.—New York Herald.

SNOWSLIDES OF ROCKIES.

Peril of Mountains Takes Its Toll of Life and Property.

Every year the life of a miner in the high mountain regions is menaced by the avalanche or snowslide, and every year brings its list of casualties and of hairbreadth escapes. The story of snowslides would fill a book and would be a thrilling, tragic and in some cases a gruesome one.

Men have ridden hundreds of feet on the back of a snowslide and have escaped unhurt. Others have been caught and buried so deep and in such uncertain spots that their bodies have not been discovered until the melting of the snow in the following spring.

Some have been caught as they were walking, but a few steps from the boarding house to the mine, or while emptying a car on the mine dump. Not infrequently men have found themselves temporarily imprisoned by the entrance of the mine being closed by a slide while they were at work and have had to dig their way out.

A Chinese cook at one of the Idaho mines stepped outside his kitchen door for a moment and was caught and buried with the slide 1,000 feet down the hillside and his body was not recovered till the following spring.

Such incidents denote the extreme suddenness, power and velocity of the slide. Little or no warning is given, a roar, a cloud of snow obscuring the sight of the real slide, and in a moment thousands of tons of snow, mingled with trees and debris, are shot down the gulch or the slope of a mountain as from the mouth of a cannon. In a few seconds all is over and the scenery of the little valley is completely changed.—Mines and Minerals.

What a Letter Will Do.

A proofreader, anent the importance of trifles, read from his notebook these absurd sentences, each made by the omission of a single letter:

"The conflict was dreadful and the enemy was repulsed with great laughter.

"When the president's wife entered the humble sitting room of the miner she was politely offered a hair.

"A man was yesterday arrested on the charge of having eaten a cabman for demanding more than his fare.

"An employee in the service of the government was accused of having stolen a small ox from the mail. The stolen property was found in his vest pocket."

Observation.

An observant man in all his intercourse with society and the world constantly and unperceived marks on every person and thing the figure expressive of its value and, therefore, on meeting that person or thing, knows instantly what kind and degree of attention to give it. This is to make something of experience.—John Foster.

Tamed Poetry.

"I wish to submit a lyric, sir," said the timid young man. "My friends say it's a beauty—really sings itself."

"Humph!" said the cold hearted editor. "We couldn't use a poem like that. We want one that, once printed, will remain perfectly quiet and not keep our readers awake by singing itself at all times."

The true strength of every human soul is to be dependent on as many nobler as it can discern and to be depended upon by as many inferior as it can reach.

The world which took but six days to make is like to take 6,000 to make out.—Browne.

THE APACHES.

This Tribe Holds the Record as Bad Indians.

Scarcely a tribe of our American Indians but what have engraved their record of crime and infamy high up on history's wall, yet above them all is the Apaches'.

From 1540 to 1853 New Spain and Mexico carried on a so called warfare with these people. The Apaches were vastly outnumbered by the Mexican soldiery, but what they lacked in numbers was more than made up in courage and craftiness. The Apache ever had a thorough contempt for the Mexican soldier, and in later years, when they were fighting with firearms as well as arrows, they would not waste cartridges on the Mexicans, but would kill them with arrows, spears and stones, saving their cartridges for other and more worthy foes.

When this southwest region became a part of the United States the Apaches were a serious problem with which we had to contend. Our government vacillated between a simpering peace policy and the other extreme, their extermination.

Their zone of wandering being intersected by the international boundary line further complicated matters. They would raid down into Mexico and then rush back with the plunder to our side of the line, out of reach of the pursuing soldiers. Next it would be a raid on the Arizona side and a flight into the wild mountains of Sonora. The Mexican government attempted to assist their miserable army by giving a scalp bounty, and for years they paid out their gold coin for Apache scalps. Scalp hunting became a recognized industry. The horror of this was that to the Mexican official all scalps looked alike, whether from the head of a hostile or a friendly Indian. The price was $100 for a man, $50 for a woman and $25 for a child. It is small wonder that the tribe sank deeper into savagery than ever when we stop to think that the men knew there was a price set on the scalps of their wives and children, and there was a horde of human fiends, white in color, but more savage than the savage himself, who were hunting them as they would a congar of the mountains.—E. S. Curtis in Scribner's.

QUICKER THAN LIGHTNING.

Action of the Human Body Outstrips Everything In Motion.

"As quick as lightning" is a phrase colloquially used to express the maximum of rapidity, but, according to a well known scientist, electricity itself is outstripped by that old fashioned machine, the human body, by which it appears powers can, so to speak, be generated in the brain, transmitted through the nerves and developed in the muscles in an infinitesimal fraction of a second.

It is stated that a pianist in playing a presto of Mendelssohn played 5,595 notes in four minutes and three seconds. The striking of each of these, it has been estimated, involved two movements of the finger and possibly more.

Again, the movements of the wrist, elbows and arms can scarcely be less than one movement for each note. As twenty-four notes were played each second and each involves three movements we would have seventy-two voluntary movements per second.

Again, the place, the force, the time and the duration of each of these movements were controlled. All these motor reactions were conditioned upon a knowledge of the position of each finger of each hand before it was moved, while moving it, as well as of the auditory effect to force and pitch, all of which involves equally rapid sensory transmissions.

If we add to this the work of the memory in placing the notes in their proper position as well as the fact that the performer at the same time participates in the emotion the selection describes and feels the strength and weaknesses of the performance, we arrive at a truly bewildering network of impulses coursing along at inconceivably rapid rates.

Such estimates show, too, that we are capable of doing many things at once. The mind is not a unit, but is composed of higher and lower centers, the available fund of attention being distributed among them.—Pearson's Weekly.

Legend and Reality.

Legend tells how Napoleon, while Moscow was in flames, found time to draw up a decree organizing the Theatre Francais. Alas, the story is not true. Napoleon was in Poland when he received the decree ready to be signed. He there signed it and sent it back to Paris, but in the margin wrote the following: "To be forwarded when the army will be at Moscow. It is his majesty's intention that the decree should be dated from that town."

Obedience.

Every duty, even the least duty, involves the whole principle of obedience. And little duties make the will dutiful—that is, supple and prompt to obey. Little obediences lead into great. The daily round of duty is full of probation and of discipline. It trains the will, heart and conscience.—Woman's Life.

A Biography In a Nutshell.

Born, welcomed, caressed, cried, fed, grew, amused, reared, studied, examined, graduated, in love, loved, engaged, married, quarreled, reconciled, suffered, deserted, taken ill, died, mourned, buried and forgotten.

Sure on One Point.

"Out late last night? What time did the clock say when you got in?"

"I don't remember what the clock said, but I will never forget what my wife said!"

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR PROBATE OF WILL.

ESTATE OF MARGARETTA WALTER

State of Minnesota, } ss
County of Red Lake }

In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Margaretta Walter, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Andrew Walter, Phillip Walter, John Walter, Maggie Adler (nee Walter), Anna Skala (nee Walter), Mary Kaus (nee Walter) and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent; The petition of Phillip Walter being duly filed in this court, representing that Margaretta Walter, then a resident of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, died on the 31st day of December, 1906, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Phillip Walter. Now therefore, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 16th day of February, 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable N. W. Tarrant, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 24th day of January, 1907.

[Seal] N. W. TARRANT, Judge.
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Petitioner. j24f7

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy and 99-100 ($70.99) Dollars, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Joseph Bousheu, administrator of the estate of John Bousheu, deceased, mortgagor, to M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, bearing date the 21st day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 21 of Mortgages, on page 226.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, to John Jaenike by written assignment dated the 9th day of April, 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages on page 119.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Jaenike the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., by written assignment dated the 14th day of December, 1906, and recorded on the 19th day of December, 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m., in book 15 of mortgages page 345, and by reason of the default herein before mentioned the said Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, the assignee of said mortgagee, chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable making in all four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The east half of the southwest quarter of section fourteen (14), Township numbered one hundred fifty (150), North of Range forty-two (42), west of the 5th P. M. in the state of Minnesota, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the second day of March, 1907, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 15th, A. D., 1907.

Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. j17-f28.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Rudolf Warberg and Katharina Warberg, his wife, mortgagors, to Ralph Rogers mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in book 29 of mortgages, on page 29

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Ralph Rogers mortgagee, to G. B. Ward by written assignment dated the 15th day of October 1906, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of November 1906, at 1:00 o'clock P. M.; in book 32 of mortgages on page 391.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said G. B. Ward, the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, by written assignment dated the 13th day of November, 1906, and recorded on the 22nd day of November, 1906, at 3:10 o'clock P. M., in book 15 mortgages page 339, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

North east quarter of section numbered twenty-eight (28), in township numbered one hundred fifty (150), north of range forty-one (41), west of the 5th P. M. in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 23rd day of March, 1907, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty and no-100 dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, February 6th, 1907.

Merchants State Bank of Red-Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
F. A. Grady, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. f7-m21

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WILL MEET TOMORROW

Red Lake County Teachers' Association To Have A Two Days Interesting Session.

The Red Lake County Teachers association will meet at Thief River Falls tomorrow and Saturday where a fine program of interest to the teachers and general public will be rendered.

The meeting coming as it does on Washington's birthday anniversary will be partly given over to patriotic numbers, and this with the other things prepared for those who attended will make a very attractive session.

One of the principal features of the meeting will be the answering and discussion of the questions written at the recent semi-annual state teachers' examinations. The questions in all the subjects will be answered and generally discussed by those in attendance, and it is thought that this feature alone will be one of the best for the teachers in the county that has ever been down on the various programs.

The people of Thief River Falls will assist in making the meeting instructive and enjoyable, and the association officers hope to see an extra ordinary large attendance.

The following is a general outline of the program:

FRIDAY AFTERNOON, FEB. 22

Discussion of state teachers' examination questions written upon Jan. 31st, Feb. 1st and 2nd, 1907.

FRIDAY EVENING.

Lecture on Alaska by Dr. Gamble. Music and entertainment will be furnished by the High School Mandolin club, and by the faculty and students of Thief River Falls schools.

SATURDAY, FEB. 23.

Discussion of examination questions continued.

All teachers are requested to bring exhibits of work done in their respective schools by pupils in all grades.

Prof. Hay has charge of the evening's entertainment and a good time is assured.

Farmer Loses Left Leg.

Ole Opgrand, a farmer, whose home is near Dorothy on the abandoned line between Crookston and Wylie, is lying in the hospital at Warren in a critical condition as the result of an accident last Tuesday morning. He had been to Crookston and was returning home on the train by way of south Euclid. In jumping from the train he fell between the wheels and had his left leg severed below the knee. The train crew placed him on the train again and took him to the hospital at Warren. He is about 50 years of age and is quite well known throughout the western part of Red Lake county.

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PENALTY WILL ATTACH.

Personal Property Taxes Must Be Paid Before March First.

All taxes were due January 1st last and all personal property taxes not paid before March 1st will have a 10 per cent penalty added. On April 1st all unpaid personal property taxes are turned over to the sheriff for collection.

On June 1st a penalty of 10 per cent is added to all real property taxes of which no part has been paid. Payment of not less than one half of the amount of real estate taxes on or before the last day of May extends the time for paying the balance without penalty till the last day of October. On November 1st a penalty of 10 per cent is added to all unpaid balance of real estate taxes of which not less than one half was paid prior to June 1st. Unpaid real estate taxes are delinquent on the first Monday in January and a penalty of 5 per cent is then added. Tax sales take place on the second Monday of May following and the amount of the sale draws interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum until redeemed. Lands not redeemed within three years after sale, become the property of the state or purchasers.

Washington's Birthday Party.

The members of the Study club will be entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Germo this evening, the affair being in the nature of a commemoration of the anniversary of the birth of him who was "first in war, first in peace, first in the hearts of his countrymen." The evening will be given over to a patriotic program and a delightful time is looked forward to.

"Dads" Will Meet.

The county board will meet at the office of Auditor O'Brien next Tuesday. Several important matters will come up for consideration at this time. Auditor O'Brien has the annual financial statement ready for inspection and approval by the board, and it will be ordered published as soon as possible. A number of school petitions are pending, a petition for the organization of a new town has been presented, and it is likely that the board will find plenty of work to keep them busy for a couple of days or more.

Gets His Prize Money.

Olaf Nelson, of River Falls township, last week received from D. D. Mayne, principal of the State Agricultural school, a check for $200, which he won as first prize for the best sample of wheat exhibited at the state seed grain fair held in Minneapolis in January. This is a neat sum of money and naturally the young man feels very good over receiving it.

Best confectionery in the city at Freund's.

Red Lake Falls Will Entertain Northern Minnesota Firemen In Royal Style.

Executive Committee of Association Meets at Crookston To Set Dates and Decide on Other Matters—Entertained By Crookston Fire Department.

The 1907 tournament of the Northwestern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament association will be held at Red Lake Falls four days in June—the 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st.

This was decided on at the meeting of the executive committee of the association which was held at Crookston Monday evening of this week and which was attended by representatives from the several different valley towns holding membership in the association.

F. A. Grady, representing President M. A. Converse, and Secretary Fred Borchers went down from here that evening to attend the meeting, and they report that all the towns in the Valley will join hands this year to make the Red Lake Falls tournament the biggest and best ever held by the association.

The delegates to the executive committee meeting Monday evening were entertained by the Crookston fire department, and were shown a right royal good time.

A. A. Glenn acted as chairman of the meeting and after calling the delegates to order it was first decided that the dates for the tournament should be the 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st of June, four days. The program was not definitely decided on and but few minor changes were made in the races.

The banner for the association coupling contest was won for the third time consecutively last year by Bemidji and as a result the coveted trophy became the property of the Bemidji department which makes it necessary for a new banner to be provided this year. This will be furnished by Red Lake Falls this year, it being the custom for the city where the tournament is held to furnish the banners.

While the program of races and the prizes were talked over informally nothing definite will be done in that connection till later in the season. All the members of the committee were enthusiastic and look forward to some new records being made at the Red Lake Falls meet.

F. A. Grady, acting chairman of the executive committee, was called upon and he thanked the Crookston department for their welcome, for the entertainment provided and for the help which they promised. He told several interesting incidents which had happened at Red Lake Falls during his service as a fire-fighter, the most touching of which was the story of the death of the Martell family which happened over a year ago. He concluded by extending a hearty invitation to the Crookston department and Crookston citizens generally to attend the next tournament at Red Lake Falls.

The tournament this year should eclipse all former meets of the association in point of attendance. Red Lake Falls is almost exactly in the center of the territory embraced by the association and has a bunch of towns and country surrounding to draw from.

Further than this, the reputation of the "Falls" as the home of royal entertainers is wide-spread, and hundreds of valley people will take this opportunity of visiting "The Gem of the Valley" for the first time.

The local fire department will be ably assisted by the citizens in their tremendous task of perfecting all the details for this gathering, and while the amount of work will be enough to scare most towns, yet it is a safe predition that when the first visitor arrives here on the 18th of June next, he will find every tiny detail of arrangements completed.

The department already has committees at work, and auxillaries will be added as fast as needed so that the whole task of getting ready for the gathering will be carried out systematically and with a view to the comfort and enjoyment of the visitors.

Red Lake Falls is an ideal spot for a meeting of this kind, and an effort will be made to show every visitor the time of his life from the minute he arrives until the time he is obliged to depart.

It is the duty of every citizen to emblazon upon the minds of all strangers with whom they may come in contact from now henceforth, that June 18, 19, 20, 21 will be important dates in the 1907 calendar—and especially urge the entire community to be here in full force.

Red Lake Falls is in the limelight from this on. Pull together that she may acquit herself creditably.

Want New Town.

A petition signed by Joseph Johnson, et al., of Erie, has been filed with County Auditor O'Brien, praying that the unorganized township 153-39 be organized as a town, and the matter will come before the county commissioners at their meeting Tuesday of next week. Mr. Johnson wants the new town named Zenith, but several other names have also been suggested, some wanting Erie, others Leiland and still others, Equity. 153-39 is the center town of the three unorganized towns on the reservation and when the organization of this town is complete it will leave but two unorganized towns in the county. The commissioners will take up the matter next week, and the petition will without doubt be favorably acted upon.

NOTICE.

Wanted—30 cords of green poplar cord wood to be delivered at the Red Lake Falls creamery. For further particulars inquire of G. F. Hennings, Secretary. tf

Got Thirty Days.

Chas. Klose, a Thief Riverite, was sentenced to thirty days in the county jail by the municipal court of the up-river town yesterday, and Deputy Sheriff Isaacson went up on the morning train to bring him down to hotel de Nelson. Klose has been in limbo on several different occasions, and this time he gets soaked a little harder than usual. It appears that every time Charley gets in too close contact with the tanglefoot bottle (which happens quite often) he gets an idea in his head that his family needs extermination, and he proceeds to try it to the best of his ability. It is thought that his thirty day sojourn behind the bars here will give him an opportunity to think matters over, and conclude to do better in the future.

Use a little KODOL after your meals and it will be found to afford a prompt and efficient relief. KODOL nearly approximates the digestive juices. It digests what you eat. It is sold on a guaranteed relief plan. Sold here by all druggists.

FARMER GOES CRAZY.

James Nelson, of Lake Pleasant, Committed to Insane Hospital.

Word was brought to town Monday forenoon that James Nelson, living just west of the Paul Schoenauer farm in Lake Pleasant township, had become violently insane the night before.

Sheriff Nelson and Fred Zaiser drove out at once and brought the unfortunate fellow to town, where he was taken before Judge of Probate Tarrant and committed to the hospital for the insane at Fergus Falls.

Nelson was one of the most violently insane persons ever sent from this county, and it took a couple of husky men to care for him most of the time. He seemed to have a decided aversion to big men, and would constantly spit at every one who came within his reach. Joseph Belair accompanied accompanied Sheriff Nelson on the trip to Fergus, and the two had a decidedly hard time of it before they got the unfortunate patient safe in the hospital.

It seems that Nelson has brooded over his misfortunes a great deal of late, with the result that his mind finally gave way under the strain. He was a hard-working, honest farmer, but was another victim of the "system" and his mind was not strong enough to stand up under the long row of disappointments and hardships encountered.

Nelson has a wife and two children who are left without the protection of the father and husband, but it is generally understood that they are in fair circumstances and will not at least want for the necessities of life. It is hoped that the treatment at the hospital will greatly benfit the unfortunate fellow, and that he will soon be completely cured.

The case was one of the saddest in the history of the county.

Grand Masquerade Ball.

Plummer Pioneer: The local camp of the M. W. of A. has made arrangement to give a grand masquerade ball in the Reed's hall in Plummer on next Saturday evening, the 23rd inst. They will give some handsome prizes for the best costumed lady and gentleman and also for the most comically dressed couple. Freund's orchestra from Red Lake Falls has been engaged to furnish the music for the occasion. The dancing will begin at 9 o'clock sharp and unmasking will take place at midnight. A fine supper will be served at Hotel Scotland at midnight and every arrangement will be made for the comfort and convenience of those who attend. The price of tickets for the ball is $1.00. When the Woodmen do things you know they are done right so be sure to attend and bring your friends.

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CONCERT WILL BE FINE

Excellent Entertainment In Store For Red Lake Falls People Tomorrow Evening.

Tomorrow (Friday) evening at the Metropolitan will occur the regular monthly concert of the Red Lake Falls Concert band, and with the assistance rendered the local organization by the famous Elks' Quartette of Crookston, the program will be one that will delight the people beyond expression.

The program prepared by the band is a varied one, and contains many delightful numbers. The beautiful selection, "Amorita," is on, and is one of the finest numbers ever rendered by the organization. The famous overture to "Poet and Peasant," is also on the program, and this is considered as one of the heaviest and best selections written for band.

Prof. Bruckman is down for a clarinet solo, the "Second Air Varie," considered one of the prettiest and most difficult solos for clarinet ever published. Herr Bruckman is an artist on the clarinet, and this feature of the program will be something out of the ordinary.

The local orchestra is down for a number—it will surely be good. Harry Healy will play the old favorite song, "Old Black Joe," with difficult variations as a trombone solo.

The Elks' Quartette will furnish two or more pleasing numbers, and those who have never had the opportunity of hearing this bunch of singers, should embrace this opportunity to turn out and hear them.

Altogether the concert will be one of especial merit, and every seat in the large hall should be filled by the people of Red Lake Falls, thereby showing appreciation of the efforts of the band to give choice entertainments.

The following is the program:

PART I.

March.................... Selected

Overture................ von Suppe

"Poet and Peasant."

Waltz..................... Bailey

"Auf Wiedersehn."

Clarinet Solo............ Thornton

"Second Air Varie."

E. H. Bruckman.

Song..................... Selected

Elks' Quartette.

PART II.

Overture ....

"Bridal Rose."

Band Orchestra.

Trombone Solo............ Bennett

Air and Variations.

H. B. Healy.

Song..................... Selected

Elks' Quartette.

Selection................ Czibulka

"Amorita."

March.................... Selected

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XII.—Continued.

"They moved down to Jackson county, Missouri, too," concluded his informant, thus adding to the flame. They had gone to set up their home in the very Zion that the Gentiles with so much bloodshed had wrested from the Saints.

Even when the first anger cooled and he could face the thing calmly in all its deeper aspects, he was still very bitter. While he had stanchly kept himself for her, cherishing with a single heart all the old memories of her dearness, she had been a wife these seven years,—the wife, moreover, of a mob leader whose minions had put them out of their home, and then wantonly tossed his father like a dead branch into the waters. She had loved this uniformed murderer—his little Prue—perhaps borne him children, while he, Joel Rae, had been all too scrupulously true to her memory, fighting against even the pleasant look at a woman; fighting—only the One above could know with what desperate valor—against the warm-hearted girl with the gray eyes and the red lips, who laughed in her knowledge that she drew him—fighting her away for a sentimental figment, until she had married another.

Now when he might have let himself turn to her, his heart freed of the image of that yellow-haired girl so long cherished, this other was the wife of Elder Pixley—the fifth wife—and an unloving wife as he knew.

She had sought him before the marriage, and there had been some wholly frank and simple talk between them. It had ended by his advising her to marry Elder Pixley so that she might be saved into the Kingdom, and by her replying, with the old reckless laugh, a little dry and strained, and with the wonderful gray eyes full upon him,—"Oh, I'll marry him! Small difference to me what man of them I marry at all,—now!"

And while he, by a mighty effort, had held down his arms and let her turn away, the woman for whose memory he did it was the wife of an enemy, caring nothing for his fidelity, sure to feel not more than amused pity for him should she ever know of it. Surely, it had been a brave struggle—for nothing.

But again the saving thought came that he was being tried for a purpose, for some great work. And now it seemed that the time of it must be near. As to what it was there could be little question: it must be to free his people forever from Gentile aggression or interference. Everything pointed to that. He was to be entrusted with great powers, and be made a Lion of the Lord to lead them to their rightful glory.

CHAPTER XIII.

How the Saints Were Brought to Repentance.

He put his torch to the tinder of irreligion at the first Sunday meeting after his return. There were no premonitions, no warnings, no signs.

A few of the Elders had preceded him to rejoice at the escape of the last hand-cart party from death in the mountains; and Brigham, after giving the newcomers some practical hints about their shelter during the winter now upon them, had invited Elder Rae to address the congregation.

He arose and came uncertainly forward, apparently weak, able hardly to stand without leaning upon the desk in front of him; his face waxen and drawn, hollowed at the cheeks and temples, his long hands thin to transparency. Life was betrayed in him only by the eyes. These burned darkly, far back under his brows, and flashed fiercely, as his glance darted swiftly from side to side.

At first he spoke weakly and slowly, his opening words almost inaudible, so that the throng of people before him leaned forward in sympathetic intentness, and silence became absolute in the great hall except for the high quavering of his tones. But then came a miracle of reinvigoration. Little by little his voice swelled until it was full, sonorous, richly warm and compelling, the words pouring from him with a fluency that enchained. Little by little his leaning, drooping posture of weakness became one of towering strength, the head flung back, the gestures free and potent. Little by little his burning eyes seemed to send their flash and glow through all his body, so that he became a creature of life and fire.

They heard each word now, but still they leaned forward as when he spoke at first inaudibly—caught thrilled and breathless in his spell, even to the Elders, Priests, and Apostles sitting near him. Nor was his manner alone [illegible]. His words were new. He was calling them sinners and covenant-breakers, guilty of pride, covetousness, contention, lying, stealing, moral uncleanness—and launching upon them the curse of Israel's God unless they should repent.

Such was the opening gun in what became known as the "reformation." The conditions had been ripe for it, and in that very moment a fever of repentance spread through the 2,000 people who had cowered under his words. Alike with the people below, the leaders about him had been fired with his spirit, and when he sat down each of them arose in turn and echoed his words, denouncing the people for their sins and exhorting them to repentance.

After another hour of this excitement, priests and people became alike demoralized, and the meeting broke up in a confusion of terror.

As the doors of the tabernacle flew open, and the Saints pushed out of that stifling atmosphere of denunciation, a cry came to the lips of the dozen that first escaped:

"To the river—the waters of baptism!"

The words were being taken up by others until the cry had run back through the crowd to the leaders, still talking in excited groups about the pulpit. These comprehended when they heard it, and straightway a line of conscience-stricken Saints was headed toward the river:

There in the icy Jordan, on that chill December afternoon, when the snows lay thick on the ground, the leaders stood and buried the sinful ones anew in the cleansing waters. From the sinners themselves came cries of self-accusation; from the crowd on the banks came the strains of hymns to fortify them for the icy ordeal and the public confession.

He Put Out His Arms and Drew Her to Him.

There in the freezing current stood Joel Rae until long after the December sun had gone below the Oquirrh hills, performing his office of baptism, and reviving hope in those his words had smitten with fear.

His strength already depleted by the long march with the hand-cart party and by the exhausting strain of the day, he was early chilled by the water into which he plunged the repentant sinners. For the last hour that he stood in the stream, his whole body was numb; he had ceased to feel life in his feet, and his arms worked with a mechanical stiffness like the arms of some automaton over which his mind had control.

Not until night fell did the hymns cease and the crowd dwindle away. The air grew colder, and he began to feel pain again, the water cutting against his legs like a blade. Little groups were now hurrying off in the darkness, and the last Saint he had baptized was standing for the moment, chill and dripping, on the bank.

Seeing there was no one else to come, he staggered out of the stream where he had stood for three hours, finding his feet curiously clumsy and uncontrollable. Below him in the stream another Elder still waited to baptize a man and woman; but those who had been above him in the river were gone, and his own work was done.

He had been hearing footsteps behind him, creaking rapidly over the packed snow-path. He might have to ask for help to reach his home. Even as the steps came close, he felt himself swaying. He leaned over on the fence, but to his amazement that swayed, too, and threw him back. Then he felt himself falling toward the street; but the creaking steps ceased, now by his side, and he felt under him something soft but firm—something that did not sway as the fence had unaccountably done. With his balance thus regained, he discovered the thing that held him to be a woman's arm. A woman's face looked close into his, and then she spoke.

"You are so cold. I knew you would be. And I waited—I wanted to do for you—let me!"

At once there came back to him the vision of a white-faced woman in the crowd along the river bank, staring at him out of deep, gray eyes under heavy, black brows.

"Mara—Mara!"

"Yes, yes—you are so cold!"

"But you must not stand so close—see, I am wet—you will be chilled!"

"But you are already chilled; your clothes are freezing on you; and you were falling just now. Can you walk?"

"Yes—yes—my house is yonder."

"I know; it's far; it's beyond the square. You must come with me."

"But your house is still farther!"

She had started him now, with a firm grasp of his arm, walking beside him in the deep snow, and trying to keep him in the narrow path.

"No—I am staying here with Hubert Plimon's two babies, while the mother has gone to Provo where Hubert lies sick. See—the light there. Come with me—here's the gate—you shall be warmed."

Slowly and with many stumblings, leaning upon her strong arm, he made his way to the cabin door. She pushed it open before him and he felt the great warm breath of the room rush out upon him. Then he was inside, swaying again uncertainly upon his feet. In the hovering light that came from the fireplace he saw the bed in the far corner where the two small children were sleeping, saw Mara with her back to the door, facing him breathlessly, saw the heavy shadows all about; but he was conscious of hardly more than the vast heavenly warmth that rolled out from the fire and enfolded him and made him drunk.

Again he would have fallen, but she steadied him down on to a wide couch covered with buffalo robes, beside the big fireplace; and here he fell at once into a stupor. She drew out the couch so that it caught more of the heat, pulled off the water-soaked boots and the stiffened coat, wrapped him in a blanket which she warmed before the fire, and covered him still again with one of the buffalo robes.

She went then to bring food and to make a hot drink, which she strengthened with brandy poured from a little silver flask.

Presently she aroused him to drink the hot liquor, and then, after another blank of stupor, she aroused him again to eat. He could take but little of the food, but called for more of the drink, and felt the soul of it thrill along his frozen nerves until they awoke, sharpened, alert, and eager. He lay so, with closed eyes a little time, floating in an ecstasy that seemed to be half stupor and half of keenest sensibility. Then he opened his eyes. She was kneeling by the couch on which he lay. He felt her soft, quick breathing, and noted the unnatural shining of her eyes and lips where the firelight fell upon them. All at once he threw out his arms and drew her to him with such a shuddering rush of power that she cried aloud in quick alarm—but the cry was smothered under his kisses.

For ages the transport seemed to endure, the little world of his senses whirling madly through an illimitable space of sensuous light, his lips melting upon hers, his neck bending in the circle of pulsing warmth that her soft arms wove about it, his own arms crushing to his breast with frenzied fervor the whole yielding splendor of her womanhood. A moment so, then he fell back upon the couch, all his body quivering under the ecstasy from her parted lips, his triumphant senses rioting insolently through the gray, cold garden of his vows.

And then, as he lay so, there started with electric quickness, from some sudden coldness of recollection, the image of Prue. Sharp and vivid it shone from this chill of truth like a glittering star from the clean winter sky outside. Prue was before him with the tender blue of her eyes and the fleecy gold of her hair and her joy of a child—her little figure shrugging and nestling in his arms in happy faith—calling as she had called to him that morning—"Joel—Joel—Joel!"

He shivered in this flood of cold, relentless light, yet unflinchingly did he keep his face turned full upon the truth it revealed.

He sat up on the couch, looking about the little room curiously, as one recovering consciousness in strange surroundings. Then he began slowly to pull on the wet boots that she had placed near the fire.

When he stood up, put on his coat, and reached for his hat, she came to him, hesitating, timid.

"You are so cold! If you would only stay here—I am afraid you will be sick."

He answered very gently:

"It is better to go. I am strong again, now."

"I would—I would not be near you—and I am afraid for you to go out again in the cold."

He smiled a little. "Nothing can hurt me now—I am strong."

He opened the door, breathing his fill of the icy air that rushed in. He stepped outside, then turned to her. She stood in the doorway, the light from the room melting the darkness about them.

They looked long at each other. Then in a sudden impulse of gratitude, of generous feeling toward her, he put out his arm and drew her to him. She was cold, impassive. He bent over and lightly kissed her closed, unresponding lips. As he drew away, her hand caught his wrist for a second.

"I'm glad!" she said.

He tried to answer, but could only say, "Good night, Mara!"

Then he turned, drew the wide collar of his coat well up, and went down the narrow path through the snow. She stood, framed in the light of the doorway, leaning out to look after him until he was lost in the darkness.

As she stepped back and closed the door, a man, who had halted by a tree in front of the next house when the door first opened, walked on again.

It had been a great day, but, for one cause or another, it came near to being one of the last days of the man who had made it great.

Late the next afternoon, Joel Rae was found in his cabin by a messenger from Brigham. He had presumably lain there unattended since the night before, and now he was delirious and sick unto death; raving of the sins of the Saints, and of his great work of reformation. So tenderly sympathetic was his mind, said those who came to care for him, that in his delirium he ranked himself among the lowest of sinners in Zion, imploring them to take him out and bury him in the waters of baptism so that he might again be worthy to preach them the Word of God.

He was at once given every care, and for six weeks was not left alone night or day; the good mothers in Israel vying with each other in kindly offices for the sick Elder, and the men praying daily that he might not be taken so soon after his great work had begun.

The fifth wife of Elder Pixley came once to sit by his bedside, but when she heard him rave of some great sin that lay black upon his soul, beseeching forgiveness for it while the tears rained down his fevered face, she had professed that his suffering sickened her so she could not stay. Thereafter she had contented herself with inquiring at his door each day—until the day when they told her that the sickness was broken; that he was again rational and doubtless would soon be well. After that she went no more; which was not unnatural, for Elder Pixley was about to return from his three years' mission abroad, and there was much to do in the community-house in preparation for the master's coming.

But the long sickness of the young Elder did not in any manner stay the great movement he had inaugurated. From that first Sunday the reformation spread until it had reached every corner of the new Zion. The leaders took up the accusing cry,—the Elders, Bishops, High Priests, and Counselors. Missionaries were appointed for the outlying settlements, and meetings were held daily in every center, with a general renewing of covenants.

Brigham, who had warmly seconded Joel Rae's opening discourse, was now, not unnaturally, the leader of the reformation, and in his preaching to the Saints while Joel Rae lay sick he committed no faults of vagueness. For profane swearing he rebuked his people: "You Elders in Israel will go to the canyons for wood, get a little brush-whipped, and then curse and swear—damn and curse your oxen and swear by Him who created you. You rip and curse as bad as any pirates ever did!"

For the sin of cattle-stealing he denounced them. A fence high enough to keep out cattle-thieves, he told them, must be high enough to keep out the Devil.

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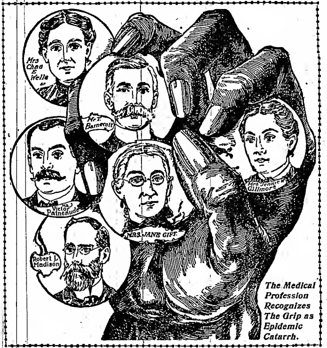
CAUGHT BY THE GRIP—RELEASED BY PE-RU-NA.



The Medical Profession Recognizes The Grip as Epidemic Catarrh.

EFFECTIVE MEDICINE FOR LA GRIPPE.

Robt. L. Madison, A. M., Principal of Cullowhee High School, Painter, N. C., writes: "Peruna is the most effective medicine that I have ever tried for la grippe. It also cured my wife of nasal catarrh. Her condition at one time was such that she could not at night breathe through her nostrils."

LA GRIPPE AND SYSTEMIC CATARRH.

Mrs. Jennie W. Gilmore, Box 44, White Oak, Ind. Ter., writes:

"Six years ago I had la grippe, followed by systemic catarrh. The only thing I used was Peruna and Manalin, and I have been in better health the last three years than for years before."

Mrs. Jane Gift, Athens, Ohio, writes: "Six years ago I had la grippe very bad. My husband bought me a bottle of Peruna. I was soon able to do my work."

SUFFERED TWELVE YEARS FROM AFTER EFFECTS OF LA GRIPPE.

Mr. Victor Patneaude, 328 Madison St., Topeka, Kan., writes:

"Twelve years ago I had a severe attack of la grippe and I never really recovered my health until two years ago. I began using Peruna and it built up my strength so that in a couple of months I was able to go to work again."

PNEUMONIA FOLLOWED LA GRIPPE.

Mr. T. Barnecott, West Aylmer, Ontario, Can., writes:

"Last winter I was ill with pneumonia after having la grippe. I took Peruna for two months, when I became quite well."

PE-RU-NA—A TONIC AFTER LA GRIPPE.

Mrs. Chas. E. Wells, Sr., Delaware, Ohio, writes: "After a severe attack of la grippe, I took Peruna and found it a very good tonic."

Wonder of Plant Memory.

Plant memory is a problem for the inquisitive botanist, says the Dundee Advertiser. In 1901 a plant allied to the squash and pumpkin was taken to New York from the desert of Sonora, in Mexico, and since then it has been kept—without watering—in a strange climate 3,600 miles from home. During the six weeks of rain in the desert the plant grows its leaves and flowers and perfects its seed. Then it dries up and leaves only a water-filled gourd, which a thick, hard shell seals against animals and evaporation. The transplanted specimen still remembers the rainy season of six weeks. It wakes, sends out rootlets, stems and leaves, and then dries up again until the following year.

Of Interest to Women.

Every woman naturally should be healthy and strong, but a great many women, unfortunately, are not, owing to the unnatural condition of the lives we lead. Headache, backache and a general tired condition are prevalent amongst the women of to-day, and to relieve these conditions women rush to the druggists for a bottle of some preparation supposed to be particularly for them, and containing—nobody knows what. If they would just get a box of Brandreth's Pills, and take them regularly every night for a time, all their trouble would disappear, as these pills regulate the organs of the feminine system. The same dose always has the same effect, no matter how long they are used.

Brandreth's pills have been in use for over a century, and are for sale everywhere, plain or sugar-coated.

Saved by a Song.

A boy was amusing himself by watching the birds that were flying around him. At length a beautiful bobolink perched on a rough bough of an apple tree near by.

The boy picked up a stone, and got ready to throw it at the bird. The bird's throat swelled, and forth came the song: "A-link, a-link, a-link, bobo-ling, bobolink, a-no-sweet, a-no-sweet, I know it, I know it, a-link, a-link; don't throw it, throw it, throw it!"

And the boy did not throw the stone, but dropped it on the ground.

"Why didn't you stone him, my boy? You might have killed him and carried him home."

The little fellow looked up and replied, "Couldn't 'cos he sang so."—Puck.

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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A Safety Clutch.

A father sent his son to a drug store the other day to buy some antiseptic tablets. He wrote as follows: "A small bottle of antiseptic tablets; no carbolic acid! no iodoform! possibly what the surgeons use when performing an operation to purify a bowl of water." The druggist wrote back: "Cannot sell what you want to a minor; the adult must call in person and sign the poison register."

Work and Pray.

When we pray for any virtue, we should cultivate the virtue as well as pray for it; the form of your prayer should be the rule of your life; every petition to God is a precept to man. Look not, therefore, upon your prayers as a method of good and salvation only, but as a perpetual motion of duty. By what we require of God we see what He requires of us.—Jeremy Taylor.

Some valuable farthings were sold at Sotheby's auction rooms (London) recently. A Charles II. pewter farthing sold for $50, and an Oliver Cromwell farthing in copper for $45.

STILL MORE PROOF

That Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Have Cured Even the Most Stubborn Cases of Rheumatism.

"When I was a boy of sixteen," says Mr. Otto H. Rose, a retired grocer, of 1226 Lexington Avenue, Indianapolis, Ind., "I met with a serious accident which injured the bone of my head over the right eye. I recovered from the accident to all appearances, but not many years after I began to have intense pains in the injured bone, which came on every year and would last from a few days to several weeks.

"I consulted the doctors who told me that I was suffering from neuralgia. The sight of my right eye was affected, so that at times I could scarcely see out of it, while both eyes watered constantly. During these attacks I was often dizzy from the terrible pains. The pains came on every morning and passed away in the afternoon. I never suffered from the pain at night.

"I tried without success to get relief until a friend told me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When I had taken a few boxes I felt the pain growing less intense and in a much shorter time than I had hoped for I was entirely cured. I have recommended the pills to several persons, who have used them with good results.

"My wife uses Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for nervous headaches and finds them the best medicine she has ever used as they give relief where all others fail."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or sent, postpaid on receipt of price, 60 cents per box, six boxes $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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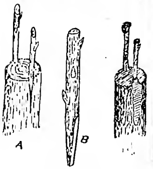
HORTICULTURE

PRUNING—TOP-GRAFTING.

How Poor Grade of Fruit Trees Can Be Greatly Improved.

Upon the style of pruning in the nursery row depends largely the future shape of the tree. The present tendency is to head apples low and to open up the center of the trees as much as possible. Low heading brings the fruit nearer the ground, making it much more convenient to spray and harvest, while the open center admits sunlight, which gives color to the fruit and assists in controlling diseases. To prune for this shape, start the head about two feet from the ground, allowing four or five branches to grow, and prune so as to throw them away from the center rather than toward it, by cutting out most of the shoots which lead toward the center. The main feature of nursery pruning is to select the right branches. No two should be left to grow which are directly opposite. They make a weak top and are always liable to split down. A good rule says: "Leave the branch that joins the trunk, as the thumb does the hand and never let one of two which join like the fingers."



Top Grafting.

Top grafting is used to convert large trees bearing worthless fruit into desirable trees, says Farmers' Voice. The process is simple, but, like root grafting, requires experience for complete success. To top graft a tree saw off limbs where they are one inch or a little more in diameter. Carefully split the stock with a strong knife by driving it with a mallet. Then drive a wedge in the center to keep the cleft open with scions of the desired variety, which have been previously prepared, are inserted (A), the wedge is then removed and the wound and ends of the scions covered with grafting wax to keep out the air (C).

Scions used in top grafting (B) are about two inches long, having one or more buds and made wedge shaped at the lower end. In inserting the scion care must be taken that its cambium layer coincides with that of the stock or no growth will result. Several limbs should be left ungrafted the first year to insure a healthy growth of the tree. They may be grafted the next year. In three years all the old fruit bearing wood may be removed, leaving only that of the desired variety, and if care is taken a shapely tree will result. This style of grafting is often resorted to to improve the shape of the trees. It is done in early spring before the buds start.

MULCHING THE ORCHARD.

A Task Which Will Reap the Reward In More Fruit.

Trees need food in order to do their best, for a tree is simply a big plant and so needs more food than thousands of little plants. A tree that will produce 40 bushels of apples during a good apple year, and say an average of 25 bushels every year, is certainly taking more from the soil than it can return. Yet so many farmers persist not only in giving such a tree no food but in cutting and hauling away all the material that grows near it. No wonder the tree ceases to yield remunerative crops.

Let him give such trees a mulch of stable manure during the winter months. Scatter it thickly and in a circle reaching somewhat beyond the limbs. If the orchard is to be cultivated, Orange Judd Farmer suggests that it be plowed under the next spring. If not, let it lie as a mulch. At any rate, do not attempt to grow another crop in a large orchard unless it is to be left on the ground. A few years' fertilizing, with pruning and spraying, will render the old orchards the most remunerative lot on the farm. If the orchard is young and the ground rich the mulch would better be of straw or coarse manure, and applied more for protection and to hold moisture than for fertilizer.

Purple Raspberries.

Purple raspberries are intermediate in character between red raspberries and black raspberries. They are supposed to be hybrids between these two species. They show all gradations in habit between the two parent types, some being propagated by suckers, others by tips, and still others by either tips or suckers. The color of the fruit is usually a light or dark purple. Of the varieties described, says Farm Journal, only two, Columbian and Shaffer, at the present time appear to have any commercial value.

ONE DAY BEHIND SCHEDULE.

Boston Business Man Wanted to Take Time to Catch Up.

Several years ago, when the University of Chicago held its decennial celebration, John D. Rockefeller was its guest for several days. A bewildering succession of functions followed one another in such quick succession that each affair was from one to four hours late.

At the great banquet on the closing day, Mr. Rockefeller, in his after-dinner speech, told the following story:

"I have felt for the past 24 hours like the Boston business man who lived in the suburbs and came in to his office every day. One winter afternoon he took the train for his home, but a terrific snowstorm was raging, and about half way to his suburb the train was snowed in. All night the passengers were imprisoned, but early in the morning they managed to reach a near-by telegraph station, and the Boston man sent the following dispatch to his office:

"'Will not be in the office to-day. Have not got home yesterday yet.'"—Montreal Herald.

MIX THIS AT HOME.

Valuable Prescription Which Anyone Can Easily Prepare.

The following simple home-made mixture is said to readily relieve and overcome any form of Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter from the blood and system all the uric acid and poisonous waste matter, relieving at once such symptoms as backache, weak kidneys and bladder and blood diseases.

Try it, as it doesn't cost much to make, and is said to be absolutely harmless to the stomach.

Get the following harmless ingredients from any good pharmacy: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and again at bedtime.

This simple mixture is said to give prompt relief, and there are very few cases of Rheumatism and Kidney troubles it will fail to cure permanently.

These are all harmless, every-day drugs, and your druggist should keep them in the prescription department; if not, have him order them from the wholesale drug houses for you, rather than fail to use this, if you are afflicted.

A Precious Heritage.

Sweetness of temper is a precious heritage. It gives beauty to everything. It keeps its windows open towards the spice country, and fills the home with perpetual delight. The fortunate possessor of a sunny soul is God's evangel in a dark world. He is a living Gospel, which no one will ever repudiate, and the blessedness of which all men will appreciate. The body will grow old and the smooth brow will be furrowed, but a happy disposition is an aureole to the grey crown of age. Blessed is he whose life looks out upon the land of Beulah, and whose soul is responsive to the outlying vision."—Exchange.

Strenuous Treatment.

"Grandpa had the lumbago the other day."

"Indeed! What did they do for him!"

"Oh, they used the old-fashioned remedies. They soaked his feet in a tub and put ten home-made plasters and poultices on him. Then they dosed him with herb teas until he was red as a beet. After the lumbago was gone they put him in bed and sent for the doctor."

"Gracious, what did they need the doctor for?"

"Why, to cure him of the effects of the old-fashioned remedies."

Patriotic Colors.

"How is the baby, Mrs. A.?"

"Oh, I am dreadfully worried about him. You see, that careless nurse left him too near the steam radiator and he actually turned red."

"Gracious!"

"Then we rushed him out in the cool air and he turned white."

"You don't mean it?"

"Yes, and when we gave him his bath he turned blue."

"Oh, I wouldn't worry over him. He is just a genuine American baby. Hurrah for the 'Red, White and Blue.'"

GUIDES CHILDREN.

Experience and a Mother's Love Make Advice Valuable.

An Ills. mother writes about feeding children:

"If mothers would use Grape-Nuts more for their little ones, there would be less need for medicines and fewer doctor bills.

"If those suffering from indigestion and stomach troubles would live on Grape-Nuts, toast and good milk for a short period they would experience more than they otherwise would believe.

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REDUCE THE NUMBER.

In speaking of reapportionment the Minneapolis Journal says: "Reapportionment talk is in the air since the selection of the house committee, which was chosen by the district delegations. There is a strong hostile sentiment toward a reapportionment that will cut the senators out of two years' service, but it seems to be taken for granted that some kind of a reapportionment scheme will be worked through the house, and put up to the senators for action.

All the northern Minnesota members want reapportionment, and they are beginning to figure the thing out. Several members are already busy with copies of the last census report, paper and pencils.

There is already a strong talk of reducing the membership in both houses. Up to this time every reapportionment has been an increase, leaving the southern counties about the same old membership, and increasing the representation of the north. A limit has been reached, and no one proposes any further increase. Both houses are large enough, and it is a question whether they are not too large. The average state senate is not over fifty. Both chambers are filled now with members' desks, but that is the smallest consideration. Every additional member is a great added expense to the state directly and indirectly.

So there are just two courses left open for a reapportionment bill, the readjustment of districts on the basis of the present membership, or a reduction in membership. In either case the southern districts would suffer, and naturally they are opposed to reapportionment, tho some of the southern members are ready to vote for it as a matter of justice. But if there is a reduction in membership, the northern districts will not gain to any extent, and the bill will merely cut off membership from the south. The friends of reapportionment are beginning to think there is a better chance for that sort of a bill than for one that takes members from the south and gives them to the north. The southern part of the state will be less inclined to fight the change if the north does not gain membership.

A scheme creating about fifty senatorial districts is likely to be worked out, with provision for a hundred house members. This would cut off thirteen senators and nineteen representatives, by consolidating districts in the southern part of the state.

Sam Fullerton is to remain with the state game and fish commisssion as superintendent of fisheries. Sam will now take particular delight in looking for poachers among his enemies.

The Great Northern has ordered for this year's delivery 150 locomotives; 4000 large capacity cars and 1000 of 400,000 capacity coal and ore cars. The Northern Pacific has ordered for this year's delivery 165 locomotives and 6,600 freight cars.

Here is a minister who appreciates the editor. At a recent editoral convention he offered the following tosst: "To save an editor from starvation, take his paper and pay for it promptly. To save him from bankruptcy, advertise in his liberally. To save him from dispair, send him every item of news of which you can get hold. To save him from profanity write your correspondence plainly on one side of the sheet and send it in as early as possible. To save him from mistakes, bury him. Dead people are the only ones who never make mistakes."

Prof. J. L. Haecker, of the Minnesota College of Agriculture and Experiment Station is quoted in an exchange as follows: "The dairy industry in the northwest is still in its infancy and we confidently look for even more rapid growth in the future than it has made in the past. The time is not distant when Minnesota alone will derive an annual income from this one industry of $30,000,000. We will not only invade the eastern but foreign market. We can produce better and cheaper butter than Denmark or any other country, for they all must look to America and especially to the northwest, for their food stuffs, and when ever we can convince the western grain grower that it is to his advantage to convert his surplus feed into feed into butter, ship the more concentrated product, realize the greater income and at the same time improve the fertility of his farm the change will surely be made."

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Petit Jurors.

Following is the list of petit jurors drawn for the March term of district court in Red Lake county:

Ole O. Lee, Equality.
Franz Raid, Lambert.
J. F. Mathews, Louisville.
Louis Lonson, Thief River Falls city.
Joseph Normandin, Red Lake Falls city.
Leon Schultz, Polk Center.
Matt Erickson, Highlanding.
George Weiss, Black River.
O. L. Larson, Sanders.
J. L. Higgius, Thief River Falls city.
John Larson, Equality.
N. E. Beebe, Rocksbury.
Magnus Vinberg, Numedal.
Joseph Perrault, Red Lake Falls city.
C. L. Hansen, St. Hilaire.
Paul Cyr, Red Lake Falls city.
Christ Larson, Smiley.
John Wahlback, Black River.
Fred Leslie, Kratka.
John Larson, Garnes.
Anton Sundahl, Thief River Falls city.
Ole Omoth, Wyandotte.
Lars Lee, Norden.
L. J. Parbst, Norden.

Willie wailed and Winnie wheezed, while wintry winds whined weirdly. Willie wriggled while Winnie wheezed wretchedly. Wisdom whispers, winter winds work wheezes. Wherefore we write, "Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup." Nothing else so good. Sold by all druggists.

Bray.

Christian Johnson of Minneapolis, arrived here for a visit with his brother, Iver Johnson.

Messrs Albert and Arthur Anderson drove to Euclid Friday.

C. P. Johnson and Iver Johnson transacted business at St. Hilaire Wednesday.

The last debate of the season was held as usual in the school house Friday evening. The subject, "Resolved that the Indians have suffered more in America than the Negro," was ably handled on both sides. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative.

Emil Eckstrom of Black River was in Bray Friday.

Messrs A. O. and E. J. Akerlund marketed grain in Wylie Friday.

Among the Brayites who were in St. Hilaire Saturday were Chas. Englund, C. P. Swanson and Iverson.

Chas. Lindquist made a trip to St. Hilaire Friday.

Christ Person transacted business at Wylie Friday.

Emil Larson has been wearing a happy smile on his face during the last week. The cause of it is is the arrival of a baby boy in his family. All concerned are doing well.

A liquid cold relief with a laxative principle which drives out the cold through a copious action of the bowels, and a healing principle which lingers in the throat and stops the coughs—that is Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Safe and sure in its action; pleasant to take; and conforms to National Pure Food and Drug law. Contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.

ORDER FOR CREDITORS TO PRESENT CLAIMS WITHIN THREE MONTHS.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss
In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Margaretta Walter, Deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Margaretta Walter deceased, late of the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, being granted to Phillip Walter

It appearing on proper proof by affidavit of Philip Walter made and filed herein, as provided by law, that there are are no debts against the estate of said Margaretta Walter deceased.

It is ordered, that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date on this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased, if any there be, are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said county, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further Ordered, That Monday, the twentieth (20th) day of May 1907, at ten o'clock a. m., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And It Is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Fall, Minnesota, the 18th day of February A. D. 1907.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge of Probate.
[Seal]
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Badger

Miss Anne Quesnell returned home last Saturday after a pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Lich Pitack and Mentor. She was accompanied home by a number of friends from that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Brule of Gentilly, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ovila Robillard over Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Adelard Laurent spent a few days with relatives at Terrebonne this week.

Mr. Joseph Ducharme who has been confined to his house for the past four months, drove out to the M. Quesnell and D. Champeau homes last week. Mr. Ducharme reports himself as feeling good and hopes that the warm days of spring will make a new man of him.

A. Laurent made a flying trip to Red Lake Falls, Monday.

Who got valentines? All of us?

M. Quesnell and wife, accompanied by F. LaBissoniere, spent Sunday evening at the O. Robillard home. Mr. and Mrs. W. Montreuil also spent the evening at that place.

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The Local Field---

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Horace Corbeil was in from Brooks today.

W. A. Schreiter was a business caller at Thief River Falls yesterday.

Frank Compton, a prominent Equality farmer, spent yesterday in the city on business.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Mrs. Matt Maher, of Crookston, spent a couple of days here this week visiting with her sisters.

Ed. Enright went over to Grand Forks last evening for a several days' business and pleasure sojourn.

Miss Mary Keifenheim returned home yesterday from a visit with her friend, Mrs. Matt Maher, at Crookston.

Ira C. Richardson and son, Glen, were over-night visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Karl M. Hansen Friday night.

Miss Delina Lussier returned to her home at Brooks last Friday, after having spent three months in Red Lake Falls sewing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kankel went down to Fertile Monday evening and spent the night with Mr. Kankel's parents who reside there.

Oliver Caron, came over from Crookston yesterday to spend the day here looking after business matters and visiting with his many friends.

N. K. Moen, formerly in the mercantile business at Garnes, spent Saturday renewing old acquaintances in this city. Mr. Moen is now living at McIntosh.

Mrs. H. E. Ives spent Monday night at the home of her parents here, while Harry transacted business at Crookston. Harry stopped over Tuesday and spent the day here.

Mrs. O. T. Tandberg came down from Thief River Falls Saturday evening and spent Sunday with her husband here. Mr. Tandberg will move his family here within the next few weeks.

Martin Fredrickson, of Pekin, North Dakota, spent Monday in the city visiting with his old-time friend, C. E. Peterson. Mr. Fredrikson was on his way to Thief River Falls to spend a week with friends.

Saturday was one of the finest February days that any country ever enjoyed, and the warm sunshine of that day made the big snow banks look decidedly sick. In fact the weather of the past ten days has been exceptionally fine for this season of the year, and there are many that are advancing the theory that spring is with us. That the spring break-up should come this early in the Red River valley would be indeed surprising, but the present tendency seems to be one of continued surprises, and any old thing may be accepted without a question now-a-days. The people of this part of the state would surely welcome spring should it decide to abide with us from now on.

'Phone 7—Groceries—SPILLANES.

County Attorney Germo was a professional caller at Crookston Monday evening.

Gene Bray was over from Crookston and spent Friday with his many friends here.

The Big Store advertises a "ribbon sale" in their advertising space in today's Gazette.

The famous Elks' Quartette will be a feature of tomorrow's band concert. Town out and hear them.

The delinquent tax list for Red Lake county is published in supplement form in today's Gazette.

Mrs. P. E. Pirath went up to St. Hilaire yesterday for a several days visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Ives.

Mrs. Ed. Bray and Mrs. Oliver Belair went to St. Hilaire Tuesday to spend the day with their sister, Mrs. Nap Miller.

Dr. Spofford will miss his visits for March and April, to Red Lake Falls. Next visit May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Roy died yesterday after a brief illness. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church this morning.

George Dixon, connected with the postoffice department, has spent several days in the city. Mr. Dixon formerly lived here and is well known to many of our people.

Tomorrow (Friday) is the anniversary of the birth of George Washington, and in commemoration thereof the banks, postoffice, stores and other business places will be closed.

The Metropolitan opera house should be filled to over-flowing tomorrow evening—as the band concert and singing by the Elks Quartette will be the best heard here in long years.

Ole N. Skomedahl came in from Garnes Monday evening, and spent the night here. Tuesday morning he went to Thief River Falls, where he had some business matters to look after.

County Treasurer Tandberg reports that the personal tax collections are coming in rapidly and the treasurer is kept very busy as a result. Friday of next week is the last day for the payment of the personal property taxes before the penalty attach.

The Crookston lodge of Elks entertained at a social session at their hall in that city last evening, and a large number of Elks and guests from over the entire valley turned out. A large number of prominent Elks from different parts of the state were present at the function, and the session was a highly enjoyable one to all who attended. Elk Tracey, of this city, piloted a party of local guests down last evening and watched them carefully to keep them from being "hooked." Those who accompanied Mr. Tracey were J. J. Padden, H. H. Zaiser, Geo. F. Hennings, P. F. Pouliot, and H. W. Anderson. They returned this morning and reported a delightful time.

.. NEW ..

Spring Fabrics

Our winter stock is gradually disappearing and its place is being taken to display the many new and attractive fabrics in dress goods which are now arriving. The fabrics for the coming season are demanding considerable attention, for never before have we shown weaves and patterns so bewitchingly beautiful. You will find a decided advantage in making your selections early, for it will not only give you the entire line of dainty creations to select from, but will give you ample time to prepare them for Easter which comes unusually early this year ....

SPRING SUITINGS

PANAMA AND MOHAIR SUITINGS In the new tan and light brown shade, also red, green and grey from 60c a yard to **75c**

HIGHER CLASS SUITINGS, in the new tan, checks and mixtures, suitable for street and party wear, pr yd $1 to **$1.50**

GINGHAMS

We have an extra fine assortment of LANCASTER and ZEPHYR GINGHAMS at 10c, 12½ and.............**15c**

A special discount of 25 per cent on all Skirts and Cloaks for one week.

Suesine Silk--the New Fabric

has just reached us, ask to see it.

THE BUSY STORE

Garceau & Zaiser

See Salley for your coal supply.

Orhan Hamry was a business caller at St. Hilaire Saturday.

Sheriff Nelson visited with Thief River Falls friends Saturday.

Edison phonographs for sale from $10 up.—Anderson & Wander.

Jack Pahlen was in from Plummer and spent Sunday with his many friends here.

Ed L. Healy spent Tuesday at Crookston, looking after some business matters.

Carl Krueger expects to leave Saturday for Antlers, North Dakota, after a two weeks' sojourn here.

Services will be held in the Norwegian Lutheran church tomorrow evening at 7:30, the Rev. I. T. Aastad presiding.

Attorney A. A. Miller, of Crookston was a visitor here last Friday, looking after some business before the probate court.

Mrs. Fred Morin left Monday evening for her home at Crookston, after a pleasant visit with her relatives and many friends here.

Rev. Father Ambrose went to St. Hilaire Saturday morning and held services in the Catholic church at that place Sunday. No services were held at St. Mary's on Sunday.

G. A. Kankel tells the Gazette readers about his "Monarch" malleable steel ranges in his advertising space in today's paper. The "Monarch" is one of the best ranges made, and Mr. Kankel invites the public's inspection of his line.

Dan Linnihan returned home last Thursday morning from a three weeks' visit with his parents and old time friends at Waseca, and other points in that part of the state. Dan enjoyed a pleasant trip, but was glad to get back home once more.

E. S. Ellsworth, of the firm of Ellsworth & Jones, Iowa Falls, Iowa, died there last week after a brief illness. This firm owned lots of landsand done a big farm loan business throughout this part of the state, and Mr. Ellsworth was quite well known to many of our people.

Henry Bray was over from Crookston and spent Friday with his parents and many friends here. Henry left Sunday night for Calgary, Canada, where he has accepted a situation in a barber shop. He is a first-class young man and will without doubt make a success in Calgary.

Spectator: 4,500 pounds of cream was received yesterday at the St. Hilaire creamery. This is the largest amount of cream ever received here in one day in the winter season and shows conclusively that there will be a decided increase in the output the coming year. This will make over 1,500 pounds of butter which will sell for nearly five hundred dollars. Pretty good for one day is it not?

Leo Spillane, of this city, has purchased the Calloway Boomer, a lively newspaper published at Calloway, Becker county, and assumed management last week. Leo is a good boy and has had sufficient newspaper training to make a success of the venture. His many friends here will hope that he may succeed far beyond his most modest expectations.

J. C. Mathews and other veterans of the civil war in this neighborhood who are past the age of 60 years, have received notice of an increase in pension, and hereafter Mr. Mathews will receive $12 per month for honorable service rendered the government in the days of need. The increase is well placed, as there are none as deserving of consideration as the "boys of the old brigade."

Ole O. Vattendahl, a prominent Highlanding farmer, spent Sunday and Monday in this city. Mr. Vattendahl was interviewing the people here regarding the sale of shares in the Red Lake River Transportation company. This company was organized by a number of Higlanding farmers for the purpose of building a boat for freight and passenger traffic on the Red Lake river. They are now selling shares in the company, and expect to commence work early in the spring to get the boat in operation as soon as possible. Mr. Vattendahl was quite successful here, and disposed of a large number of shares.

Mrs. S. M. Sivertson and Mrs. E. F. Marshall went over to Grand Forks last evening to witness the production of "Madam Butterfly" which was presented them by the Savage English company. This production has been all the rage throughout the eastern cities during the present season, and the Savage company presents it in a highly creditable manner. Later: It seems that their good intentions to attend this production failed to carry out, as on arriving at Crookston they found that the Duluth train was something over an hour late, and they remained at Crookston instead of going on to the Forks. Naturally they were decidedly angry this morning when they were informed that the operatic performance at the Forks had been held until after the arrival of the Duluth train. They didn't really swear—but The Gazette will bet a nickle that they felt like it.

Salley sells coal. Phone 79.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Sheriff Nelson was a professional caller at Plummer Tuesday.

Don't fail to make early seat reservations for tomorrow nights' band concert.

Frank E. Hunt is expected home next week from his two months' sojourn in the east.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular monthly meeting at their hall on Friday evening.

Edison phonographs with fancy decorated concert horns, from $15 to $35.—Anderson & Wander.

Theo. W. Zaiser went down to Crookston last evening on a brief business and pleasure mission.

Ex-county Commissioner Louis Falardeau, of Lambert, was calling on his many Red Lake Falls friends Tuesday.

Dr J. E. Argue will go down to St. Paul the first of next week, where he will attend a meeting of the state dental society.

For Sale—A "Jewett" Typewriter, just as good as new, which we will sell at a bargain. First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

C. L. Hansen, the popular St. Hilaire banker, came down last evening to attend to some business matters, and for a brief visit with friends.

Joseph Brohman, one of Lambert's foremost farmers, spent Tuesday in the city on business. Mr. Brohman is thinking of selling his farm and moving to Red Lake Falls to make his home.

Chas. Boughton, jr., has been quite sick for the past few days. It was feared that he was coming down with an attack of typhoid fever, but hopes are now entertained that the disease will be broken up.

The Commercial Club held an adjourned regular meeting at the city hall Thursday evening last, and a fair per cent. of the members turned out. Considerable important business was discussed, and the meeting was an enthusiastic one. Following the meeting the board of directors held an executive session, and took up a couple of matters pertaining to the city's welfare.

Plummer Pioneer: A. Alrick made a trip to Red Lake Falls on Thursday to bring out J. E. Buskirk. Mr. Buskirk will have charge of the lumber yard here for a while taking the place of Mr. Alrick who takes possession of the Granum store, stock and business on Monday....Ralph Green was in from Equality on Saturday last to attend the meeting of the Woodmen that night. He says that his new boy will be old enough to vote on the removal of the county seat before it happens.

Nothing will relieve Indigestion that is not a thorough digestant. Kodol digests what you eat and allows the stomach to rest—recuperate—grow strong again. KODOL is a solution of digestive acids and as nearly as possible approximates the digestive juices that are found in the stomach. KODOL takes the work of digestion off the digestive organs, and while performing this work itself does greatly assist the stomach to a thorough rest. In addition the ingredients of KODOL are such as to make it a corrective of the highest efficiency and by its action the stomach is restored to its normal activity and power. KODOL is manufactured in strict conformity with the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by all druggists.

There's the man who builds the railroads, and the man who builds the tanks; the man who builds a pipe line, to fill a system's tanks. There's the man who build's the breweries, and the man who build's a town; the man who build's a skyscraper, warranted not to tumble down. There's a man who build's up Broadway and the elevated lines; the builder of our mammoth trusts; the builder of combines. The man who builds the whalebacks, that ply our lakes and streams; the builder of our autos and our ocean submarines. There's the man who builds his business up by using printer's ink; and the builder of the theory that the ape's the missing link. But the greatest of all builders is the one you chance to know; who [illegible]ds the kitchen fire when it's thirty-five below.—Ex.

Ribbon Sale

100 pieces of mostly all silk ribbon from 2 to 5 inches wide, all colors plain and fancy, per yard, only........**10c**
These goods are easily worth 15 to 20c yd.

Embroidery Sale

20 pieces of Embroidery and Insertions to match, 1 to 3 inches wide, fine quality, pretty work, yard at **5c**

25 pieces Embroidery and Insertion worth from 15 to 30c yard. Some of this was purchased at a bargain and some of it is our last season's stock, all broken pieces up to 30c yd were put in this assortment. Per yd, all for....................**9c**
The early buyers will get the cream.

500 pieces of Prints and Percales

just in: Calico is only calico, but there is a whole lot of difference in calicos just the same. Ours is the fast color kind. Then you want to see the pretty patterns we have. See the biggest stock we ever exhibited.

Remember we reign supreme in

Dress Goods, Wash Goods and Laces and Embroideries.

Groceries

Labrador herring 7c, special herring 10c, 5 lb Monarch preserves, cherries, strawberries, etc., $1.00 jar, 8 bars good soap 25c, lute fisk 6c. 10 lb macaroni 70c, salmon trout 9c, finest maple syrup $1.35 gal, 100 bars soap $2.75, 25 lbs prunes $1.50, 1 box Barona soda crackers, $1.25.

It Pays to Trade at

THE BIG STORE

Red Lake Falls

Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

NOTICE.

All knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned by book account or otherwise, will confer a great favor by settling same at the earliest moment possible. —J. R. & R. Fortier.

Accounts can be seen at V. M. Higinbotham's office.

Do You Want to Sell?

Just a word to say that the Ed L. Healy Land Co., is getting into shape to do a larger business than ever before, and as we want to get out our new lists, we would be glad to have any of you who want to sell call in our office and list your farm with us.

It will be necessary for me to be away from the office part of the time this summer, but Harry, my son, who has identified himself with the company will be here, so your wants will be attended to. —Ed L. Healy.

Two Well-Improved Farms for Rent

The south half of sec. 21 and northwest quarter of sec. 28 in town of Black River. 175 acres timothy, good buildings.

The south half of section 33 in town of Terrebonne, 70 acres timothy, good buildings. Address

—Cruzen & Tysseling,
Wylie, Minn.

How Are Your Kidneys?
Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Too much publicity spoils a good deed.

Signing your name to a friend's note is a bad sign.

When riches come in at the window friends flock to the door.

He who has no faith in himself is destined to become a successful failure.

The brave and fearless man manages to get there early and thus avoids the rush.

A wise man doesn't attempt to pull himself out of trouble with a corkscrew.

If a man is unable to stand prosperity he should sit down and give his wife a chance.

The suspicious man keeps one eye on his neighbor, but the wise man keeps both eyes on himself.

Unless a man is willing to take chances he never takes anything else that happens to be lying around loose. —Chicago News.

Church Pillars.

The joke of the vicar of Withycombe, Devon, at the Easter vestry as to his laggard churchwarden being not a "pillar" but a "buttress" of the church because he supported it outside reminds one, says a correspondent, of another joke of the same kind delivered from a London pulpit by the Rev. John McNeill. John was minister of the "Scotch church," Regent square, at the time and in his own homely way was driving his points home with telling effect. He suddenly paused, after exhorting his congregation to be workers, and then, with a twinkle in his eye, said, "You know, I always think of church members being divided into two classes—pillars and caterpillars."—London Chronicle.

Pitcher's Castoria.

Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges . . .

We have just received several of the latest constructed Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges, in which are contained all the features which has made the steel range famous and the latest improvements that are known to the range manufacturers' art, which makes this range the "Monarch" of them all. These ranges are now on exhibition at our store, and we would be pleased to have every housewife in this vicinity call and look them over. The price of the Monarch Malleable Steel Range" is cheaper accordingly than other so called "steel ranges."

New Hardware Store **G. A. KANKEL** Red Lake Falls, Minn.

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RED LAKE FALLS. . MINN.

SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

RESUME OF THAW TRIAL.

Stanford White, not satisfied with the wrongs he had heaped upon Evelyn Nesbit when she was a girl of 16, tried to win her away from Harry Thaw after her return from Europe, and even pursued her after her marriage, according to the testimony of the young wife of Harry K. Thaw at his trial. She also related an alleged plot of White and Attorney Hummel to blacken the character of Thaw.

Answering a hypothetical question covering every detail of the testimony up to this time in the Thaw trial, including Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's narration of her life history to the defendant, Dr. Charles G. Wagner, superintendent of the state hospital for the insane at Binghamton, N. Y., declared on the witness stand that, in his opinion, Harry K. Thaw did not know that the act was wrong when he shot and killed Stanford White. Mr. Jerome blocked the continuation of Mrs. Thaw's story, but the "Cafe Martin note" was introduced in evidence.

District Attorney Jerome accused Thaw's counsel, Mr. Delmas, of trying to mislead the jury by false statements and Mr. Delmas entered in the record a protest against Mr. Jerome's "misconduct." Dr. B. D. Evans, alienist, testified that he believed Thaw was suffering from "brain storm" when he killed White.

The wife of one of the Thaw case jurors was seized with pneumonia and there were fears that a mistrial might result. Dr. B. D. Evans concluded his testimony, telling of a peculiar depression on Thaw's head and of his strange pulse action.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The senate passed the army appropriation bill carrying $81,600,000. The amendment which permitted the government to accept reduced rates on army supplies and permitted officers and enlisted men to accept reduced transportation, was defeated.

The president sent to the senate the new treaty with the Republic of Santo Domingo. The agreement is confined entirely to the matter of the collection of revenues.

President Roosevelt, through Secretary Root, proposed to Speaker Cannon and to the chairmen of the senate and house committees on immigration, and other Republican leaders in congress, that a clause be inserted in the immigration bill now pending in congress which will bar Japanese coolie labor from the United States. Mayor Schmitz' delegation favors such a provision.

If the amendment to the immigration bill, proposed by Secretary Root, excluding foreigners who use their passports to secure admission to the United States "to the detriment of labor conditions in this country" is accepted by the senate and house and the immigration bill is passed at this session of congress, the San Francisco board of education will rescind its order establishing the oriental schools unless the Japanese government agrees to a proposition for separate schools which will provide equal facilities for the Japanese children.

The senate passed the bill giving the government the right to appeal to the supreme court for a construction of the constitutionality of any law involved in a criminal suit.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Joy line steamer Larchmont, bound from Providence to New York with about 150 passengers and a crew of 50, was run into and sunk off Block Island, and all but 19 of those aboard perished. The survivors were nearly dead from exposure to the extreme cold. Many of the passengers froze to death in the small boats and one man committed suicide.

The known dead in the steamer Larchmont disaster are 138. Fishermen found many more ice-encased bodies. The living and dead were taken to Providence. Only one survivor, a lad, accused the captain and crew of cowardice.

The Platte river is flooded and part of the city of Fremont, Neb., is under water.

Hugh McMillan, brother of the late Senator McMillan of Michigan, is dead in Detroit.

Lyndhurst, the country home of John Wanamaker, at Jenkintown, near Philadelphia, was completely destroyed by fire, the loss approximating $1,500,000.

Burglars stole the valuable Byron Reed collection of coins from the Omaha public library building.

The schooner M. V. B. Chase, thought to have been lost on Diamond shoals, was reported at Wilmington, N. C., as anchored 15 miles west of Cape Fear Bar.

Negotiable securities of a value of $150,000 are missing from the vaults of the Savings Bank of New Britain, Conn., of which institution the treasurer, William F. Walker, mysteriously dropped out of sight in New York.

More than half a million dollars' worth of securities were taken from the vaults of the Savings bank of New Britain, Conn., by the missing treasurer, William F. Walker, according to a statement issued by the board of directors.

At the wedding of Carl Gifford and Lena Pence, at Russiaville, Ind., a charivari party exploded 32 pounds of dynamite near the house. The building was damaged and several guests fainted.

Fire in Cramp's shipyards at Philadelphia destroyed the patterns of a number of battleships, and several firemen were injured.

The body of Willard D. Berr of Lawrence county, Ill., an orchardist whose mind became unbalanced when his wife deserted him a month ago, was found on the banks of the Wabash river after a search of three weeks.

Prof. John A. Brashear of the Allegheny observatory announced a discovery of one of the greatest sun spots ever called to the attention of astronomers.

Pulajanes attacked and burned two towns in Occidental Negros, P. I., and killed six of the constabulary. Two American teachers, W. K. Batchelder and Walter J. Ise, are reported to be missing.

The federal grand jury at Cleveland, O., returned indictments against eight contracting companies and firms on the charge of violating the eight-hour labor law in connection with government work.

Fire at Crary, N. D., destroyed seven business houses, among them Boc's opera house, and several residences, causing a loss of $50,000.

Edna May, the America actress, is engaged to marry Oscar Lewisohn, son of Adolph Lewisohn, of New York.

Nine blocks of residences occupied by employes of the Cotton Belt shops, several storehouses, the Third Avenue hotel and the Riverside Methodist church at Pine Bluff, Ark., were destroyed by fire.

Three persons were killed and several others injured by an explosion of gas in Los Angeles.

Two men were killed and others injured when a locomotive boiler blew up on the Ontario & Western road at Luzon, N. Y.

Rodolphe Julian, the noted art teacher, is dead in Paris. He was 66 years old.

The St. Albert hotel, one of the oldest in Charleston, W. Va., was ruined by fire. The loss will be $60,000. J. H. Crouse, of Baltimore, a traveling salesman, leaped from a window and was fatally injured.

Judge William B. Teasdale, of the circuit court, died at his home in Kansas City, Mo., of cancer, aged 51 years.

The safe in the Citizens' bank at Yeddo, Ind., was blown open by five men and $1,200 was secured.

Policemen James Wright and James Barrett, of Middlesboro, Ky., shot and killed each other in a raid on an alleged gambling resort.

The Western Union Telegraph company announced an increase of ten per cent. in the wages of its operators at the principal offices.

An epidemic of meningitis has appeared among the cattle of Morgan county, Illinois.

Frank E. Grimes, ex-state treasurer of Kansas, who recently voluntarily paid the state $9,000 to covered an alleged shortage found under his administration, stopped a movement to have the legislature reimburse him.

Frank Wayland Higgins, former governor of New York, died at his home in Olean, N. Y.

M. Pobiednostseff, former procurator general of the holy synod, is seriously ill of influenza.

An official bank messenger, while on his way to a Moscow bank, was beset by ten armed men and robbed of $25,000.

The new battleship Vermont, built by the Fore River Shipbuilding company, was formally turned over to the government at the Charlestown navy yard.

President Stickney told a Minnesota legislative committee that he sold watered stock of the Chicago Great Western and intended to sell a lot more.

Warren Beckwith was granted a divorce at Mount Pleasant, Ia., from Jessie Lincoln Beckwith, a daughter of Robert T. Lincoln and a granddaughter of Abraham Lincoln.

The breaking of an ice gorge in the Loup river near Columbus, Neb., caused a flood in which a family of four drowned.

The last will of Count John A. Creighton of Omaha is missing.

A severe earthquake shock was felt at Alhama, province of Murcia, Spain.

The Kansas senate passed a pure food law already approved by tha house.

One man was killed and 40 persons had perilous escapes in a fire in tha financial district of Philadelphia. Several were injured.

Charles Tait, mayor of Kingston, Jamaica, died at the public hospital as a result of injuries sustained at the time of the earthquake.

Three men who blew open the safe in the post office at Erie, Kan., and escaped with $100 in stamps and money were captured at Thayer, Kan.

Grover Lockwood shot and killed Joseph Snyder and his wife Elizabeth in Buffalo, N. Y., and then killed himself.

American exports of iron and steel manufactures for 1906 aggregated $172,500,000, an increase of $30,000,000 over 1905.

Rejection of a proposal to reduce war expenditure caused the resignation of the Dutch cabinet.

Overseer Voliva, faced by a revolt in Pacific coast towns, dropped his project for a new Zion City in the northwest.

Col. John Kinnane, head of the dry goods house of Kinnane Bros. of Springfield, O., died in that city after a week's illness. He was 53 years old.

Standard Oil officials at New York announce a raise of one cent a gallon for kerosene, affecting the whole of New Jersey.

The illness of many miners at Bradville and Snydertown, near Latrobe, Pa., following a typhoid outbreak, threatens to close the mines.

Harold S. Ven Buren of New York, American consul at Nice, France, died at the latter place.

American sailors were clubbed by the Cuban police in a clash at Santiago. Troops stopped the affray.

Frank Tilton, for 33 years editor of the Green Bay (Wis.) Advocate, is dead.

Government policy in regard to the control of grazing land in the public domain and the interests of large and small cattlemen and the sheepmen, and the effect of protection of stockmen upon the homesteaders, were considered at a public hearing before the senate committee on agriculture.

President Bonilla of Honduras said he expected an invasion by the Nicaraguan army and was prepared to repel it.

President Alfred Walter of the Seaboard Air Line died at New York.

King Edward opened the second session of the second parliament of his reign.

A patient in the marine hospital at Cairo, Ill., has anaesthetic leprosy.

Shippers of Kansas City, St. Joseph and Omaha have filed complaints against the Rock Island railway in the matter of through rates to the Atlantic.

One person was killed and two others were overcome by smoke in a fire in the Waverly house, a family hotel in Charlestown, Mass.

An infernal machine was discovered in a chimney of the house occupied by Count Witte, the former Russian premier. The machine was timed to explode after the family had retired for the night.

Edward W. Reidnauer, a baker, and his four children were burned to death at Allentown, Pa., in a fire which destroyed their home.

John Wachter, a pioneer business man of the upper Mississippi valley, died at La Crosse, Wis., aged 73 years.

George A. Taylor, one of the first settlers of central Kansas died at Junction City, Kan., of heart failure, aged 70 years.

Rabies is epidemic among the sheep of western Wisconsin, according to a report of Dr. Henry Roome, representative of the United States department of agriculture.

The last water coming through the break in the Colorado river was shut off after a long and hard struggle by the Southern Pacific Railroad company.

Sentences ranging from 14 to 20 years were passed by Judge Goss against the Sawyer bank robbers at Minot, N. D.

Secretary Hitchcock appointed W. Scott Smith as superintendent of the Hot Springs reservation, Arkansas, to succeed Martin A. Esfele, resigned.

Fire broke out in the big Coliseum on Wabash avenue, Chicago, and did $40,000 damage before it was got under control.

Vice Admiral Topete, it is stated, will be made admiral of the Spanish navy in place of the late Admiral Beranger.

The deaths are announced at Cartagena, Spain, of Vice Admiral Sanchez Oeana and Rear Admiral Martinez Illescas.

John McClellan, a Dowieite teacher at Showers Corners, Ind., was injured in an attack by the schoolboys because of his religious belief.

Vice Admiral Hairi Pasha died suddenly and mysteriously in Constantinople a few hours after the revocation of his appointment by the sultan on a battleship commission.

Tha schoolship Saratoga was severely buffeted by a gale at sea and was forced back to tha Delaware in distress with the boys working hard at the pumps.

Packing plants in St. Louis and Chicago, as well as those in East St. Louis, may be seriously affected by a decision in the United States criminal court at St. Louis, barring rendering works from city limits.

Seven coal-laden barges and three empty barges were sunk in the Mississippi river at Memphis, involving a loss of $40.000.

The Japanese government ordered the evacuation of Manchuria, leaving behind only sufficient troops to guard the railway.

Miss Maud Slater, of Kansas City, killed Dr. E. H. Merwin, who she said had hypnotized and wronged her, and then committed suicide.

Sir William Howard Russell, editor of the Army and Navy Gazette, is dead. He was 86 years old. He was a famous war correspondent and served on the London Times at the battle of Bull Run.

Mrs. Mercedee Donovan of Memphis, Tenn., was killed on the street by a robber.

The supreme court at Topeka, Kan., has finally dismissed the cases against Chauncey Dewey and his cowboys for the killing of the Berry family.

State Senator Howard Robb of Arkansas died at Arkansas City.

Funeral services for Representative John R. Rixey, of Virginia, who died of consumption, were held in Washington.

John P. McManue, editor of the Pilot Rock (Ore.) Record, shot and killed a gambler named Robart Estes.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 8—After being told that to pass a resolution today would be a slap at Senator Knute Nelson, the senate voted 33 in favor of the measure and 18 against it.

The resolution was the one introduced by Senator Canfield several days ago, and called up today for final action. It is a memorial to congress asking that the bill limiting the number of hours per day railroad employes may work, be reported out of committee to the floor of congress for a fair show. The bill aims to decrease the number of railway accidents by prohibiting overworking of men. Senator Canfield had explained, on introducing the resolution, that it was introduced by him on request of United States Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin. Senator Putnam secured the floor and strongly opposed tha resolution. "LaFollette came into this state last election for the special purpose of opposing and attacking Senator Nelson," he said. "I for one believe Senator Nelson stands for tha sentiment of the people of Minnesota. The passage of this resolution would be a direct slap at Senator Knute Nelson and I am opposed to it." On roll call several senators explained they were voting for the resolution because they believed in its subject matter, and they meant no reflection on Minnesota's senior United States senator.

The most important measure, perhaps, which has been introduced in the legislature this session was introduced in the senate today by J. M. Hackney of Hamline and in the house by S. O. Morse of Slayton. It provides for an exposition at the state fair grounds in 1908 to celebrate the 50th anniversarry of Minnesota's statehood, the exposition to be under the management of the directors of the State Agricultural society. The bill empowers them to erect necessary new buildings and acquire 80 acres more of land. The money is to be raised by sale of state certificates, similar to those issued for the state capitol, and the certificates to be paid off by the profits of the exposition and ensuing state fairs. For the exposition, the governor, attorney general and auditor are added to the state fair directors.

Under suspension of rules today, the Spooner bill first passed the house then went to the senate, and there was rushed thru without being referred to any committee and on recommendation of Senator G. P. Wilson former attorney general. This is the bill which appropriates $50,000 for the attorney general for a special contingent fund for engaging legal assistance to fight the injunction brought by the railroads of tha state against any reduction in rates, as has been ordered by tha state railroad commission. According to the bill, $25,000 becomes available as soon as tha bill is signed by tha governor, and $25,000 more Jan. 1 next.

The senate today also passed the Rines house bill, which prohibits the state auditor from the further issuance of any further mineral leases on state lands. Bills were introduced in both houses today for the regulation of automobiles. They provide that county commissioners may prohibit certain roads from being used by autos, that autos must slow down to 8 miles an hour at crossings and when passing any objects; and that on no road shall the speed exceed 14 miles an hour.

Lieut. Gov. A. O. Eberhart today announced the appointment of Senator Clague, of Red Wood, and H. H. Witherstine, of Rochester, as a special committee on the part of the senate to make an investigation of express rates in Minnesota. The house is to name a committee to act with these senators.

The joint committee for the investigation of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce, the Duluth Board of Trades, and all combinations in restraint of trade, today organized by electing Senator Peterson of Owatonna chairman and Frank T. White of the house secretary.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 9—Interests at Thief River Falls and at Bemidji, both of which have had bills introduced in the legislature for normal schools, have reached a compromise and today had their special bills withdrawn by Senator A. L. Hansen, their author in the senate, and a new bill introduced which contains the terms of the compromise. That is, that a new normal school be established at some point on the Great Northern road between Duluth and East Grand Forks, to be determined by the state normal board. Tha bill carries no appropriation but provides that tha town getting the institution provide a five acre site for the building.

Senator Albert Schaller of Dakota county, introduced a bill unique in that it makes cumpulsary the teaching of physiology, hygiene and narcotics in the public schools from the third grade every year up through the high schools. Tha bill calls for special attention the study of alcohol and its effects on the human body. Teachers to be granted certificates, must pass examinations on these as well as the other usual subjects.

The event in the house today was the presentation of what is known in insurance circles as an "anti-compact" bill, that is, to prevent fire insurance companies combining in fixing and maintaining rates through boards of underwriters as is the present custom in tha state. The bill is introduced by W. H. Putnam of Red Wing.

As a "follow" bill to the one introduced yesterday calling for a big exposition at tha fair grounds in 1908, S. O. Morse of Slayton today introduced a bill to permit county commissioners to make special appropriations for county exhibits at such an exposition.

Tha joint committea of fifteen members of both houses, appointed to investigate all combinations in restraint of trade, late today met and divided into three sub-committees. One committee will look into the International Harvester trust. A second will investigate tha ways of the Minneapolis chamber of commerce and the Duluth board of trade a third will look into the methods of coal and lumber dealers in Minnesota.

Both houses of the legislatura adjourned today till next Wednesday morning. This is to permit the committees on state hospitals of both houses to make the regular biennial junket to some of the state institutions those to be visited this particular trip being the Rochester hospital and tha St. Peter hospital for insane. It was planned to take quite a party with the committees, but the Great Western line over which the junketers will return, refused to grant passes to the "additions", altho the Omaha road, over which tha voyagers start, was willing to ba "good."

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 13—By a vote of 65 to 46 the house today decided in favor of putting it up to the people at the polls, whether or not women shall ba allowed the unlimited right to vote. A majority of the committee on elections recommended the Higgins bill for a constitutional amendment to permit women to vote, for indefinite postponment. A minority report recommended the bill for passage. After considerable debate the house voted with the minority of tha committee.

The housa considered as a special order this afternoon the W. A. Nolan bill for reciprocal demurrage. Its author asked for immediate action on the bill. A number of addresses followed showing many favored the principle expressed in the bill but thought some of its provisions too drastic. A motion by Ambrose Tighe of St. Paul finally prevailed, calling for appointment by the speaker of a special committee of five to redraft the measure and report it back to the house in four legislative days.

J. P. Cummings today introduced a bill aimed at tha Standard Oil company. It prohibits any discrimination in prices in different sections of the state. W. H. Putnam presented a bill to establish a state training school for girls within three miles of the boys school at Red Wing. As there is already a bill pending which says such an institution shall be established at a town not having an institution of the state, the Putnam bill will re-open an old fight which waged in the session of two years ago.

Tha session of the senate today was unusually uneventful. A bill was introduced by Manly Fasseen establishing a college of education at the state university, appropriating $150,000 for a building, and $25,000 for maintenance for two years.

On motion of J. F. Calhoun, the senate passed a resolution memorializing congress to appropriate sufficient money for the proposed Alaska-Ynkon exposition at Seattle in 1909.

The Sundberg committee of the senate is holding same interesting sessions investigating railroads. Tha committea had A. B. Stickney president of the Great Western road, for a witness. He told them no road could ever be constructed with out watering stock.

Famous Old Bowling Green.

Bowling Green was the cradle of New York city. It was the center of New Amsterdam. Where the new custom house is stood the old Dutch fort. No. 1 Broadway was successively the home and headquarters of Lord Cornwallis, Lord Howe and Sir Henry Clinton, and Talleyrand lived there during his stay in this country. On the borders of the green were the homes of Benedict Arnold, General Gates and Robert Fulton.

Soulful Boston Messenger.

A short time ago a gentleman in Boston sent a small boy in his neighborhood to deliver a note to a young lady who lived a few blocks away. He gave tha boy a quarter to make him hurry. After a short time tha messenger came back, and, handing the money, said: "Miss Z—— says she will be glad to see you to-night, but she didn't want the quarter."—Judge.

Is Cremated in Jail

Virginia, Minn.—A Syrian or Arabian peddler, unknown, was burned to death in the village jail at McKinley. The man had been disorderly about the railroad depot, and the agent turned him over to the police who locked him in the city jail. During the night the building took fire and was consumed, and the next morning the man's headless and charred trunk was found in the ruins.

St. Paul—Prof. T. N. Hodgman has taken charge at the Macalester college.

Going Insane Over Deed.

Duluth, Minn.—Daniel Aho, aged twenty years, the youth who shot and killed his mother at Tivoli, Minn., on Sunday, Feb. 3, while intoxicated is believed to be going insane in consequence of his grief over his deed. Aho's lamentations are pitiful to witness. He says that if he does not die soon that the authorities do with him, as he could never be happy again. He had been drinking more than was good for him the day of the tragedy, and became involved in a quarrel with another young man near the Aho residence.

CANADA'S GOOD TIMES.

The Immigration During 1906 Was 216,000.

While it is well to heed every word of caution from the leaders in commerce and finance and to avoid all speculative ventures that lack a solid business foundation, it is clearly evident that there is no conspicuous weak spot in Canada's present era of prosperity. The Toronto Globe says: "The Dominion has in a commercial sense plenty of money, and our leading financial institutions are in a position to lend freely in the United States. The chief productive enterprises of Canada are not buoyed up by an era of dangerous speculation, but are following substantial business methods and finding safe and continuous markets for their goods. We are not bolstering up any industries by extensive export bonuses that must impoverish tha people as a whole, and ultimately lead to collapse through the failure of tha artificial aid. There is no extreme protection in Canada such as would create great fortunes for a few at the expense of the general public and lead to disruption and catastrophe. The prosperity of Canada has no artificial foundation being based on a healthy and substantial expansion of trade and industry, with a proportionate extension of productive settlement to new areas.

It is true that we are borrowing extensively for railway construction, but every line will bring new territory within the limits of profitable occupation, and will create prosperous settlements to bear the burdens and repay the outlay. We are not exhausting mineral resources, for it is quite reasonable to assume that, although mineral wealth is never permanent, ours will during the measurable future develop a far greater productive capacity than at present. Our timber wealth can be made continuous by a judicious policy. And agriculture, tha real foundation of our prosperity, is expanding with every new expenditure on railway construction. We are not in the flush of a railway mania that could bring its punishment through the useless duplication of lines. The gigantic railway enterprises that now stimulate every line of business in Canada will create a new Dominion, and thus render easy the heavy burdens of debt now freely assumed. Canada's era of prosperity has been unprecedented, but thera is no sign of weakness and no causa for lack of confidence. While our growth is normal and healthy, we need have no alarm at its rapidity." This article might hava gone on to relate the great growth that is taking placa in Central Canada, where thousands of Americans have made their homes during the past few years. The past calendar year has given to Canada by importation an addition of 216,000 to its population. Of this the United States contributed 63,781. Tha agents of tha Canadian government, whose advertisement appears elsewhere, say that this number will be largely increased during 1907.

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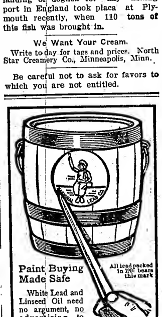

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MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Not Swamp Lands.

Duluth.—Claiming that the so-called swamp lands taken over by the state at the government land opening last fall are not swamp lands, twelve settlers have filed contests against the land in the local land office. About 1,760 acres are involved. The state authorities have been notified and will be given sixty days in which to give notice if they desire a hearing. The land opened last November is located near Beaver Bay, in what is known as township 57, range 9; township 58, range 9, and township 57, range 10. There was a considerable rush at the land office at the time of the opening.

Under the ruling on which the cases are brought up the settler going on the land previous to the survey shall be allowed to enter these lands in the United States land office, provided he shall do so in good faith and shall have maintained his residence there since, subject to the swamp land act. The notice of contest must be accompanied by an affidavit from two witnesses, stating that the lands are high and dry, not subject to periodical floods and that it is good agricultural land.

Cruisers probably will be sent out by the state to investigate the land in question and if they report that it is fit for agricultural purposes the cases probably will be allowed to go by default.

Not Legally Dead.

Winona.—An old murder mystery is recalled in the action begun in the probate court of this county to declare Charles Farnholz legally dead.

It was in May, 1899, that Mr. Farnholz left his home near Lewiston to visit for a couple of weeks with relatives near Fountain City. He left word with neighbors to look after his stock until he returned. Two or three months later the neighbors wondered why he had not returned and wrote to his relatives at Fountain City for information. They replied that they had not seen him and supposed that he was still at his farm. It was then recalled that some time after he had left his farm the nude body of a man, with the face cut off, had been found in a marsh near Fountain City.

The man evidently had been murdered and every means of his identification removed. The friends and relatives of Farnholz then believed that the murdered man was he and that he had been murdered across the river from Winona for the little money he had on his person. But the mystery was never cleared. As nothing since has been heard of him, his relatives now have made application to the probate court for the appointment of a guardian for his son, which action will have the effect of declaring the father legally dead.

Mad Dog.

Minneapolis.—A dog, supposedly mad, that was shot at the corner of Ninth avenue and Fifth street south by Patrolman J. P. McDonald, is the only dog ever chased by an automobile.

This particular canine started operations at the corner of Third street and Nicollet avenue. He snapped at several pedestrians and finally succeeded in biting a couple of women. The crowds on the streets at the time became panic stricken and Patrolman McDonald was summoned to kill the animal. He fired once and the bullet barely grazed the brute's head.

Suffering from this wound the dog ran down Nicollet avenue as fast as he could. The patrolman was quickly distanced. Seeing an automobile passing the officer asked the driver for a lift, and soon was speeding after the dog. Down Fifth street south the animal ran with the puffing buzz wagon in full pursuit, but it was not until ninth avenue was reached that the officer caught up. Patrolman McDonald jumped out at that place and with a single shot killed the fugitive.

Nearly Ready.

Washington—The navy department is informed by the Newport News Shipbuilding Company that the first class 16,000-ton battleship Minnesota is complete excepting a matter or ordnance equipment, and will be delivered to the government at the Norfolk navy yard on the 27th inst.

The Fore River Shipbuilding Company, Quincy, Mass., has arranged to deliver the battleship Vermont, a sister ship to the Minnesota, to the navy department at the navy yard, Boston, Monday next. The Vermont also lacks certain ordnance equipment. Her first commander will be Capt. W. P. Potter, at present chief of the bureau of navigation, navy department.

News Notes.

St. Paul—It is proposed to spend $1,000,000 on the state's semi-centennial exposition next year.

Mankato—Mrs. Harry Footner was badly burned while shaking down the ashes in a coal stove. The coffee pot on the stove overturned, the hot contents running over her head and shoulders.

Rochester—Four Rochester men have gone to Decorah, Iowa, in order to save a prisoner from a possible state's prison sentence. The Rochester men know nothing of the crime of which he is charged, in fact do not even know what the charge is, but they know that they have information which will absolutely clear him.

St. Paul—Andrew Jackson, 19 years old, was run down by a switch engine in the Omaha railway yards at Payne avenue and his right foot was severed. He was taken to St. Luke's hospital in the police ambulance, and last evening his leg was amputated six inches below the knee.

[illegible]—While cutting cordwood in the forest near here Edward Oakes was struck by a falling tree and his life was crushed out. He was about thirty years old and came to this country from Ireland a year ago.

St. Paul—The city saves $13,466.93 by doing a water board job itself instead of letting it by contract.

What Tax is Due?

St. Paul.—Unless the supreme court overrules the decision of Judge Hallam, the Duluth & Northern Minnesota and Minnesota & North Wisconsin railway companies will have to pay a 4 per cent gross earnings tax to the state of Minnesota for the taxes of 1905. It is claimed that there is due from the former road for this tax $3,906.66 and from the latter, $3,557.91.

Each of these roads had paid a tax on the basis of 2 per cent of the gross earnings for the year in question.

In 1873 the legislature passed an act providing that the St. Paul, Stillwater & Taylors Falls Railway company should pay a gross earnings tax of 1 per cent for the first three years, 2 per cent for the next seven and 3 per cent thereafter. The two roads above referred to come under the provisions of this act and were required to pay a tax of 1 per cent up to 1901 and 2 per cent up to and including 1908.

Street Car Earnings.

Minneapolis.—Gross earnings of the Twin City Rapid Transit Company for 1906 sowed an increase of 18.61 per cent and net earnings an increase of 14.37 per cent over the preceding year, according to the annual report of the company, just issued. The gross earnings were $5,644,988.34 and the net earnings were $3,107,379.62.

The passenger earnings of the company for the entire system, embracing the street railway properties of St. Paul, Minneapolis and Stillwater, with their interurban lines, were $5,592,079.24, which, figured into nickels, shows a total of 111,841,585 fares collected.

Fight With Wild Cat.

Bovey.—Dolo Grandeovitch, a Hungarian miner, was badly clawed in an encounter he had with a wild cat which attacked him in the woods near here.

Grandeovitch had gone to the woods to cut firewood, and when evening came started for home. As he walked along the trail he was suddenly pounced upon by a wildcat, which knocked him down and severely lacerated him about the body with its sharp claws.

Grandeovitch undoubtedly would been killed but for the timely arrival of other woodsmen, who chased the cat away.

Strike Iron on Farm.

St. Cloud.—Marcus J. Maurin and Sibert J. Peters of Cold Springs, this county, claim to have discovered iron ore in paying quantities on the old Neid farm three miles south of their village. They have secured a number of apparently rich specimens and will send them to an assayer to be tested. It is the general belief that iron exists in the hills south and west of Cold Springs and further explorations are being made.

Death to 261 Dogs.

Minneapolis.—Death at the muzzle of a policeman's revolver has come to 261 dogs in Minneapolis since Feb. 6, when the shooting began. This is the total made up by Police Superintendent Frank Corriston from the figures submitted to him by his precinct captains. This is an average of thirty-two dogs a day, and if the crop holds out, the 550 mark should be reached before the slaughter is over.

Rolling Mill Burns.

Vesta.—The Vesta roller mill burned to the ground. The loss is estimated at $15,000. The mill was built during the summer of 1904 and was owned by Charles A. Fleming. The fire originated in the engine room and was not discovered until the whole building was enveloped in flames.

Young Gets the Money.

St. Paul.—Gov. Johnson signed the bill recently passed by the legislature appropriating $50,000 for the use of the attorney general in conducting the litigation against the railroads.

News Notes.

Barnesville.—Walter Fofier, who came here recently to work as a machinist in the Great Northern shops, received word of the death of an uncle, James Chambers, a member of the English parliament, who left him $60,000. He started at once for London to claim the money.

St. Cloud, Minn.—Mary Frances Pollard, the 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Pollard, of Mayhow Lake, was killed by sustaining a broken neck and then suffocating. Playing about a straw stack with her brother, the latter fell from the top of the stack and struck her.

St. Cloud—Because the concerns engaged in granite finishing find it impossible profitably to do the quarrying and polishing of the stone, a movement is on foot here for the organization of a company with a capital of $200,000 which will take entire charge of the quarrying of the stone.

Wadena.—Mrs. Joseph Maisner, the wife of a farmer living north of this city, met with a peculiar and serious accident. As she was passing through a shed at the rear of her house a scythe which had been hung there dropped from its fastenings and fell, striking Mrs. Meisner on the hand. The first two fingers of her right hand were severed and she propably will be permanently crippled, as some of the cords in the hands also were severed.

Springfield.—The eager desire of farmers to learn of the best methods of carrying on a farm was shown by the large attendance at the institute in the opera house, for although there was a genuine blizzard raging outside it seemed to have no effect upon the attendance. Nearly 300 farmers braved the storm in order to be present. The meeting was in charge of W. P. McConnell of Mankato, assisted by Andrew Elliot, of Galt, Ont.; R. A. Schultz of LeRoy, Minn., and O. M. Olson, of Montevideo, Minn.

Browns Valley.—An unknown Indian partly buried in snow has been found dead about three miles from this place.

For the Woman in Business

Explanation of Legal Terms and Other Matters Often Not Sufficiently Understood.

BY KATHERINE LOUISE SMITH.

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Frequently a woman undertakes running a business. This may be keeping boarders, conducting a store or some other form of earning her living. Only too often she gets entangled in debt or is temporarily embarrassed, and what might seem to a man a slight business difficulty appears to her appalling.

Possibly for the first time in her life she is brought into contact with such legal terms as garnishee, judgment, homestead claim, etc. It is probable she will have to consult a lawyer to obtain advice, but she will be able to talk understandingly and to protect herself against any unjust claims if she knows the meaning of these terms. For instance, Mrs. A. is the main support of her family. She may clerk in a store, or keep boarders—at any rate what she earns goes to support herself and perhaps others. She falls behind and owes money, and her creditors garnishee her. If she is an ignorant woman she fears the very term, and justly, for it is an unpleasant situation at the best, but she should know the meaning of the term garnishee and if her creditors can take everything from her.

Broadly speaking, a garnishee action is an action where one can obtain money that is due to her through a third party or which is in the hands of a third person. Thus if a woman is clerking in a store and gets in debt her wages may be garnisheed. In other words, her employers may be asked to give a certain part of her wages to pay the debt. But, and here is where the debtor's protection comes in, a woman who is the main support of her family and whose wages are garnisheed has a right to a certain amount of her earnings, which are exempt from all claims of creditors. This amount is usually settled by the legislature of the different states, and the creditor can only hold, in his garnishee proceedings, to the amount of money which is due him above the amount of such exemption.

Sometimes a judgment is obtained against a woman who is in debt. A judgment is a decision given by a court between parties who do not agree, and when obtained is a lien on the real estate of a debtor. At other times an execution is issued by the court directing the sheriff or some other officer to collect a judgment out of the property of the debtor. Possibly an effort will be made to collect out of the household furniture. In this case, if a woman can prove she is using it in her living, she is entitled to a certain amount of the furniture, which her creditors cannot take. In some states the amount of furniture is fixed at $500 worth. She also is entitled to certain articles which are exempt, as the family Bible, family pictures, pew in church, burial lot, sewing machine, apparel to a fixed amount and typewriter. These vary in different states, but in general articles needed for support or considered as family heirlooms are exempt.

A woman's homestead or the house and ground that she owns and lives in is also exempt and cannot be taken from her by a creditor unless it goes for a mortgage. The homestead in some states is exempt up to a certain value and in others the whole property can be saved. In still others the exemption extends to a certain amount of ground. Usually where the homestead is located in a city, the exemption extends to one city lot and house and improvements, and where the homestead is in the country a certain number of acres with house and buildings are exempt. If a woman owns a farm the law usually exempts a certain amount of stock and machinery necessary to cultivate the same. These are facts regarding property that every woman ought to understand.

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"I am a boarding house keeper. Certain parties have left without paying their board bill. Is there any way I can collect the money?"—A Poor Woman.

If you kept a hotel you could have a lien upon the baggage of a guest for his bill, but boarding house keepers have no such lien and are obliged to resort to the ordinary method of collecting, namely, bringing suit and obtaining judgment against the boarder. Of course, if the boarder works on a salary of wages, you can garnishee the same for the amount of the bill.

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"If I am a stranger in a town and my funds give out, how can I draw on my home bank?"—A Woman Traveler.

Go to a bank with a friend to identify you. Write out a check payable to the bank or yourself and ask them to cash it, explaining that you have funds in a bank in your home town, and giving the name of the bank. If they ask your friend's endorsement, and you do not wish to be under such obligations, request the bank to wire your bank to ascertain if the check is good. This they will do at your expense, and will pay the check on receipt of a favorable answer from your bank officials. In case you do not know anyone to identify you, a bank will sometimes permit one to identify herself by letters, receipts, etc. For this reason it is well in traveling to carry receipts of any society or lodge to which one may belong.

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"Can a bank refuse to receive a person as a depositor?"—A Timid Enquirer.

Generally speaking, banks will take plies. But there are banks that re- as a depositor any person who apquire a deposit of a certain sum in order to open an account. The officials of these banks claim that they do so because they handle the funds of wealthy men and it does not pay them to spend the time on small accounts. Other banks claim that they must require a certain sum because they pay the officials out of the earnings and the amount made on small deposits is very little. In direct contradiction to this, the savings bank will take any sum, no matter how small.

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"I have been asked to take a post dated check. What is this form of check?"—A Widow.

Sometimes men give checks dated ahead, requesting the party to whom they give the check to hold it until the day it is dated. As a rule this is because at the time the check is given the maker has not sufficient funds in the bank and expects to deposit them before the date of the check. Banks do not like this method, and usually are quick in detecting the person who makes a practice of this. Of course, such a check cannot be certified, as there are no funds in the bank to meet it until the day on which the check is dated.

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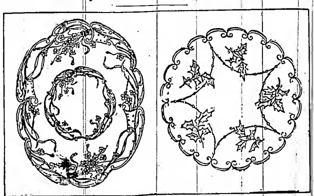
"I have a poor note which I fear will have to be protested. Who pays the protest fees in such a case?"—A Perplexed Milliner.

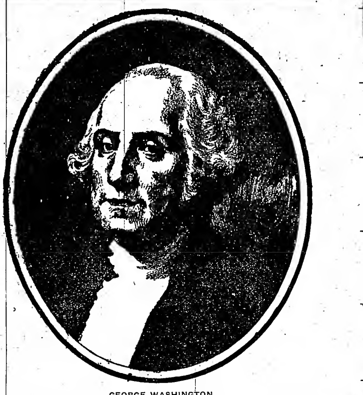
In case a note is protested, the protest fees are advanced by the person who desires the note protested or the holder of the note. If you ask the bank to protest they will charge it to your account. Banks usually have a notary in connection with their institution who does the protesting. When the note is paid these protest fees are added to the amount of the note and must be paid by the maker. In the end you will get back your whole note and expenses.

Centerpiece and Tray Cloth



The edge of the doilies should be worked in white, using the buttonhole stitch. The leaves are worked with the satin slant stitch. Use the dark green for the leaves, using the darker shades at the base of the leaf. The veins are worked with a very dark green. The stems are outlined with a very dark green. The flowers are worked solid with the shades of purple. In some of the flowers the petals are shaded lighter on the edge and darker toward the center. In others the shading may be reversed. As the flowers are in bunches it will be necessary to vary the shading of the flowers in the same bunch. The center of the flowers is a French knot.

Work the edge of the centerpiece in the buttonhole stitch, using the white filo silk. The little scrolls at the end of each scallop are outlined or worked with the chain stitch. The holly berries are raised with white knitting cotton, then worked over with red, in the satin slant stitch. The leaves are worked solid in the kinsington stitch with the green shades. Generally they are made light at the tip of the leaf, shading darker towards the center and base of the leaf. The veins are outlined in brown. The stems are worked solid in the slanting satin stitch, in the darkest shades of green. The center should be outlined in a green shade and the berries raised and worked in the satin slant stitch.



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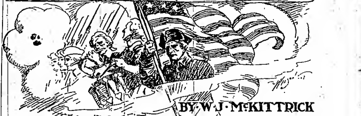

BY W. J. McKITTRICK

IN our near approach to the anniversary of Washington's birthday it behooves us all to be very grateful to God and the revolutionary fathers for the nation which they gave to us.

Away with the man who does not love his country.

It has its faults.

It is no better than the best man who lives in it, and the best man who lives in it is separated by a long distance from the angels of heaven. The writings and orations that would put us beyond criticism explode against some very hard facts and let out upon the air a great deal of silliness. Our politics are not so absolutely pure that a seraph's wing could graze them without contamination. Our ideals of greatness and glory are closer to the ground than they ought to be.

Our reverence for the sacredness of law that should be as firmly fixed, in our national conscience as Pike's Peak is firmly fixed in the soil of Colorado, is not beyond the cavil and complaint of those who study the foundations of our institutions.

But of one thing we are persuaded, and that is that the virtues of our country over-balance its faults.

There are more angels than devils among us.

The devils are making the most noise, but the angels are doing the most work. The man who believes that righteousness is losing its grip upon this nation is a woefully mistaken man. I heard a speaker the other day who proclaimed that we are failing from bad to worse and from worse to worst.

We do not believe him.

We believe that we are rising from good to better, and from better to best.

One of the chief roots of our patriotism is gratitude, the realization of an immense debt to those who battled about the cradle of our national existence and won our freedom and independence at the points of their swords.

Here we are because the men of '76 put us here.

Here we stay because the spirit of '76 has kept us here.

Stormy Atlantic, mild Pacific, sleeping lakes, waving forests, tree-crowded mountains, gold mine and silver mine, storms out of whose tempest-driven hearts have fluttered the white-feathered birds of peace, fiery baptisms through whose flames have crept forth the evangels, gave everlasting covenant. When we think of these things, when we stand upon the mount of vision, and the splendor of our country breaks upon our eyes, when the song of the reapers comes up to us, when we hear the hum of industry thrilling along the ground, when we see the gleaming rivers curving and winding like silver threads through vast gardens, what account of ourselves shall we give to ourselves if we take not the cup of praise and thanksgiving in our hands and pour it out to the heroes whose patience, faith and courage ushered in the dawn of our splendid prosperity?

They were fighting for the future, for the country that was coming. So are we fighting for the future—for the country that is coming. As we look into the faces of our little children we cannot feel that for us the battle is ended. We have won a country for ourselves. But we must win a country for them.

And love of country and love of children run together with the ambition to win a better country for them. Home and patriotism are linked together. The children will help to make the nation. But the nation will help to make those children.

That little dimpled cheek will not allow you to take off your uniform for a single day.

You must build his home. You must fight for his inheritance. You must put your life into the moving and marching forces of righteousness that are trying to win victories for him.

The next generation will live in the country which this generation is making for it. And each one of us is helping to make it. All of us are nation-builders. Every time we cast a ballot for an unclean office-seeker we are committing an outrage upon the future.

Patriotism can never be selfish. It can never be bound up and roped round in its own pleasures and comforts.

It can never stand still, looking backwards.

It can never content itself with making a noise.

In Washington's farewell address we see the prayers of a great soul embracing a nation's posterity. The pen that wrote the emancipation proclamation was tracing on the paper a heart's desire for a long procession of centuries.

And out of this love of country and this guardianship of our children will come the patriotism of service.

The Roman soldier cried out "It is beautiful to die for one's country." Our country does not want anybody to die for it now, but it does want all the multitudes of its people to live for it, to do their big best or their little best to serve its highest and noblest intents, and pass it along to the future cleansed, purified, sweet to the heart and sound to the core.

WASHINGTON.

Soldier and statesman, rarest unison;
High-poised example of great duties done
Simply as breathing, a world's honors worn
As life's indifferent gifts to all men born;
Dumb for himself, unless it were to God,
But for his barefoot soldiers eloquent,
Tramping the snow to coral where they trod,
Held by his awe in hollow-eyed content;
Modest, yet firm as Nature's self; unblamed
Save by the men his nobler temper shamed;
Not honored then or now because he woosd
The popular voice, but that he still withstood;
Broad-minded, higher-souled, there is but one
Who was all this, and ours, and all men's,—Washington.

—James Russell Lowell.

Washington's Wealth.

Whether Washington can be put into the envied category of millionaires no one can assert positively. According to the late Paul Leicester Ford whose work, "The True George Washington," has received wide recognition, "the father of his country" was worth $530,000. This fortune did not include his wife's property, but nevertheless it made him one of the wealthiest Americans of his time. Her part of the Custis property equaled "15,500 acres of land, a good part of it adjoining the city of Williamsburg.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Four hundred fifty-six and 78-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Edward Hebert and Victoline Hebert, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Brooks, mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of September, 1905, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of September, 190[illegible] at 2 o'clock p. m., in book 31 of [illegible] and no action [illegible] has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The west half of the north east quarter of section fourteen (14), in township one hundred fifty (150) of range forty-two (42) and lots numbered five (5) and (6) in block numbered [illegible] in the townsite of Brooks, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 30th day of March, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Four hundred fifty-six and 78-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law: subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated Red Lake Falls, Minn., Feb. [illegible], A. D. 1907.

First State Bank of Brooks,
Mortgagee.

[illegible] Simons, Attorney. f14-m21

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The Murray Cure

To be Incorporated and Enlarged by Mr. Murray's Family.

The announcement of the sudden death of Edwin Murray, founder of the Murray Cure at Minneapolis, Fargo and Seattle, was a shock to many thousands of people who knew of the good work of the Murray Cure.

Mr Murray's family, the widow two grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and corps of attendants and employes will remain the same.

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A QUEER POKER GAME

IT WAS PLAYED BY TWO STOCKMEN IN A DENVER HOTEL.

The Turn That Came When the Fortunes of Both Men Were Piled on the Table—A Side Bet and a Card That Was Not Shown to the Board.

The old St. James hotel in Denver was one of the landmarks of the city for over a quarter of a century, and many famous sporting men were among its guests. Numerous stories are told of the "stiff" poker games that used to be played there in the late eighties and early nineties of the last century.

A game was played one night between two stockmen, a banker and a mining man. The story goes that the mining man and the banker played until they were "all in," leaving the two stockmen to battle it out. It came up to the "consolation" jack pot, and those who had lingered to see the finish were not disappointed when they expected something spectacular to take place. The stakes were running high, the ante being $500, with no betting limit. One of the stockmen opened for $2,500 and was promptly raised before the draw. Then there followed a series of raises and counter raises until the pot contained $11,600 before cards were drawn.

"Gi' me that one," blandly announced the man who had "seen" the lost raise. The dealer slipped one card across the table, laid the deck down, relighted his neglected cigar and said unconcernedly, "I'll play these."

Then the betting commenced in earnest. The player had opened, and he led off with $2,500 as a "feeler." The dealer raised a like amount, and the other fellow followed suit. It was plain that one or the other of the men was going to lose his fortune. Checks were written, torn up and made out for larger amounts, and finally mortgage papers on real estate and cattle were passed into the pot. Finally one man said to the other:

"Say, Henry, I'm going to stay with you until everything I've got, right down to the clothes on my back, is represented on the table. Now, I'm in doubt as to some of my property holdings, so I'll make you a proposition. Give me until tonight (it was then 4 a. m.) to find out just where I stand and we'll play the hand out. Meantime let us seal up my hand in one envelope, yours in another and the deadwood in still another. We'll leave the three envelopes in the office safe, to be delivered to both of us together."

The other player agreed, and envelopes and sealing wax were sent for. The hands and remaining cards in the deck were duly sealed and deposited as per arrangement.

Meantime friends of the two players endeavored to get the men together on some sort of compromise proposition, knowing full well that neither could afford to bank his entire fortune on a poker hand, leaving his family destitute, but both men were obdurate and would listen to no proposition to split the pot. An interested and expectant group gathered in the lobby about 8 o'clock in the evening, among them being the man who had opened the pot. They talked together in a friendly manner, speculating upon what would happen when the man who went to look up his assets returned. While they were talking he walked in.

"Well, Henry, I'm ready to resume our little argument," he announced in a matter of fact tone. Then the crowd repaired to the room where the game had been played. The man announced that he had $33,000 to "play back." Securities and certified checks representing this amount were piled on the table. Then, and not until then, did either of the men show signs of nervousness. The opener had drawn a check for $33,000 and started to tear it out of the book when the other man said in a slow, deliberate voice:

"Looks a little strong for either of us, doesn't it, Henry?"

"Well," rejoined the other man, toying with the check, "what would you consider a fair proposition at this stage of the game?"

"It's not gambling, I know," said the other, "but if you want to split the pot and"—

"She's split," calmly announced the man who had opened for $2,500. The currency, gold, checks, mortgage papers and securities were equally divided. Not a word was spoken. Silently the man who opened took up the envelopes, tore them open and laid the two hands on the table, faces downward.

"Bet you a cigar I had you beat," he bantered.

"You're called," said the other, turning over four cards, jacks and sixes. The opener also turned over four cards. They were jacks and sixes.

"I'll bet you," said the dealer, "a thousand dollars that I've still got you beat."

The other man peeped at a corner of his buried card, toyed a moment with a stack of currency and shoved $1,000 to the center. Then, without waiting for the man he had called to show his hole card, he turned up a four spot. The dealer looked at it, smiled, touched the bell and put his hand in the deck. He never told what the other card was.—Denver Times.

Lights of London.

A farmer who visited London for the first time was walking along Oxford street, filling his pipe, when a matchboy came up to him with the usual "Lights, sir?" The farmer took a box from the boy, extracted a match, lit his pipe and handed the box back to the astonished lad, passing on with the remark, "Lor, what a wunnerful place Lunnon is, to be sure!"

SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open well. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy and 99-100 ($70.99) Dollars, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Joseph Boushea, administrator of the estate of John Boushea, deceased, mortgagor, to M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, bearing date the 21st day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 21 of Mortgages, on page 228.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, to John Jaenike by written assignment dated the 9th day of April, 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages on page 119.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Jaenike the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., by written assignment dated the 14th day of December, 1906, and recorded on the 19th day of December, 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m., in book 15 of mortgages page 345, and by reason of the default herein before mentioned the said Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, the assignee of said mortgagee, chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforesaid mortgage due and payable making in all four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The east half of the south-west quarter of section fourteen (14), Township numbered one hundred fifty (150), North of Range forty-two (42), west of the 5th P. M. in the state of Minnesota, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the second day of March, 1907, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 15th, A. D., 1907.

Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. j17-f28

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Rudolf Warberg and Katharina Warberg, his wife, mortgagors, to Ralph Rogers mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in book 29 of mortgages, on page 29

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Ralph Rogers mortgagee, to G. B. Ward by written assignment dated the 15th day of October 1906, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of November 1906, at 1:00 o'clock P. M.; in book 32 of mortgages on page 391.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said G. B. Ward, the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, by written assignment dated the 13th day of November, 1906, and recorded on the 22nd day of November, 1906, at 3:10 o'clock P. M., in book 15 mortgages page 339, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

North east quarter of section numbered twenty-eight (28), in township numbered one hundred fifty (150), north of range forty-one (41), west of the 5th P. M. in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 23rd day of March, 1907, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty and no-100 dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, February 6th, 1907.

Merchants State Bank of
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Assignee of Mortgagee.

F. A. Grady, Attorney for
Assignee of Mortgagee, f7-m21
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T. R. F. BACKSLIDES--TAXPAYER PAYS FREIGHT

LIVERY HORSE KILLED

Exciting Runaway Yesterday Afternoon Results in Death of Valuable Horse.

"Ned," one of the oldest and best livery horses in the northwest—owned by Zaiser Bros. of this city—was instantly killed yesterday afternoon, by crushing his skull against the front of the Paradis brick block after having indulged in an exciting runaway.

Two of the barn boys hitched up Ned and his mate to a cutter yesterday for a drive about town, and as the team felt pretty good in the bracing air they were very hard to hold. When near Paul's hotel they took it into their heads to run and despite the efforts of the driver they came tearing up Third street until they reached the corner of Main, when they made a quick turn which threw the sleigh up against a 'phone pole. The jar broke the cutter pole and the team, entirely loose, tore down main street at break-neck speed. When about in front of the Big Store the outside horse had crowded Ned close to the curb and he apparently struck the slippery walk and crashed head first against the brick work at the north corner of the Paradis block, the blow crushing his skull and killing him almost instantly. Had he struck a few inches higher he would have gone directly through the plate glass front, instead of stopping so short.

Ned was one of Zaiser Bros.' best horses, and the loss comes quite heavy on them. He had been in the service a long time, but was apparently good for several ordinary horses when he met his untimely fate.

Attended Important Meeting.

Dr. J. E. Argue left Monday evening for St. Paul, where he went to attend the meeting of the G. V. Black Dental Club, composed of the prominent dentists of the several northwestern states. The doctor was down on the program by special invitation for a table clinic on his access mercury expresser, an invention of great importance to the dental fraternity that has recently been patented by Dr. Argue. The meeting was held Tuesday and yesterday, and is one of the most important dental gatherings ever held in the northwest. Something like five or six hundred members of the profession attend these gatherings and much good to the fraternity naturally results. The doctor's invention has attracted considerable attention among the dentists, and that he was invited to give a clinic regarding it at this important meeting was gratifying to his many friends here. This invention will shortly be placed on the market, and there is absolutely no question but what it will net handsome profits to Mr. Argue.

Up-River Municipality Demonstrates Love For The Dear People By Making Them "Dig" For Costs In Thier County Seat Scrap.

Could old Diogenes with his lantern and antiquated search for an "honest man" come now upon us, and be without desire on his part cast down in Thief River Falls; could he—but he can't—make a long continued search through the divers streets and alleyways of the inflated burg further north; could he—but he wont—search through the thousand and one railroad yards, the innumerable department stores, the many normal schools and the countless other industries that our "bigger" sister farther up creek boasts of—could he do all these things and keep his lantern burning he would be forced far more hastily than he was wont to do in ancient times, to turn wearily back upon his journey and declare with renewed emphasis that there he could not if he would find the "honest man."

Thief River Falls has long shouted and spread abroad the tidings how Red Lake Falls had an axe several yards long up their sleeves for the taxpaying public; that the only reason Thief River Falls had forced the county seat fight upon the voters of Red Lake county was to relieve them from the merciless preying upon by the Red Lake Falls "grafters;" how they were anxious and willing to defend the defenseless taxpayer in his efforts to keep alive after being picked by Red Lake Falls. They have shouted from the house tops, long and loud, of this and many more wrongs they had found at Red Lake Falls.

But let us see. Some two years ago Thief River Falls—through a $16,000 fat county seat "committee" (God save the mark) foisted upon Red Lake county people a county seat fight. Notwithstanding the fact that for eight or nine years Red Lake Falls had been the seat of government of the commonwealth, notwithstanding the well-known and long ago proven fact that Red Lake county had made rapid progress and was practically at the stage where her taxpayers were paying considerably less taxes than the neighboring counties; notwithstanding that there had never been a murmer of dissatisfaction expressed against Red Lake Falls as the county seat—notwithstanding, again, all this and more, this salary-fat committee took it into their circle-topped pates to secure this long felt want for the only town within the kingdom of the Lord—Thief River Falls.

They forced the fight. They were the aggressors. At every turn they were met and were vanquished. Every new move threw additional costs upon the county—and, of course, the taxpayers. Despite their oft expressed profound love for the "people" they kept constantly at it, each time losing their point, but each time hollering how Red Lake Falls was "soaking" the taxpayer.

The long drawn out fight finally resolved itself down to a point wherein it was to go to the supreme court of the Minnesota commonwealth for final decision. Embittered by continued failures to achieve their desires, and enthused with the proverb that lightning does not always strike in the same place, they were anxious, aye! crazy, to have the case tried in the highest state tribunal.

They were profuse in their protestations of love for the taxpayer, they were anxious that vindication be theirs. They promised anything. With a flow of words equal only to those of a Clay, with a manner like that of a real benefactor, they promised, even re-iterated time and again that should this final suit go against them they would gladly pay the costs—and anything else asked. They could not lose—so they argued.

The case was submitted and argued. The court's decision was withheld for a brief period, and then came the announcement that thief River Falls had LOST—that the highest court within the state's confines had decided that they were WRONG and that Red Lake Falls was right.

The court's decision was submitted to them—the total of the costs was figured up and likewise submitted, good and sufficient time was given them to make good their promise to pay—that the taxpayers would not suffer. All this was done, and more. They were urged to make their promise good that the people might for all time believe that Thief River was solicitous of their interests. They were shown that it might look bad should they refuse to ante up, their friends urged them to make good—but all to no avail. Thief River had LOST. Thief River WOULD NOT pay their honest obligations.

Many stories are spoiled in the lengthy telling. Many good intentions are changed by circumstances—but in the face of it all the bare fact stands out still

Thief River Would Not Pay.

At the meeting of the board this week the auditor was instructed to draw a warrant for the costs in the judgment—something about $200—and in the end the taxpayer pays the freight.

Let us hope for the protection of what little honor they have left, that Thief River Falls has decided to abandon this long drawn out fight. They have by theiractions cost each individual taxpayer a neat sum, at the same time professing profound love for all mankind—they are good on paper, 'tis greatness they have, but they WONT pay their promised obligations.

The sequel is plain. 'Tis they that have long since exclaimed: "Get thee behind me, Satan."

DEATH COMES SOON

James Nelson, of Lake Pleasant, Lives Only A Few Days at Insane Hospital.

A telegram was received here Tuesday morning from the authorities at the Fergus Falls insane hospital, announcing that James Nelson, who was committed from this city last week, had died the night previous, after an illness covering the period of his incarceration. While Nelson appeared strong when he left here last week, nevertheless he was a very sick man and doubt existed in the minds of many that he would ever recover his reason or his health. He failed very rapidly at the hospital, and despite all that medical aid could do, his life ebbed rapidly away, death coming Monday to relieve him of his terrible suffering.

Mrs. Nelson was notified at once and left with her children last evening for Fergus Falls, from which place she accompanied the remains to Russel, Lyon county, their old home, where interment will be made.

She will return here later to straighten up her affairs, but will eventually return to Lyon county to reside.

Since Nelson's misfortune there have been numerous stories circulated to the effect that he was imposed upon, cheated, etc., but from the best sources it is learned that there is absolutely no truth in these statements. Nelson had his farm nearly clear of debt, and was not bothered in the least by the owner, as his contract did not come due until next fall. It is true that he had hard luck for a couple of years with crop-raising, but no more so than many others in the valley. He was a man of peculiar temperment and every little trouble worried him greatly, his mind finally giving way under continued worrying. Many a man has been "up against it" harder than Nelson and has pulled through, but a sickness not realized undoubtedly did much to cause Mr. Nelson's mind to give way. The widow is left with two small children, but when she settles up her business will be left in fairly comfortable circumstances. She and the fatherless little ones have the sincere sympathy of all in their bereavement.

Plans Easter Entertainment.

The Orpheus Quartette, Red Lake Falls' elite musical organization, are arranging to give a grand Easter concert and ball—on the order of the one they gave last year. They are already at work arranging for the event, and will prepare a specially delightful program. The concert will be followed by a dance and as it will probably be the first of the season after the Lenten period, the Orpheus boys will be accorded a good patronage and the people will be royally entertained. Additional information regarding this event will be given later.

NEW TOWN ORGANIZED:

Township 153-39 Will Hereafter Be Known As "Star."

The petition of Joseph Johnson et al., of township 153-39, for organization as a town, came before the commissioners at their meeting Tuesday, and was acted upon favorably. The new town will be known as "Star" and the first town meeting for the election of officers, etc., will be held at the Johnson place sometime in March, on a date to be set by Auditor O'Brien.

The new town has many progressive citizens, and after the organization is completed will make rapid strides. There are only two unorganized towns left on the reservation, and they will probably come in for organization during the coming year.

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SUCCESSFUL MEETING

Farmers Get Many Good Pointers at St. Hilaire Last Saturday.

The big farmers' meeting held at St. Hilaire last Friday was one of the most successful gatherings of its kind ever held in this section of the state, and the attendance was greater than even the most enthusiastic worker had hoped for. Farmers were there from every part of the county, and the program was full of meat for all.

The principal address by Prof. A. J. McGuire, superintendent of the state experimental farm at Grand Rapids, Minn., was attentively received by the meeting. Mr. McGuire is a forcible speaker and handled his subject in an able manner.

Another speaker who was well received was C. O. Carlson, of Erskine. Mr. Carlson is one of the most successful farmers in northern Minnesota.

The Crookston Male Quartette made a decided hit and were encored until they had to announce that they had sang all the songs they had prepared.

All the speeches on the program were listened to attentively and it was evident that the farmers present were there for instruction.

To Buttermaker Geo. L. Austin of the St. Hilaire creamery is due much of the credit for making the meeting a success.

Adrian Murphy Dies.

A telegram was received here Tuesday from Calgary, Canada, hearing the sad intelligence that Adrian, the two-year old son of Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy, had died that day from an attack of diphtheria. No particulars were conveyed as to whether or not any of the other members of the family were ill. Adrian was an exceptionally bright and pretty baby, and the news of his sudden death will be received with profound sorrow by the Red Lake Falls people, who have known the Murphy family so long.

HELD A GOOD MEETING

County Teachers Association Has Another Interesting Session.

The Red Lake County Teachers Association held another excellent meeting at Thief River Falls last Friday and Saturday, which proved to be very beneficial to the teachers of the county.

The attendance was not particularly heavy, but nevertheless a goodly number were present and the meeting was replete with interest from beginning to end.

The day sessions were devoted to the questions asked at the recent state examinations, and this was one of the best featurs the association has ever presented. The questions of all the different subjects were carefully gone over and discussed, and it was a fine schooling for those who are interested in this work.

Friday evening Dr. F. H. Gamble of Thief River Falls delivered a lecture on his personal experiences in Alaska. The doctor spent several years in the "land of golden promise" a few years ago, and his talk was especially interesting. He had and exhibited many curios from that part of the world, and told a delightful story of conditions as they exist in the far north.

A choice musical and literary program was rendered during the session.

The next meeting of the association will be held at St. Hilaire, at a date to be announced later. The arrangements are in the hands of the program committee, and it is announced that a spelling contest for teachers will be one of the features of the next meeting.

Red Lake county surely has a live teachers association, and their programs of the past couple of years have been of much benefit to the teachers of the county and correspondingly to the schools.

TO HOLD REVIVALS.

Evangelist John S. Hamilton Will Be Here Next Month.

A two weeks' series of meetings in charge of Evangelist John S. Hamilton, of Ohio, will be held at the Presbyterian church in this city commencing Tuesday, March 12.

Mr. Hamilton is now at Blackduck where he is conducting a series of meetings, and will come here from there, and will preach his first sermon on the evening of the 12th. Mr. Hamilton will be accompanied by a soloist who will have charge of the singing, and the meetings will no doubt be highly interesting.

NOTICE.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

RESUME OF THAW TRIAL.

Mr. Jerome cross-examined Mrs. Evelyn Thaw all day, asking especially about her poses for photographs, her earlier men acquaintances and the letters she received from Stanford White. She admitted that in 1902 she received $1,350 from White.

Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw entered upon the ordeal of her cross-examination, and before District Attorney Jerome had had the witness in charge for half an hour he had secured from the court a ruling which opens the way for bringing into the trial of Harry K. Thaw all manner of evidence which may tend to discredit the defendant's wife. This will be introduced to disprove the truth of the story she told Thaw. Mr. Jerome brought out that in 1902 some one gave Mrs. Thaw $25 a week, and that she wrote to White from Boulogne after Thaw had proposed to her.

Dr. Britton D. Evans testified that Harry Thaw said to him in the Tombs last August that he didn't want to slay White, but that the killing was an act of Providence. Thaw's will and codicil were put in evidence. In the latter provision was made for several alleged victims of White.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

Reed Smoot, Mormon apostle, won his long fight before the senate of the United States. By a vote of 28 to 42 the senate refused to adopt the resolution declaring that Mr. Smoot is not entitled to occupy a seat in that body as a senator from the state of Utah.

A heated controversy which at one time seemed to threaten a personal encounter between Mr. Macon of Arkansas and Mr. Fitzgerald of New York, occurred on the floor of the house when the house had under consideration the post office appropriation bill.

Following the adoption by the house of the immigration bill, the basis of the agreement to settle the Japanese-San Francisco school affair was announced as follows: Japanese children are to be admitted to the white schools of San Francisco under certain restrictions; skilled and unskilled laborers coming from Japan are to be barred from the mainland of the United States, and American laborers, skilled and unskilled, are to be excluded from Japan.

A bill drawn by the general staff, providing for the raising of a volunteer army during actual or threatened war was introduced in congress.

The naval appropriation bill, carrying in round numbers $96,000,000, passed the house. An effort made by Mr. Burton of Ohio to reduce the number of battleships authorized in the bill was defeated.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Harry Pratt Judson, who has been acting head of the University of Chicago for over a year since the death of President William Rainey Harper, was elected to the presidency by a unanimous vote of the board of trustees.

It was reported in St. Petersburg that another massacre of Jews was going on at Odessa. Foreign consuls at Odessa have protested against the outrages.

The French cruiser Kleber rammed and sank the American fruit steamer Hugoma in the Mississippi river, and seven of the Hugoma's crew were drowned.

Rev. G. L. Tufts of Portland, Ore., representing the Pacific Coast Reform bureau, was arrested by the sergeant-at-arms of the Idaho house for lobbying.

E. E. Styner, late general manager of the Mexican Central railroad, died in Mexico City from wounds inflicted by himself.

None of the Peabody educational fund, established by George Peabody, of London, in 1867 and amounting to between $2,300,000 and $2,400,000 will be distributed among the educational institutions of the southern states before November.

The supply wareshouse of the Arizona Copper company at Clifton, Ariz., caught fire from spontaneous combustion and the contents valued at $100,000, were heavily damaged.

Fifteen thousand persons made an anticlerical demonstration in Rome and troops protected the Vatican.

A mass meeting of 1,000 Irishmen in New York adopted resolutions warning the American people that Ambassador James Bryce is coming to this country especially to effect an alliance of England with America, which has for its immediate object war with Germany.

One person was killed and five were injured in a fire which did damage amounting to $50,000 to the plant and stock of the Friend paper mills at West Carrollton, O.

Tremendous gales, accompanied by snow, hail and thunder storms swept over the whole of northern Europe and were especially severe in the British Isles.

The administration ticket of the Mutual Life Insurance company was elected by a majority approximately of 130,000 in the recent policyholders' election.

After weeping over the grave of his sweetheart, Estella Costello, Joliet, Fred Foster committed suicide with poison.

The Rhode Island senate passed a bill empowering the women of Rhode Island to vote at presidential elections.

Gov. Hughes of New York recommended to the senate the removal of Otto Kelsey, state superintendent of insurance.

The Kansas house passed the maximum freight rate bill.

Dr. J. C. Shedd of Colorado college was blinded probably for life as a result of experimenting with Finsen rays.

Martin J. Wade of Iowa City was made Democratic national committeeman for Iowa.

The foreign consuls at Odessa protested that the lives of their fellow subjects were endangered by the anti-semitic disturbances there.

Ferreira, the leader of the raid from German Southwest Africa in November last, and four of his followers were sentenced to death.

Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia university, is to wed Miss Kate LaMontagne, daughter of the late August LaMontagne, also of New York. No date has yet been set for the wedding.

Mrs. Thomas Bagot, of Anderson, Ind., lost her life in a fire that destroyed the home of her sister at Red Key, Ind.

Letters received at Sidney, N. S., from the Grand bank indicate that the schooners Mollie M. and Tubal Cain have been lost, with 12 men composing their crews.

Trichinosis has appeared in New York, eight cases being under treatment at the Bellevue hospital. Physicians fear an epidemic.

Judge Finkelnburg of the federal district court at St. Louis will resign on account of ill health. He is 69 years old.

Beall & Steele's wholesale drug house at Steubenville, O., was totally destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of $100,000.

Viroqua, Wis., was alarmed by 25 cases of smallpox.

The fact that a spreading rail caused the wreck of the White Plains express on the New York Central railroad last Saturday night, in which 21 persons were killed, was developed at the coroner's inquest.

Japanese in Hawaii cabled to President Roosevelt a protest against their exclusion from the mainland. The Japanese cruising squadron arrived at Honolulu.

The army of Honduras was defeated by the Nicaraguan forces in a battle lasting several hours.

The founding of a trust fund of $250,000, the income to be devoted to the cause of young women of the United States, was announced by J. G. Schmidlapp, president of the Union Trust company of Cincinnati.

State Representative Barker of Macon county, Mo., has smallpox.

Congressman J. E. Reyburn, Republican, was elected mayor of Philadelphia.

The California legislature killed the proposed constitutional amendment extending to women the right to vote at all elections.

Private cable dispatches were received in New York confirming the killing of Gen. Antonio Paredes, the Venezuelan rebel leader.

Mrs. John Grimshaw and her infant son were burned to death near Royal Oak, Mich.

The federal grand jury at New York indicted the Great Northern railway for paying rebates.

Senator Bailey testified in his own behalf before the legislative investigating committee and explained the Gibbs ranch deal as a plain business transaction.

The Ann Arbor Railway company appeared in the United States court at Toledo, O., and paid the fine of $15,000 imposed by Judge Tayler for violation of the interstate commerce laws in granting rebates to the Toledo Ice and Coal company.

Henry Valentine, a well-known colored politician and member of the Republican county central committee, at Springfield, O., was shot and killed by his wife after a quarrel.

Assistant Paymaster W. E. Sypher has been dismissed from the navy on account of technical embezzlement. He was unable to account for $1,300 of funds intrusted to him.

Josiah Ross, president of the Ross Manufacturing company of Buffalo, N. Y., committed suicide because of ill health.

Emperor William opened the new reichstag with great pomp.

The people of Nicaragua demand reparation from the government of Honduras for the invasion of their territory by Honduran troops and have offered financial aid for a conflict.

The list of survivors of the steamer Larchmont was reduced to 17 by the death of James Vaan, a colored steward. Officials of the Joy line declared the charges of cowardice against the captain and crew were false.

Mexico's magnificent new post office, the finest public building ever erected in the republic, and undoubtedly the finest post office building in America, was dedicated.

Gen. W. L. Cabell, commander of the trans-Mississippi department, United Confederate Veterans, was placed under a bond of $5,000 in connection with the Honduras lottery matter.

More than a hundred miners, mostly Japanese, were killed in a disaster at Las Esperanzas, Mexico.

The plant of the Alpena (Mich.) Portland Cement company was burned, the loss being $400,000.

The Mississippi railroad commission ordered the railroads of the state to adopt a two-cent passenger rate on the interchangeable mileage basis.

C. N. Anderson of Atlanta, Ga., was fined $1,000 for bucket-shopping.

Charles Barnard, the well-known boat builder, died at Madison, Wis., at the age of 85.

W. A. Henry, for 27 years dean of the University of Wisconsin college of Agriculture, resigned because of poor health and a desire to devote himself to literary work.

Mrs. Bertha Bauduy, well-known in St. Louis, committed suicide in New York because of the death of a dear friend.

The Wisconsin state railway commission handed down a decision in the two-cent railroad fare question, ordering that the railways in the state give a flat two and one-half cent passenger fare.

The will of Count John A. Creighton contained several large bequests to educational and benevolent institutions.

A. L. Brannon, a saloonkeeper at Malden, Mo., shot and killed Attorney D. R. Cox and Dr. J. W. Beall, and was shot and killed himself a few hours later while being removed from the jail to Kennett for safe-keeping.

A Houston, Texas, jewelry company was robbed of between $50,000 and $60,000 worth of loose diamonds.

Two men were killed, two fatally injured and several others hurt as a result of an explosion of a boiler at a sawmill plant at State Line, Ark.

Maj. C. W. Pierce, of Lincoln, one of the framers of the Nebraska constitution and a pioneer lawmaker, died suddenly at Hastings, Florida, where he had gone for his health.

Chalmers Vestal, president of the Caney Fork Lumber & Tie company, and one of the best known lumbermen of the upper Cumberland region, fatally shot himself at Baxter, Tenn., by accident.

An appeal to the governor of North Dakota and to the interstate commerce commission was sent by the business men of Kathryn, N. D., for action looking toward resumption of freight traffic.

The New York police heard that William F. Walker, the missing treasurer of the New Britain, Conn., savings bank, lost more than $350,000 of the bank's funds to wire-tappers.

E. H. Harriman, the railway magnate, was subpoenaed to appear before the interstate commerce commission in New York Monday, February 25.

Six seamen lost their lives when the Philadelphia & Reading Coal company's barges, Girard and Alaska, went ashore and broke up off Highland Light, Mass.

Many persons were made homeless by a flood of the Missouri river near Vermilion, S. D.

Nineteen persons were frozen to death at various places in East and West Prussia.

Secretary of War Taft accepted an invitation to deliver the commencement address at the University of Minnesota June 13.

Count Van Bylandt, the well-known sportsman of The Hague, was killed during races on the famous toboggan course at St. Moritz, Switzerland.

Ethel Levy, actress, obtained a divorce from George Cohan, actor and playwright.

Fire at the Pullman plant, Chicago, destroyed 400,000 feet of valuable tropical woods.

Several persons were badly burned and a number were otherwise injured in a tenement house fire at Avenue B and Clinton street, New York.

Five men were killed at Hazelpatch, Ky., by the explosion of 100 sticks of dynamite, which they were thawing around a fire.

Nora Turner of Harrisburg, Ill., shot Robert Kennedy at Marion because he wouldn't marry her, and then shot herself.

The next northwestern triennial saengerfest was set for July 23-26, 1908, at La Crosse, Wis.

The Raddis Lumber and Veneer company's plant at Marshfield, Wis., burned, the loss being $75,000.

The British steamer Heliopolis collided with the British steamer Orlanda, near Cardiff, Wales. Orlanda sank and 14 persons including her captain, were drowned.

A fire in Allegheny destroyed five business buildings and three dwelling houses, causing an estimated loss of $200,000. A number of firemen had narrow escapes.

Eri Baker Hulbert, dean of the University of Chicago Divinity school and head of the department of church history, died of gall stones, complicated by pneumonia.

John Hilbert, Ralph Schertner and Lauren Nye, boys, broke through the ice and were drowned in Rock river, at Dixon, Ill.

The special committee appointed by the directory of the Pennsylvania railway to investigate the charges of graft and favoritism against the officers and employes, reported that the charges were unfounded except that 15 men had accepted gifts of interests in corporations.

A violent outbreak of anti-British feeling has occurred at Lahore, India, following the conviction of the proprietor and editor of a native newspaper who were accused of stirring up hatred against England.

Charles W. Morse bought the New York and Porto Rico Steamship line.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 18—A thorough investigation of the financial affairs of the state university at Minneapolis is asked in a resolution which has been presented for consideration of the house by R. L. Mork of Bricelyn. It calls for appointment of a committee of five, two senators and three representatives, which committee shall be authorized to continue its work after the present legislative session and report to the secretary of state on or before Nov. 1, 1908. The resolution appropriates $250 for expenses.

Several bills of importance were introduced at the brief session of the house held yesterday afternoon and that of the senate held last evening. Burdette Thayer of Spring Valley, and Speaker L. H. Johnson both presented measures creating a 4 per cent gross earnings tax on sleeping car companies. C. W. Glotfelter of Waterville presented a bill to prevent further spread of disease among cattle by prohibiting the transportation of any livestock affected with infectious disease. Swan Nelson of Minneapolis is author of a bill to increase the gross earnings tax of 4 per cent on all express companies. At present the law levies a tax of 6 per cent, but it only applies to net receipts after the express companies have paid the railroads for cars and transportation. In the senate, E. J. Elwell of Minneapolis introduced a bill to levy a tax of three tenths of one mill throughout the state for three years for the purchase of additional lands for the state university, and authorizes the regents to issue certificates of indebtedness at once which may be paid off as the tax is collected. Senator A. S. Campbell of Austin provides for replenishing the road and bridge fund in counties of $1,000,000 to $15,000,000 taxable valuation, where such fund has been used up, by levying a county tax of not to exceed 1½ mills. Senator A. S. Nelson of Lanesboro presented a measure requiring that milk and cream be judged for purity by a system of exact weights, and that the standard pipette for measurement of milk shall have a capacity of 17.6 cubic centimeters. Senator E. S. Durment of St. Paul asks for mercy for drunkards in a bill providing that for first and second offenses the court may suspend execution of sentence during good behavior of the party convicted. Senator J. M. Hackney of Hamline, a prohibition district where blind pigs have been an annoyance for years, introduced a bill providing that any resident of the county alone may make a formal complaint for an action in court against an alleged blind pig.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 19—Can the state of Minnesota afford to appropriate $10,000 for the purchase of a silver service for the new battleship Minnesota? This question was debated for an hour in the senate this morning, the subject coming up when the bill of Senator J. F. Calhoun of Minneapolis to purchase the silver service, was considered in committee of the whole. Ole O. Sageng of Otter Tail objected to the whole proposition. Ole is the lone populist in the legislature and has been objecting a great deal of late to important republican measures. He though the appropriation a waste of money. If Minnesota must give a silver service, in his opinion, residents of the state who are in the habit of using silver service every day should chip in and buy the stuff for the battleship; it should not be shoved on the poor taxpayers of the state.

Senator Calhoun objected. "If the legislature and people of this state have grown so parsimonious," he said, "that their patriotism is all down in the cellar, then don't vote for this bill. But I don't think they have." The bill was finally referred to the finance committee to take action on placing the money needed on the general appropriation bill.

But one bill of much importance put in an appearance in the senate. It was by Senator Dar Hall, and provides for the establishment of a state hospital for criminal insane, to be located by the state board of control either at the state prison or in connection with some state asylum. The measure carries an appropriation of $50,000.

This afternoon the Senate railroad commission gave the railroad men a final hearing on pending legislation affecting the roads, then held an executive session after which the Peterson anti-pass bill, prohibiting passes, and the Peterson two cent railroad bill were reported out for passage.

In the house today, the W. A. Nolan reciprocal demurrage bill, materially amended, was reported out by the special committee of file having it in hand, and made a special order for consideration of the house Wednesday afternoon. One of the amendments provides that half of the penalty demanded of roads for failure to supply cars demanded, shall be paid to the state instead of all of it to the shipper who suffers. The penalty is changed to comply with a special schedule according to the number of cars ordered by one party and the length of time that party is made to wait.

George W. Rodenburg of St. Paul today introduced a bill providing for a constitutional amendment to exempt from taxation bonds of counties school districts, towns and cities.

The house adopted a resolution by W. L. Case of Cloquet calling for an investigation by a special committee of the feasibility of adopting a plan of indeterminate sentences for punishment of crime in Minnesota.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 20—The house today passed the reciprocal demurrage bill, by W. A. Nolan of Grand Meadow, by a vote of 113 to 1. The one lone man to vote against it was Thomas Brady of St. Paul, who comes from the district in which the head offices of the various railroads are located. There were one or two minor amendments adopted. Though a large number of changes were suggested by Ambrose Tighe of St. Paul, the house was not in a mood to make them. Several lawyers among the members doubted if the bill in its present form is constitutional, but the house passed this question up to the senate. The most important change in the bill compared to its original form is that half the demurrage which the railroads have to pay in default of supplying cars, goes into the treasury of the town where the cars are demanded, and but half to would-be shipper who suffers. The bill was considered as a special order today, and when it came to a vote everybody voted for it in view of the general demand that has gone up from the public for the measure.

Another important action today on the subject of railroad legislation, was the reporting into the senate by its railroad committee of two bills by Senator Peterson of Owatonna. One calls for prohibition of all passes, and the other makes two cents per mile the maximum charge which may be made for carrying passengers in Minnesota. The committee recommended both bills to pass. On the reading of the report, the senate burst into applause. Senator Peterson requested that both bills be made a special order for the following afternoon. Considerable debate followed, the discussion showing that two senate committees are going on junketing trips tomorrow. It was finally decided for this reason, to hold the special order over until next Tuesday afternoon. Both the Peterson bills seem sure to pass.

The senate listened to an eloquent address today by Senator J. M. Hackney of Hamline who took opportunity to explain his bill for a semi-centennial exposition in 1908, the state's anniversary of admission into the Union. The bill was reported in for passage by the state fair committee. Senator Hackney explained that tho the bill asks for $1,000,000 for the exposition, not one cent is really to be appropriated. The plan is to raise the entire sum by selling certificates of indebtedness, which are to be paid off by proceeds of the exposition, and future state fairs. He further stated that the bill calls for $850,000 to be invested in permanent improvements, new main building, new grand-stand, new sewer and lighting system, etc., which improvements will have to be made very soon anyway for future state fairs, whether or not the exposition is held.

Senator Moonan of Waseca introduced an important bill today. It calls for nomination of state officers candidates for the United States senate by each party at a primary election to be held seven weeks prior to the general election. The candidates thus nominated for the senate shall be referred to the legislature which must elect the United States senator from this field offered. The bill also demands that a voter at the primary election must announce his party affiliation for the next general election as well as the last one, to the primary election judges; otherwise, the judges are simply to register his name and refuse to permit him to vote at the primary. The aim is to confine the primary election to party lines. The bill went to the committee to elections.

Fire at State Park.

Mankato—The residence and store of J. B. Hodge, the Omaha railway agent and superintendent of the new state park at Minneopa, burned to the ground there, entailing a loss of nearly $3,000. He carried $1,900 insurance. Mr. Hodge and his family barely escaped with their lives, and were unable to save even their clothing.

Hogs Attack Farmer.

Mankato—William Woodburn, an Independence farmer, aged 71 years, was attacked and probably fatally injured by a vicious hog, but his faithful collie dog saved him from being killed outright. Woodburn was alone on the farm at the time, but his cries of pain and fright brought the dog to his rescue. The collie fought off the hog and killed it, and then stood guard over his master for two hours, when human help arrived.

Car Breaks in Two

Farihault—An expensives mash-up occurred at the coal docks of the Chicago Great Western railway in Kenyon while a freight train crew were putting up coal cars on the trestle. One car was shoved over the bumper and broke in two, the forward part of the car falling to the ground, while the other part remained on the trestle. Several other cars were also derailed upon the trestle. A wrecking crew soon cleared the track. No one was injured.

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XIII.—Continued.

Sometimes his grievance would have a personal basis, as when he told them: "I have gone to work and made roads to the canyon for wood; and I have cut wood down and piled it up, and then I have not got it. I wonder if any of you can say as much about the wood I have left there. I could tell stories of Elders that found and took my wood that should make professional thieves blush. And again I have proof to show that Bishops have taken thousands of pounds of wheat in tithing which they have never reported to the general tithing-office,—proof that they stole the wheat to let their friends speculate upon."

Under this very pointed denunciation many of the flock complained bitterly. But Brigham only increased the flow of his wrath upon them. "You need," said he, "to have it rain pitchforks, tines downward, from this pulpit, Sunday after Sunday."

Still, there were rebellious Saints to object, and, as Brigham drew the lines of his wrath tighter, these became more prominent in the community. When they voiced their discontent, they angered the priesthood. But when they indicated their purpose to leave the valley, as many soon did, they gave alarm. An exodus must be prevented at any cost, and so the priesthood let it be known that migration from the valley would be considered as nothing less than apostasy. In Brigham's own words: "The moment a person decides to leave this people, he is cut off from every object that is desirable in time or eternity. Every possession and object of affection will be taken from those who forsake the truth and their identity will eventually cease."

But, as the reform wave swept on, it became apparent that these words had been considered merely figurative by many who were about to seek homes outside the valley. From every side news came privately that this family or that was preparing to leave.

And so it came about that the first Sunday Joel Rae was able to walk to the tabernacle, still weak and wasted and trembling, he heard a sermon from Brigham which made him question his own soul in an agony of terror. For, on this day, was boldly preached, for the first time in Zion, something which had never before been more than whispered among the highest elect,—the doctrine of blood-atonement—of human sacrifice.

Under his discourse Joel Rae sat terrified, with a bloodless face, cowering as he had made others to cower six weeks before. The words seemed to carry his own preaching to its rightful conclusion; but now how changed was his world!—a whirling, sickening chaos of sin and remorse.

As he listened to Brigham's words, picturing the blood of the sinner smoking on the ground, his thoughts fled back to that night,—that night of wondrous light and warmth, the last he could remember before the great blank came.

Now the voice of Brigham came to him again: "'And almost all things are by the law purged with blood; and without shedding of blood is no remission!"

Then the service ended, and he saw Bishop Wright pushing toward him through the crowd.

"Well, well, Brother Rae—you do look peaked, for sure! But you'll pick up fast enough, and just in time, too. Lord! what won't Brother Brigham do when the Holy Ghost gets a strangle-holt on him? Now, then," he added, in a lower tone, "If I ain't mistaken, there's going to be some work for the Sons of Dan!"

CHAPTER XIV.

How the Souls of Apostates Were Saved.

The Wild Ram of the Mountains had spoken to-day; there was work at hand for the Sons of Dan. When his Witness at last came to Joel Rae, he tried vainly to recall the working of his mind at this time; to remember where he had made the great turn—where he had faced about. For, once, he knew, he had been headed the way he wished to go, a long, plain road, reaching straight toward the point whither all the aspirations of his soul urged him.

And then, all in a day or in a night, though he had seen never a turn in the road, though he had gone a true and straight course, suddenly he had looked up to find he was headed the opposite way. After facing his goal so long, he was now going from it—and never a turn! It was the wretched paradox of a dream.

The day after Brigham's sermon on blood-atonement, there had been a meeting in the Historian's office, presided over by Brigham. And here for the first time Joel Rae found he was no longer looked upon as one too radical. Somewhat dazedly, too, he realized at this close range the severely practical aspects of much that he had taught in theory. It was strange, almost unnerving, to behold his own teachings naked of their pulpit rhetoric: to find his long-cherished ideals materialized by literal-minded, practical men.

He heard again the oath he had sworn, back on the river-flat: "I will assist in executing all the decrees of the First President, Patriarch, or President of the Twelve, and I will cause all who speak evil of the Presidency or Heads of the Church to die the death of dissenters or apostates——" And then he had heard the business of the meeting discussed. Decisions were reached swiftly, and orders given in words that were few and plain. Even had these orders been repugnant to him, they were not to be questioned; they came from an infallible priesthood, obedience to which was the first essential to his soul's salvation; and they came again from the head of an organization to which he was bound by every oath he had been taught to hold sacred. But, while they left him dazed, disconcerted, and puzzled, he was by no means certain that they were repugnant. They were but the legitimate extension of his teachings since childhood, and of his own preaching.

In custody at Kayesville, 25 miles north of Salt Lake City, were six men who had been arrested by church authority while on their way east from California. They were suspected of being Federal spies. The night following the meeting which Joel Rae had attended, these prisoners were attacked while they slept. Two were killed at once; two more after a brief struggle; and the remaining two the following day, after they had been pursued through the night. The capable Bishop Wright declared in confidence to Joel Rae that it reminded him of old days at Nauvoo.

The same week was saved Rosmas Anderson, who had incurred rejection from Israel and eternal wrath by his misbehavior. Becoming submissive to the decree of the Church, when it was made known to him by certain men who came in the night, it was believed that his atonement would suffice to place him once more in the household of faith. He had asked but half a day to prepare for the solemn ceremony. His wife, regretful but firm in the faith, had provided clean garments for her sinful husband, and the appointed executioners dug his grave. They went for him at midnight. By the side of the grave they had let him kneel and pray. His throat had then been cut by a deft hand, and he was held so that his blood ran into the grave, thus consummating the sacrifice to the God of Israel. The widow, obeying instructions, announced that her husband had gone to California.

Then the soul of William Parrish, at Springville, was saved to eternal glory; also the soul of his son, Beason. For both of these sinful ones were on the verge of apostasy; had plotted, indeed, and made secret preparations to leave the valley, all of which were discovered by church emissaries, fortunately for the eternal welfare of the two most concerned. Yet a few years later, when the hated Gentiles had gained some shadow of authority in the new Zion, their minions were especially bitter as to this feat of mercy, seeking, indeed, to indict the performers of it.

As to various persons who met death while leaving the valley, opinion was divided on the question of their ultimate salvation. For it was announced concerning these, as their bodies were discovered from time to time, that the Indians had killed them.

It was now that Joel Rae became conscious that he was facing directly away from the glory he had so long sought and suffered for. Though as yet no blood for Israel had been shed in his actual presence, he had attended the meetings of the Sons of Dan, and was kept aware of their operations. It seemed to him in after years that his faculties had at this time been in trance.

He was seized at length with an impulse to be away from it all. As the days went by with their tragedies, he became half wild with restlessness and a strange fear of himself. In spite of his lifelong training, he knew there was wrong in the air. He could not question the decrees of the priesthood, but this much became clear to him,—that only one thing could carry with it more possibilities of evil than this course of the Church toward dissenters—and that was to doubt that Brigham Young's voice was as the voice of God. Not yet could he bring himself to this. But the unreasoning desire to be away became so strong that he knew he must yield to it.

Turning this in his mind one day he met a brother Elder, a man full of zeal who had lately returned from a mission abroad. There had been, he said, a great outpouring of the spirit in Wales.

"And what a glorious day has dawned here," he continued. "Thank God, there is a way to save the souls of the blind! That reminds me—have you heard of the saving work Brother Pixley was obliged to do?"

"Brother Pixley?—no." He heard his own voice tremble, in spite of his effort at self-control. The other became more confidential, stepping closer and speaking low.

"Of course, it ain't to be talked of freely, but you have a right to know, for was it not your own preaching that led to this glorious reformation? You see, Brother Pixley came back with me, after doing great works abroad. Naturally, he came full of love for his wives. But he had been here only a few days when he became convinced that one of them had forgotten him; something in her manner made him suspect it, for she was a woman of singularly open, almost recklessly open, nature. Then a good neighbor came and told him that one night, while on his way for the doctor, he had seen this woman take leave of her lover—had seen the man, whom he could not recognize, embrace her at parting. He taxed her with this, and she at once confessed, though protesting that she had not sinned, save in spirit. You can imagine his grief, Brother Rae, for he had loved the woman. Well, after taking counsel from Brigham, he talked the matter over with her very calmly, telling her that unless her blood smoked upon the ground, she would be cast aside in eternity. She really had spiritual aspirations, it seems, for she consented to meet the ordeal. Then, of course, it was necessary to learn from her the name of the man—and when all was ready for the sacrifice, Brother Pixley commanded her to make it known."

"Which Wife Did You Say—"

"Tell me which of Brother Pixley's wives it was." He could feel the little cool beads of sweat upon his forehead.

"The fifth, did I not say? But to his amazement and chagrin, she refused to give him the name of the man, and he had no way of learning it otherwise, since there was no one he could suspect. He pointed out to her that not even her blood could save her should she die shielding him. But she declared that he was a good man, and that rather than bring disgrace upon him she would die—would even lose her soul; that in truth she did not care to live, since she loved him so that living away from him was worse than death. I have said she was a woman of a large nature, somewhat reckless and generous, and her mistaken notion of loyalty led her to persist in spite of all the threats and entreaties of her distressed husband. She even smiled when she told him that she would rather die than live away from this unknown man, smiled in a way that must have enraged him—since he had never won that kind of love from her for himself—for then he let her meet the sacrifice without further talk. He drew her on to his knee, kissed her for the last time, then held her head back—and the thing was done. How sad it is that she did not make a full confession. Then, by her willing sacrifice, she would have gone direct to the circle of the Gods and Goddesses; but now, dying as she did, her soul must be lost——"

"Which wife did you say——"

"The fifth—she that was Mara Cavan—but, dear me, Brother Rae! you should not be out so soon! Why, man, you're weak as a cat! Come, I'll walk with you as far as your house, and you must lie abed again until you are stronger. I can understand how you wished to be up as soon as possible; how proud you must feel that your preaching has led to this glorious awakening and made it possible to save the souls of many sinful ones—but you must be careful not to overtax yourself."

Four days later, a white-faced young Elder applied to Brigham for permission to go to the settlements on the south. He professed to be sick, to have suffered a relapse owing to incautious exposure so soon after his long illness. He seemed, indeed, not only to be weak, but to be much distressed and torn in his mind.

Brigham was gracious enough to accord the desired permission, adding that the young Elder could preach the revived gospel and rebaptize on his way south, thus combining work with recreation. He was also good enough to volunteer some advice.

"What ails you mostly, Brother Joel, is your single state. What you need is wives. You've been here ten years now, and it's high time. You're given to brooding over things that are other people's to brood on, and then, you're naturally soul-proud. Now, a few wives will humble you and make you more reasonable, like the rest of us. I don't want to be too downright with you, like I am with some of the others, because I've always had a special kind of feeling for you, and so I've let you go on. But you think it over, and talk to me about it when you come back. It's high time you was building up your thrones and dominions in the Kingdom."

He started south the next day, riding down between the two mountain ranges that bordered the valley, stopping at each settlement, breathing more freely, resting more easily, as each day took him farther away. Yet, when he closed his eyes, there, like an echo, was the vision of a woman's face with shining eyes and lips,—a vision that after a few seconds was washed away by a great wave of blood.

But after a few days, certain bits of news caught up with him that happily drove this thing from his sight for a time by stirring within him all his old dread of Gentile persecution.

First he heard that Parley Pratt, the Archer of Paradise and one of the Twelve Apostles, had been foully murdered back in Arkansas while seeking to carry to their mother the children of his ninth wife. The father of these children, so his informant reported, had waylaid and shot him.

Then came rumors of a large wagon-train going south through Utah on its way to California. Reports said it was composed chiefly of Missourians, some of whom were said to be boasting that they had helped to expel the Saints from Jackson county in that state. Also in this train were reported to be several men from Arkansas who had been implicated in the assassination of Apostle Pratt.

But news of the crowning infamy reached him the following day,—news that had put out all thought of his great sin and his bloody secret, news of a thing so monstrous that he was unable to give it credence until it had been confirmed by other comers from the north. President Buchanan, inspired by tales that had reached him of various deeds growing out of the reformation, and by the treatment which various Federal officers were said to have received, had decided that rebellion existed in the Territory of Utah. He had appointed a successor to Brigham Young as governor, so the report ran, and ordered an army to march to Salt Lake City for the alleged purpose of installing the new executive.

Three days later all doubt of the truth of this story was banished. Word then came that Brigham was about to declare martial law, and that he had promised that Buchanan's army should never enter the valley.

Now his heart beat high again, with something of the old swift fervor. The Gentile yoke was at last to be thrown off. War would come, and the Lord would surely hold them safe while they melted away the Gentile hosts.

He reached the settlement of Parowan that night, and when they told him there that the wagon-train coming south—their ancient enemies who had plundered and butchered them in Jackson county—was to be cut off before it left the basin, it seemed but right to him, the just vengeance of Heaven upon their one-time despoilers, and a fitting first act in the war drama that was now to be played.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Modest, But—

"Bjenks isn't a bit conceited, is he?"

"Not a particle, although he admits that any man with his abilities doubtless would be."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Fangs Are Not Drawn.

St. Paul—"Sam" Fullerton is not a dead one yet, and certain dealers in contraband game who held a banquet recently in St. Paul to rejoice over the game protector's downfall find that their jubilation was premature. Mr. Fullerton is no longer executive agent but he has been retained by the game and fish commission with the title of "superintendent of fisheries," He will have charge of the St. Paul and Glenwood fish hatcheries, will superintend the taking of fish eggs and fry, and will assist in the executive department when needed. This means that during the duck and chicken season Fullerton will be just as perniciously active as ever.

The new commission organized as follows: O. J. Johnson of Glenwood, was elected president; J. H. Grill of Sherburne, vice-president; Robert H. Hanna of Fergus Falls, secretary, and Carlos Avery of Hutchinson, executive agent. The commission settled the disputed claim of Tanner Brothers for fish ponds at the Glenwood hatchery on the basis of $1,300.

Taxes.

St. Paul—The abstract of tax lists of all counties of Minnesota, just issued by State Auditor Iverson, shows that the average rate of taxation in Minnesota has fallen from 26.20 mills in 1905, to 25.60 mills in 1906.

The total amount of taxes paid by the people of Minnesota for all purposes, state, county, city, village and school districts, amounts to $23,472,577.06, an increase of over $1,100,000 over the previous year.

The rate of taxation in Hennepin county is 25.33 mills, slightly below the average in the state. Hennepin's total taxes amount to $5,253,264.75, nearly one-fourth of all taxes paid in the state.

The total value of all property in Minnesota for taxation purposes is $917,017,413, compared to $853,033,535 in 1905. Of the total amount personal property constitutes $163,432,357.

City and village taxes show a substantial increase throughout. The taxes for state revenue purposes have decreased from $1,538,801 in 1905 to $1,421,387 in 1906.

Cooley to Be Delegate.

St. Paul—George W. Cooley, secretary of the state highway commission, has been invited to attend the fourth annual convention of the American Roadmakers' Association, which will be held at Pittsburg for three days, beginning March 12. Mr. Cooley will be the delegate from Minnesota. Possibly Gustave Scholle of the state highway commission will also attend. There will be representatives at the convention from all parts of the Union and addresses will be made by expert road builders from various parts of the country.

Poultry Men Ballot.

Mankato—At the annual meeting of the Central Minnesota Poultry Association, it was decided to hold the next annual poultry show in this city on Jan. 4 to 10, 1908. The report of the secretary showed the recent show to have been a success in every way. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: H. W. Perry, president; Charles E. Kleth, first vice-president; Mrs. Ed. McGrath of St. Peter, second vice-president; E. C. Willard, treasurer; J. W. Kollman, secretary; C. E. Kleth, superintendent.

Totes Dog to St. Paul.

Moorhead—A man who claims to be traveling from Havre, Mont., to St. Paul, was picked up and brought to this city by a Great Northern section crew. The man, who says his name is Hawley, was found about two miles southeast of Moorhead. He was walking along the tracks and carried a dead dog over his shoulder. He wanted to sell the carcass for $200, but insisted that he must keep the skin, which he had to take to St. Paul. He is being held pending an inquiry as to his sanity.

Fire at Kasota.

Mankato—Kasota was visited by one of the worst fires in its history. Babcock & Buell's three two-story brick store buildings burned to the ground with their entire contents. They were occupied by M. A. Ostrander who conducted a general merchandise store in one, a dry goods store in the second and a hardware store in the third. The loss on the buildings is about $12,000, only one-third covered by insurance, and the loss to the stock is $20,000, one-half covered by insurance.

Is Given 35 Years.

Minneapolis—Thirty-five years of imprisonment at the state penitentiary is the penalty imposed by Judge Simpson upon John Wilson, recently convicted in the Hennepin county court of the crime of highway robbery. The reason for the heavy sentence lies in the fact that Wilson has been convicted of similar crimes three times before.

News Notes.

Mankato—The public school at Cleveland is closed for two weeks on account of an epidemic of measles.

Milaca—John Hanks, an Indian, was found dead in the road near Page. Coroner Bacon decided that the man had been frozen to death. Several bottles of whisky were found on the body, and it is supposed that the Indian had become intoxicated and lay down in the road to sleep and was frozen to death.

Cannon Falls—Joseph Timmeras was run over by a train at Stanton, a station about eight miles west of here. He was on his way home from Wisconsin to visit his father, who is in poor health. He had stepped off the train and was about to start for home when he was struck.

Fierce Drive.

McIntosh.—Driving thirty miles through deep snow, the journey occupying three days, with a sick child in her arms for the entire distance, Mrs. Albert Oefstos aptly illustrated the pluck and hardihood of Minnesota women. Mrs. Oefstos lives on a claim near Lillo, and this winter her husband has been working in the woods, leaving his wife and child alone. Two weeks ago the little one was taken violently ill with croup, and then came a fight for its life. The mother treated the little one with such home remedies as she had, but finding that the disease did not yield, she determined to bring it here to a doctor. She harnessed a horse to a cutter and wrapping herself and the little one as warmly as possible and taking along a supply of cooked food, started on the thirty-mile drive. So deep was the snow that not more than ten miles a day could be accomplished. The nights were spent with friendly settlers, and with the first break of dawn the anxious mother again started on her quest for relief for the child. The journey ended and the mother felt well repaid for her hardships by the recovery of the child.

Wound Likely to Kill.

Browns Valley.—Ole Aspesletten was shot here with a 32 calibre revolver in the hands of Peter Branden, a well-known farmer, living over the line in Roberts county, South Dakota. The shooting is supposed to have been accidental, although Branden is being held to see if the result proves fatal. Aspesletten is still alive, but the doctors say his chances for recovery are small. Four ragged holes in his intestines mark the path of the bullet. He is 24 years old and came from Norway a year ago. The men had been fishing and indulged in alcohol. Careless handling of a loaded revolver is given as the cause of the affair, although there is rumor of a previous quarrel.

Log Kills "Top-Loader."

Tower—Axel Anderson, a woodsman, 23 years old, while engaged in "top-loading" at a lumber camp near here, was instantly killed. While the logs were being hoisted to the top of the load, one of them broke loose and dropped back. Anderson was struck on the head and was instantly killed.

Fire at State Park.

Mankato—The residence and store of J. B. Hodge, the Omaha railway agent and superintendent of the new state park at Minneopa, burned to the ground there, entailing a loss of nearly $3,000. He carried $1,900 insurance. Mr. Hodge and his family barely escaped with their lives, and were unable to save even their clothing.

Jasper's Mill Burned.

Pipestone—A destructive fire visited Jasper, the flour mill at that place being entirely consumed. The manager and all employed were at supper, and the origin of the fire is a mystery. The total loss is estimated at from $10,000 to $12,000, which is only partly covered by insurance. Flour, feed and wheat were destroyed.

News Notes.

Vernon Center.—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Barnes celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. About eighty of their old neighbors and friends assembled from Vernon Center, Lake Crystal and vicinity.

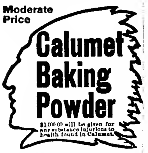
Mankato.—While Raymond Doyle and William Engel, of Plum Valley, were on their way home from Minnesota Lake the king bolt on the wagon broke, throwing both men out. Engel was not much injured, but Doyle was badly hurt and was carried back to Minnesota Lake. It was found that his jaw was broken and it was necessary to remove six of his teeth.

Newton.—The 11-year-old daughter of John Blush, of Bluffton, sustained a serious laceration of her hand by the explosion of a dynamite cap. The little girl was alone in the house, and out of curiosity picked up a dynamite cap which her father had made for using in some blasting that he intended to do. While she was examining it the cap exploded, tearing a hole through her hand.

Faribault.—Wolves in this county are more numerous than in former years and many are being shot. It is reported that a hunter shot a large timber wolf inside of the city limits the other day. A woman living on the outskirts of the city a few evenings ago heard a disturbance in her hen house, and upon investigation she found a wolf trying to get at her poultry. She attempted to chase the beast away, but it showed fight. When she returned with help, the animal had disappeared.

Mankato.—Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Barnes, well known residents of Vernon Center, celebrated the fiftieth birthday anniversary of their wedding a day or so ago. Eighty of their old friends and neighbors from Vernon Center, Lake Crystal and vicinity assembled to do them honor, and a bountiful luncheon was served. The old couple were presented with several handsome gifts. A biography of the couple was read by E. W. Washburn. The celebration was planned and took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Barnes.

Minneapolis.—H. W. Lauderdale, of Minneapolis, Fred R. Johnson, of New Richmond, K. J. Knutson, of Mankato, and William S. Ervin are the four freshmen chosen to enter the annual inter-class oratorical contest in the university chapel March 6. The sophomores who won places are Dagny Knutson, of St. Cloud, Z. L. Potter and M. Lowenthal, of Minneapolis, and S. H. Peterson, of Minneota. The eight were picked from a field of nineteen contestants. Professors M. L. Sanford and E. E. McDermott and D. W. Sprague, N. Whitney and T. Cahill were the judges. Three prizes are offered in the final contest, $25, $15 and $10.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DAIRY AND TRUCK FARMS.

Northern Minnesota lands, expert and authorities who have made personal investigations declare, should be in great demand right now for dairy farms, while all the tracts within five or ten miles of the cities and towns should be held at goodly prices for truck gardens. That these are not present conditions is due to the fault of some one in not setting these advantages before Eastern homeseekers versed in the art of dairying and raising garden produce.

Experts agree that the lands of Northern Minnesota afford infinitely better opportunities for preminm dairy farms than do those of Denmark and Sweden. It is declared that the finest, richest, most succulent clover of any in the world can be produced on the ground that has been mulched for centuries and centuries by the forest trees. Such clover will, beyond all manner of doubt, produce the best of milk and cream and the butter products, by experience and care, can be made to rank even above the world-renowed butter of Denmark

As for the truck farming industry in the vicinity of the cities and towns, Northern Minnesota will certainly produce everything that Southern Canada, Northern Vermont and New Hampshire and Central Maine will. There is almost undisputable evidence from limited experience, as well as from the nature of the soil, that the yields of such truck farms will; in the hands of skilled garden workers, far surpass even the famous yields of Maine and Ontario. The steady growth of the cities of this section and the present high cost of importing "garden sass" from other states assures ready and steady markets for all vegetables at good profits.

Of course, the heavily timbered nature of most of the land will necessitate considerable work in clearing, but an expert farmer and dairyman would welcome an encircling belt of timber as the best of wind and storm breaks and as affording shelter for cattle in summer and whenever the inclemency of the season does not necessitate confinement in barns. The experiences of those who have so far made eminent successes of dairy places in this region prove these claims.

To the objection that there are few roads through Northern Minnesota and the rail communication is the poorest, it may safely be answered that roads will be constructed and electric or steam lines will follow quickly on the demand for service. That has been the repeated experience everywhere else and there is no reason tor thinking that it will fail in this section. That all of Northern Minnesota, except, of course, the forest reserve, will be a string of dairy and truck farms before many years is a safe speculation.—Duluth Herald.

A Doctor's Medicine

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is not a simple cough syrup. It is a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine. It cures hard cases, severe and desperate cases, chronic cases of asthma, pleurisy, bronchitis, consumption. Ask your doctor about this.

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After having been snowbound for nearly two months North Dakota has just succeeded in raising her head high enough above a snow drift to proclaim, like Mark Twain in response to inquiries concerning rumors of his death,—"reports greatly exaggerated."

The state fair association wants $1,500,000 for a semi-centennial celebration; St. Paul wants $2,000,000 for state capital approaches, or in other words to improve St. Paul; the state "U" could use a million to boost faculty salaries, while the common people keep right on digging up annually and wonder why their representatives never get any of those big "wads" for the benefit of the taxpayer.

The railroads protest that the present agitation, if continued, will demoralize the business of the transportation companies and is likely to precipitate a panic in financial circles. The railroads have held control of the reins of transportation so long that they look upon the traffic world as theirs by right of conquest, and if they think it will carry their point they will be only too willing to loose a few millions in demoralizing traffic conditions and tightening the money market until the people in people in sheer desperation will be willing to yield the bone of contention. Let us hope there will be no yielding on the part of the people.

Elmer E. Adams, member of the legislature from Fergus Falls has introduced a bill in the house appropriating $1,500,000 for a "Semi Centenial Bridge Fund" to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the admission of the State of Minnesota into the Union. Various schemes have been proposed for celebrating the coming anniversary, the principal one being the holding of a six weeks exposition at the state fair grounds for which a strong lobby is at work to have the legislature appropriate $1,000,000. The Memorial which Mr. Adams proposes is certainly the most practical and it is one which will appeal to the people of every county in the state for everywhere there is need of permanent bridges, and the townships are unable to build them unaided. The bill provides for issuing certificates of indebtedness by the state for $1,500,000 bearing 4 per cent interest and these are to be paid off at the rate of $100,000 a year. This is the plan on which the $4,000,000 capitol was built and the one on which it is proposed to raise $1,000,000 for the "expanded" state fair and the $1,500,000 for the capitol approaches. The bill divides the $1,500,000 among the counties of the state according to their size and needs and is to be used in building iron, stone or concrete bridges, and on each bridge there is to be a tablet of iron which shall read "Erected in 1908 in Commemoration of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Admission of Minnesota into the Union." The money when paid to the counties will be apportioned by the county boards, which will determine what proportion of the cost of the bridge shall be provided by the township or village and what proportion shall be paid out of the Semi-Centennial fund. Under the provisions of the bill Red Lake county would receive $10,000.

Piles of people have Piles. Why suffer from piles when you can use DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve and get relief. Nothing else so good. Beware of Imitations. See that the name is stamped on each box. Sold by all druggists.

We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times.—First State Bank, Red Lake Falls.

A TWO DAYS SESSION

County Commissioners Meet And Spend a Couple of Days Locking After Accumulated Business.

The county board met at the Auditor's office Tuesday morning, and spent the afternoon and evening going over and taking care of a big bunch of accumulated county business.

The financial statement of Red Lake county for the year 1906, as submitted by Auditor O'Brien, was approved and ordered published.

Several pending school matters were taken up and disposed of. The petition of H. B. Blaekey for a new district in Silverton township was granted. The petion of Frank Savage et al., for a new district was rejected, inasmuch as it embraced territory in three districts already organized.

The petition of Joseph Johnson et al., for a new district in town of Star, and the petition of Stalla Ptacek, for a new district in town of Silverton were read and hearing set for next meeting.

Erick J. Lowe petitioned to be set off from district 51 to district 30; Stephen Jacobson petitions to be set off from district 51 to district 30; Anfin Torkelson petitions to be sent off from district 51 to district 221 and Ole J. Valsviek asks to be sent off from district 51 to 221. Hearing on these petitions will be heard at the next meeting of the board.

The surety bond of E. G. Buse as official abstracter of Red Lake county was approved.

H. A. Homme of Grilhrok postoffice, Polk county, was granted an auctioner's licence.

The town of Terrebonne was granted the sum of $200 to aid in repairing bridge oves Clearwater.

Jacob Thill applied for licence to sell liquors at Wylie, which will be decided at the next meeting.

The sum of $50 was given to A. D. Brown to build road in new town of Star.

The sum of $350 was appropriated to aid in repairing a road in the city of Thief River Falls.

A typewriter was purchased for the Judge of Probate's office.

The sum of $150 or as much thereof as required was given the County Treasurer for clerk hire.

A big bunch of bills were allowed and the board adjourned sinedie.

MANY TEACHERS PASS

County Superintendent Receives Returns On Recent Examinations.

County Superintendent of Schools McAnulty has received his returns from the recent state teachers' examinations held in this county, and considering the number of actual teachers who wrote the examinations the returns are highly satisfactory.

The following is a list of those who passed, and the grade of certificate they secured:

Florence Columbus, Terrebonne, first; Bertha L. Lafreniere, Red Lake Falls, first; Marie A. Burgess, Thief River Falls, con first; Irene A. Caldwell, Thief River Falls, second; Anna J. Fallman, St. Hilaire, second; Wm. J. Harlow, Red Lake Falls, second; Mayme M. Linnihan, Red Lake Falls, second; Caroline Nettleland, St. Hilaire, second; Frank M. Shanahan, Thief River Falls, second; Marius Rollaud, St. Hilaire, second; Bridgetta Connaughty, Red Lake Falls, con. second; Winifred M. Henry, Kratka, con. second; Morah E. Anderson, St. Hilaire, con. second; Clara Berg, Red Lake Falls, con. second; Pauline A. Boe, Thief River Falls, con. second; Bertha M. Dougherty, Red Lake Falls, con. second; Anna B. Johnson, Thief River Falls, con. second; Ella Krueger, Red Lake Falls, con. second; Dora Rasmussen, Thief River Falls, con. second; Julia Tohan, Red Lake Falls, con. second; Alyee Mae Wichterman, Red Lake Falls, con. second; Minnie A. Brown, Thief Rivrr Falls, limited second; Margaret McAndress, St. Hilaire, lim. second; Edwin J. Dahl, St. Hilaire, lim. second; Esther N. Johnson, St. Hilaire, lim. second; Ole Lund, St. Hilaire, lim. second.

In explanation Mr. McAnulty desires to call the attention of the school boards and others to the fac that this list is only of those who passed at the recent examinations. A great many of the teachers of the county, already holding sufficient state papers, did not participate in the exams. A first grade state certificate is good for five years, a second grade for two years, a conditional second grade for one year, a limited second grade issued to applicants without experience one year, after five months continuous teaching this can be exchanged for a complete second. Practically all of the conditioned certificates this year are for Civics, a study that will not be required in second grade work until the August examinations, so that this showing is highly satisfactory. The superintendent wishes it understood plainly, and desires the co-operation of all school officers, that no one holding a permit be given a school until after all the teachers with state papers have been engaged.

The schools of the county were never in better shape, and Mr. McAnulty is working hard to make 1907 the most successful school year in the county's history.

People Should Be Careful.

A patron of the Red Lake Falls postoffice was called upon to pay $10 as a penalty fer enclosing a letter in a package of Flodora tags and mailing as fourthclass matter. Under instructions the postmaster at St. Louis examined package finding letter reported facts to the department and collection was made.

Postal Laws and Regulations.

Any person who shall knowingly conceal or inclose any matter of a higher class in that of a lower class, and deposit or cause the same to be deposited for conveyance by mail, at a less rate than would be charged for both such higher and lower class matter, shall, for every such offense, be liable to a penalty of $10.00.

A liquid cold relief with a laxative principle which drives out the cold through a copious action of the bowels, and a healing principle which lingers in the throat and stops the coughs—that is Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Safe and sure in its action; pleasant to take; and conforms to National Pure Food and Drug law. Contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.

Nice assortment—from 150 to 200—of the latest Edison gold-mounted phonograph records, always on hand. Latest issued; all good. Buy your phonograph records from us.—Anderson & Wander.

A schedule has been prepared by the state highway commission for the distribution of the state road and bridge fund, amounting to $60,000, among the several counties of the state. The division is based on the property valuation and the number of miles of road in each county. The big counties of Hennepin, Ramsey and St. Louis are given the three per cent limit allowed by law, $1,800 each, and the bulk of the fund is distributed among the rich and populous counties of the southern and central part of the state, while the sparsely settled counties of northern Minnesota receive pittances ranging from three hundred to five or six hundred dollars. In other words the counties that need state aid most in the construction of highways receive the least. There will be another meeting of the commission before the final distribution and an effort will be made to have justice done the northern counties.

Pitcher's Castoria.

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The only excuse for buying anything but a Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Baking Powder is to save a few cents in price.

¶ROYAL costs you a few cents more per can than Alum or Phosphate of Lime powders, but it is worth far more than the difference to keep your biscuits, cakes and pastry free from the injurious effects of these cheapening substitutes.

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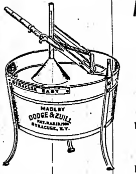
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Fargo, N. Dakota

The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

P. A. Eckstrom was here from Black River on business Tuesday.

Hank Draper was down from Thief River Falls several days this week.

Nels Nelson, a Plummer business man, was a business caller here Tuesday.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Before you buy a new hat come in and look at the new Lanphers at the Busy Store.

Rev. I. T. Aastad was here from Thief Falls last Friday evening and held services at the Norwegian Lutheran church.

Carl Krueger departed last evening for Antler, North Dakota, after a visit of three weeks with his parents and many friends here.

P. E. Pirath has been out on the road some during the past two weeks in the interests of the American LaFrance Fire Engine company, for which he is northwestern agent.

The venerable Fred Krueger is again able to be about town, after a three weeks' lay-up as a result of a fall wherein he fractured three ribs. His injuries have healed nicely and Mr. Krueger will shortly be as well as of yore.

On last Saturday afternoon the Fosston Woolen mills passed into the hands of the F. A. Patrick Co., wholesale dry goods dealers of Duluth. The new owners have purchased all the merchandise and raw material and leased the machinery for a long term of years and will continue to run the mill in its present location.

The members of the Elks quartette were delightfully entertained at the J. L. Tracy home while in the city last Friday evening. Mrs. Tracy and Miss Ida Miller were hostesses of the occasion and prepared a very elaborate spread for the singers. The table was decorated with the Elks' colors, and the party was a very enjoyable one.

Joe McCaffery arrived here Tuesday evening and is spending several days with his many Red Lake Falls friends. Joe is now empolyed by a large land firm at Winnipeg and is on his way to the southern part of the state, where he will spend the next month at advertising work for his firm. He will also travel through Illinois and Iowa for the same purpose. Joe has been making a big success of his work at the "Peg." and his many friends here are pleased to learn of his prosperity.

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'Phone 7—Groceries--SPILLANES.

The Big Store has a new ad in today's paper.

Sheriff Nelson was a visitor at Thief River Tuesday.

Wanted—To buy 20 cords of green poplar wood. Apply at the Big Store.

Halvor Locken, of Thief Fiver Falls was an over-night visitor here last Friday.

County Treasurer Tandberg spent last Friday visiting with his family at Thief River Falls.

We still have a number of pieces of 10 and 12½ Val. Laces for 4 cents per yard. Gareeau & Zaiser.

Roadmaster E. J. Regan went up to Thief River Falls yesterday, where he had some business that needed his attention.

Dr. Spofford will miss his visits for March and April, to Red Lake Falls. Next visit May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

Editor Chas. W. Latta and Chief of Police Joseph Morisette were in from Plummer yesterday looking after some business matters

Peter Walker, of Marshall, arrived yesterday for a visit with his brothers in this neighborhood, and to look after his real estate holdings.

J. J. Schoenauer, son of Paul Schoenauer, of Lake Pleasant, is at present employed as bookkeeper for a big concern at Armington, Montana.

Sam E. Hunt was in over Sunday to look after his business interests here. Sam likes his work on the road better with each succeeding day, and makes a very popular "knight of the grip."

Sheriff L. A. Nelson went up to Thief River Falls last Friday and the following day had the remainder of his household goods brought down here. Mr. Nelson has leased the Wm. Zaiser place on Bottineau avenue and is moving there this week.

A. Van der Wall, B. O. Wilkinson, Mort McKnight and Emery Dion, prominent Poplar River farmers, spent Tuesday in the city looking after some business matters. The Gazette was favored with a call from the gentleman.

F. C. Page, formerly cashier of the Citizens State Bank of McIntosh, was killed in an electric train wreck at New York last week. Mr. Page was well known to many of the older residents in this vicinity and was popular with those he came in contact with. He left McIntosh about eight or nine years ago and went east.

Conrad Lajambe came over from over from Blackduck Tuesday and spent a couple of days here looking after some business matters and visiting with his family. Mr. Lajambe has been logging near Blackduck this winter, and says that the winter has been a hard one for the lumbermen. He expects to be home some time next month to remain until the spring is well opened up.

Miss Ellda Peterson has reopened her dressmaking parlors in the front rooms of the Scheldrup block, and is prepared to meet her former patrons. Miss Peterson's establishment was badly damaged in the Reichel fire, and for a time she was undecided whether or not to reopen them. However, the former patrons of Miss Peterson were insistent that she reengage in business with the result that she has fitted up her new rooms in elegant shape and is again prepared for the public's patronage.

Macaroni seed wheat for sale.—L. C. Simons.

See Salley for your coal supply.

H. H. Zaiser was a Grand Forks visitor yesterday.

Edison phonographs for sale from $10 up.—Anderson & Wander.

Mrs. J. B. O'Brien visited at St. Hilaire between trains Monday.

J. R. Fortler was a business visitor at Crookston over Monday night.

Rev. Father Fayolle went down to Crookston Monday evening for an over-night visit with friends.

Register of Deeds Quist and Clerk of Court Johnson attended the farmers meeting at St. Hilaire last Friday.

Sheriff L. A. Nelson left last evening for Minneapolis where he will spend a few days visiting with relatives and attending to some business matters.

Miss Marion Annand came down from Thief River Falls Friday evening to attend the band concert, and remained as a guest at the Rev. H. W. Knox home until Monday morning.

All headaches go
When you grow wiser
And learn to use
An "Early Riser."

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, safe, sure pills.—All druggists.

Court Commissioner S. T. Johnson was down from Thief River Falls over Wednesday. Mr. Johnson did not have his anti-injunction plank along with him, but even then he failed to stumble onto one of those injunctions.

"Star Brand Shoes Are Better." They are made of the genuine Chromo calf skin, the kind that will stand spring wear, and in order to introduce them we are giving a special discount of 25 per cent on each pair. Get 'em at the Busy Store. G. & Z.

Chas. Boughton, jr., who has been dangerously ill for the past week, is reported as greatly improved at the present writing, much to the gratification of the people of the city. He is practically out of danger and on the high road to complete recovery.

Gentleman or lady to travel for Mercantile House of large capital. Territory at home or abroad to suit. If desirable the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of $1,000 per year and expenses. Address, Jos. A. Alexander, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Nightwatchman Arther Lizee was called to St. Paul last Saturday by a message announcing the death of his brother, Roch J. Lizee, who died suddenly from heart failure at his home there last Thursday evening. Mr. Lizee remained over Monday and attended the funeral. Deceased was well known to many of the older residents of this county, having settled here in 1879, locating at what is now Terrebonne. Mr. Lizee being the chiefer mover in the organization of that town. He lived in this section until about fifteen years ago, when he moved to St. Paul, where he has since lived. He leaves a wife and five children—three girls and two boys, besides several brothers and sisters to mourn him

The members of the Study Club were elegantly entertained at the home of Mrs. Thomas Germo last Thursday evening, Mesdames L. C. Simons, H. W. Knox and Thomas Germo doing the honors. The party was a commemoration of Washington's birthday anniversary, and the Germo home was elaborately decorated with American flags, bunting, etc. The rooms were lighted with candles and candellabras, and many beautiful geraniums were used in the decorations. A guessing match on contemporaneous history and a cherry tree contest furnished the diversion, Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain and Miss Laura Willson each receiving a crown of laurel for highest honors. An elaborate lunch was served, and the evening was most thoroughly enjoyed by the club members. Miss Marion Annand, of Thief River, was a guest.

Plummer Pioneer: Olaf Tande was here yesterday on his way home to Garnes from St. Hilaire with a fine three-weeks-old bull calf which he purchased from Chas. Gustafson. The calf is from a pure bred Guernsey sire and a choice grade Holstein dam which will make a choice dairy sire if he lives for two or three years more. Mr. Tande deserves credit for the efforts he is continually making to improve dairying conditions in this part of the country.....John Mahla was yesterday from his home west of town for the first time in six weeks. His home has been quarantined on account of the illness of one of his children with scarlet fever but on Tuesday last the physician in attendance pronounced all danger past and removed the quarantine. Mr. Mahla says he is glad it is over and that he will be pleased to see his friends call at his home again as of old....J. E. Buskirk went to Red Lake Falls on Tuesday in response to a letter received that morning announcing the illness of his oldest son with pneumonia. On Wednesday evening the little fellow was so much improved that Mr. Buskirk returned here to resume the management of the local lumber yard.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

Salley sells coal. Phone 79.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

T. Akre, of Thief River Falls, was an over night visitor here Monday.

Edison phonographs with fancy decorated concert horns, from $15 to $35.—Anderson & Wander.

Wm. Schaper and Ildage Baril, two successful south end farmers, attended the farmers meeting at St. Hilaire last Friday. They report a highly profitable gathering.

Grand Rapids Independent: Mrs. Cliff Orm, of Lambert, arrived here Saturday last, on her way to Coleraine where Mr. Orm is employed with the Coleraine Lumber company. Mr. Orm met her here on Sunday, they being the guests while here of the Independent family.

Dave Paradis, one of Poplar River's foremost hustlers, was a caller here Monday. Dave reported that early last week a son was born to them—being their thirteenth child—eleven of whom are living at present. Mr. Paradis scoffed at the idea that it was hard to support a family of this size, and seemed of the opinion that most of the hardships in this life were imaginary ones. Mr. Paradis has a fine farm in Poplar River and has prospered very nicely during the past few years.

Nothing will relieve Indigestion that is not a thorough digestant. Kodol digests what you eat and allows the stomach to rest—recuperate—grow strong again. KODOL is a solution of digestive acids and as nearly as possible approximates the digestive juices that are found in the stomach. KODOL takes the work of digestion off the digestive organs, and while performing this work itself does greatly assist the stomach to a thorough rest. In addition the ingredients of KODOL are such as to make it a corrective of the highest efficiency and by its action the stomach is restored to its normal activity and power. KODOL is manufactured in strict conformity with the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by all druggists.

The "men folks" of the Presbyterian congregation are to prove their superiorty as culinary artists at a big supper to be given at the Presbyterian church on April 3rd. At a meeting at the church last evening this much, at least, was decided, and from now on should you, perchance, come upon some friend on the street with his apron still intact, and his countenance dough bespattered, put it down that he is larnin.' It was resolved that the male fraternity must do all the cooking for the occasion, and all of those present went away with a solemn resolution secretly made to out-Herod Herod in the culinary art—or kill off those who will partake of the spread in the attempt. Several committies were appointed to arrange the details and from this on there will be much doing. A musical program will be provided, to sooth, perchance, the wounded feelings of the unfortunates after the spread. The Gazette through lack of space and time refrains from further harrowing details just now, but will try and rush to the defense of the unfortunate brothers—or the public—at a later date.

Two Well Improved Farms for Rent

The south half of sec. 21 and northwest quarter of sec. 28 in town of Black River. 175 acres timothy, good buildings.

The south half of section 33 in town of Terrebonne, 70 acres timothy, good buildings. Address,

—Cruzen & Tysseling,
Wylie, Minn.

NOTICE.

All knowing themselves indebted to the undersigned by book account or otherwise, will confer a great favor by settling same at the earliest moment possible. —J. R. & R. Fortier.

Accounts can be seen at V. M. Higinbotham's office.

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Dr. Hobbs' Sparagus Pills cure all kidney ills. Sample free. Add. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or N. Y.

We are busy opening up new

Spring Woolen Dress Goods

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A more complete assortment of spring goods was never exhibited in this city.

Our 10c Ribbon Sale and 5c and 9c Embryidery Sale still going on. Don't miss these bargains—they are worth looking after.

It Pays to Trade at

THE BIG STORE

Red Lake Falls

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the City Hall, February 21st, 1907, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by president Borchers.

Roll called.

Aldermen all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

Joseph Sally, for coal	$18 95
Fred Borchers, for committee work	6 00
Simon Paul, for committee work	6 00
Julius Keibl, for street work	16 50
John Deforge, for street work	19 80
L L Smith, for wiring fire alarm system	5 00
John Drier, for labor as watchman	2 00
A L Roy, for drayage, bill of $1.50 allowed at	1 00
Red Lake Falls Fire Department, services in four fires from Oct. 20, 1906 to Feb. 6, 1907, amount credited	149 00

Bids of the Gazette and Courier for city printing was on motion laid on the table until the next regular meeting.

The report of the examining committee was received, approved and ordered placed on file.

Aldermen Borchers, Crompe and Hennemuth were appointed a committee, duly authorized, to purchase fire hose, etc., for the fire department.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 27th day of February A. D. 1907.

J. A. Duffy,
Mayor.

Attest:
A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

Willie wailed and Winnie wheezed, while wintry winds whined weirdly. Willie wriggled while Winnie wheezed wretchedly. Wisdom whispers, winter winds work wheezes. Wherefore we write, "Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup." Nothing else so good. Sold by all druggists.

Subscribe for the Gazette

Concert Was Good.

One of the largest crowds of the season turned out last Friday evening to listen to the regular monthly concert by the Red Lake Falls band, and that none were in the least disappointed with what they heard was evidenced by the favorable remarks heard regarding it the following day. The band was on its mettle for the occasion, and rendered every number in a very delightful manner showing a marked improvement over their work of a a month ago. The specialties were all immense and each one was encored to the echo. Prof. Bruckman's clairnet solo, "Second Air Varie" was the first of the special features, and was rendered in a particularly pleasing manner. Mr. Bruckman is by far the finest performer on a clarinet that the people of this city have ever heard, and his work was given liberal appreciation. The Elks male quartette, of Crookston, composed of Messrs. Joe Wessel, Chas. Hitchcock, W. B. Krouse and M. Tontan, was down on the progran for two numbers, and each time they were obliged to respond to three or four enthusiastic encores. This quartette has become famous throughout the valley during the past few years, and come up in every respect to the expectations of our people. Their voices are splendidly harmonized, and their quartette work is as good or better than is generally heard in the bigger cities. The local orchestra rendered a pretty selection and responded to an encore. Harry B. Healy played "Old Black Joe" as a trombone solo. The variations on this theme are extremely difficult, but Mr. Healy rendered them with an artistic finish that was pleasing to the audience. The whole entertainment was of a high class order, and placed the band in high favor with the people for their efforts towards furnishing good entertainment.

Harry Mitchell's EDITORIAL.

My Spring goods have arrived, and a prettier bunch of fabrics you never clapped eyes on. I want you to write me for samples, for I know when you see them and read the prices I have put on them, you will let me make your Spring Suit.

Tell me the kind of clothes you are thinking of getting, and no matter where you live I'll guarantee to give you a perfect fit. For $15.00, $20.00 and $25.00 I'll make you a better suit than your local tailor would make you for twice those prices.

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Yours truly,
HARRY MITCHELL,
310 Nicollet Ave., MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

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$15, $20 or $25.

Better than any other Tailor's $30, $35 and $40.

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Minneapolis, Minn.

Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges . . .

We have just received several of the latest constructed Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges, in which are contained all the features which has made the steel range famous, and the latest improvements that are known to the range manufacturers' art, which makes this range the "Monarch" of them all. These ranges are now on exhibition at our store, and we would be pleased to have every housewife in this vicinity call and look them over. The price of the Monarch Malleable Steel Range" is cheaper accordingly than other so called "steel ranges."

New Hardware Store **G. A. KANKEL** *Red Lake Falls, Minn.*

WOULD SHUT SCHOOLS

MINNESOTA IRON RANGES EXCITED OVER LAW.

FEAR THE TONNACE TAX

Towns and School Districts on the Ranges Protest Against Proposed Law That Would Destroy the School System.

Hibbing, Minn., Feb. 12.—Threatened by legislation which would be totally destructive of the public school system of the iron ranges of Minnesota, the people of the mining country in St. Louis and Itasca counties have combined to make their appeal to the legislature and the state at large. The excited state of public feeling here is not comprehensible to the people of the state generally, for in urban and rural communities questions affecting taxation have not the vital interest for people of every condition that [illegible] topic has here. Confronted by the proposition now before the legislature that a tonnage tax be imposed on iron ore the people of the ranges are aroused [illegible] by the operation of such a tax [illegible] practically the entire source of revenue for the maintenance of the public schools would be removed from the local assessment rolls.

There is no difference of opinion on the ranges regarding this tax proposition and its effect. The range towns have been wrought to the pitch of holding mass meetings, not perfunctory affairs attended by a few taxpayers, but gatherings in which hundreds of people take part and speeches and resolutions setting forth the sentiments of the participants are indulged. There is a good deal of bitterness shown in some of the speeches, but most of them deplore the ignorance of conditions [illegible] which is responsible for the proposed taxation. The protest that has taken form in these meetings comes altogether from the people. The mining companies have no material interest in the proposed law, for it makes no difference to them whether they pay their taxes to the county or to the state. They are but incidentally interested in the matter by reason of the fact that the maintenance of the public schools contributes to the betterment of living conditions and promotes the progress in intelligence of the mining population. It is everywhere observed that the resolutions passed do not complain about the evident desire of [illegible] of the legislature to secure a larger state revenue from the iron mining industry, but they do object to a change in the manner of collecting the tax. The contention is made that if a tonnage tax is imposed it will necessarily carry with it the exemption of the mines from the realty assessment, and thus take away from St. Louis county 95 per cent of the assessed valuation outside of the city of Duluth.

The towns on the ranges do not represent any very considerable assessed valuation, while some of the school districts have an enormous assessed value. Here at Hibbing is a case in point. In the school district here the mines are down on the assessment roll for nearly $47,000,000, while the total assessment, including the village of Hibbing, is but $500,000 more. The schools are centered at the town here and the school population is out of all proportion to the taxable value of the property, with the mines excepted.

Same Conditions Everywhere.

The situation at Hibbing fairly typifies that on the ranges generally. At Eveleth $58,000 is raised annually for school purposes. Taking the mines out of the assessment, the property left subject to taxation would yield $540 annually for school purposes. At Ely, on the Vermilion range, the oldest mining community in the iron district, and where property values outside of the mines might be expected to have attained a maximum of value, [illegible] per cent of the assessment is represented by the mines. At Virginia 86 per cent of the assessed valuation is in the mines; at Chisholm 96 per cent. One-third of the entire assessed valuation of Itasca county—which is not generally regarded as a great iron county—is in the mines, and there is one school district in that county where there is an $85,000 house, and only 6 per cent of the assessed valuation is outside of the mines.

With these conditions, it is not to be wondered at that the people on the ranges are protesting and making preparation to assail the legislature by means of delegations and appeal to the fairmindedness of the people of the state to help them to avert the impending calamity. There is everywhere the feeling that the enactment of such a measure as the proposed tonnage tax would not be possible if the conditions were understood of the people at large. There is no attempt at tax dodging, no disposition to say that the state is not entitled to the revenue it wants from the mines; everybody is willing to subscribe to the proposition that the assessment on the mines might be increased and a larger revenue had for state purposes. The valuation of the mines in St. Louis county was raised to [illegible] last year, and the mining companies would interpose no serious objection to a further raise. The people would not lift a hand to prevent such an increase as the authorities might propose. But there is a profound feeling of indignation here over the possibility of the legislature passing a law that will be destructive of these communities—for the range communities must fall if the schools are closed, and the schools must close if the revenue from the mines is taken by the state. There is no wealth on the ranges except that in the mines; there is no hope of agricultural development, and there is a laboring population that is held in check and is fast being brought to the point of assimilation by the education of the children. To stop the work of education would throw this vast body of ignorant foreigners back to the state in which they lived in Austria, Hungary, Italy and other countries of central Europe. That would inevitably bring about a condition of anarchy.

The people interested in the schools, the district officials and superintendents, have undertaken the enlightenment of the people of the rest of the state as to conditions here. These men represent the best citizenship on the ranges. They have created a remarkably efficient and modern system of schools. They have builded largely and well, and the schools are of the best modern type. Now confronted by the probability that their schools may be destroyed they have gone actively to work to show the people of Minnesota that the proposed legislation would be as perniciously tyrannical as any ever framed for the destruction of a people. Their appeal will be to the people through the press, supplementing the efforts of the committees that have been appointed to labor with the legislature directly.

Charles E. Young who was widely known in southern and western Minnesota in educational work before coming to the range, is superintendent of the Hibbing schools. He has sent out an appeal and protest to the press of the state in which he says:

Hibbing's Protest.

"Apart from Duluth we have on the iron ranges of this county four high school towns, which employ 158 teachers and enroll over 5,000 pupils; also eight graded school towns employing 68 teachers and enrolling over 2,500 pupils; also 58 rural districts. In size and conditions this district of Hibbing is a fair sample of the high school districts. We contain a territory of 270 square miles, maintaining two brick and six frame schools with 41 instructors and enrolling this year 1,350 pupils. The school buildings erected during the past ten years cost $100,000 and of this $65,000 are still due to the State of Minnesota on building loans.

"The children in the schools represent over twenty nations, are in a great majority of foreign birth and the enrollment has been growing at the rate of 35 per cent per annum. Within the district practically all of the assessable property is in the mines, except in the village of Hibbing where there is some value in the form of frame buildings and personal property. The town has no other industry than mining; the timber has all been removed from the adjacent land and to-day more than 92 per cent of the taxes are paid on the mines. If all of the mining property should be exempt from the school taxes, as under the proposed law, the schools of the Hibbing district will have to be closed next year. Under the conditions that will follow the proposed law the district will be left burdened with a bonded debt to meet which will require all the available school revenue. If the board levies the maximum rate of school tax we will receive too little to pay the state claims for interest and payment on the principal of the debt due the state funds.

"It is the educational and not the political question that is alarming this region. To turn loose upon the streets of these mining towns the children of nearly 100,000 people, mostly foreigners, who have more than the average eagerness for an American education, is an act that is fraught with future disgrace and peril for the entire State of Minnesota."

At the first of a series of meetings to be held here to give expression to the feeling of the people and take such steps as may be necessary to preserve the schools, 200 people were present and committees to meet the junketing committee from the legislature, to draw resolutions, to solicit funds for carrying on the work to go to St. Paul were appointed. The delegation that will go to St. Paul from St. Louis county will include five prominent citizens of Hibbing. At the meeting $553 were collected in small sums and this has been increased to nearly $800.

Chisholm Is Wrought Up.

Chisholm, Minn., Feb.—A defense fund of $550 has been raised to pay the expenses of a committee to go to St. Paul and protest to the legislature against the passage of the proposed tonnage tax which would destroy the schools of Chisholm. The excitement that was caused by the discussion at the mass meeting on the tax question is somewhat abated by the belief that the legislature will not exercise its power to confiscate the revenues of this school district by imposing a tonnage tax when it is informed of what the local conditions are. School Superintendent Minch is preparing a statement of the conditions which will show how utterly this district is dependent on the mines for the maintenance of the schools. W. G. Shane, village recorder says:

"We have nothing to tax but the mines. The population is almost wholly foreign. If we lose the revenues from the mines bankruptcy is sure and anarchy will follow the closing of the schools. Life would be impossible here without the schools. We will send a strong delegation to St. Paul and will make such a showing to the legislature as must avert this impending evil."

The assessed valuation of Chisholm, including the mines in the village is $4,101,100. Without the mines there would be a valuation of about 3 per cent of this sum.

Means Death to Ely.

Ely, Minn., Feb.—Following the appointment of a committee to go to St. Paul to protest against a return to the tonnage tax system of securing revenue for the state from the mines, School Superintendent C. L. Newberry has sent out an appeal to the state. Mr. Newberry says:

"Any attempt to withdraw iron properties from taxation by ordinary methods, or any attempt to divert monies raised by taxation on iron properties for the support of schools and local government, cannot be regarded as other than sounding the death-knell of our public schools and public improvements in the great mining region of Northern Minnesota.

"In withdrawing the iron mines from local taxation, or the taxes on iron properties from local use, eight-ninths of Ely's taxable property is withdrawn. The assessed valuation in the city is now $3,252,129. The assessed value outside of the iron properties is $421,747. On this last named sum would fall the burden of a tax sufficient to educate 1,000 children. As the amount needed to run the Ely schools last year was $45,000, a school tax of 11 per cent would be imposed. As the property could not possibly stand this tax the schools must close if a tonnage tax is imposed, and we are deprived of the revenue from the mines under the method of direct taxation. It would be necessary to impose a tax of over 200 mills for all purposes if the mines were taken out of the assessment roll, and such a tax would be confiscatory. Never before in the history of Minnesota has a more alarming question arisen. The proposed law will devastate our mining towns. The measure will starve and dwarf our schools and public service; it will necessitate the immediate closing of the schools in all the range towns."

Eveleth Joins the Protest.

Eveleth, Minn., Feb. .—The alarm expressed by the leading men of Eveleth at the mass meeting held to take steps to prevent the enactment of a tonnage tax law is subsiding in the knowledge that effective action is being taken to put the case of the range towns fairly before the people of Minnesota. The various committees appointed by the meeting have organized and practically every business man is a committee of one to send out letters to friends throughout the state asking that information as to effect of a tonnage tax be spread. The Eveleth Business Men's association is sending out literature showing the local conditions and the certain and pernicious effect of such a change in the method of collecting taxes as is proposed.

"It would be just as fair," says Mayor Jessmore, "to pass a law imposing a tax upon the production of the fields of Southern Minnesota and take the revenue for state purposes as to impose this tonnage tax and take from the communities here, in which the wealth is in the mines, the sources of their revenue. It is a matter of life or death with these mining communities."

The school board is getting actively into the work of spreading information as to the actual conditions here, inspired by the knowledge that its present revenue of $58,000 for school purposes would be reduced under a tonnage law to about $540. Mayor Jessmore will head the delegation to St. Paul.

Itasca County Would Be Hard Hit.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Feb. .—Following the expression of feeling indulged in at the mass meeting held here Monday night to protest against the passage of the tonnage tax law Hattie F. Booth, county superintendent of schools, has sent out a statement of school conditions which shows that the proposed law would destroy the schools in this county in the districts where they are most needed. Says Mrs. Booth:

"The mining property stands for one-third of the assessed valuation of the county. In Districts No. 2 and No. 9 there is practically no revenue except from the mines. In District No. 2 there is an assessed valuation of $2,828,431, of which 94 per cent is in the mines. The state has loaned the district $100,000 to carry on the school work, and the removal of the mines from the assessment roll would close up the schools and bankrupt the district. In Districts 2 and 9 mining is the only occupation of the people, and if the bill becomes a law we will have to close the schools. The effect of this would be the raising of a class of children who would become criminals and the state would have to support them in institutions."

Itasca county is interested in the tonnage tax as a business proposition to a greater extent than St. Louis county. The mines here are just being developed at a high cost, much of the ore requiring special treatment. It is assumed that under a tonnage tax no new mines would be opened and the operating companies would not prosecute the development of low grade properties for many years, not until the ones which are less expensive in the mining had been removed from the other ranges.

Itasca county will send a big delegation to St. Paul to fight the passage of the tonnage tax law.

TOLD WHAT IT WAS.

"Now, sir, I hope we shall have no difficulty in getting you to speak up," said the barrister, in a very loud, commanding voice.

"I hope not, sir," shouted the witness, at the top of his lungs.

"How dare you speak to me in that way?" cried the lawyer.

"Because I can't speak no louder, sir," said the ostler.

"Have you been drinking?"

"Yes, sir."

"I should infer so from your conduct. What have you been drinking?"

"Coffee," hoarsely vociferated the knight of the stable.

"Something stronger than coffee, sir, you've been drinking! Don't look at me like that, sir!" furiously. "Look at the jury, sir! Did you have something in your coffee, sir?"

"Yes, sir."

"What was it?"

"Sugar."

"This man is no fool, my lord—he is worse!" stormed the counsel.

"Now, sir"—turning to the witness—"look at me. What beside sugar did you take in your coffee this morning?"

The ostler collected his forces, drew a deep breath, and, in a voice that could have been heard half a mile away, bellowed out:

"A spune! A spune, an' nothing else!"

Out of the Long Ago.

Ponce de Leon, in search of the fountain of youth, paused at a clearing in the woods and examined the ground, and gave a low cry of joy.

"At last, at last. The gods have been good. Here are relics of a picnic. The fountain of youth shall be mine."

Following the trail of corks, he arrived at the brewery.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Sure Enough.

Parson Bagster (dogmatically)—Dar ain't no use uh-'spostulatin' and pollyfoxin' 'bout dese yuh flyin'-machines! Dey won't work, and dey isn't ever gwine to, needer!—de Lawd never intended de air to be circumambulated.

Brother Snike—Yassah, but lemme ax yo': How you' spect we's uh-gwine t' git to heaven—go 'round?—Puck.

A Peculiarity.

"Do you still believe in the faith cure?"

"Yes," answered the tolerant man; "but there's this peculiarity about it. It always appears to be good for something that somebody else has and you haven't."—Washington Star.

A Fitting Punishment.

Mrs. Hoyle—Did you read about the poor man who was crushed into a shapeless mass?

Mrs. Doyle—Yes; and it was good enough for him. He was a leader in the crusade against corsets.—Judge.

What It Is Coming To.

"My cook never lets me set foot in the kitchen. Does yours?"

"Oh, yes; I always do the cooking when she wants to go out, but she just puts out what I need, and locks up the rest."—Baltimore American.

The World's Way.

"Smile," they told him; 'wear a smile—
The world despises men who frown.
Put off your sad and sober look
And then no power may keep you down."

He gladly took them at their word,
Because he had the wish to win,
He smiled, and presently they talked
About his "idiotic grin."
—Judge.

PROMOTION, INDEED.

Youth (bursting in excitedly)—Permotion, dad, permotion!

Father—How's that?

Youth—Well, you know I was cast to take the part of the hind legs of the donkey at the pantomime.

Father—Yes.

Youth—Well, now I takes the front legs.

His Reason.

"Why are you putting your watch in your shoe?"

"This is a dangerous neighborhood and I am doing it to save time."—Houston Post.

Jack and the Kitty.

Mrs. Knicker—Kindness has a wonderful effect on animals.

Mrs. Bocker—I suppose that is why Jack is always trying to sweeten the kitty.—Judge.

His Balance at the Bank.

"He lost his balance out at the race track to-day."

"Did he fall down?"

"No, the horse he was betting on fell down."—Houston Post.

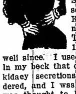
Provided.

"Don't you dote on a hotel dinner?"

"Yes, if it is a good table d'hote."—Baltimore American.

DON'T DESPAIR.

Read the Experiences of a Minnesota Woman and Take Heart.



If your back aches, and you feel sick, languid, weak and miserable day after day—don't worry. Doan's Kidney Pills have cured thousands of women in the same condition. Mrs. A. Helman of Stillwater, Minn., says: "But for Doan's Kidney Pills I would not be living now. They cured me in 1899 and I've been well since. I used to have such pain in my back that once I fainted. The kidney secretions were much disordered, and I was so far gone that I was thought to be at death's door. Since Doan's Kidney Pills cured me I feel as if I had been pulled back from the tomb."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

ONE WAY OUT OF DIFFICULTY.

Match Twins with Twins, Was the Fond Mother's Idea.

A little woman entered a drug store and asked the proprietor if he had "another picture."

"What kind of a picture do you mean?" the druggist asked.

"One like this," said the woman, holding up an attractive advertising print.

"I may have one or two of them left," the proprietor said, "but I haven't many of them."

The woman said she only wanted one, and her tone indicated that she was anxious for that one. She explained that the one she had with her had been given to one of her children. Another child, she stated, was sick, and was crying for a picture such as his brother had.

"That's a bad way to bring up your children," ventured a woman customer in the store. "Do you try to give a child everything he cries for just because his brother is more fortunate?"

"But," said the mother of the children, "you don't know. The children are twins and what one has the other wants."

"Suppose," objected the moralist, "when your children get older, they fall in love with the same girl, what will they do?"

But the mother was ready. She promptly replied:

"Find twins and fall in love with them."

BABY TORTURED BY ITCHING.

Rash Covered Face and Feet—Would Cry Until Tired Out—Speedy Cure by Cuticura.

"My baby was about nine months old when she had rash on her face and feet. Her feet seemed to irritate her most, especially nights. They would cause her to be broken in her rest, and sometimes she would cry until she was tired out. I had always used Cuticura Soap myself, and had heard of so many cures by the Cuticura Remedies that I thought I would give them a trial. The improvement was noticeable in a few hours, and before I had used one box of the Cuticura Ointment her feet were well and have never troubled her since. I also used it to remove what is known as "cradle cap" from her head, and it worked like a charm, as it cleansed and healed the scalp at the same time. Now I keep Cuticura Ointment on hand in case of any little rash or insect bites, as it takes out the inflammation at once. Perhaps this may be the means of helping other suffering babies. Mrs. Hattie Currier, Thomaston, Me., June 9, 1906."

Highly Eulogistic.

The story is told of a bookkeeper in Little Rock, Ark., who was called upon to write a eulogy of his deceased employer.

After much reflection the employe did so in a fashion that seemed to him to meet every requirement. His effort ended with this remarkable estimate:

"Mr. Blank's keen perception and indomitable will led him into the grocery and feed business, and subsequently induced him to embark in the coal business."—Harper's Magazine.

1847—1907.

60 years ago Allcock's Plasters were first introduced to the public. They are to-day the world's standard plasters.

This invention has been one of the greatest blessings imaginable and affords the quickest, cheapest and best means ever discovered for healing and relief of certain ailments.

Allcock's are the original and genuine porous plasters and are sold by Druggists all over the world.

Rudyard Kipling, who dislikes the winter climate in England, will hereafter blot out the chilly months from his calendar by a visit to South Africa, where he has a beautiful house near Cape Town, given him by Cecil Rhodes.

FITS, St. Vitus Dance and all Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for Free $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ld., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Often do the spirits of great events stride on before the events, and in to-day already walks to-morrow.—Coleridge.

We Want Your Cream.
Write to-day for tags and prices. North Star Creamery Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

We Pay the Highest Price
for butter fat in cream. Write for price. Milton Dairy Co., St. Paul.

Decision of character will often give to an unfair mind command over a superior.—W. Wirt.

Panthers and Grizzly Bears.
Ship Furs Pelts McMillan Fur & Wool Co., Minneapolis, Minn. Write for prices.

Clothes do not make the man, but they have the first crack at making impressions of the man.

We Pay Top Price for Cream.
Cash every day. Write for prices and tags. Miller & Holmes, St. Paul, Minn.

To be a great man it is necessary to turn to account all opportunities.—Rochefoucauld.

For Prices on Poultry,
either live or dressed, write R. E. Cobb, St. Paul, Minn.

American Hens Did Well.

The last census year—1900—showed the production of eggs in the United States to be 1,293,662,433 dozen.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

In Eagle Eyes.

"Where's the bahbah?" asked the soft young chap from the east.

"I'm the berber, sonny," drawled the big man in the wide hat and red shirt.

"And do you know how to clip hahh?"

"I should say so. Just stand about ten paces, and if I can't clip off every lock in 12 shots, I'll set up the licker."—Chicago Daily News.

Two Rules for Good Carriage.

If you are walking along the street and wake up to the fact that you are carrying yourself poorly take the mental attitude of standing straight, as well as the physical one. Look at the men you meet and imagine that each of them owes you a dollar. Put even a suggestion of arrogance into your position. Hold your head well back; look people squarely in the face. This will not only give the impression to others that you possess the power you want, but it will actually tend to bring that power. Keep the neck against the collar.—World's Work.

HOME-MADE CATARRH CURE.

Sufferers Should Make This Up and Try It Anyway.

Any one can mix right at home the best remedy of its kind known. The name "Cyclone" is given to the following prescription, it is supposed, because of its promptness in driving from the blood and system every vestige of catarrhal poison, relieving this foul and dread disease, no matter where located. To prepare the mixture: Get from any good pharmacy one half-ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon and three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

This is a harmless, inexpensive mixture, which has a peculiar action upon the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, assisting them to filter and strain from the blood and system all catarrhal poisons, which, if not eradicated, are absorbed by the mucous membrane, and an open sore or catarrh is the result.

Prepare some and try it, as it is the prescription of an eminent catarrh specialist of national reputation.

The "Thunderer."

Judge Rentoul's reference on the bench to the Times as the "Thunderer" reminds us how remarkably this nickname has persisted. The Morning Post is no longer "Jeames;" the Standard has not been "Mrs. Gamp" since the decease of the Morning Herald—the "Mrs. Harris" to whom it would allude as an independent authority, and the two represented the same proprietor. But the Times is still the "Thunderer." It owes that name to Captain Edward Sterling, who is said to have begun a Times article with the words: "We thundered forth the other day an article on the subject of social and political reform."—London Chronicle.

SOME NEW FRENCH KNIGHTS.

Queen of Holland Has Agreed to Recognize Vatican Titles.

Among the lucrative sources of revenue of the pope before the separation of church and state in France was the toll or tax on titles of nobility and decorations. Since the rupture the French government no longer recognizes the ennobling titles and decorations of the holy father. To have the right to wear the Vatican ribbon, or to be called count, it was necessary to obtain a confirmation of title. This gave much perplexity to the candidates.

The question has just been settled, Queen Wilhelmina has consented to validate such titles and distinctions. The result has been an amusing pilgrimage to The Hague—and also in an increase in the price of these pontifical favors.

In the last few weeks the French Knights of the Golden Spur, of the Holy Sepulcher, of Christ, of Gregory the Great, of Pius IX. have greatly increased.

The revelations regarding fraudulent paint materials which have been made by the Agricultural Experiment Station of Fargo, N. D., and published by Prof. E. F. Ladd, state commissioner, have occasioned almost as much of a sensation as the exposure of adulteration in food products did when the latter first began to appear. It has been shown that kegs marked "Pure White Lead" often contain other substances such as chalk, barytes, silica, etc., and that oil supposed to be linseed often contains petroleum adulterants, to say nothing of water in large proportions. Sometimes, so-called "White Leads" contain not an iota of genuine White Lead.

The farmer is a large user of paint. No one is more interested than he is, that the label should enable him to get what he supposes he is paying for. There should be a law in every state requiring that all paint packages be labeled exactly according to their contents. That would enable every paint-buyer to buy intelligently.

Almost Too Methodical.

"You may talk about prompt and careful bookkeeping all you want to," said a Boston man, "but a case came under my observation a Sunday or two ago which I think is without parallel. I was attending a service at the Mount Vernon church. When the contribution box was passed the worshiper sitting next to me put in a coin, and immediately took from his pocket a notebook and a pencil and made a memorandum of the amount which I could not help seeing without turning my head around, as it was done right under my eye. His cash account will foot up all right."

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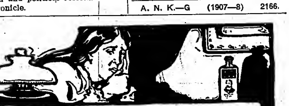

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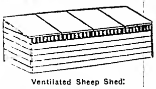
WINTER QUARTERS FOR SHEEP.

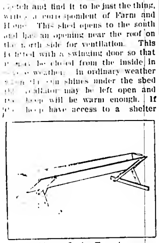
A Suggestion for Buildings Which Can Be Used Next Year.

Sheep should have the opportunity to run out in a lot or small pasture on very bright days if the snow is not too deep. Even though there are cold winds, if the sheep are kept dry and allowed to go and come from a wind break at will, they will not get too cold, but they must be kept out of rain and wet snow storms.



Ventilated Sheep Shed.

I use a shed such as is shown in the sketch and find it to be just the thing, writes a correspondent of Farm and Home. This shed opens to the south and has an opening near the roof on the north side for ventilation. This is fitted with a swinging door so that it may be closed from the inside in severe weather. In ordinary weather when the sun shines under the shed the ventilator may be left open and the sheep will be warm enough. If the sheep have access to a shelter from storms, they will nearly always go to it when there is a rain.



Sheep Grain Trough.

A form of grain trough for sheep which I have used with great satisfaction is shown in the sketch. This is light and easily moved, and not overturned by the sheep. The trough is made of two six-inch boards tigbtly nailed together with a frame of strips two inches square. In pleasant weather, these are put out into the yards where the sheep may be encouraged to stay in the sun. In bad weather, I place them under the sheds and find it a great convenience to have them easily movable in this way.

AS TO APPEARANCES.

It Is the Horse That Looks Well That Sells at a Profit.

"That horse brought a fine price," said a gentleman in the presence of a blind man, of a certain animal just sold.

"Yes—he was fat," observed the blind man. He knew.

"Things that look well, sell well," is an old saying. If a man with a clean, thrifty lot of cows advertises to sell them, he may expect bids. If they are dirty and present an unthrifty appearance, he need hardly expect bids, or, if they are offered, they will be distressingly low.

Making or allowing things to look ill can not be profitable from any standpoint. Cattle can not be vigorous if cared for in a slip-shod manner. The dairyman with rusty and milk-spattered cans, and a puddle of milk on the floor of his wagon drawing swarms of flies, ought to keep well out of the sight of his patrons if they have any regard for tidiness.

Disorder assuredly means waste. It costs much to keep things in "apple-pie order?" So it does—but not so much as letting them go the other way.

HOGS AND SHEEP.

Tar paper will go a long way toward making the pig pens more habitable.

This is a good time to put the fenders up around the farrowing pen.

Bright oat straw makes a good bed, but it needs to be changed just as often as any other kind.

Did you know that musty straw thrown in on top of foul bedding is apt to promote mange or other skin diseases?

Pigs enjoy sweet and wholesome food moro than sour stuff, notwithstanding the fact that most people think to the contrary.

Keep the sheep yards well littered.

Raise sheep, never mind what the other fellow is doing.

This is the season when every sheep man wishes he owned his own root cutter.

Ewes that are in-lamb should not be crowded for room, with food or aoy other way.

Breed Up Your Flock.

If your flock is of the kind known as crossbred, or mongrels, why not select the best of the females and purchase a strong, vigorous, pure-bred male to mate with them. It will increase the market value of next year's flock 25 per cent.

A Farm Combination.

Combination is the thing for farmers nowadays and the best combination of which we know, says Farm Journal, is the one that takes in the farmer and his wife and their boys and girls; this makes a trust which is hard to bent.

PINE TREE BREAD.

KAMSCHATKANS USE THE INNER BARK OF PINE TREES.

Macerate It in Water and Bake Good, Wholesome Bread—The Pine Keeps the Blood Pure and The Body Healthy.

In Knmschatka the people live in enrth-covered pits. Mr. Kennan compares the souod of their language to that of water running out of n narrow-mouth jug. Tbeir bread is made from tho lnoer bark of the Pios Tree, macerated in water and baked without flour. They are a hordy race, the Pins keeping ths blood puro and ths varlous organs of tho body in n healthy condition. Coosumption is unknown among them.

A noted specialist in throat nnd lung trouhle, who cstablished n camp for consumptives in tho Pine Woods of Maine, and whoso remarkable cures thero hnvo nttracted great attention from the medical world, says that one-half ounce of the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine, mixed with two ounces of Glycerine and one-half pint of good Whisky and used in teaspoonful doses, will heal and strengthen the lungs, hreak up a cold in twenty-four hours, and cure any cough that is curable. The ingredients can be secured from any prescription druggist nt small cost.

Inquiry at tho prescription department of a leading local druggist elicited the information that the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine is put up only in half-ounce vials for dispensing. Each vlal is securely sealed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper, showing the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) guaranteed under tho Food and Drug nct, June 30, 1906. Prepared only hy the Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O. —plainly printed thereon. There are many rank imitntions of Virgin Oil of Pine (Purc), which are being put out under various names, such as Concentrated Oil of Pinc, Pine Balsam, etc. Never accept these ns a substitute for the Pure Virgin Oil of Pine, as they will invariahly produce nausea and never effect the desired results.

EARLY NORTHWEST VOYAGES.

Soma Account of ths Arctic Tripa That Have Been Made.

Beginning with tho American discoveries of John Cabot in 1497, the search for tho northwest passage was for many years the object of rival expeditions from Denmark, England, France and Portugal, says A. W. Greely, in the Century. It was Frobisher, however, who in 1576-78 first gave a distinct national character to the quest. John Davis of Davis' strait, followed in three voyages, 1585-88, and then, in 1612, came the illustrious and hapless Henry Hudson, whoss motto was that sxplorers should "achieve whnt they had undertaken or elss give reasons wherefore it will not be."

Tbo search for ths Atlantio side closed for two centuries with the voyage of a great seaman, Willinm Baffin, who, in a tiny boat of 55 tons, with a miscrablo equipment, but an undaunted heart, attained, in 1616, the highest north in tho western hemisphere, 77 dcgrees 45 minutes N., and discovered three radiating sounds, Jones, Smith and Lancaster, the lnst being the eastern entrance to the long-sought passage.

Treasures of Methodism.

The Derbyshire (Eng.) Wesleyans havo hecoms possessed of some almost priceless Methodist treasures, including tho minutes of the first Wesleynn conference, from which the original prsachers' books were derived; n copy of a letter given hy John Wesley to John Bennett, with founder's note and signature attached, being dated 1752; and also original letters written by Mrs. John Wesley, Mrs. Charles Wesley, Mrs. George Whitefield, and John Bennett's diary from 1748 to 1752. These valuahle documents have had their home in the Peak district for moro thnn 150 years.

DREADED TO EAT.

A Quaker Couple's Experience.

How many persons drend to eat their meals, although actually hungry nearly nll the time!

Nature never intended this should be so, for we are given a thing called nppetito that should guide us as to what the system needs at any time nnd can digest.

But we get in n hurry, swnllow our food very much as we shovel coal into the furnace, nnd our senso of appetite becomes unnatural and perverted. Then we eat the wrong kind of food or eat too much, nnd there you are—indigestion and its nccompanying miseries.

A Phila. lady said, tho other day:

"My husband and I have been sick and nervous for 15 or 20 years from drioking coffee—feverish, indigestion, totally unfit, a good part of the time, for work or pleasure. We actually dreaded to eat our meals.

"We tried doctors and patent medicines that counted up into hundreds of dollars, with little if any benefit.

"Accidentally, a small package of Postum came into my hands. I made some according to directions, with surprising results. We both liked it and have not used any coffee since.

"The dull feeling after meals has left us and we feel better every way. We are so well satisfied with Postum that we recommend it to our friends who have been made sick and nervous and miserable by coffee." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

Spring Excursions to Milwaukee.

The Jobbers and Manufactnrers' Association bas arranged for thres Merebsnts' Excnrslons to Milwsnkea during Februery and Maroh.

Any merchant in ths Northwest is entitled to a rats of ona snd ooe-fifth fsre for ths ronnd trip, not slons for himself snd wife, but for anyons actively interested in his hnsiness.

Yon can hny tickets to Milwaukea as follows:

First Excursion, Fehrnary 16tb to 24th, snd return home February 18th to March 6th.

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Purchase a ticket to Milwaukes only, at full fers and at ths same time ask for a certificate (not a receipt) for fare pald. This certificate will eotitis yon to one-fifth fare to retnrn homs if validated at ths Secretary's office, 45 University Bnilding, at any tims within ths dates fixed.

Fire Record for Last Year.

Ths fact that when a servant hecomes msster a cruel foe is snddenly developed is attested hy ths dreadful havoc and loss of life occasioned by fire in the United States within the 12 months covered hy a summing up of these losses for 1906. This record shows that nearly 7,000 lives were lost and more than $500,000,000 worth of property was destroyed by fire during that period. In no other country in the world is the fire loss, in bulk or pro rata, anywhere near our own. Lnst year, owing to the devastating fire that followed the earthquake in San Francisco, this loss was in great excess of the average, but the average for soms years past has been $200,000,000 a year.

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Lord Iveagh has one of the most curious hobbies in the world. It is the collection of old silver potato rings, which are large silver sockets in the form of rings, into which the wooden bowl used for potatoes used to bs fitted. They are much prized by bric-a-brac hunters.

How to Trap Wild Animals.

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appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the appoval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

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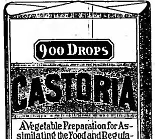
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Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The west half of the north east quarter of section fourteen (14), in township one hundred fifty (150) of range forty-two (42) and lots numbered five (5) and (6) in block numbered five (5) in the townsite of Brooks, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 30th day of March, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Four hundred fifty-six and 78-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, Red Lake Falls, Minn., Feb. 13, A. D. 1907.

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(Specially Exemplified in the Case of Harry Mitchell, Minneapolis' Famous Tailor.)

It would be difficult to find a better exemplification of what good and persistent advertising will do for a man with the goods back of him than the case of Harry Mitchell, Minneapolis' popular tailor.

You will notice we said "with the goods back of him," for there is probably no tailor in the Twin Cities that carries a quarter of the stock that Harry Mitchell does, and the fabrics being purchased from the foremost mills of America and Europe, the quality is absolutely assured.

Five years ago Mr. Mitchell was conducting a tailor shop on the second floor of a building in Chicago, making a specialty of the finer class of work. He has been in this business for seven years.

One day he woke up to the fact that Minneapolis was a pretty good kind of a town, and as the western fever grew upon him, he decided to pull up stakes and move his belongings here.

He started out in Minneapolis in a small way—growing, growing, till today he is one of the largest tailors in the United States.

His success is due entirely to the fact that he is scrupulously honest—always giving a little more rather than a little less in all his transactions.

He conducts his business on a strictly cash basis, and no matter who the customer may be—banker or laborer—the goods must be paid for when delivered. This has been a very potent factor in the building up of his business, for there are no bad accounts standing out, no collector's fees to pay, and no "dead beats" to write off on the wrong side of the ledger

His store is located at 310 Nicollet avenue, is absolutely up-to-date in every respect, and the arrangement for exhibiting the enormous stock is commented on by every one who enters. The fitting or trying on room is furnished in a most luxurious manner, every detail being carefully studied out for the comfort of the customer.

Mr. Mitchell's work rooms, where two hundred and forty people are employed, are located at Hennepin and Fourth street. There are no better, more commodious, more sanitary tailoring quarters in the world than those provided by Harry Mitchell for his employees. Everything runs like clock-work, and it would indeed be hard to find a more contented, happier bunch than work there.

Mr. Mitchell has always been an advocate of paying a man good wages, and probably no tailor in the country employes such high-priced cutters as he does. He believes in getting the best that money can buy. He has absolutely no use for a man unless he's a pastmaster at his business, and that is one reason why Harry Mitchell has no fear in putting on his shingle "Satisfaction or No Pay."

His customers include some of the best dressers in Minneapolis, but it makes no difference to Mr. Mitchell whether the customer is a banker, a railroad president or a $15-a-week clerk, they all get the same painstaking attention.

That Harry Mitchell has absolutely become famous for his made-to-order $15, $20 and $25 suits and overcoats is an established fact—not only in Minneapolis alone but in all the surrounding states. His mail order business has grown so rapidly in the past two years that it became imperative for him to enlarge his quarters. He prides himself on his perfected self-measurement system, and says it makes no difference where a man may live, he can fit him just as well as if he took his measure himself.

As previously said, Mr. Mitchell is a staunch believer in publicity. He says you can't catch fish without bait, and he doesn't see how the public is going to know what you've got to give them unless you tell them.—Minneapolis Journal.

Bray.

Halvor Hanson transacted business at St. Hilaire Friday.

Peter Limblom drove to Wylie Saturday.

Messrs. C. P. Swanson, Oscar Swanson and Elmer Burkee drove to Thief River Falls Friday, the two latter attended the meeting of the teacher's association at that place.

Albert Johnson was at Wylie Tuesday.

Christian Johnson who has been visiting his brother, Iver, returned to Minneapolis the first of the week.

The "valentine season" is now over but the valentines were not as plentiful this year as they used to be. May be they are going out of fashion.

Chas. Englund transacted business at St. Hilaire Tuesday.

Get What You Ask For!

When you ask for Cascarets Candy Cathartic be sure you get them. Genuine tablets stamped C. C. C. Never sold in bulk. A substitutor is always a cheat and a fraud. Beware! All druggists, 10c.

Badger

Mrs. Jos. Champeau, and the Misses Annie and Aurore Ducharme, Alice and Anna Quesnell and Emma St. Yves pleasantly spent the day with Mesdames Dolphis and Adelard Champeau Tuesday.

Charlie Gervais made a brief call at J. Ducharme's Monday. He was driving to Lambert on a business mission.

Homer Laurent was a guest of Miss Alice Quesnell Sunday evening.

Mrs. L. St. Ives has been laid up all last week with a serious attack of la grippe but is now well.

Adelard Laurent and wife were guests at the O. Robillard home Sunday evening.

Miss Josephine Vaudrin of northern Badger is at present enjoying a pleasant visit with relatives and friends at Dorothy.

George, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Lachance was seriously sick a few days of last week and it was thought for some time that recovery was beyond all hopes but reports now are that the little fellow is rapidly gaining.

Mrs. M. Quesnell and son, Joseph, made a flying trip to the Falls Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker entertained a number of friends at their home Sunday.

Damasse LaChance and son, Pete, drove out to Gully and its aroundabouts, Monday, where they will get a few loads of choice lumber for a barn which they expect to erect in the spring

Use a little KODOL after your meals and it will be found to afford a prompt and efficient relief. KODOL nearly approximates the digestive juices. It digests what you eat. It is sold on a guaranteed relief plan. Sold here by all druggists.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed, and delivered by L. A. Dautremont and Laura E. Dautremont, his wife, mortgagors, to Phil A. Kaufer, mortgagee, which mortgage bears date the 9th day of September, 1903, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota on 12th day of September, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., in book 21 of mortgages on page 168, by the terms of which mortgage the following described premises were described in, mortgaged and conveyed to said mortgagee, to wit: Lots nine (9), ten (10), and the north ten (10) feet of lot eleven (11), in block seven (7) in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the corrected plat thereof, being in Red Lake county, Minnesota, and was given to secure the payment of the sum of one thousand dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, payable annually, on the 9th day of September in each year, according to the conditions of one principal note; by failure to pay the $1000 falling due on the 9th day of September, 1904 and by failure to pay the taxes levied upon said real estate for the year 1905, and whereas, said mortgage, provided as one of its conditions that in case of failure to pay said note or any part of said interest when the same becomes due or to pay any taxes levied upon said realestate before the same becomes delinquent, the whole sum of money or indebtedness thereby secured shall thereupon become due and payable:

And Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice on said principal indebtedness and interest thereon to the date hereof the sum of one thousand one hundred eighteen dollars, ($1118.00.)

And Whereas, because of said defaults and each of them the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, and no action at law or in equity having been instituted to cover said mortgage indebtedness.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises above described which sale will be made by the sheriff of said county of Red Lake at the west front door of the court house in city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said indebtedness, the attorney's fees of $25.00 and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year thereafter, as provided by law.

Dated Feb. 26, 1907.

—Phil A. Kaufer,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls. f28-a4

ORDER FOR CREDITORS TO PRESENT CLAIMS WITHIN THREE MONTHS.

State of Minnesota, } ss
County of Red Lake. }

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Margaretta Walter, Deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Margaretta Walter deceased, late of the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, being granted to Phillip Walter

It appearing on proper proof by affidavit of Phillip Walter made and filed herein, as provided by law, that there are are no debts against the estate of said Margaretta Walter deceased.

It is ordered, that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date on this order, in which all persons having claims on demands against the said deceased, if any there be, are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said county, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further Ordered, That Monday, the twentieth (20th) day of May 1907, at ten o'clock a. m., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And It Is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Fall, Minnesota, the 18th day of February A. D. 1907.

By the Court,
[Seal] N. W. TARRANT,
f21-m7 Judge of Probate.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy and 99-100 ($70.99) Dollars, upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Joseph Boushea, administrator of the estate of John Boushea, deceased, mortgagor, to M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, bearing date the 21st day of March, 1904, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 21 of Mortgages, on page 226.

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said M. O. Sortedahl, mortgagee, to John Jaenike by written assignment dated the 9th day of April, 1904, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of April, 1904, at 4:30 o'clock p. m., in Book 15 of mortgages on page 119.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said John Jaenike the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., by written assignment dated the 14th day of December, 1906, and recorded on the 19th day of December, 1906, at 6 o'clock p. m., in book 15 of mortgages page 345, and by reason of the default herein before mentioned the said Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls, the assignee of said mortgagee, chooses to declare and hereby does declare the whole debt secured by the aforsaid mortgage due and payable making in all four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The east half of the south-west quarter of section fourteen (14), Township numbered one hundred fifty (150), North of Range forty-two (42), west of the 5th P. M. in the state of Minnesota, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the second day of March, 1907, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of four hundred twenty and 99-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 15th, A. D., 1907.

Merchant's State Bank of Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. j17-f28

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Rudolf Warberg and Katharina Warberg, his wife, mortgagors, to Ralph Rogers mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in book 29 of mortgages, on page 29

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Ralph Rogers mortgagee, to G. B. Ward by written assignment dated the 15th day of October 1906, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of November 1906, at 1:00 o'clock P. M.; in book 32 of mortgages on page 391.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said G. B. Ward, the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, by written asignment dated the 13th day of November, 1906, and recorded on the 22nd day of November, 1906, at 3:10 o'clock P. M., in book 15 mortgages page 339, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore; Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

North east quarter of section numbered twenty-eight (28), in township numbered one hundred fifty (150), north of range forty-one (41), west of the 5th P. M. in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city or Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 23rd day of March, 1907, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty and no-100 dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, February 6th, 1907.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

F. A. Grady, Attorney for
Assignee of Mortgagee, f7-m21
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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TO MAKE NEW CITIZENS

Judge Watts Gives Notice of Special Court Term To Be Held Here In July.

Clerk of Court Johnson is in receipt of a communication from His Honor, Judge William Watts, announcing that he will hold a special term of the District Court in Red Lake county on July 9th, for the purpose of issuing final citizenship papers to anyone that may desire them.

The new law regarding the issuance of final papers is a peculiar one and differs entirely from the old law.

Under the provisions of the new law all who desire to take out final papers must appear before the Clerk of the District Court at least ninety days before the final papers can be issued, then and there to make affidavit before the clerk and file a petition that he has complied with the law, etc. Two witnesses must accompany the affidavit.

The Judge has set the final term far enough ahead, in order that all who desire their final papers may appear before the clerk the required ninety days previous.

As the law is very strict regarding the citizenship papers at the time final proof on homestead land is made, the people of Red Lake county's new eleven towns should arrange to comply with the law and take advantage of this special term of court.

Badger

Francois LaBissoniere and daughter, Mrs. M. Quesnell, made a brief call at the county seat Monday.

Messrs. Damasse Lachance and Ovila Robillard and wives spent Sunday at the M. Ducharme home at Perrault station.

A few friends spent Saturday evening at the D. Champeau home and all report a pleasant time.

Miss Dorla Robillard was ill a few days of last week with a severe cold but has now greatly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Gagnon entertained a number of friends at their home Sunday evening.

Merchant and Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere of Red Lake Falls were guests at the M. Quesnell home Sunday afternoon and evening.

Harvey St. Ives returned home last week from Kellher where he had been working for the past two months, Harvey says there's no place like Badger.

J. Prudhomme and wife of Geatilly passed thru Badger Sunday and made a short call at J. Ducharme's while passing by.

Chas. Moller called at the home of J. Ducharme Sunday and spent the evening most pleasantly.

Miss Delia Pigeon of Poplar River was a guest of friends and relatives here a few days of last week.

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TIRED OF LIFE.

Alfred Foelsch Living Near Greenbush Commits Suicide.

Word was brought to Greenbush last week that Alfred Foelsch, a homesteader residing near that town in Roseau county, had killed himself. Word was sent to the coronor, who deputized T. E. Thompson of Greenbush to investigate the case. Upon arriving at the shanty he found the dead man lying on the floor in a pool of blood with a bullet hole in his head and a rifle lying across his body. Everything about the place was well fitted out for winter and was kept in good order. There was no question about the act being one of self-destruction. Foelsch was a German. Relatives in Chicago were notified, and they later gave instructions to have the body buried at Greenbush, where it had been taken, pending instructions.

The Same in Red Lake County.

It will be a sad day indeed for the people of Waseca county if they ever lose their co-operative creameries. There is no other branch of farming in this section that pays so much on the capital invested as the stock raising and its products. Every farmer can keep at least a few cows, a bunch of swine, some calves, poultry, etc. Butter commands a very high price, live, fat hogs bring six cents per pound up, poultry per pound is high, eggs command high prices, and all of these are so easily produced in southern Minnesota that every farmer can get rich if he will. In order to get the full benefits of his labor, however, the farmer must have a market free from the control of trusts and combines. As we are informed, a trust has been formed to get entire control of the dairy products of the West. At present the co-operative creameries are able to get an open market and are receiving high prices for their butter, but if the combine can break down the co-operative creameries, or most of them, its managers will very soon have control of the markets of the world, and the price of butter will be fixed, not by supply and demand, but by the managers of the combine. It seems strange indeed that any farmer should for a moment think of selling his cream to a speculator at any price, however high, for it is a fact beyond dispute that as soon as the farmer's creameries are broken down, then the price of cream will go down; the farmer will be robbed, and the speculators will secure millions of dollars from the hard labor of the farming communities. Let not the farmers of Waseca county play the fool by selling their cream to outside dealers and speculators. Patronize your home creameries wholly.—Waseca Herald.

Wanted—30 cords of green poplar cord wood to be delivered at the Red Lake Falls creamery. For further particulars inquire of G. F. Hennings, Secretary. tf

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Merchants State Bank

Red Lake Falls Minnesota

Thief River Hands Farmers A Lemon.

(From the Reservation Sunbeam.)

Ole O. Vattendahl was canvassing in Thief River and Red Lake Falls last week to get shares for the farmers boat. The people of Red Lake Falls gave $80. The people of Thief River Falls gave—0. Accept thanks. (Published by request of many voters and boat builders.)

A BIG FAKE ATTEMPTED

Thief River Papers Would Make A Mountain Out of Mole Hill.

"By a vote of three to two the Board of County Commissioners in session this week at Red Lake Falls employed Attorneys Chas. Boughton and F. A. Grady to fight the Red Lake Falls end in the county seat scrap. No limit was placed upon their salary and it is but fair to presume that the county will pay well for the services rendered Red Lake Falls.

The motion was railroaded thru Tuesday night shortly before midnight and just previous to the adjournment of the board.

The resolution appeared quite innocent on its face and it is generally believed that at least one member of the board voted in the affirmative without fully realizing the extent to which the county might become involved. Be that as it may a clever graft has been saddled upon the taxpayers of the county at large to relieve the residents of the county seat town."

The above is from last week's Thief River Press, and is laughable in the extreme to those who have seen the official minutes of the board of county commissioners.

The Gazette will not attempt a lengthy refutation of the charges herein made, but will simply say that the OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD will be published within a week, and asks every reader to read this resolution and see for themselves where the above article, dictated to the Press by a rank Thief River partisan, is entirely wrong and misleading.

The official proceedings show that the board re-convened at seven o'clock on the evening of February 26, after a day session, and immediately thereafter a resolution was presented and carried, in exact words as follows:

"Whereas it has been made to appear to this Board that judgment in the case of State of Minnesota Ex Rel William Erb, Relator, and Alex A. Sweans and Charles M. Evenson, Intervenor, against Ole J. Johnson, P. A. Ekstrom, Wm. C. L. Demana, Louis E. Falardeau and Daniel Shaw, as County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, in the State of Minnesota, Respondants, was erroneously entered on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1906, in favor of the relator and intervenors and against the Respondants, as such Board of County Commissioners of said County;

Be It Resolved, By the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake county, Minnesota, that F. A. Grady and Charles E. Boughton, attorneys at law, are hereby retained and authorized by said Board of County Commissioners, to take any step or steps, proceedings or action in their judgment deemed best to have said judgment above mentioned, vacated, and set aside, and interpose an answer in said case."

Commissioners voting aye, are Wm. C. L. Demana, Joseph Pigeon and Charles A. Lindquist.

Commissioners nay, are Daniel Shaw and Ed. A. Auhol.

This is the sum and substance of the whole thing and the readers may draw their own conclusions. It was not by any means a "midnight steal," as the Press would have you believe, but a resolution presented and carried in behalf of the people of the county.

At the time of the hearing on the mandamus proceedings, an answer was interposed by a tool in the hands of the Thief Riverites that was an injustice to the people as a whole, and the board now asks that this case be re-opened and a just and fair answer interposed.

The county is not hiring any lawyers to fight Red Lake Falls' side of the case nor will it have to, as our side appears pretty well "fought" itself just at present.

The Press could have used this space in telling its readers why Thief River Falls refused to pay the costs in the recent case in the supreme court, after they had promised time and again to do so. This would have made good reading- but of course the Press couldn't make any explanation. The Thief River policy is to pull the wool over the eyes of the people, but until the have better grounds than this they can make more friends by "making a noise like a post."

REVIVAL MEETINGS SOON.

Rev. Hamilton Will Hold Meetings For Two Weeks.

The revival meetings at the Presbyterian church will commence on Tuesday, the 26th inst., instead of on the 12th. Owing to a mix-up in correspondence, the date was erroneously announced last week. The meetings will begin on March 26th and continue for two weeks. The officers of the Presbyterian church would request that the usual social functions of the week following Easter be deferred one week so as not to conflict with the revival services, which will be held every night during Mr. Hamilton's stay in Red Lake Falls.

Mr. Hamilton is a very earnest and talented pulpit orator and has spoken to crowded houses in every city he has visited. The meetings now being held in Blackduck have very successful in every way. Remember the date, March 26th, and plan to attend every night.

H. W. KNOX.

Meet On The 19th.

The board of county commissioners will hold their next meeting on March 19. There are several school matters, a liquor license application and some other important county business up for consideration at this time, and the dads will likely be in session a couple of days.

"In 1897 I had a stomach disease. Some physicians said Dyspepsia, some Consumption. One said I would not live until spring. For four years I existed on boiled milk, soda biscuits, and doctors' prescriptions. I could not digest anything I ate; then I picked up one of your Almanacs and it happened to be my life saver. I bought a fifty-cent bottle of KODOL and the benefit I received from that bottle all the gold in Georgia could not buy. In two months I went back to my work, as a machinist, and in three months I was well and hearty. May you live long and prosper."—C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., 1905. The above is only a sample of the great good that is daily done everywhere by Kodol For Dyspepsia. It is sold here by all dealers.

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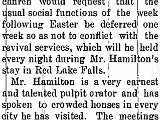

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CONTRACT WILL BE LET.

Auditor O'Brien Will Hold Sale of Jobs for Ditch No. 28.

County Auditor O'Brien will hold the sale of the ditching jobs for county ditch No. 28 at his office in the court house next Monday, March 11th.

This ditch lies wholly within Red Lake Falls township, and is known as the Duffy ditch. It will be about four miles long, and will empty into the Red Lake river north of the city.

It is estimated that there are 22,401 yards of dirt to be excavated but a greater part of it will be comparatively easy work.

It is quite likely that several bidders will be on hand, as there is considerable activity in ditch matters hereabouts at present.

CAN'T VOTE ON LICENSE.

City Council Has Right to Grant Licenses or Refuse Them.

Thief River News: A petition asking that a special election be called for the purpose of voting upon the license question was circulated last week. It is said that the petition had the backing of certain saloon keepers who wanted to force the city council to reduce the saloon license lower than $1,000 and if they failed to do this would unite with the temperance people of the city and vote out the saloons.

The petition will not be presented to the city council, however, for the reason that under our city charter the question of license cannot be voted upon. The members of the city council have the arb[illegible]ry right as to whether or not liquor licenses shall or shall not be granted, and they also have the power to fix the license fee.

While the saloon keepers claim that they cannot make any money when forced to pay a license of $1,000, the fact remains that there are now sixteen saloons in the city and there would be more were it not for the fact that the council has limited the number to sixteen.

School Apportionment.

The state auditor's office is sending out to county officers the checks for the school apportionment for the first quarter. The per capita at this settlement will be $1.60, and Red Red Lake county's share will $6,139.20, for 3,837 pupils. Auditor O'Brien has not yet received the warrant for Red Lake's share, but it will be along in a few days, when it will be apportioned among the different districts.

Auction Sale.

An auction sale of the live stock and machinery of the late James Nelson, of Lake Pleasant township, will be held at the farm in section 25. Lake Pleasant, Tuesday of next week, March 14. A large list of stock and machinery will be offered for sale. The bills will give full particulars. Joseph Belair will be the auctioneer.

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REGULAR COURT TERM

Judge Watts Will Preside at Spring Session of Red Lake County District Court.

The regular term of the District Court for Red Lake county will convene on Monday the 25th inst., with Judge William Watts on the bench.

So far but few cases are listed, and present indications are that the term will be a short one.

So far a grand jury has not been empaneled for this session and it is not announced whether or not there will be one drawn. There are no crimininal cases pending and unless something develops between now and court time it is highly probable that a grand jury will not be required.

The civil calender for this term is also very light and unless there is all kinds of trouble stirred up during the next few weeks the Judge and jury will not find much to do.

Good Horse Sense.

Farmers' institutes bring out some good things. In addressing one of them recently a farmer said: "As a rule a farmer knows no firmer friend than the country press. The home paper is distinctly the farmers own paper, supported directly or indirectly by the farmers who compose the backbone of the printer's subscription list and largely for what the merchant advertises. Now brother, let us not forget our friends. Let us see that our subscription is paid before the first of January and a year in advance. Another thing, the merchants who advertise are the ones who make it possible for us to get a good local paper, and the men of firms who are too penurious to advertise and help support, the local press have no right to the farmers' patronage. I propose hereafter to go to a good live advertiser instead of those who propose to take all and give nothing in return.".

TOWNSHIP ELECTIONS

Next Tuesday, March 12th, Is Election Day In Townships and Villages.

Tuesday of next week, March 12. will be election day in the townships and villages of the county, and the usual election talk is rife.

With the exception of the cities of Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls every organized town in the county will hold their annual elections at this time. The villages of St. Hilaire and Plummer will also elect new officers, and it is said that at the latter place there will be some extremely lively "diddings."

It is said that in some of the towns, also, there will be a scrap for control of affairs, but it is highly probable that nothing serious will develop.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

RESUME OF THAW TRIAL.

District Attorney Jerome cross-examined Dr. B. D. Evans in the Thaw trial, his questions indicating that he would ask for a commission in lunacy to pass on Thaw's present mental state. It was believed Howard Nesbit would be called to prove his sister a liar.

Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was finally excused as a witness in the trial of her husband. Mr. Jerome ended his long cross-examination and her re-direct and re-cross-examinations were brief. Attempts to have Abraham Hummel tell of the affidavit Mrs. Thaw is said to have signed accusing her husband of abusing her were blocked by Attorney Delmas.

Reports that District Attorney Jerome would ask for the appointment of a lunacy commission to examine Harry K. Thaw and that Mrs. William Thaw, his mother, had given her consent to that course, worried the defendant in the murder trial.

Mrs. Evelyn Thaw had a comparatively easy day on the witness stand and made two gains for her husband's case. She said Thaw would not let her spend any of White's money when they were abroad together, and that the cablegrams to White from London were not about her, but about a man who had insulted her mother. Mr. Jerome announced that his cross-examination was nearly over.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS.

The senate agreed to the conference report on the river and harbor bill, in which the appropriation for the improvement of the Mississippi below Cairo was cut from $650,000 to $250,000.

The senate passed the expatriation bill establishing the status of American women who marry foreigners.

The house condemned the doings of the interior department's special agents and limited their power by restricting the use of the $25,000 appropriation for their salaries.

Senator Elkins filed in the senate his minority report on the railroad rate law, it being a comprehensive history of the economic development of American railroads.

The house adopted an amendment to the sundry civil bill providing that no bar or canteen where intoxicating liquor is sold shall be maintained in the old soldiers' homes.

Ship subsidy secured a marked impetus in the house, which just before adjournment adopted a rule that will probably insure the passage by the house of the Littauer substitute for the senate bill and result before the final adjournment in positive legislation.

The house began a two days' debate on the ship subsidy bill, and the senate passed the Aldrich currency bill.

MISCELLANEOUS.

According to George W. Fitzgerald, the Chicago subtreasury teller from whose cage $173,000 was stolen, the money was taken by a business man well known locally, and not by any of the government employes.

Col. Hains and Benjamin Harrod are to retire from the Panama canal commission.

Second Assistant Postmaster General Shallenberger resigned and it was given out that his successor would be Representative T. J. McCleary, of Minnesota.

Two clerks in the Hamilton National bank of Chicago were arrested for the embezzlement of $10,000.

Two officials of the Lost Bullion Spanish Mine company were arrested in Denver, Col., for fraud.

Senator Bailey was exonerated by the Texas house and bitterly excoriated his accusers.

Mme. Robineau, said to have been the oldest person in Paris, is dead. She was born in 1800 and had been ill but twice in her life.

James W. Conner, president of the New Louisiana Jockey club and prominent in St. Louis cotton and stock exchange circles for years, died following an operation for intestinal trouble.

Victor H. Dolliver, brother of Senator Dolliver, of Iowa, was found dead in bed at Fort Dodge, Ia.

All but four of the street cars in Warren, Pa., were destroyed by fire.

Thousands of opponents of municipal ownership made a great demonstration in London.

The Warsaw (Russia) post office was robbed by a band of terrorists, who killed the postmaster, two clerks and two soldiers.

Mrs. Sarah Walters, her daughter Florence, and Albert Miller, the young woman's fiance, were asphyxiated by escaping gas in Chicago.

E. H. Harriman told the interstate commerce commission that Stuyvesant Fish was deposed from the presidency of the Illinois Central because he used the company's funds to further his own interests.

E. H. Harriman was before the interstate commerce commission all day, partly explaining and trying to justify the financial transactions of himself and others in connection with the Chicago & Alton railway deal.

Charles W. Hillord, controller of the Alton road, told the interstate commerce commission the company's treasury was empty when the road was turned over to the Rock Island.

Baron Charles V. Beodetti of Florence, Italy, and Miss Jeanette Locke, a grand opera singer of Lexington, Ky., were married in New York.

During a heavy fog an accommodation train on the Wabash railroad and a freight train came into collision near Mexico, Mo., resulting in the death of the passenger engineer and injury to 20 others.

The plant of the old Vincennes Distilling company at Vincennes, Ind., was partly destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

T. M. Taylor, professor of chemistry in the Carnegie schools of Pittsburg, committed suicide while under nervous collapse.

The municipality of St. Petersburg decided to open 18 meat markets where the poor may buy meat at cost.

Six rurales were murdered in their sleep by Enrique Chaves, the notorious Mexican bandit.

Six detectives and a special officer of the St. Louis force were accused of protecting thieves.

The body of Deputy Game Warden Earl Eldridge of McHenry county, Illinois, was found in the woods with a bullet wound through the heart.

The Des Moines, Iowa, street railway was declared in a court decision to have a perpetual franchise.

The district court of Minnesota decided the electric trolley lines of the state had no right of eminent domain.

Mrs. Alexander Henderson of Pawtucket, R. I., was killed in her candy store by a robber.

A census bureau bulletin showed that tuberculosis was the most fatal disease in America, with pneumonia second.

The senate of Kansas passed a bill providing for two-cent fares, carrying the proviso that railroads must sell 500-mile books. The house passed a two-cent flat rate bill.

The Indiana house of representatives passed a bill appropriating $5,000 for a statue of Gen. Lew Wallace to be placed in Statuary Hall at Washington.

John F. Stevens resigned as chief engineer of the Panama canal and the president named Maj. G. W. Goethals as chairman and engineer-in-chief, and appointed on the commission Maj. Du B. Gaillard and Maj. W. L. Sibert. Senator Blackburn also is to be made a commissioner and the plan of having the work done by contract has been abandoned for the present.

Principal Sarah Maxwell and 16 children perished in a fire in the Hochelaga school in Montreal.

Nearly 20 persons were hurt, many seriously, at Knoxville, Ia., when a floor in the home of C. K. Davis, collapsed during the wedding of his daughter.

On recommendation of the state board of health, in view of the smallpox epidemic, Mayor Wallau of Jefferson City, Mo., issued a proclamation closing all places of public amusement.

The secret report of Gen. Smirnoff on the surrender of Port Arthur denounced Gen. Stoessel as incompetent and a traitor and coward.

Three persons were killed and many injured in the wreck of a Grand Trunk train at Guelph, Ont.

John E. Wilkie, chief of the secret service, started for Chicago to help find the man who stole $173,000 from the subtreasury.

Two trainmen were killed and many persons injured in a collision on the Intercolonial railroad.

Out of 215 American candidates for the Rhodes scholarships at the University of Oxford 138 passed.

J. Henley Smith, a veteran newspaper man, died at his home in Atlanta, Ga., aged 78. In 1869, with Alexander H. Stephens, he established the Atlanta Sun.

An agreement to build passenger and freight terminals at Kansas City at an estimated cost to the railways of $50,000,000 has been reached. The passenger station is to cost $2,000,000.

It is feared that the schooner Hilda, coal laden, is lost between Philadelphia and Savannah, Ga. She carried a crew of eight, including the captain.

King Menelik of Abyssinia is sending to President Roosevelt an autograph letter conferring a royal order upon him.

Archbishop Nuttall announced that the British parliament will arrange a loan of $5,000,000 to rebuild part of Kingston.

Gov. Hanly, of Indiana, signed the two-cent railway fare act.

One woman was killed and much property destroyed by a fire in Los Angeles, Cal.

Alexander Green, veteran of several wars, died at Piqua, O., aged 100 years.

Three Indians were burned to death in a tepee on the outskirts of Winnipeg, and two others were badly burned, during a drunken carousal.

Five women passengers were seriously cut and bruised when the Philadelphia express on the Pennsylvania railroad ran into an open switch at Pittsburg. One coach was telescoped and two derailed.

Another violent earthquake shock occurred at Kingston, Jamaica, but no one was killed.

M. Schiff, a prominent Paris jeweler, lost gems valued at $200,000 while standing in the post office.

Benjamin C. Wright confessed to the Denver police that he poisoned his wife and daughter.

The battleship Connecticut sailed from Guantanamo for the north with 36 cases of typhoid on board.

E. M. Fuller, a grocer of Augusta, Ga., mistook a policeman for a burglar and killed him.

The chief of police and chief of detectives of Salt Lake City were arrested for conspiracy to fleece travelers.

Secretary of the Treasury Shaw was elected president of the Carnegie Trust company of New York.

Attorney General Hays, of Kentucky, took steps to have the Southern Pacific Railway company pay $6,000,000 into the state treasury for taxes.

President Roosevelt will address the students of the Michigan Agricultural college at Lansing May 31.

The reported theft of $173,000 from the Chicago subtreasury was surrounded with mystery. The officials believed they knew the culprits.

The Texas senate indorsed United States Senator Bailey and discharged its investigating committee without a report.

Prof. E. B. Lovell, of Columbia university, testified before the coroner's inquest that the New York Central train wrecked at Harlem was running too fast and was too heavy.

The Missouri house passed an amended low fare bill and the senate concurred.

The Kansas legislature must prolong its session in order to complete its work.

The steam yacht Nada was in distress off the Jersey coast, with a broken shaft.

Hickory Inn, at Hickory, N. C., one of the largest hotels in the western part of the state, was destroyed by fire. Guests were forced to jump from second and third-story windows, and five were badly injured.

Col. J. E. Ewing, publisher of the Financier, of New York, died suddenly two hours after he was stricken by apoplexy while in the New York Life Insurance building, Chicago.

During a family quarrel in St. Louis Gilbert Ashley, 15 years old, shot and killed his uncle, Edward Murphy.

Frank J. Hearne, president of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company, died at Denver.

Mrs. Belle Jones and Mrs. W. C. Moore, of Lexington, Ky., claim they are descendants of Baron Springer, of Sweden, and heirs to an $80,000,000 estate in Delaware, including the site of the city of Wilmington.

Ambassador Bryce was presented to President Roosevelt by Secretary Root.

Eleven persons were rescued from the wrecked steamer Berlin, the life savers being helped personally by the prince consort of the Netherlands. Two women and a child could not be taken off.

The three last survivors of the wreck of the steamer Berlin at the Hook of Holland were rescued by the gallant life-savers. Fifteen were saved out of 143 aboard the vessel.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich, the poet, who underwent an operation in Boston, had a serious relapse.

The plant of the Acker Process company at Niagara Falls, N. Y., was burned, the loss being $800,000. H. S. Fairchild was killed.

Nicaraguans captured the Honduran fortified town of San Marcos de Colon.

Antonio Villereal, the alleged Mexican revolutionist, escaped just after he had been turned over to the immigration authorities at El Paso, Tex., for deportation.

The Georgia Southern & Florida passenger train for Jacksonville, Fla., was wrecked about 45 miles south of Macon, Ga. The engineer was killed. No passengers injured.

Guy Taunce of Waterbury, Conn., a lad of six years, found his grandfather's pipe six weeks ago and took to smoking it. The boy died of tobacco poison.

Prof. Matteucci of the Vesuvius observatory denies that he prophesied the possible destruction of the world by a comet.

One man was probably fatally burned and many windows were broken by an explosion of gas in the basement of the Bittner building, Sandusky, O.

Archibald Clavering Gunther, author, publisher and playwright, died suddenly in New York.

Property in the downtown district of Pittsburg, valued at $350,000, was destroyed by fire.

The supreme court of the United States decided the case of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad vs. the railroad commission of Texas involving state freight rates, favorably to the state.

John W. Lormor, an Iowa pioneer, the owner of 60 farms and rated as a millionaire, died.

The Pennsylvania's 18-hour train west bound was derailed near Johnstown, Pa., and three cars were buried into a shallow river. Many passengers were hurt but none killed.

Patrick C. Sheehan, a lawyer of Conneautville, Pa., was stricken with apoplexy while carrying a lighted lamp, and was burned to death.

President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, cabled that President Bonilla, of Honduras, was to blame for the war and that Nicaragua had won four victories.

President Roosevelt, Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Longworth and Miss Ethel Roosevelt returned to Washington after spending two days in Boston and Groton with the president's sons.

James R. McClure, secretary and treasurer of many of the subsidiary companies of the Pennsylvania railroad, was stricken with apoplexy and died while attending services in church in Philadelphia.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 25—A burlesque on the exposition bill made its appearance at the short session of the house this afternoon. The bill is by Elmer Adams of Fergus Falls, and calls for the issuance of $1,000,000 in certificates of indebtedness to be sold and the proceeds distributed among the various counties for a semi-centennial memorial. On each bridge so erected is to be placed a tablet reading, "Erected in 1908 in commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the admission of Minnesota to the Union." Friends of the exposition idea are especially annoyed by the Adams measure, and claim that not only is the whole proposition to serious for such a burlesque, but that the open session of the legislature is not the place for the presentation of practical jokes. Rumor says that Frank Eddy had a good deal to do with the Adams bill.

H. W. Libby of Winona introduced a bill establishing the bureau of "Labor Industry and Commerce." The department of labor, as already established, is enlarged and salaries generally increased. The bill provides for an assistant to the head of the department, three deputies, six factory inspectors, and five assistant inspectors.

W. L. Case of Cloquet is author of a bill which requires chaffeurs to stop after an accident and secure the name and address of such party as may have been run down and injured, and provides punishment as a misdemeanor for violation of the act.

The tax committee reported with recommendations for passage several important bills. One was the Burdette-Thayer measure making a graded tax of from one to three per cent on inheritances. Another was the bill of C. B. Miller of Duluth, providing for submitting to a vote of the people a proposition to increase the gross earnings taxes of the railroads to five per cent.

E. S. Durment of St. Paul presented a bill in the senate this evening authorizing the fire marshall of the state to appoint a deputy at $1,000 a year who shall be a detective and aid in ferreting out "fire-bugs." The chief justice of the supreme court and the president of the board of regents are reinstated as members of the board of investment of state funds by a bill introduced by Senator A. D. Stephens of Crookston.

At every session of both houses of the legislature now, there are being presented petitions from all over the state asking for passage of the county local option liquor bill. This bill is being pushed hard by the prohibitionists in the house and in the capitol corridors and retiring rooms there are always several men busy lobbying in the interests of the measure. The liquor interests are fighting it, and beneath the surface of things there is a great battle waging for and against the proposition.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 25—Action by the senate late today assures the people of Minnesota a two cent per mile railroad fare from now on. The senate passed the Peterson 2-cent measure by a vote of 57 to 6, and as the house declared itself the other day, the passage of the bill by each body formally endorsing the measures of the other, is simply a matter of a few days. There is also no question but what the governor will sign the measure. Not only did the senate today pass a 2-cent fare bill, but at the same time passed the Peterson anti-pass bill, 62 senators voting in its favor and not one against.

The two bills were a special order during the afternoon. The importance of the measures and the promise of a wordy combat, attracted a large number of people, the galleries being full and the wall aisles in the senate chamber being occupied by onlookers.

Senator Hardy, democrat, of St. Paul, opened the 2-cent fare bill ball with an amendment to make the rate 2½ cents. This amendment gave a test vote. The amendment failed, 51 to 10. Senator George P. Wilson made a lengthy speech against the bill. He said he supposed such attitude would place him in some odium with a certain class of people, but that he believed it right to stand by his convictions and sense of justice, and that in his opinion the two cent fare is two low a rate to be reasonable for some of the roads in Minnesota. He reminded the senate that if it can be proved to be confiscatory for a single road, it is unconstitutional for all the roads. Senator Laybourn wanted an amendment to exempt from application of the bill the Duluth Belt Line, which he explained is but two miles in length a climbs a 200 foot hill. This company cannot even do a profitable business on a three cent rate. Senator Laybourn was voted down. The bills both want to vote shortly after this and were passed amid much enthusiasm.

One of the most interesting events of the day in the senate was the report of the finance committee recommending for indefinite postponement the J. M. Hackney bill for a semi-centennial exposition at the fair grounds in 1908 and providing for use of the state's credit to raise $1,000,000 to be paid back from future fair profits. The committee further recommended, however, the bill be advanced to general orders where it will be considered by committee of the whole. Friends of the measure claim to have 40 out of the 63 votes in the senate pledged for the bill.

Senator S. F. Alderman today introduced another girls training school bill. He would have the legislature get out of its squabble on this subject by establishing the institution at his home town, Brainerd. The bill appropriates $100,000.

Senator Henry McColl of St. Paul introduced an anti-suicide bill which provides for very limited sale of carbolic acid, only on order of physicians and no one prescription to be filled twice.

The house today killed the county board of education bill. The bill had been drafted and introduced by the house committee on education. W. L. Case of Cloquet introduced a bill aiming to do away with temptation in part for murder, providing that no person who unlawfully causes the death of another shall be permitted to inherit any of the property of the one murdered. G. W. Knox of Aitkin introduced a bill placing all scales on railroad tracks and right of way, under jurisdiction of the state railroad and warehouse commission. W. H. Wescott of West St. Paul, introduced a bill prohibiting "hay" to be used in cigarettes and providing that all cigarettes sold in Minnesota must be of pure tobacco.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 27—These are days when committees are springing into importance in the legislature and doing more interesting work, sometimes, than is accomplished through the routine grind of the sessions. The special committee which is investigating ore lands and taxation has hurried a lot of officers of the law to Duluth armed with subpoenas for men prominent in mining operations in northern Minnesota. The committee recently returned from a junket over the range, on which trip they were feted and banqueted. Now that they have had their fun, the committeemen are going to settle down to real business and make a thorough investigation. Rumor goes that the committee is after evidence to show that the $70,000,000 at which St. Louis county mines are assessed, is not a drop in the bucket compared with their real value.

The so-called Knutson committee, which is investigating the J. J. Hill ore land deal, has demanded that Louis W. Hill, son of the magnate, produce all the books and records of the Superior company which holds the lands at present for the Great Northern stockholders. There is an opinion around that the records will not be produced.

An interesting bill which put in an appearance today in the senate, was by Senator J. T. Ellwell of Minneapolis. It is a bill to appropriate $12,500 the next fiscal year and $25,000 the following year for maintenance of a new clinical hospital to be built and established at the state university by donation and free of expense to the state. Walter J. Trask of Los Angeles gives $114,000 for the building as a memorial to Dr. Adolphus F. Elliott and Mary H. Elliott, his wife. The institution will be known as the Elliott Memorial hospital. In addition, the alumni of the university have raised a fund of $50,000 for the purchase of a site for the building.

Senator Seward is author of a bill to appropriate $1,500 from Farmers' Institute funds, for experiments in destroying weeds, breeding cattle, raising poultry, etc., on the Coteau farm in Lyon county under direction of O. C. Gregg, who for so many years has been so prominent in Farmers' Institute work.

The house committee on taxes this afternoon decided to recommend for passage important tax measures. One is the bill for a registry tax on mortgages, which it is estimated will bring $140,000 into the state treasury annually from Hennepin county alone. The other is the Tighe bill for a stamp tax on sale in grain produce exchanges. The house committee on judiciary has decided the Elmer E. Adams bill to abolish private banks, is unconstitutional.

Fined for Child's Act.

St. Peter—Fred Rabins, residing at Winthrop, was placed under arrest by a government mail inspector, charged with abusing fourth-class mail privileges, and was fined $100. A little daughter of Mr. Robins mailed a package some time ago, and when it was opened it was found to contain a message. The inspector held that parents were responsible for the acts of their children, and a heavy fine was imposed.

Mankato—The Watonwan County Anti-Horse Thief Association held its annual meeting at the court house at St. James and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: E. A. Gibbs, president; P. H. Grogan, vice-president; J. W. Somers, secretary; George Hnrhits, treasurer; George Forsyth, captain of riders.

Loses All Fingers.

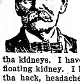
Bovey—Francis Kelly was so badly frozen that all his fingers had to be amputated. The young man was driving a team from Coleraine when the sleigh was overturned in a snowdrift and the horses ran away. The young man attempted to follow them, but night coming on, he lost his way and wandered about for hours. When he finally reached a house he was almost overcome by exposure to the cold and his hands so badly frozen that it was necessary to take off his fingers to save his life.

Carleton Wins

Northfield—In the eighth annual Ware oratorical contest held here between Carleton and St. Olaf colleges, Carleton was awarded both first and second honors. First prize was won by E. W. Cross, who spoke on the subject, "Lawlessness and Public Responsibility." John Monroe won second place with an oration entitled, "The Race Question Simplified." J. A. Holvik, of St. Olaf was awarded third place, speaking on the subject, "A Plea For An Unpopular Issue."

HARDSHIPS OF ARMY LIFE.

Left Thousands of Veterans with Kidney Troubles.



The experience of David W. Martin, a retired merchant of Bolivar, Mo., is just like thousands of others. Mr. Martin says: "I think I have had kidney disease ever since the war. During an engagement my horse fell on me, straining my back and injuring the kidneys. I have been told I had a floating kidney. I had intense pain in the back, headaches and dizzy spells and the action of the bladder was very irregular. About three years ago I tried Doan's Kidney Pills, and found such great relief that I continued, and inside a comparatively short time was entirely rid of kidney trouble."

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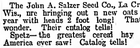

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Demand for Cocoanut Meat.

For the year ending June 30, 1906, the exports of copra (dried cocoanut meat) from the Philippine islands amounted to 145,851,913 pounds, of which France took 88,336,350 pounds, or about 61 per cent. The next most important buyers were Spain and Germany.

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SOME POINTS ABOUT NEEDLES.

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The point of a needle is a very important part of that useful little instrument, and there are many points about needles calculated to interest the general public. The daily consumption of needles all over the world is something like 3,000,000, while every year the women of the United States break, lose and use some 300,000,000 of those tiny tools. Few people while threading a needle have ever given a thought to the various processes through which the wire must pass before it comes out a needle. Yet the manufacture of needles includes some 21 different processes from cutting the wire and threading the double needles by the eyes to separating the two needles on the one length of wire, beading, hardening in oil, cleaning out the sides of the eye, point-setting, and final polishing. For wrapping purple paper is used, since it prevents rusting. There are many sorts of needles, for surgeons', cooks', glovemakers', weavers', sailmakers', broommakers', milliners' and dressmakers' use. The needle is the evolved product of centuries of invention. In its primitive form it was made of bone, ivory, or wood. Point by point its manufacture has improved, until this little but not insignificant instrument is now one of the highly-finished products of twentieth century machinery and skill.—Zion's Herald.

A FRIEND'S TIP.

70-Year-Old Man Not too Old to Accept a Food Pointer.

"For the last 20 years," writes a Maine man, "I've been troubled with Dyspepsia and liver complaint, and have tried about every known remedy without much in the way of results until I took up the food question.

"A friend recommended Grape-Nuts food, after I had taken all sorts of medicines with only occasional, temporary relief.

"This was about nine months ago, and I began the Grape-Nuts for breakfast with cream and a little sugar. Since then I have had the food for at least one meal a day, usually for breakfast.

"Words fail to express the benefit I received from the use of Grape-Nuts. My stomach is almost entirely free from pain and my liver complaint is about cured, I have gained flesh, sleep well can eat nearly any kind of food except greasy, starchy things and am strong and healthy at the age of 70 years.

"If I can be the means of helping any poor mortal who has been troubled with dyspepsia as I have been, I am willing to answer any letter enclosing stamp." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Express Rates Reduced.

St. Paul—The following schedule of express rates was submitted by the railway commission and accepted by the express companies:

Distances.	Per 100 lbs.
1 to 15	$0.40
30 and over 15	.40
45 and over 30	.45
60 and over 45	.50
75 and over 60	.55
90 and over 75	.60
105 and over 90	.65
120 and over 105	.75
135 and over 120	.85
150 and over 135	.90
165 and over 150	.95
180 and over 165	1.00
195 and over 180	1.10
220 and over 195	1.20
250 and over 220	1.25
280 and over 250	1.30
310 and over 280	1.40
340 and over 310	1.50
370 and over 340	1.60
400 and over 370	1.70

Some of the cuts are very material. For instance, the old rate of from 50 to 75 cents per 100 weight for a 35-mile haul has been reduced to a flat rate of 45 cents, while the charges for short shipments, less than 35 miles have been cut from a 40 to 60-cent basis to the flat rate of 45 cents. The old rate of from 50 to 75 cents per hundred weight on 50-mile hauls has been knocked down to a flat rate of 50 cents, while 55-mile hauls are reduced from 70 to 90 cents rates to a flat charge of 50 cents. On express weighing less than 100 pounds the reductions average 25 per cent.

Hereafter a distance rate will be good only for 15 miles. For instance, the charge of 40 cents per hundred weight for a distance of 15 miles and under 30 cannot be extended so as to carry 40 or 50 miles as has been the custom in the past when it was considered advantageous. This clause will make discrimination impossible, as the charges must be made on a mileage basis.

Beast Mangles Steers.

Mankato—A mountain lion, panther or other ferocious wild animal made its presence known near this city by attacking a three-year-old steer on the farm of Columbus Ballard. It leaped upon the back of the steer and tore it badly and nearly killed it.

Mr. Ballard was in the barn milking at the time, but his attention was attracted by the stampeding of the herd in the pasture and their wild bellowing. The house dog, ordinarily courageous, slunk to the house panic-stricken.

Mr. Ballard got a lantern and with a hired man investigated and found the steer nearly dead and the rest of the cattle so excited that it took two hours to calm them. A tour of the wooded portion of the pasture revealed large footprints in the snow, made by some strange animal.

Rabies Spreading.

St. Paul—Rabies is spreading in Minnesota, despite Dr. S. H. Ward, executive officer of the state livestock sanitary board. The board has found many outbreaks of the disease among cattle and other livestock, and Dr. Ward says that frequently it is possible to trace the flight of a mad dog across a whole county by the cases of rabies which afterwards spring up along his trail.

"We have had reports of outbreaks of rabies since the first of the year" said Dr. Ward, "in Hennepin, in Ramsey, Winona, Carver, Wright, McLeod, Crow Wing and Sibley counties. The cases have all started from mad dogs the animals later affected being cows, hogs, horses, and at Winona a number of sheep."

Monument to Col. Colvill.

St. Paul—The Sons of Veterans held a meeting and appointed a committee, consisting of Colfax Grant of Minneapolis as chairman, E. F. Heller of Duluth, C. E. Casler, W. J. Hiland, Grant Van Sant, George T. Drake and A. L. Janes of St. Paul, to co-operate with the citizens of Cannon Falls to secure monuments in memory of Col. Colvill of the First Minnesota regiment. One monument is to be erected over his grave at Cannon Falls and the other is to be in the capitol.

Fined for Child's Act.

St. Peter—Fred Rabins, residing at Winthrop, was placed under arrest by a government mail inspector, charged with abusing fourth-class mail privileges and was fined $100. A little daughter of Mr. Robins mailed a package some time ago, and when it was opened it was found to contain a message. The inspector held that parents were responsible for the acts of their children and a heavy fine was imposed.

News Notes.

Minneapolis—Mrs. Flora Buffermeyer was severely burned as a result of an accident at her home, 31 Elm street, and only prompt action on the part of her mother saved her from more serious injury.

Faribault—Last summer while a circus was exhibiting at Red Wing a wild boar escaped from its cage and disappeared. A reward of $200 was offered for the recapture. The animal has been found dead on Knute Rank's farm, near Nerstrand, a few miles east of here. The animal evidently starved to death.

Mankato—When Mrs. August Magin, who conducts an intelligence office, returned home after a half-hour's shopping tour, she was astonished to find that someone had entered her apartments and left a tiny infant upon her bed.

Owatonna—Another complaint was filed against Braham and Torgerson, the saloonkeepers who were recently convicted of operating a gambling house at their place of business.

St. Cloud—C. H. Miles of Bemidji is considering the proposition of creating a vaudeville theater here to form one of a chain of such theaters which he is organizing.

St. Paul.—The St. Paul road paid $90,798.32 into the state treasury, it being the last payment on their 1906 gross earnings tax.

Mankato.—A machine, drawn by three horses, that will husk standing corn at the rate of ten acres a day has just been perfected and patented by G. L. Narchow, formerly of Wisconsin.

Hastings.—At the meeting of the city council the contract for the construction of waterworks and sewers in Hastings was let to William Tunny, of Joliet, Ill., at $33,694. There were six competitors.

Minneapolis—Edward O'Neil, a lumberjack staying at the Wisconsin house on Bridge Square, was held up and robbed in an alley near Hennepin avenue and First street after the saloons had closed at midnight.

Washington.—Ella M. Greene was appointed postmaster at Gladiela, Cass county, vice S. E. Smith, resigned, and Thomas Barker at Saint Mathias, Crow Wing county, Minn., vice E. J. Reid, resigned.

Mankato—Miss Odessa White, who resides with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Jones, at Cordova, was kicked by a horse that she was leading to water, and her right jawbone was broken in two places.

Rochester—The three-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wagoner was smothered to death in bed. At midnight the infant received attention from its parents and when they awoke this morning they found it dead.

Duluth.—Carrying approximately 2,500,000 passengers at an average cost to the city of one-fifth of a cent apiece, the Duluth aerial bridge, the only one of its kind on the continent, has just completed its first year of operation.

Mankato.—Reports from several sections are to the effect that a larger number of prairie chickens are to be found in the corn fields now than for several years. It is supposed that the deep snow in the Dakotas caused them to migrate to this section for feed.

Faribault.—The city administration is determined to keep the "lid" on in Faribault. John Shultz, a leading saloon man, was fined $25 and costs for keeping open on Sunday. Three arrests for keeping open on Sunday and after closing hours have been made within a short time.

Faribault.—Ned H. Hamblin, aged ten years, and George Wagner, aged twelve years, both living in Northfield, were sentenced to the reform school at Red Wing, by Judge Thomas S. Buckham, of the district court. The boys broke into a store at Northfield, and stole a number of revolvers, knives and other goods.

Mankato.—Fire destroyed the only hotel in Sacred Heart owned by a Thompson of Dawson and conducted by Mrs. Walstad. It also destroyed Joseph Dieter's saloon, and the office of the Wisconsin Grain Company. The total loss on buildings and fixtures is about $10,000 partly insured. Mrs. Walstad carried no insurance.

Mendota.—The elevator owned by J. E. Bathker & Son was destroyed at noon yesterday. A bucket brigade was formed by the citizens and heroic efforts made to check the fire. The flames, fanned by the wind, swept over the building, which burned to the ground in less than an hour. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Faribault.—The biennial reports of the Minnesota state schools for the deaf, blind and feeble minded have been issued. The report for the school for the deaf shows that the total receipts from the shoe shop, cabinet shop, printing office, sewing room and other sources, were $3,640.65. The products of the farm amounted to $3,209.27.

Eveleth.—Hibbing socialists have started an aggressive campaign for the avowed purpose of taking over the village government at the municipal election next week. Teofilo Petrella, candidate for president, jokingly says that if they win they will move into the village hall and that there will be no difference between the village government and socialism.

Duluth.—The Duluth, Missobe & Northern Railway Company has awarded a contract to the Barnett & Record Company for the construction of a coal dock on their property immediately east of Ore Dock No. 1, at West Duluth. The dock will have a capacity of 300,000 tons of coal and will be patterned somewhat after the type of the M. A. Hanna dock at Superior.

St. Paul.—The state game and fish commission has issued a bulletin calling attention to the closed season, March and April, for Minnesota fish. Bass are protected from March 1 to May 29; pike, muskalonge, crapples, perch, sunfish, sturgeon, catfish and any other variety except pickerel, suckers, redhorse, carp and bullheads, from March 1 to May 1, and all trout, except from Sept. 1 to April 15.

St. Paul.—Frank Penas, sixteen years of age, living at 376 Colborne street, was found unconscious on the railroad tracks, at the foot of James street with his right arm crushed to a pulp as far as the shoulder, his left hand mangled and several scalp wounds. He was taken to the city hospital by the police, where the boy's right arm was amputated near the shoulder and his left hand was severed at the wrist.

Duluth.—Joseph Gauthier, a well-known citizen of West Duluth, believes that he has made a rich strike of gold upon his homestead on the Duluth & Iron Range railroad. Samples of the ore brought here by Mr. Gauthier are said to have assayed $105 in gold and silver to the ton.

Minneapolis—Paul Anderson, 1808 Seventeenth avenue south, was seriously injured by falling a distance of about 50 feet off the main building at the state university, where he was employed as a laborer.

Austin.—The South Central Minnesota Teachers' Association will convene in Austin March 14, 15 and 16.

THE BUSINESS WOMAN AND HER ACCOUNT AT THE BANK

Proper Way to Indorse a Check—Collecting Money from Out-of-Town Debtors—Drafts, Bank Drafts and Bills of Exchange.

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Depositing money and writing checks is a small part of the business it is desirable to understand in dealing with a bank. There is, for instance, a right and a wrong way to indorse a check, and if a woman learns correctly at first, she will always adopt that method, and save confusion and mistakes.

To indorse a check is to sign one's name on the back, and by so doing a party makes herself liable for the check. The signature should always appear exactly as it is on the face. If the name on the face of the paper is spelled wrong, the indorser should write the name twice, first as it appears on the face, and then immediately below that, her name as it is usually spelled. For instance, I am paid a check made out to Dorothty E. Raymond or order. My banking business is done under the name of Dorothy Ellen Raymond. I sign both names on the back; first the name in which the check is made out and second the name that I am accustomed to use.

Any teller will say that one of the annoyances of banking is the higgletypigglety way in which indorsements are made. If he can pick up a check indorsed in the correct manner, he is saved handling it many times, instead of once. For this reason, among others, it is desirable to know exactly where to indorse a check. The proper way is to sign the name cross wise on the back of the check, near the top. Not lengthtwise, or wrong side up. The indorsement should be written an inch or so from the top, and the correct end to indorse is easily ascertained by holding one end of the check in each hand, and as it is turned over, moving the right end toward the body. This leaves the end to be indorsed in the left hand. It is the method used by all bankers and is very simple to learn. Practicing this, once or twice, will show exactly how it is done, and the habit of turning the check aright will become mechanical.

If other indorsements are to appear on the back of the check, they are written in order, below the name of the first indorser, and often a check is indorsed many times. When it is desirable to make out a check payable to some particular person by indorsing, the person who owns the check writes the words "Pay to the order of ——" on the back, and signs her name underneath. Take the case of Mary R. Evans who holds a check made out to her. She wishes to transfer this check to Elizabeth A. Robbins. So she writes on the back "Pay to the order of Elizabeth A. Robbins," and signs underneath Mary R. Evans. When Elizabeth A. Robbins draws this check she also signs her name.

The holder of a check must present it for payment within a reasonable time, for otherwise the delay is at the peril of the holder. The reason for this is readily understood when one reflects that a man may have money in the bank at the time he gives his check, and none a week or month after. Sometimes drawers of checks request that a check should not be presented for payment until a given time. This, of course, is an understanding between the receiver and giver of the check.

As a rule, if a check is drawn in the same place as the payee receives it, it should be presented for payment during banking hours on the day on which it is recorded or on the following day, for if the bank fails the loss is on the payee of the check. If the bank is not in the same place where the payee receives the check, it should be forwarded by mail either by the payee or through her bank, immediately on its receipt. As an illustration, I receive a check from Thomas R. Brown, of Phoenix, Ariz., made out on his bank. I at once send it to that bank for collection, or, better still, I take it to the bank in which I do business, and they collect it for me and credit it to me on their books. Sometimes a person receives a check and prefers not to have the money. At the same time she has no bank account on which to deposit it. She can, in this case, take the check to the bank and receive a "certificate of deposit," which she can draw at any time.

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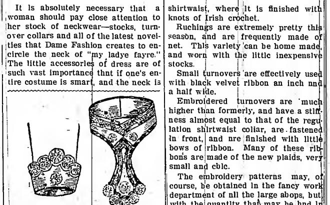
Of course, a bank is supposed to know the signature of its depositor, and if it pays money on a forged check, no matter what the circumstances, if the depositor is free of blame, all loss must be borne by the bank, for it assumes this risk in undertaking the care of funds intrusted to its charge. For this reason, care is usually taken to ascertain that the party presenting a check is the one entitled to receive payment. As a rule, persons who pay bills by means of checks are established depositors in a bank, but some banks will allow a person to deposit the required amount, and to take a certificate of deposit and indorse it over to the party it is desired to pay. This is, of course, an accommodation on the part of the bank, and it is such a nuisance that many banks require a permanent deposit of at least $100, for a certain length of time, before they will act as a clearing house.

When a woman desires to use her check to pay a note at some other bank or in some large deal, she may find it necessary to get it certified. She asks the cashier of her bank where her funds are deposited to do so, and he writes across the face of the check the words "Certified" or "Good when properly indorsed." This shows the payee that the check is beyond question a good one, and that her bank will retain enough funds to meet it. In reality, such a transaction makes the bank the debtor, and it assumes the debt, simply because immediately on the issuance of a certified check, the amount is withdrawn from the depositor's account and held in trust by the bank. A bank is always willing to certify a check if it holds enough of the depositor's funds to meet it. Of course, if the depositor does not use the certified check, she should deposit again, that she may be credited with the amount.

This may sound like a formidable transaction, but it is in reality a simple one, as the following will show: Mary A. Stanford decides to buy a piece of real estate for $1,000. She has this amount in her bank, and the agent of the property wishes a certified check. She goes to the bank and asks that her check for that amount be certified. The bank does so, and at once withdraws that amount from her credit, and stands ready to pay the check itself when presented. This may occur. Or Mary A. Stanford may change her mind. In this case she of course wants her $1,000, which the bank holds, credited to her account, and so deposits thet certified check, which she holds, to her credit.

Neckwear a Most Important Part of Feminine Costume

It is absolutely necessary that a woman should pay close attention to her stock of neckwear—stocks, turnover collars and all of the latest novelties that Dame Fashion creates to encircle the neck of "my ladye fayre." The little accessories of dress are of such vast importance that if one's entire costume is smart, and the neck is neglected, or half-way cared for, the entire costume is pronounced a failure.



A pretty stock is fashioned of tiny folds of crepe de chine reaching high up on the neck, and it is tied after the manner of a four-in-hand in front, reaching to about the middle of the shirtwaist, where it is finished with knots of Irish crochet.

Ruchings are extremely pretty this season, and are frequently made of net. This variety can be home made, and worn with the little inexpensive stocks.

Small turnovers are effectively used with black velvet ribbon an inch and a half wide.

Embroidered turnovers are much higher than formerly, and have a stiffness almost equal to that of the regulation shirtwaist collar, are fastened in front, and are finished with little bows of ribbon. Many of these ribbons are made of the new plaids, very small and chic.

The embroidery patterns may, of course, be obtained in the fancy work department of all the large shops, but with the quantity that may be had in the shops at such small cost, it would seem almost a waste of valuable time to embroider one's own neckwear, and yet it is a known fact that there are times when a woman can do nothing but embroider.

The designs of embroidery seen in many of the turnovers and stocks are very heavy, and the turnover cuffs are made to match.

QUEEN'S COAT OF ARMS

ROYAL GRANT RECENTLY MADE BY KING EDWARD.

Insignia Not Hereditary as Generally Supposed—Ruler of England is Supreme on Matters of Armorial Ensigns.

London.—To those who look with scorn upon a modern grant of arms, no less than to those who are unaware that the royal arms are not hereditary, and that each member of the royal family is supposed to receive a warrant personal to himself or herself, it will come as a startling shock to learn that her majesty, Queen Alexandra, has recently received a grant of arms. To be more exactly precise, the king has issued a warrant "to give and assign unto our dearly beloved consort," whom his majesty styles "A Lady of Our Most Noble Order of the Garter" . . . "Arms, Crown and Supporters."

Coat of Arms of Queen Alexandra.

The law which governs the royal arms in this country bears little if any relation to the law controling the armorial ensigns of subjects, and, though more rigid in its rules, it nevertheless closely follows upon the old customs and rules conformed to by the Bourbons when France was royalist.

The cardinal rules lying at the base of royal heraldry are first that the king can do anything in such matters by merely declaring his pleasure by means of a formal royal warrant, and second, that the royal arms as such are not personal and are not hereditary, but are the emblems of the undying sovereignty of the realm.

The sovereign can at any moment declare by warrant what the royal arms shall be for the future, and though this is usually done immediately upon ascending the throne, and a subsequent change but seldom occurs, such changes do happen. There were no less than three changes in the reigns of George III., George IV., and William IV. Each contented himself with the final version of King George III., but a change was made by Queen Victoria.

The tenet that the royal arms belong only and exclusively to the sovereign dates back to the reign of Edward I., if not beyond. All the other members of the royal family bear the royal arms "differenced" by marks of distinction. How this differencing was effected in early times is not known, though what was the particular difference employed in each case there are plenty of records to show. In modern times, at any rate since the Stuart dynasty, it has been done by means of royal warrants under the sign manual and privy seal of the sovereign. Anciently the difference marks were two—either a "bordure" or a "label." For a long time past the label has been exclusively used. The label, which is now always white, is a straight bar across the top of the shield, from which hang three (or sometimes five) points. These points are perfectly plain for the heir apparent, but for all other members of the royal family they are charged with different objects, of which a multitudinous variety have been called into use.

These labels are placed upon the shield and upon each of the supporters, and in the case of princes upon the crest also; princesses, of course, have no crest.

Not only are such warrants issued for those who by blood descent are members of our royal family, but sometimes also for those who only enter the royal family by alliance. Such a warrant was issued by Queen Victoria for the late prince consort, and the royal arms of this country differenced by a label quartered with the arms of Saxony were what was assigned to him in the warrant. All of his descendants except the king retain the arms of Saxony upon their shield, but bear the coat upon an inescutcheon. As above stated, King Edward VII. has now issued a warrant for Queen Alexandra, and this warrant recites that her majesty "shall use and bear within the Garter our royal arms impaling the royal arms of Denmark surmounted by our crown." The supporters assigned to the queen in the warrant are "Dexter, a lion guardant or, crowned proper," and "Sinister, a savage wreathed about the temples and loins with oak, and supporting in the exterior hand a club all proper." This latter is one of the Danish supporters. The king also permits the queen to use his crown. This crown, by the way, is a fiction. It has no real existence, and the warrant will not affect the crown her majesty wears, which is a small one, entirely of diamonds. The crown the queen wore at the coronation was of another pattern.

GIRL MAY PLAN WARSHIP.

Boston Maid Graduates with Honor as Naval Architect.

Boston.—There is one girl who may look the part of a secretary for some home for stray cats, but who is building battleships. She is Miss Lydia Gould Weld, of a famous and wealthy old New England family. She is employed by the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Construction company.

When just budding into womanhood Miss Weld concluded to be of some use in the world. A little story is told concerning Miss Weld and Mrs. Lucia Ames Mead, sometimes termed "a temporal vice regent of the Prince of Peace." Miss Weld had announced her intention of learning to build battleships. Mrs. Mead was horrified.

MISS LYDIA GOULD WELD.
(Building Battleships is Hobby of This Boston Girl.)

"My dear Miss Weld," declaimed Mrs. Mead, "one battle ship costs as much as an entire university. One is educational and the other is totally destructive. I am astounded."

"My dear Mrs. Mead," responded the girl, "your mathematics are correct, but I question your logic. Frequently there are occasions in the onward march of civilization when one good battleship, properly handled, is worth more to God and humanity than 40 average universities."

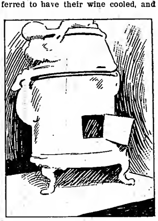
President Orcutt of the big Newport News company is proud of his fair employe, and says that he hopes his company will get the contract for the "Skeered-o'-Nothin'." If he does, Miss Weld, a frail, gently-bred New England girl, will have the proud distinction of making all the working plans for the greatest, most powerful, fastest and most terrible upholder of peace the world ever has known.

RELIC OF OLD ROMAN DAYS.

Ingenious Urn for Heating Water Found in Ruins of Pompeii.

New York.—There has recently been added to the Naples Museum a splendid collection of objects of antiquity dug up from the ruins of Pompeii. The one here produced is an excellent example. Archaeology has been able to piece together an almost entire picture of the uses of these beautifully designed urns. In Roman times wine was always mixed with water.

The host would ask his friends how they would like to have it. Some preferred to have their wine cooled, and snow or snow water was put into the wine. Here is where we have the advantage over a Roman in our modern refrigerating methods, which enable us to have ice at all seasons without regard to the product of the winter. But a custom among the Romans, which nowadays seems strange to us, was the admixture of hot water with the wine.



Dug from Ruins of Pompeii.

Special vessels were adopted for heating or keeping the water hot, and they were very often of very beautiful and elaborate design. There are many and very ingenious varieties of these urns, each one possessing a space for the hot water, a tube or other receptacle for hot coals, and a tap. Besides their chief use of heating water for mixing with wine they would be used also for cooking ovens. Great numbers have been dug up in Pompeii and Herculaneum, where in the days of their prime they must have formed beautiful table ornaments. It is not probable that the artistic impulse will lead to the reproduction of these beautiful ancient models.

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STAY BY THE CREAMERY.

Within the next few weeks the local creamery will be started up with a competent butter maker in charge, and as announced some time back, it is the intention of those interested in the concern to keep the plant in operation the year around.

The run of last season was a very satisfactory one to the officers and stockholders, and the patrons were at all times paid the top prices for their butter fat.

In face of the success made last year, it was not then a fraction of what can be accomplished the coming year if the farmers tributary to Red Lake Falls will pull together for the general good of the community. The local creamery has been unfortunate, inasmuch as petty troubles among those who should be its best patrons have at all times retarded its progress.

Neighborhood disputes, no matter who has the right side, should not be allowed to enter into a business transaction. If the Red Lake Falls creamery can be made to pay the patron as much as the best creameries pay, and can then be run on a profit basis to the stockholders, there is no reason whatsoever for any farmer within a radius of reasonable distance sending his cream away.

Supposing that factional differences and disputes were allowed to enter into all transactions, it would not be long until the best community would cease to exist. Co-operation has ever been the secret of success among the farmers, and we do not need to go many miles from home to see its results either.

The big cold storage houses are today banded together to kill off the small creameries, and when they have accomplished their purpose the farmer who has been shipping his cream to them and away from the local factory will find that he is hopelessly at the mercy of a gigantic trust, that will steal his product while he is helpless to prevent it.

When such a condition exists,—and it surely will if the farmers persist in shipping their cream away—they can blame no one but themselves for their nearsightedness.

Back to the original story—the local creamery is ready to start on a season of unprecedented success, or one of part success and part failure. Isn't it a better picture to look at, the one where the Red Lake Falls creamery is pointed to with pride as one of the leading institutions of its kind in the great "bread and butter state"—or would you, Mr. Farmer, who will have the deciding—rather have it said that you let your local plant die for lack of support, and thereby put your head into the very jaws of the cold storage trust.

Minnesota has swung into line on the 2-cent a mile railroad fare.

The mongrel purp wags his tail and looks pleasant. The bill providing for the shooting of all stray dogs has been defeated.

There will be just two styles of hats for Easter this year—those you can afford and those you can't. Most women will be wearing the latter.

The annual town meetings are to be held this year on Tuesday, March 12th, this date being the second Tuesday in March, the time set by law for holding such elections.

Hereafter no applause will be allowed in the senate of the Minnesota state legislature. It is hinted that there were so few of the members who were able to command applause that jealousy against the few who were so awarded, prompted its suppression.

We are to have lower express rates. At a conference held last week between representatives of all the express companies doing business in the state and a committee appointed by the legislature the express companies agreed to make reductions ranging from 10 to 50 per cent and averaging 25 per cent.

Rumors have been afloat in Washington for several days that a panic, engineered in Wall street, was about to sweep over the country. The report is said to mean a coupe on the part of Wall street to precipitate a condition of business unrest to affect the future political fortunes of the head of the administration. It is claimed that there is no fear of Roosevelt himself seeking preferment, but it is the wish to minimize his influence at the next national convention of his party.

The safest way is to live and try to live right. If you slip a cog bab bit your boxes and try it again. You are only a human being, and the Good Being realizes that your gearing won't always match just right. Take up the slack and go ahead, remembering that the other fellow isn't any better than you are, even if he doesn't get caught, and that he is just about as good. Human nature averages very nearly alike among the fifty-seven varieties and nationalities which we are liable to rub up against during our sojourn on this old planet.

There are all kinds of stories afloat about the Soo building west from Duluth the coming season, but none of the proposed lines seem to have any inclination of winding up in the neighborhood of Thief River Falls, notwithstanding the fact that that town has given the public to understand that they had inside information that no railroad could possibly be built across the northern part of the state without getting tangled up with some surburb of Thief River Falls. It must be that Minnesota is bigger than the upriver town figured on.

LUMBER SITUATION.

The lumber situation is indeed becoming serious. An inspection of lumber quotations of today compared with twelve years ago reveals the fact that the retail price of most grades has tripled during that time. The question naturally arises, what are we to do for building material? While brick is expensive it is becoming more generally used than formerly in building homes. Freight from the Pacific coast on lumber is now fifty cents a hundred. This means that on every thousand feet of lumber brought from the coast country we must pay a freight of from $12 to $15, and yet the lumber barons have so arranged their price schedules as to be able to sell the products of both their mills here and on the coast in the same territory. An old lumber dealer in expressing his opinion as to the outcome, stated that his solution of the problem was that brick, concrete and iron must extensively take the place of lumber wherever it is possible to use it as a substitute. It is also his conviction that the cottonwood, poplar and willow groves that are now growing on tens of thousands of our northwestern farms will be sawed up into lumber, in fact, said he, "One half of the timber that we are now sawing is no larger than that we find in a large percentage of the artificial groves that are now in use as wind-breaks." If this be true it will be only a question of a short time when the groves on many of our northwestern farms will have an increasing timber value in them.

THE EXTENT OF THE DAIRY DISTRICT.

One only needs to travel across the length and breadth of the United States to be thoroughly impressed with the very limited dairy territory of this continent, says the Advance Farmer. Most everywhere we go we find that the average man rebels at milking cows. We only get about one-half way down across Iowa and Illinois until we find almost a total absence of the creamery. There seems to be only a narrow strip of territory from here to the Atlantic coast in which people can be persuaded to keep cows. During the past season the writer met an old farmer on the train in western Canada who was shipping milk to Winnipeg for which he was receiving in the flush of the season $1.50 a hundred pounds. Even he was becoming discouraged on account of the difficulty he was having in obtaining competent milkers. The other day while on the streets of a town in southern Texas we were very forcibly impressed by the method in which milk is delivered in that section of the country. The milkman stops his vehicle on the street in front of the customer's house. Instead of taking the milk to the customer, he remains in his wagon while the customer hustles out into the street for his daily allowance, and if he does not hustle lively he goes without. Even though they obtain six cents a quart in this country of perpetual summer the supply is so limited and the demand so great that the milkmen put on an air of, "take it if you want to and if you don't take it in a hurry you will leave it alone."

Legend and Reality.

Legend tells how Napoleon, while Moscow was in flames, found time to draw up a decree organizing the Theatre Francais. Alas, the story is not true. Napoleon was in Poland when he received the decree ready to be signed. He there signed it and sent it back to Paris, but in the margin wrote the following: "To be forwarded when the army will be at Moscow. It is his majesty's intention that the decree should be dated from that town."

What Advertising Will Do.

(Specially Exemplified in the Case of Harry Mitchell, Minneapolis' Famous Tailor.)

It would be difficult to find a better exemplification of what good and persistent advertising will do for a man with the goods back of him than the case of Harry Mitchell, Minneapolis' popular tailor.

You will notice we said "with the goods back of him," for there is probably no tailor in the Twin Cities that carries a quarter of the stock that Harry Mitchell does, and the fabrics being purchased from the foremost mills of America and Europe, the quality is absolutely assured.

Five years ago Mr. Mitchell was conducting a tailor shop on the second floor of a building in Chicago, making a specialty of the finer class of work. He has been in this business for seven years.

One day he woke up to the fact that Minneapolis was a pretty good kind of a town, and as the western fever grew upon him, he decided to pull up stakes and move his belongings here.

He started out in Minneapolis in a small way—growing, growing, till today he is one of the largest tailors in the United States.

His success is due entirely to the fact that he is scrupulously honest—always giving a little more rather than a little less in all his transactions.

He conducts his business on a strictly cash basis, and no matter who the customer may be—banker or laborer—the goods must be paid for when delivered. This has been a very potent factor in the building up of his business, for there are no bad accounts standing out, no collector's fees to pay, and no "deadbeats" to write off on the wrong side of the ledger.

His store is located at 310 Nicollet avenue, is absolutely up-to-date in every respect, and the arrangement for exhibiting the enormous stock is commented on by every one who enters. The fitting or trying-on room is furnished in a most luxurious manner, every detail being carefully studied out for the comfort of the customer.

Mr. Mitchell's work rooms, where two hundred and forty people are employed, are located at Hennepin and Fourth street. There are no better, more commodious, more sanitary tailoring quarters in the world than those provided by Harry Mitchell for his employees. Everything runs like clock-work, and it would indeed be hard to find a more contented, happier bunch than work there.

Mr. Mitchell has always been an advocate of paying a man good wages, and probably no tailor in the country employes such high-priced cutters as he does. He believes in getting the best that money can buy. He has absolutely no use for a man unless he's a pastmaster at his business, and that is one reason why Harry Mitchell has no fear in putting on his shingle "Satisfaction or No Pay."

His customers include some of the best dressers in Minneapolis, but it makes no difference to Mr. Mitchell whether the customer is a banker, a railroad president or a $15-a-week clerk, they all get the same painstaking attention.

That Harry Mitchell has absolutely become famous for his made-to-order $15, $20 and $25 suits and overcoats is an established fact—not only in Minneapolis alone but in all the surrounding states. His mail order business has grown so rapidly in the past two years that it became imperative for him to enlarge his quarters. He prides himself on his perfected self-measurement system, and says it makes no difference where a man may live, he can fit him just as well as if he took his measure himself.

As previously said, Mr. Mitchell is a staunch believer in publicity. He says you can't catch fish without bait, and he doesn't see how the public is going to know what you've got to give them unless you tell them.—Minneapolis Journal.

Observation.

An observant man in all his intercourse with society and the world constantly and unperceived marks on every person and thing the figure expressive of its value and, therefore, on meeting that person or thing, knows instantly what kind and degree of attention to give it. This is to make something of experience.—John Foster.

Tamed Poetry.

"I wish to submit a lyric, sir," said the timid young man. "My friends say it's a beauty—really sings itself."

"Hmmph!" said the cold hearted editor. "We couldn't use a poem like that. We want one that, once printed, will remain perfectly quiet and not keep our readers awake by singing itself at all times."

The true strength of every human soul is to be dependent on as many nobler as it can discern and to be depended upon by as many inferior as it can reach.

The world which took but six days to make is like to take 6,000 to make out.—Browne.

Pale, Thin, Nervous?

Then your blood must be in a very bad condition. You certainly know what to take, then take it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you doubt, then consult your doctor. We know what he will say about this grand old family medicine.

This is the first question your doctor would ask: "Are your bowels regular?" He knows that daily action of the bowels is absolutely essential to recovery. Keep your liver active and your bowels regular by taking laxative doses of Ayer's Pills.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass. Also manufacturers of

Ayer's HAIR VIGOR. AGUE CURE. CHERRY PECTORAL.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

When in the City stop at

PAUL'S HOTEL

Sample Room In Connection

Rates $1 to $1.50 per day. Free 'Bus to all Trains.

House is heated by furnace throughout, and everything kept up in first-class shape.

Give Us A Call.

SIMON PAUL, Proprietor.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Makes the finest, lightest, best flavored biscuit, hot-breads, cake and pastry. Renders the food more digestible and wholesome.

ABSOLUTELY PURE

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke Your Life Away.

To quit tobacco easily and forever, be magnetic, full of life, nerve and vigor, take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker, that makes weak men strong. All druggists, 50c or $1. Cure guaranteed. Booklet and sample free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York.

Star Restaurant

MRS. M. R. HALL, Prop.

Building formerly occupied by O'Brien Bros.' Hardware.

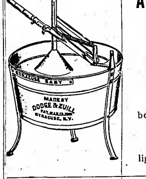
Meals and Lunches at All Hours

Board by the Day or Week

Complete stock of Confectionery, Nuts, etc. Fresh new line.

Everything New and Up-to-Date

Give me a call.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MADE BY DODGE & ZUILL PAT. MAR.15.1898 SYRACUSE, N.Y.

The Syracuse "Easy" Washer

A Few Reasons Why You Should Have One

It saves the clothes.

It saves precious time.

It saves physical force.

It saves in cost—no new tubs or boards to buy.

It washes cleaner and rinses better.

It is adapted to both heavy and light clothes.

We Have Sold Hundreds of these machines since we have had the agency—another good reason why you should have one. We wouldn't have sold so many if they weren't right. Remember we put them out on trial and the price is only ....

$8.00

Hunt Hardware Co.

DAKOTA BUSINESS COLLEGE

Attend the great business training school of the Northwest. Seated with roll-top desks, has fifty typewriters, adding machines, neostyles, mimeographs, letter presses, filing devices, ... It is in closer touch with business men and can help you more than anyother. It placed 221 pupils in business positions last year, will locate over 300 this year. It uses the personal method of instruction, advancing each pupil upon his own ability. Send for large new catalogue, showing pictures of building, magnificent equipment, etc.

F. L. WATKINS, Pres.
Fargo, N. Dakota

The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Julius Pleth was in from Plummer Monday.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Joseph Paradis visited with friends in Louisville township yesterday.

For Sale Cheap—Small driving team or will trade for single driver.—Frank E. Hunt.

Mike McCarthy, the general agent of the Gund Brewing company, was a caller here Monday.

K. M. Hanson and Sheriff Nelson went to Thief River Falls today on a brief business mission.

Rev. Father Adolph of Thief River Falls was an over-night visitor with Father Ambrose Monday.

Mrs. M. James arrived here Monday from St. Paul for a visit of several weeks at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Koch, jr.

Attorney Charles E. Boughton left Tuesday evening for the Twin Cities and Duluth, where he will spend several days attending to some professional business.

Mrs. E. P. Marshall has issued invitations for a party at her home Saturday afternoon from three to five. It is a foregone conclusion that the participants will be royally entertained.

Little globules of sunshine that drive the clouds away. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will scatter the gloom of sick-headache and biliousness. They do not gripe or sicken. Recommended and sold here by all druggists.

Wanted: Gentleman or lady to travel for mercantile house of large capital. If desirable the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of $1,092.00 per year and expenses. Address Armstrong Alexander, 125 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.

The winds of March have no terror to the user of DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. It quickly heals chapped and cracked skin. Good too, for boils and burns, and undoubtedly the best relief for Piles. Sold here by all druggists.

An exchange intimates that the very best curfew ordinance is that one adopted in the family, where the old man acts as mayor, city council, night watch and calaboose keeper, where fine and punishment go together and hickory gad may be used occasionally and fines are not suspended, but promptly executed: where they don't bother so much about passing a lot of ordinances as they do in enforcing those already on the records.

The local band organization will shortly boast of a complete saxaphone quartette. Ernest Toupin has purchased the soprano saxaphone from Leland Healy and Mr. Healy has ordered an alto saxophone, which will be here within a few days. Several others are interested, and it is thought that within the next few months both a tenor and baritone will be added to the saxophone section. Few country bands can boast of a complete saxophone quartette, but there is nothing too fast for the Red Lake Falls band, and they will have everything needed to sustain their reputation as the best amateur band organization in the state. If you are not already a subscriber to the support of this excellent musical aggregation, don't you think you would like to be? It is worthy of your support, and gives returns on the investment by furnishing high class concerts the year round.

Harry Mitchell's
EDITORIAL.

If you were sure that I could make you a Spring Suit for $15.00, $20.00 or $25.00 that will be the equal of what you'd get at your local tailors for $30.00, $35.00 and $40.00, you'd send your order in double quick time.

Well, that is exactly what I can do. No matter where you live, I can fit you and give you as good satisfaction as if I look your measure right here in Minneapolis.

Write me today and tell me about the kind of clothes you are thinking of getting. By return mail I'll send the handsomest lot of spring patterns you ever clapped eyes on, also self-measurement blanks. Don't be afraid to ask questions, and please remember that I absolutely guarantee perfect fit and satisfaction or refund your money. I pay all express charges, so your clothes cost you no more than if you got them right here in Minneapolis.

Do you think I would make you a proposition like this unless I was certain I could do what I say.

Yours truly,

HARRY MITCHELL,

310 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

Mrs. Matt Maher of Crookston visited relatives here Tuesday.

Roy Wilford visited with Crookston friends Saturday and Sunday.

Before you buy a new hat come in and look at the new Lanphers at the Busy Store.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

The Big Store announces the arrival of many spring goods this week. Particulars will found in the ad on this page.

Dr. Spofford will miss his visits for March and April, to Red Lake Falls. Next visit May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

Mrs. Celais Roy has been quite sick at her home here this week. Her husband is in the woods at present, but has been sent for.

Mrs. Chas. Cyr, Misses Emma and Jane Cote and brother, Albert, visited with their parents in Terrebonne, from Thursday last until Sunday.

Hank Draper of Thief River Falls spent several days here the last week loading the old boilers formerly used in the sawmill owned by the Meehans. The boilers are being shipped to Minneapolis where they have been sold to a scrap iron concern.

KODOL digests what you eat and quickly overcomes Indigestion, which is a forerunner of Dyspepsia. It is made in strict conformity to the National Pure Food and Drugs Law and is sold on a guarantee relief plan. Sold by all druggists.

The Gazette is shy on local news this week. The chief reason is that there has been decidedly little doing in the news line and another reason is that the force has been kept very busy getting the annual financial statement of the county in type.

Albert Odett, formerly in business at Crookston, but now located at Marshalltown, Iowa, passed through here yesterday with a party of land seekers bound for Roseau county. Mr. Odett is prospering in his Iowa home.

Mrs. M. Matthies was called to Moorhead last evening by a message announcing the serious illness of her daughter, Doretta. The young lady has not enjoyed good health for some years past, but went to the Moorhead normal last fall with the hopes that her strength would permit her to get through. She had not felt well during the winter, however, and this week was taken quite seriously ill, her mother being summoned to care for her. Miss Dollie's many Red Lake Falls friends will hope that her illness will be of short duration.

Joseph Benoit, the twelve year-old son of J. Carder Benoit, died Tuesday evening after a brief illness with typhoid fever. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church this morning and was largely attended. It is stated that several others of the Benoit family are ill with the disease, but are getting along fairly well. The family is a very large one, and the sickness and death comes very hard on them. The young boy that died was the oldest son. The family has the sincere sympathy of all.

Although March is with us in full blast there is as yet no apparent relief from the winter God, and while the thermometer does not linger in such outlandish way down regions any more, nevertheless the days are cold and the blanket of snow remains intact. The old adage tells us of March—"in like a lion, out like a lamb" and vice versa—and as no lambishness was evident last Friday, we may have just cause to hope for a let up between now and the first of April. The present winter has been one that will long be remembered by the people of this section. but if it brings forth a bounteous harvest as an after effect, all will be foregiven.

Frank E. Hunt arrived home last Friday from his two months visit with relatives and friends at Providence, Rhode Island, and intermediate points. Mr. Hunt was accompanied home by his sister, Mrs. M. E. Lawton, who will spend a year, at least, at the Hunt home here. Mr. Hunt enjoyed a very pleasant outing among the scenes of his boyhood days, and visited at many of the leading eastern cities while there. The winter there was a delightful one, and up until a few days before Mr. Hunt left they had had but very little winter weather. The day he started for home the thermometer registered 11 degrees below zero, which was very cold for that part of the country. Mr. Hunt feels fine after his season of rest and returned home prepared to get into the business harness again with his old time vigor.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

'Phone 7—Groceries—SPILLANES.

Mrs. Con Kehoe visited over Sunday with her son at Middle River.

Charley McAnulty visited with friends at Fertile several days of last week.

Attorney Perl W. Mabey spent Tuesday night in the city looking after some legal business.

We still have a number of pieces of 10 and 12½ Val. Laces for 4 cents per yard. Garceau & Zaiser.

Sheriff Nelson returned home Saturday from a visit of several days with friends at the Twin Cities.

"Star Brand Shoes Are Better." They are made of the genuine Chromo calf skin, the kind that will stand spring wear, and in order to introduce them we are giving a special discount of 25 per cent on each pair. Get 'em at the Busy Store. G. & Z.

Gentleman or lady to travel for Mercantile House of large capital. Territory at home or abroad to suit. If desirable the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of $1,000 per year and expenses. Address, Jos. A. Alexander, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

George Jarman, formerly chief deputy sheriff, has been appointed night watchman at Thief River Falls to succeed Dennis LaSarge. George will make a first-rate police officer, and the evil-doer had better think twice before taking any chances under George's eagle eye.

To remove a cough you must get at the cold which causes the cough. There is nothing so good for this as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. The liquid cold relief that is most quickly effective, that stills and quiets the cough and drives out the cold. Sold by all druggists.

The annual financial statement of Red Lake county is in type in the Gazette office, and will appear in next week's Gazette. The statement covers three pages this year and is a complete story of the receipts, disbursements and all business done by Red Lake county during 1906.

There was a large attendance at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening to join in a praise service. The orchestra assisted in making the musical program very attractive, and Mrs. Marshall sang a solo. The sermon was on "Repentence." It is planned to have special music at the Sunday evening service for the next few weeks.

Julius Pleth, the Plummer land man, has announced that he will not open his St. Paul office for several months, on account of the fact that business matters will not permit him to leave as soon as he intended to. The people of the county would be exceptionally pleased if the genial Pleth would announce his intention to remain here "forever and a day."

Eddie Meyer, who lives on the Cress farm in Lake Pleasant, four and a half miles south of Red Lake Falls, will hold an auction sale of live stock and farm machinery on Tuesday, March 19, sale to commence at 11 o'clock sharp. Mr. Meyer has a large list of live stock and farm implements listed and the sale will no doubt be a big one. Joseph Belair will officiate as auctioneer. See bills for particulars and list of articles.

Louis Parnnteau, the popular Terrebonne cheese maker, was a caller here the first of the week. In conversation with a Gazette representative Mr. Paranteau stated that he and his brother would start up their Terrebonne factory early in April. They have also leased the Mentor creamery fur the coming season and will operate that plant too. The Paranteau brothers are successful butter and cheese men, and deserve the excellent success they are meeting with.

Dr. J. E. Argue returned home Friday from St. Paul where he spent last week in attendance at the session of the N. V. Black Dental Club. The meeting was a very successful one this year. between five and six hundred prominent dentists from the northwestern states being in attend- Dr. Argue gave a table clinic on his access mercury expresser before the meeting, and as usual acquitted himself creditably. A big banquet was one of the most enjoyable features of the session.

J. T. Curry of Northrup, Martin county, arrived here yesterday to spend several days looking after business interests. Mr. Curry owns a half section of land in Black River township, and will spend a few days with his tenant getting things in shape for the spring work. Mr. Curry is one of the oldest settlers of that part of the state, and is at present engaged in the cattle business at Northrup. He is a firm believer in Red Lake county soil, however, and says that many people from his neighborhood are coming up here the coming season. The Gazette was favored with a pleasant call from Mr. Curry while he was in the city.

We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times.---First State Bank, Red Lake Falls.

Macaroni seed wheat for sale.—L. C. Simons.

Don't forget about the men's supper at the Presbyterian church.

Joseph Belair attended the Sauve auction sale near Crookston yesterday.

John Kehoe came down from Middle River Monday and spent the night here with his parents.

L. P. Berthon returned home last Friday from a several days business sojourn at Blackduck.

If you attend the men's supper at the Presbyterian church you will have just cause to long remember it.

Barber E. A. Nelson will go to Crookston Sunday where he will meet his wife and babe who will return here with him to make their future home. Mr. Nelson is very well pleased with Red Lake Falls as a place of abode and will become a permanent fixture. He will occupy the Mrs. Doe cottage on west second street.

You should be very careful of your bowels when you have a cold. Nearly all other cough syrups are constipating, especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup moves the bowels—contains NO opiates. Conforms to National Pure Food and Drugs Law. Bears the endorsement of mothers everywhere. Children like its pleasant taste. Sold by all druggists.

The firemen held their regular monthly meeting last Saturday evening. Many matters of importance to the city were discussed, and the coming tournament came in for much talk among the members. The department will be very active from now on during the summer, as there is much work ahead of the boys before the tournament is carried out to a successful conclusion.

Sam Nelson, of Russel, arrived here this week to spend a week or so looking after and closing up the affairs of his brother, James Nelson, who died at the Fergus Falls hospital last week. Mr. Nelson will sell the stock and machinery at auction next week, and will clean up the business of his brother as fast as possible. The widow will not return here but will remain with her parents near Russel.

John Meissner, of Rugby, North Dakota, spent a few days here early in the week. Mr. Meissner owns a couple of fine farms in this neighborhood, and was here to look after his interests. He says that the past winter was a terrible one in North Dakota, and that many people in that neighborhood are figuring on settling on the Minnesota side of the valley during the coming year.

Anton I. Anderson, of Prince Albert, Canada, and Miss Edith Prichard, daughter of W. W. Prichard of Thief River Falls, were married at the bride's home in that city last evening. Mr. Anderson formerly lived at Thief River Falls, and is present in the lumber business at Prince Albert. Miss Prichard is one of Thief River's finest young ladies, and the young couple start down life's pathway with the best wishes of a host of friends.

J. G. Prior, who has conducted the Markham hotel at St. Hilaire for the past year; closed up the house last week. Lack of business is assigned as the cause. At one time the Markham was considered by far the best hotel property of the county. When the trains were running from Crookston to this city via St. Hilaire the transient trade at that place was a gold mine fur the Markham. Now that this arrangement has been changed and the fact that the saw mill at St. Hilaire has ceased operations, there is apparently not business enough at the saintly city to warrant the running of so large a house as the Markham.

Use a little KODOL after your meals and it will be found to afford a prompt and efficient relief. KODOL nearly approximates the digestive juices. It digests what you eat. It is sold on a guaranteed relief plan. Sold here by all druggists.

In a few days we will open up a fine new line of

Palmer Spring Coats

. . and Skirts . .

THE PALMER goods are almost too well known to need any praising, The Palmer garments have led the parade in this city for the last ten years. The skirts are certainly the finest fitting skirts ever exhibited in the city.

Spring Jackets $8.00 to $15.00
Skirts - - $3.50 to $ 11.00

Call on us for your spring suit. Kuppenheimer suits and cravenettes arriving daily. The finest fitting suits ever shown in the city. If we can't fit you we will take your measure for a suit and guarantee a fit.

It Pays to Trade at

THE BIG STORE

Red Lake Falls

Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

ORDER FOR CREDITORS TO PRESENT CLAIMS WITHIN THREE MONTHS.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake, } ss

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Margaretta Walter, Deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Margaretta Walter deceased, late of the city of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, being granted to Phillip Walter

It appearing on proper proof by affidavit of Phillip Walter made and filed herein, as provided by law, that there are are no debts against the estate of said Margaretta Walter deceased.

It is ordered, that three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date on this order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased, if any there be, are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said county, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It is further Ordered, That Monday, the twentieth (20th) day of May 1907, at ten o'clock a. m., at a special term of said Probate Court, to be held at the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And It Is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Fall, Minnesota, the 18th day of February A. D. 1907.

By the Court,
[Seal] N. W. TARRANT,
f21-m7 Judge of Probate.

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by sending your HIDES, FURS etc. to us. We pay highest prices & sell guns, traps etc. cheap.

N.W. HIDE & FUR CO.

200-1st St. No. Minneapolis, Minn.

WRITE FOR CATALOG & PRICE LISTS

SNOWSLIDES OF ROCKIES.

Peril of Mountains Takes Its Toll of Life and Property.

Every year the life of a miner in the high mountain regions is menaced by the avalanche or snowslide, and every year brings its list of casualties and of hairbreadth escapes. The story of snowslides would fill a book and would be a thrilling, tragic and in some cases a gruesome one.

Men have ridden hundreds of feet on the back of a snowslide and have escaped unhurt. Others have been caught and buried so deep and in such uncertain spots that their bodies have not been discovered until the melting of the snow in the following spring.

Some have been caught as they were walking, but a few steps from the boarding house to the mine, or while emptying a car on the mine dump. Not infrequently men have found themselves temporarily imprisoned by the entrance of the mine being closed by a slide while they were at work and have had to dig their way out.

A Chinese cook at one of the Idaho mines stepped outside his kitchen door for a moment and was caught and hurled with the slide 1,000 feet down the hillside and his body was not recovered till the following spring.

Such incidents denote the extreme suddenness, power and velocity of the slide. Little or no warning is given, a roar, a cloud of snow obscuring the sight of the real slide, and in a moment thousands of tons of snow, mingled with trees and debris, are shot down the gulch or the slope of a mountain as from the mouth of a cannon. In a few seconds all is over and the scenery of the little valley is completely changed.—Mines and Minerals.

What a Letter Will Do.

A proofreader, anent the importance of trifles, read from his notebook these absurd sentences, each made by the omission of a single letter:

"The conflict was dreadful and the enemy was repulsed with great laughter.

"When the president's wife entered the humble sitting room of the miner she was politely offered a hair.

"A man was yesterday arrested on the charge of having eaten a cabman for demanding more than his fare.

"An employee in the service of the government was accused of having stolen a small ox from the mail. The stolen property was found in his vest pocket."

Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges . . .

We have just received several of the latest constructed Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges, in which are contained all the features which has made the steel range famous and the latest improvements that are known to the range manufacturers' art. which makes this range the "Monarch" of them all. These ranges are now on exhibition at our store, and we would be pleased to have every housewife in this vicinity call and look them over. The price of the Monarch Malleable Steel Range" is cheaper accordingly than other so called "steel ranges."

New Hardwara Store **G. A. KANKEL** *Red Lake Falls, Minn.*

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XV.

The Order from Headquarters.

He left Parowan the next morning to preach at one of the little settlements to the east. He was gone three days. When he came back they told him that the train of Missourians had passed through Parowan and on to the south. He attended a military council held that evening in the meeting-house. Three days of reflection, while it had not cooled the anger he felt toward these members of the mob that had so brutally wronged his people, had slightly cooled his ardor for aggressive warfare.

The following Tuesday he continued south to Cedar City, the most populous of the southern settlements. Here he learned of the campaign's progress. Brigham's courier had preceded the train on its way south, bearing written orders to the faithful to hold no dealings with its people; to sell them neither forage for their stock nor food for themselves. They had, it was reported, been much distressed as a result of this order, and their stock was greatly weakened. At Cedar City, it being feared that they might for want of supplies be forced to halt permanently so near the settlement that it would be inconvenient to destroy them, they were permitted to buy 50 bushels of wheat and to have it and some corn the Indians had sold to them ground at the mill of Major Lee.

As Joel's informant, the fiery Bishop Klingensmith, remarked, this was not so generous as it seemed, since, while it would serve to decoy them on their way toward San Bernardino, they would never get out of the valley with it. The train had started on, but the animals were so weak that three days had been required to reach Iron creek, 20 miles beyond, and two more days to reach Mountain Meadows, 15 miles further south.

Here at daybreak the morning before, Klingensmith told him, a band of Piede Indians, under Lee's direction, had attacked the train, killing and wounding a number of the men. It had been hoped, explained Klingensmith, that the train would be destroyed at once by the Indians, thus avoiding any call upon the militia; but the emigrants had behaved with such effectiveness that the Indians were unable to complete the task. They had corralled their wagons, dug a rifle-pit in the center, and returned the fire, killing one Indian and wounding two of the chiefs. The siege was being continued.

Late on the following day, Wednesday, while they were anxiously waiting for news, a messenger from Lee came with a call for reinforcements. The Indians, although there were 300 of them, had been unable to prevail over the little entrenched band of Gentiles. Ten minutes after the messenger's arrival, the militia, which had been waiting under arms, set out for the scene in wagons. From Cedar City went every able-bodied man but two.

Joel Rae was with them, wondering why he went. He wanted not to go. He preferred that news of the approaching victory should be brought to him; yet invisible hands had forced him, even while it seemed that frenzied voices—voices without sound—warned him back.

The ride was long, but not long enough for his mind to clear. It was still clouded with doubts and questionings and fears when they at last saw the flaring of many fires with figures loitering or moving busily about them. As they came nearer, a strange, rhythmic throbbing crept to his ears; nearer still, he resolved it into the slow, regular beatings of a flat-toned drum. The measure, deliberate, incessant, changeless,—the same tones, the same intervals,—worked upon his strained nerves, at first soothingly and then as a pleasant stimulant.

The wagons now pulled up near the largest camp fire, and the arrivals were greeted by a dozen or so of the Saints, who, with Major Lee, had been directing and helping the Indians in their assaults upon the enemy. Several of these had disguised themselves as Indians for the better deception of the besieged.

At fires near by the Indians were broiling beef cut from animals they had slaughtered belonging to the wagon-train. Still others were cutting the hides into strips to be made into lariats. As far down as the line could be seen, there were dusky figures darting in and out of the firelight.

A council was at once called of the Presidents, Bishops, Elders, High Priests, and the officers of the militia who were present. Bishop Klingensmith bared his massive head in the firelight and opened the council with prayer, invoking the aid of God to guide them aright. Then Major Higbee, presiding as chairman, announced the orders under which they were assembled and under which the train had been attacked.

"It is ordered from headquarters that this party must be used up, except such as are too young to tell tales. We got to do it. They been acting terrible mean ever since we wouldn't sell them anything. If we let them go on now, they been making their brag that they'll raise a force in California and come back and wipe us out—and Johnston's army already marching on us from the east. Are we going to submit again to what we got in Missouri and in Illinois? No! Everybody is agreed about that. Now the Indians have failed to do it like we thought they would, so we got to finish it up, that's all."

Joel Rae spoke for the first time.

"You say except such as are too young to tell tales, Brother Higbee; what does that mean?"

"Why, all but the very smallest children, of course."

"Are there children here?"

Lee answered:

"Oh, a fair sprinkling—about what you'd look for in a train of a hundred and thirty people. The boys got two of the kids yesterday; the fools had dressed them up in white dresses and sent them out for a bucket of water. You can see their bodies lying over there this side of the spring."

"And there are women?" he asked, feeling a great sickness coming upon him.

"Plenty of them," answered Klingensmith, "some mighty fine women, too; i could see one yesterday, a monstrous fine figure and hair shiny like a crow's wing, and a litle one, powerful pretty, and one kind of between the two—it's a shame we can't keep some of them, but orders is orders!"

"These women must be killed, too?"

"That's the orders from headquarters, Brother Rae."

"From the military headquarters at Parowan, or from the spiritual headquarters at Salt Lake?"

"Better not inquire how far back that order started, Brother Rae—not of me, anyway.

"But women and children——"

"The great Elohim has spoken from the heavens, Brother Rae—that's enough for me. I can't put my human standards against the revealed will of God."

"But women and children——" He repeated the words as if he sought to comprehend them. He seemed like a man with defective sight who has come suddenly against a wall that he had thought far off. Higbee now addressed him.

"Brother Rae, in religion you have to eat the bran along with the flour. Did you suppose we were going to milk the Gentiles and not ever shed any blood?"

"But innocent blood——"

"There ain't a drop of innocent blood in the whole damned train. And what are you, to be questioning this way about orders from on high? I've heard you preach many a time about the sin of such doings as thet. You preach in the pulpit about stubborn clay in the hande of the potter having to be put through the mill again, and now that you're out bere in the field, seems to me you get limber like a tallowed rag when an order comes along."

"Defenseless women and little children——" He was still trying to regain his lost equilibrium.

He walked about the fires or lingered by the groups in consultation until the first signs of dawn. Then he climbed the low, rocky hill to tha east and peered over the top, tha drumbeats still pulsing through him, still coercing him. As the light grew, he could make out the details of the scene below. He was looking down into a narrow valley running north and south, formed by two ranges of rugged, rocky hills 500 yards or so apart. To the north this valley widened; to the south it narrowed until it became a mere gap leading out into the desert.

Directly below him, half-way between the ranges of hills, was a circle of covered wagons wheel to wheel. In the center of this a pit had been dug, and here the besieged were finding such protection as they could from the rifle-fire that came down from the hills on either side. Even now he could see Indians lying in watch for any who might attempt to escape. The camp had been attacked on Monday morning after the wagons had moved a hundred yards away from the spring. It was now Friday. For four days, therefore, with only what water they could bring by dashes to the spring under fire, they had held their own in the pit.

When it grew still lighter he descried, out on his left near the spring, two spots of white close together, and remembered Lee's tale the night before of the two little girls sent for water.

At that instant, the chanting and the beat of the drum stopped, and in the silence a flood of light seemed to shine in upon his mind, showing him in something of its true aspect the thing they were about to do. Not clearly did he see it, for he was still torn and dazed—and not in its real proportions, moreover; for he saw it against the background of his teaching from the cradle; the murder of their Prophet, the persecution of the Saints, the outrages put upon his own family, the murder of his father, and the death of his mother; the coming of an army upon them now to repeat these persecutions; the reported offenses of this particular lot of Gentiles. And then, too, he saw it against his own flawless faith in the authority of the priesthood, his implicit belief that whatsoever they ordered was to be obeyed as the literal command of God, his unshaken conviction that to disobey the priesthood was to commit the unforgivable sin of blasphemy against the Holy Ghost.

He Listened to the Drumbeats Coming from Below.

The plan of assault was now again rehearsed, and its details communicated to their Indian allies. By ten o'clock all was ready.

CHAPTER XVI.

The Meadow Shambles.

They chose William Bateman to go forward with a flag of truce. He was short and plump, with a full, round, ingenuous face. He was chosen, so said Klingensmith, for his plausible ways. He could look right at you when he said anything; and the moment needed a man of this talent. He was to enter the camp and say to the people that the Mormons had come to save them; that on giving up their arms they would be safely conducted to Cedar City, there to await a proper time for continuing their journey.

From the hill to the west of the besieged camp they watched the plausible Bateman with his flag of truce meet one of the emigrants who came out, also with a white flag, and saw them stand talking a little time. Bateman then came back around the end of the hill that separated the two camps. His proposal had been gratefully accepted. The besieged emigrants were in desperate straits; their dead were unburied in the narrow enclosure, and they were suffering greatly for want of water.

Major Higbee, in command of the militia, now directed Lee to enter the camp and see that the plan was carried out. With him went two men with wagons. Lee was to have them load their weapons into one wagon, to separate the adults from the children and wounded, who were to be put into the other, and then march the party out.

As Lee approached the corral its occupants swarmed out to meet him,—gaunt men, unkempt women and children, with the look of hunted animals in their eyes. Some of the men cheered feebly; some were silent and plainly distrustful. But the women laughed and wept for joy as they crowded about their deliverer; and wide-eyed children stared at him in a friendly way, understanding but little of it all except that the newcomer was a desirable person.

It took Lee but a little time to overcome the hesitation of the few suspicious ones. The plan he proposed was too plainly their only way of escape from a terrible death. Their animals had been shot down or run off so that they could neither advance nor retreat. Their ammunition was almost gone, so that they could not give battle. And, lastly, their provisions were low, with no chance to replenish them; for on the south was the most to be dreaded of all American deserts, while on the north they had for some reason unknown to themselves been unable to buy of the abundance through which they passed.

Arrangements for the departure were quickly completed under Lee's supervision. In one wagon were piled the guns and pistols of the emigrants, together with half a dozen men who had been wounded in the four days' fighting. In the other wagon a score of the smaller children were placed, some with tear-stained faces, some crying, and some gravely apprehensive. At Lee's command the two wagons moved forward. After these the women followed, marching singly or in pairs; some with little bundles of their most precious belongings; some carrying babes too young to be sent ahead in the wagon. A few had kept even their older children to walk beside them, fearing some evil—they knew not what.

One such, a young woman near the last of the line, was leading by the hand a little girl of three or four, while on her left there marched a sturdy, pink-faced boy of seven or eight, whose almost white hair and eyebrows gave him a look of fright which his demeanor belied. The women, looking anxiously back over her shoulder to the line of men, spoke warningly to the boy as the line moved slowly forward.

"Take her other hand, and stay close. I'm afraid something will happen—that man who came is not an honest man. I tried to tell them, but they wouldn't believe me. Keep her hand in yours, and if anything does happen, run right back there and try to find her father. Remember now, just as if she were your own little sister."

The boy answered stoutly, with shrewd glances about for possible danger.

"Of course I'll stay by her. I wouldn't run away. If I'd only had a gun," he continued, in tones of regretful enthusiasm, "I know I could have shot some of those Indians—but these, what do you call them?—Mormons,—they'll keep the Indians away now."

"But remember—don't leave my child, for I'm afraid—something warns me."

Farther back the others had now fallen in, so that the whole company was in motion. The two wagons were in the lead; then came the women; and, some distance back of these, trailed the line of men.

When the latter reached the place where the column of militia stood drawn up in line by the roadside, they swung their hats and cheered their deliverers; again and again the cheers rang in tones that were full of gratitude. As they passed on, an armed Mormon stepped to the side of each man and walked with him, thus convincing the last doubter of their sincerity in wishing to guard them from any unexpected attack by the Indians.

In such fashion marched the long, loosely extended line until the rear had gone some two hundred yards away from the circle of wagons. At the head, the two wagons containing the children and wounded had now fallen out of sight over a gentle rise to the north. The women also were well ahead, passing at that moment through a lane of low cedars that grew close to the road on either side. The men were now stepping briskly, sure at last of the honesty of their rescuers.

Then, while all promised fair, a call came from the head of the line of men,—a clear, high call of command that rang to the very rear of the column:

"Israel, do your duty!"

Before the faces of the marching men had even shown surprise or questioning, each Mormon had turned and shot the man who walked beside him. The same instant brought piercing screams from tha column of women ahead; for tha signal had been given while they were in the lane of cedars where the Indian allies of the Saints had been ambushed. Shots and screams echoed and re-echoed across the narrow valley, and clouds of smoke, pearl gray in the morning sun, floated near the ground.

The plan of attack had been well laid for quick success. Most of the men had fallen at the first volley, either killed or wounded. Here and there along the all but prostrate line would be seen a struggling pair, or one of the emigrants running toward cover under a fire that always brought him low before he reached it.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Russian Professional Mourners.

It pays to be a professional mourner in St. Petersburg. There are agencies in that city which employ great numbers of vagrants and tramps for the purpose. These agencies supply suitable clothing and pocket handkerchiefs—everything, in fact, except boots, which the tramp must show on his feet or he will not be hired. When there is a more or less important funeral the tramps gather at tha Nikolski market, and are selected by an employe of the agency. The wages for the occasion, with tips, generally equal about 75 cents.

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Disease Puzzles Doctors.

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He hastened to call at the office of the Bugle.

"Mr. Stires," he said to the editor, "I want to thank you for signing my name to my poem in this week's paper. It encourages a fellow when he gets proper credit for his work."

"Oh, that's all right, Johnson," responded the editor. "We thought it was about time to place the responsibility for that poetry where it belonged."—Youth's Companion.

Receives Carnegie Pension.

Judge C. C. Cole, of Des Moines, Ia. for many years dean of the Drake University law school there has received a Carnegie pension of $1,280 a year. He was graduated from the Harvard law school.

In His Father's Footsteps.

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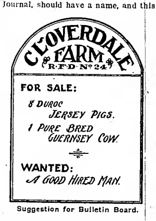
The sketch illustrates the first board we made. It can be made very easily and quickly and at little expense. If wide boards are used, get good material and have it dressed on both sides and jointed. If matched stuff is used see that it is comparatively free from knots.

Cut the boards to run across the bulletin board horizontally, as this works better when writing on the board with a crayon. A good size for such a bulletin board is about three feet wide by five feet high. Use three wide cleats on the back. Fasten these with 1½-inch screws. This is better than to use nails, as it leaves a smoother surface for writing.

To make a good job, bind the ends or edges all around with narrow strips, using a wider one on top for weather protection. The writing surface can be covered with liquid slating, but black paint will do very well. I put three coats on mine and it lasted for several years.

Every progressive farm, says Farm Journal, should have a name, and this name should be painted in large white letters, in an attractive style, across the top of the board. The owner's name and post office address should be immediately underneath. If the farm is on a rural mail delivery route, record that fact and the number thereof.



Suggestion for Bulletin Board.

Set the mail box on the same post, or nearby, and keep the whole outfit in first-class order, as in a measure it "officiates" as a sort of "show case" in front of the farm. Then keep the whole farm so that it will compare favorably with the show case, and you may acquire the reputation of being a model farmer. Quite likely. Try it and see.

Why should not we farmers advertise our business the same as other business men do in the various commercial lines? We nearly always have something to sell, and there is often something wanted.

UTILIZING STRAW.

How the Farmers of West and Northwest Could Save Waste.

The waste of straw in the west and northwest is simply appalling, declares Prof. Thomas Shaw. Even in localities where farmers will tell you that the land is low in vegetable matter, they will go on burning straw from year to year. Incredible as it may seem, the glare from burning straw stacks may be seen every fall from some part of the area covered by the corporations of Minneapolis and St. Paul.

In this area of straw burning, the straw is of the best for feeding. It is brighter and less injured by dews and rain than in the east, north and south. When cut at the proper stage of ripening, its value is very considerable for food. Live stock will eat with considerable relish even wheat straw thus harvested, when well stacked. Stock will eat oat straw more readily than overripe hay, and this applies to horses, colts, yard cattle and sheep.

Much of the straw is too ripe before it is cut. This is inevitable where very large areas are grown, but will be quite practicable where the farming is mixed. The greatest loss, however, comes in the stacking. It is rare to see a stack. Where threshing is done one sees simply straw heaps made by the use of a blower.

With the aid of one extra man to guide the blower and one on the stack, the stacks could be built so as to turn rain. The stock, especially cattle and horses, could go to these stacks, usually made in the field, and help themselves, and a large part of the winter's food could thus be secured. The manure made could then be scattered over the farm. The western man who burns straw, reasons that it is easier to burn it than to draw the residue and scatter it over the land.

MANURE SPREADER.

Development of this Almost Indispensable Machine.

When the manure spreader made its appearance about 30 years ago it was made in the style of a cart with two wheels, made to hitch to the rear of a wagon. This was a crude construction, and sufficed for the small eastern farmer, but as the spreader came into use more it was found advisable to put a set of trucks under the front end of the machine and to make a complete wagon out of it and to make a movable bottom, and from the way this style of machine was made I am under the impression that it was not intended that the front wheels should bear much of the load as they were set too far forward, throwing practically all of the load on the rear wheels. This construction was not followed out in farm wagons, nor was this construction found satisfactory in manure spreaders.

The machines were first made very light, the 50-bushel machines weighing about 1,500 pounds, and they were satisfactory in handling light barnyard manure, but when the western farmer took up the manure spreader proposition he found that these light machines were wanting, they were not of sufficient strength, and the result is that the weight of the machines has been increased. At first thought this might indicate that they would pull harder, but every farmer knows that a heavy load will pull easier in a heavy wagon than it will on a light wagon, and the same holds good of the manure spreader.

There is probably no machine made that is put under a greater strain than a spreader, as it has the hard lumps of manure to break to pieces before spreading them. The light machines would soon give way, would get out of shape and cause friction and binding. The result is that the machines at the present time are made heavier and stronger than they were.

The first thing to take into consideration in buying any machine, says Otto E. Henry, in the Indiana Farmer, is the strength of construction and this holds good in the manure spreader more than any other farm implement. There were many things that the manufacturers in the early days had to contend with which they could not foresee. The wheels must be heavy enough to carry the load, on a wagon. The rear wheels of the manure spreader must be heavy enough to carry the load and drive the machinery, that is, the apron and cylinder. It is estimated that one-third of the strength of the wheels is used for the traction and the other two-thirds for carrying the load. The up-to-date manufacturers of manure spreaders are now using much heavier wheels than they were, and heavier parts all the way through. The front axles are set back under the load so that the load is practically equally balanced, thus bringing the horses close to the load. The front and rear wheels track so that when spreading over plowed ground or over meadows you make two tracks instead of four as the original style of machines did.

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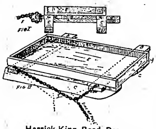

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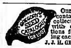

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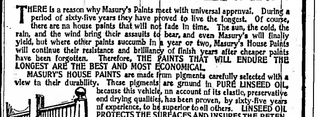

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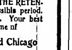

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NEWS IN MINNESOTA

EVENTS OF A WEEK THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

C. M. Cushman, aged eighty, the oldest bookseller in Minneapolis, is dead.

Mathias Gans, one of the most popular of the old settlers of Stearns county, is dead.

C. A. Almquist, an old resident of Red Wing, is dead as the result of injuries received in a runaway.

The largest live stock amphitheater in the world is in course of construction at the state fair grounds.

A. J. Smith will retire as superintendent of the St. Paul schools at the end of the present school year.

The first eight months of the operation of the Somerville inheritance tax has yielded $58,181.13 for the state.

More than $60,000 has been contributed to the Minneapolis fund for the relief of the earthquake sufferers of California.

A box of 150 cherries from California was sold at retail in St. Paul for the benefit of the California sufferers and brought $650.

The Minneapolis Gas Light company will make a voluntary reduction in the price of metered gas on Oct. 1, 1906, from $1.10 per thousand feet to $1.

The faculty of the University of Minnesota has voted to retain Dr. H. L. Williams as coach of the football squad for one year at a salary of $3,000.

The president has sent to the senate the nomination of John Peterson to be collector of customs for the district of Minnesota. Peterson is the present incumbent.

One of the transient lodgers at the Economy hotel in Minneapolis, who was registered as "J. W. Hill, Escanaba, Mich.," committed suicide in his room by taking carbolic acid.

A. L. Cole of Walker, representative from the Fifty-second district in the legislative sessions of 1903 and 1905, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor.

Senator George W. Somerville of Sleepy Eye has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor. There are now seven avowed candidates for the nomination.

Peter Shatka, a police officer of the city of Eveleth, has been bound over to await the action of the grand jury on a charge of robbing a prisoner. A similar case against Tony Azzo, also a police officer, was dismissed.

The state championship of the Minnesota high school debating league was won by the team of the Humboldt high school of St. Paul in the final contest of the season against the Central high school of Minneapolis.

Charles A. Bohall, a Stearns county pioneer and Civil war veteran, is dead at Sauk Center. Mr. Bohall was born in Jefferson county, N. Y., seventy-three years ago. He removed to Sauk Center when a mere lad and has resided there ever since.

The state drainage board has appropriated $25,000 for ditches in the northern part of the state. All the land to be drained by these ditches is state land and approximately 40,000 acres will be benefitted. The work will be completed this summer.

The payment of nearly $500,000 by the state and counties during the last thirty years for the slaughter of wolves does not seem to have any appreciable effect on the supply and the number of wolves paid for this year would seem to indicate that, if anything, the number is increasing.

Governor Johnson has decided to issue a proclamation submitting to the voters of Itasca county at the next general election the petition calling for a division of Itasca county into two counties, one to be known as Koochiching and the other portion to retain the name of Itasca.

After crossing half the continent to escape the terrors of earthquake shocks in California Albert Scharz, formerly a resident of Minneapolis, is dead at the home of his sister at St. Paul. It is believed that the excitement of the earthquake shock and the hurried journey East hastened his death.

It is believed that the murderers of Charles O. Bailer, the keeper of the Falls hotel at Minneapolis, who was killed in his barroom on the evening of Dec. 23, are now under arrest in Iowa and are serving sentences of fifteen years for a job committed at Des Moines Feb. 6 similar to that in which Bailer was killed.

The Chicago Great Western Railway company has appealed to the district court from an order of the state railroad and warehouse commission allowing a reduction of $2.25 a carload for wood shipped from St. Paul to South St. Paul. The decision was made upon the objection of Thuet Bros. to a charge of $5 a car for such transportation.

John Stewart, a cattle buyer of North Dakota, has been found murdered in the brush twenty miles south of Roseau. Robbery was the motive. He was last seen Dec. 23, when he started to walk from Wannaska to Thief River Falls. It is supposed the crime was committed by an employe of Stewart, who disappeared the same date.

The state supreme court has upheld the action of Mayor D. P. Jones of Minneapolis, who refused to sign a contract with the Patterson Street Lighting company. The opinion, written by Chief Justice Start, states that the council of the city of Minneapolis by motion awarded a contract for lighting the city without submitting the latter to the mayor for his approval.

A QUEER POKER GAME

IT WAS PLAYED BY TWO STOCKMEN IN A DENVER HOTEL.

The Turn That Came When the Fortunes of Both Men Were Piled on the Table—A Side Bet and a Card That Was Not Shown to the Board.

The old St. James hotel in Denver was one of the landmarks of the city for over a quarter of a century, and many famous sporting men were among its guests. Numerous stories are told of the "stiff" poker games that used to be played there in the late eighties and early nineties of the last century.

A game was played one night between two stockmen, a banker and a mining man. The story goes that the mining man and the banker played until they were "all in," leaving the two stockmen to battle it out. It came up to the "consolation" jack pot, and those who had lingered to see the finish were not disappointed when they expected something spectacular to take place. The stakes were running high, the ante being $500, with no betting limit. One of the stockmen opened for $2,500 and was promptly raised before the draw. Then there followed a series of raises and counter raises until the pot contained $11,600 before cards were drawn.

"Gi' me that one," blandly announced the man who had "seen" the last raise. The dealer slipped one card across the table, laid the deck down, relighted his neglected cigar and said unconcernedly, "I'll play these."

Then the betting commenced in earnest. The player had opened, and he led off with $2,500 as a "feeler." The dealer raised a like amount, and the other fellow followed suit. It was plain that one or the other of the men was going to lose his fortune. Checks were written, torn up and made out for larger amounts, and finally mortgage papers on real estate and cattle were passed into the pot. Finally one man said to the other:

"Say, Henry, I'm going to stay with you until everything I've got, right down to the clothes on my back, is represented on the table. Now, I'm in doubt as to some of my property holdings, so I'll make you a proposition. Give me until tonight (it was then 4 p. m.) to find out just where I stand and we'll play the hand out. Meantime let us seal up my hand in one envelope, yours in another and the deadwood in still another. We'll leave the three envelopes in the office safe, to be delivered to both of us together."

The other player agreed, and envelopes and sealing wax were sent for. The hands and remaining cards in the deck were duly sealed and deposited as per arrangement.

Meantime friends of the two players endeavored to get the men together on some sort of compromise proposition, knowing full well that neither could afford to bank his entire fortune on a poker hand, leaving his family destitute, but both men were obdurate and would listen to no proposition to split the pot. An interested and expectant group gathered in the lobby about 8 o'clock in the evening, among them being the man who had opened the pot. They talked together in a friendly manner, speculating upon what would happen when the man who went to look up his assets returned. While they were talking he walked in.

"Well, Henry, I'm ready to resume our little argument," he announced in a matter of fact tone. Then the crowd repaired to the room where the game had been played. The man announced that he had $33,000 to "play back." Securities and certified checks representing this amount were piled on the table. Then, and not until then, did either of the men show signs of nervousness. The opener had drawn a check for $33,000 and started to tear it out of the book when the other man said in a slow, deliberate voice:

"Looks a little strong for either of us, doesn't it, Henry?"

"Well," rejoined the other man, toying with the check, "what would you consider a fair proposition at this stage of the game?"

"It's not gambling, I know," said the other, "but if you want to split the pot and"—

"She's split," calmly announced the man who had opened for $2,500. The currency, gold, checks, mortgage papers and securities were equally divided. Not a word was spoken. Silently the man who opened took up the envelopes, tore them open and laid the two hands on the table, faces downward.

"Bet you a cigar I had you beat," he bantered.

"You're called," said the other, turning over four cards, jacks and sixes. The opener also turned over four cards. They were jacks and sixes.

"I'll bet you," said the dealer, "a thousand dollars that I've still got you beat."

The other man peeped at a corner of his buried card, toyed a moment with a stack of currency and shoved $1,000 to the center. Then, without waiting for the man he had called to show his hole card, he turned up a four spot. The dealer looked at it, smiled, touched the bell and put his hand in the deck. He never told what the other card was.—Denver Times.

Lights of London.

A farmer who visited London for the first time was walking along Oxford street, filling his pipe, when a match-boy came up to him with the usual "Lights, sir?" The farmer took a box from the boy, extracted a match, lit his pipe and handed the box back to the astonished lad, passing on with the remark, "Lor, what a wunnerful place Lunnon is, to be sure!"

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed, and delivered by L. A. Dautremont and Laura E. Dautremont, his wife, mortgagors, to Phil A. Kaufer, mortgagee, which mortgage bears date the 9th day of September, 1903, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota on 12th day of September, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., in book 21 of mortgages on page 168, by the terms of which mortgage the following described premises were described in, mortgaged and conveyed to said mortgagee, to-wit: Lots nine (9), ten (10), and the north ten (10) feet of lot eleven (11), in block seven (7) in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the corrected plat thereof, being in Red Lake county, Minnesota, and was given to secure the payment of the sum of one thousand dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, payable annually, on the 9th day of September in each year, according to the conditions of one principal note; by failure to pay the $1000 falling due on the 9th day of September, 1904 and by failure to pay the taxes levied upon said real estate for the year 1905, and whereas, said mortgage, provided as one of its conditions that in case of failure to pay said note or any part of said interest when the same becomes due or to pay any taxes levied upon said real estate before the same becomes delinquent, the whole sum of money or indebtedness thereby secured shall thereupon become due and payable;

And Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice on said principal indebtedness and interest thereon to the date hereof the sum of one thousand one hundred eighteen dollars, ($1118.00.)

And Whereas, because of said defaults and each of them the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, and no action at law or in equity having been instituted to cover said mortgage indebtedness.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises above described which sale will be made by the sheriff of said county of Red Lake at the west front door of the court house in city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said indebtedness, the attorney's fees of $25.00 and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year thereafter, as provided by law.

Dated Feb. 26, 1907.

—Phil A. Kaufer,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls. f28-a4

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Rudolf Warberg and Katharina Warberg, his wife, mortgagors, to Ralph Rogers mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in book 29 of mortgages, on page 29

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Ralph Rogers morgagee, to G. B. Ward by written assignment dated the 15th day of October 1906, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of November 1906, at 1:00 o'clock P. M.; in book 32 of mortgages on page 391.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said G. B. Ward, the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, by written asignment dated the 13th day of November, 1906, and recorded on the 22nd day of November, 1906, at 3:10 o'clock P. M., in book 15 mortgages page 339, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

North east quarter of section numbered twenty-eight (28), in township numbered one hundred fifty (150), north of range forty-one (41), west of the 5th P. M. in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 23rd day of March, 1907, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty and no-100 dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, February 6th, 1907.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

F. A. Grady, Attorney for
Assignee of Mortgagee, f7-m21
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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LAND SALES THIS YEAR

State Auditor Iverson Announces Dates When Sales Will Be Held.

State Auditor Iverson has issued a schedule of the dates and number of acres of school and other state lands in Minnesota for the coming year. A total of 311,000 acres will be offered in the 18 sales to be held. It will be noted in the table below that Red Lake has but 5000 acres and Polk and Marshall but 3000 each, which goes to show that bidding on the lands in these three counties has been more active in the past, and a larger percentage sold.

These lands will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder. Fifteen per cent of the purchase price must be paid at the time of the sale. The balance may run for 40 years at 4 per cent annual interest if desired. The title to all state land is perfect. A valuable illustrated book on Minnesota lands can be secured by addressing Samuel G. Iverson, State Auditor, St. Paul, Minn. The dates and places of sales are as follows:

	Acres offered
Tuesday, June 11 Grand Rapids Itasca county 10 a. m.	35000
Wednesday, June 12, Duluth St. Louis Co. 10 a. m.	35000
Thursday, June 13, Carlton Carlton Co., 10 a. m.	21000
Friday, June 14, Aitken, Aitken Co. 10 a. m.	35000
Saturday, June 15, Brainerd Crow Wing Co., 10 a. m.	21000
Monday, June 17, Bagley, Clearwater Co. 1 p. m.	15000
Tuesday, June 18, Bemidji, Beltrami Co., 1:30 p. m.	20000
Wednesday, June 19, Walker Cass Co., 10 a. m.	20000
Thursday, June 20, Park Rapids, Hubbard Co. 10 a. m.	17000
Friday, June 21, Wadena, Wadena Co., 2 p. m.	15000
Saturday, June 22, Long Prairie, Todd Co., 1 p. m.	8600
Monday, June 24, Hallock, Kittson Co., 1 p. m.	25000
Tuesday, June 25, Warren, Marshall Co. 1 p. m.	3000
Wednesday, June 26, Crookston, Polk Co., 10 a. m.	3000
Friday, June 28, Roseau, Roseau Co., 10 a. m.	30000
Monday, July, 1, Red Lake Falls, Red Lake Co., 1 p. m.	5000
Tuesday, July 2, Detroit, Becker county, 10 a. m.	23000
Wednesday, July 3, Pine City Pine Co., 1 p. m.	10000

Buys Brooks Store.

Frank E. Hunt has purchased the hardware stock and fixtures of the Wilber store at Brooks and will conduct the same from now on. Mr. Hunt will place a competent man in charge of the Brooks store, and will also give it his personal supervision. The Brooks people are to be congratulated upon securing a man of Mr. Hunt's recognized business qualities as their hardware man, and they will always be sure of good treatment at his hands.

How Are Your Kidneys?

[illegible]

GRAND JURY DRAWN

No Criminal Cases On The Calenar But Maybe Some Can Be Found.

A grand jury has been drawn for the March term of the District Court for Red Lake county, for what particular purpose no one seems to know.

At present there are no criminal matters on tap that require the attention of a grand jury, and whether or not there is a sensation or two two be sprung when they get together is a matter for speculation.

No hint has been given as to what will come before this most august body, but there appears to be a general opinion that there is something ready to be sprung. Evil doers, if there are any within the confines of the county, will do well to take the hint and hunt up the tall timber, lest the grand jurymen be given an opportunity to get a turn at them.

The county attorney's office is mum regarding the object of drawing a grand jury, so all the anxious ones can do is to wait and see what will develop. The list of those who will serve on the jury is published elsewhere in today's paper.

Election Returns.

Tuesday was election day in the townships and villages of the county, and the following are the results so far reported:

Lambert.

Supervisor—Moise Neil.
Clerk—Max Perras.
Treasurer—Louis Farlardeau.
Assessor—Max Perras.
Justices of the Peace—Joseph Leblanc, Peter Roerig.
Constables—Alvila Berniere, Antoine Lambert.
Road Overseers—District No. 1, Peter Roerig; district No. 2, John Platz; district No. 3, John Plante; district No. 4, Joseph Begeron.

Poplar River.

Supervisor—Wm. Hebert.
Clerk—A. Laniel.
Treasurer—Cyrille Lussier.
Assessor—J. B. Hebert.
Constables—B. O. Wilkinson, Chas. Wilbert.
Road Overseers—District No. 1, Peter Champagne; district No. 2, Joseph Mareile; district No. 3, B. O. Wilkinson; district No. 4, E. H. Davies.

Red Lake Falls.

Supervisor—Matt Waldorf.
Clerk—M. Ducharme.
Treasurer—Wm. Scharper.
Assessor—M. Ducharme.
Justice of the Peace—Sam Luxemburger.
Constable—Joseph Ducharme.
Road Overseers—District No. 1, P. Demaris; district No. 2, M. Waldorf; district No. 3, T. Arel; district No. 4, Sam Luxemburger; district No. 5, Joseph Delorme; district No. 6, M. Pinsineault.

Black River.

Supervisor—John Powers.
Clerk—Felix Anderson.
Treasurer—Albert Anderson.
Assessor—Axel Jacobson.
Constable—Chas. Ford.
Justice—Jonn Walbeck.

Wanted—30 cords of green poplar cord wood to be delivered at the Red Lake Falls creamery. For further particulars inquire of G. F. Hennings, Secretary. tf

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ACCIDENT OR SUICIDE

Reservation Farmer Gets The Top of His Head Blown Off Tuesday.

Coroner Joseph Belair and County Attorney Gerino were called to Thief River Falls Tuesday, in response to a message announcing that a reservation farmer had been killed while coming to Thief River the day previous.

The circumstances of the affair are peculiar, inasmuch as it is not known whether the unfortunate fellow was killed by accident or died by his own hand.

His name was Lars Brenden and he lived with his family on section 10, Kratka township, where he had a good farm. Brenden had not been well during the winter and was suffering from an attack of nervous prostration, which kept him feeling bad all the time. For four or five nights prior to Monday he had not been able to sleep at night and decided to go to Thief River on Monday to consult a physician. He wanted his wife to go along with him, as he stated that he was afraid to go alone, but as she had no place to leave her three children, the oldest of which is five and the youngest two, she could not go.

Brenden then took his wife and children to the home of a neighbor named Larson, where he was going to leave them while he was gone. Larson was also going to Thief River that morning and took his team and a load of grain. Brenden drove his own team with a light sleigh, but insisted on Larson taking the lead. He took along a double barrelled shot gun to hunt wolves with, so he said. On the way to Thief River a couple of reservation fellows joined Larson and rode a ways with him. Larson suggested that they go back and ride with Brenden who had a light load. It is thought that Brenden heard them as he slowed up his horses and dropped several rods behind the Larson rig, and then a shot was heard and the occupants of the Larson rig turned in time to see Brenden's hat fly in the air and his team start to run. They stopped the team and found the unfortunate fellow laying against the seat with his head nearly blown off his body.

The remains were hurried to Thief River Falls, and the coroner summoned, but as the circumstances were so plain than it was either an accident or suicide, no coroner's jury was empaneled.

Brenden came here from Becker county, and his farm in Kratka was considered one of the best on the reservation. He was in very fair circumstances, having quite a lot of good stock and being nearly free from debt.

The theory is advanced that his sickness unbalanced his mind and that he took his own life, while again it is claimed that in re-arranging the gun in the sleigh it was accidently disharged, the charge striking Brenden and killing him instantly.

The truth of course will never be known, but the case is a sad one nevertheless. Brenden leaves a wife and three small children to mourn the loss of a kind husband and good father.

Marriage Licenses.

Clerk of Court Johnson has issued marriage licenses to the following couples since the last issue: Carl N. Wedmer, of Middle River to Pauline Gilbert, of Thief River Falls; Ben Bjorge to Anna P. Berg, both of Thief River Falls; Antoine Laurent, of Terrebonne, to Anna Sedig, of Red Lake Falls.

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LETS DITCH CONTRACT

John Flanagan of St. Paul, Gets Contract For Excavating on Ditch No. 28.

County Auditor O'Brien held the sale of ditch jobs on county ditch No. 28, at his office in the court house Monday, and several bids for the work were submitted.

John Flanagan, a St. Paul contractor, was the successful bidder, his bid being the lowest submitted. There were six bids submitted as follows:

John Flanagan, 9.95 cents per cubic yard; Fred Zaiser 11.05 cents; X Sauve, 11 cents; John Rosegual, 11.66 cents; Louis Paranteau, 11.75 cents; Dan Linnihan, 11 cents. The contract calls for the completion of the ditch by September 15, and Mr. Flanagan will commence the work as soon as the snow is off the ground.

Ditch No. 28 is known as the Duffy ditch, and will be wholly within Red Lake Falls township. It will be about four miles long, running in a south and southwest direction, emptying into Red Lake river. The estimated amount of excavating to be done is 22,401 yards, and most of it will be very easy work.

The ditch is expected to do a great amount of good to lands in that part of the township.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY.

The High School Students Will Act Next Month:

The Senior Class of the High School will give a class play entitled "Sweet Girl Graduates," at the Metropolitan opera house on the evening of Friday, April 12.

The class this year is said to contain several apt pupils in the Thespian art, and as a first-class play has been selected to demonstrate their talents, the people can rest assured that something good is in store for them.

Died at Grand Rapids

News was received here last week of the death of Fred Schoenecker, an old man who had made his home with Euclide Roepelle in Gervais for a number of years past. Mr. Schoenecker died at a hospital in Grand Rapids from an attack of paralysis, and as he had no relatives in this country his remains were interred at that place. Schoenecker was a Belgian, and had lived with Mr. Reopelle for several years. He was of a very industrious disposition and last fall went over to the big woods to put in the winter. He was stricken with paralysis and died in the Grand Rapids hospital after a brief illness. As far as known Schoenecker had no relatives in this country, but has a daughter residing in Belgium, who will be communicated with if she can be located. He left considerable money and property which will revert to her if she can be found.

Bridge Is Protected.

The piling on the new Lonisville bridge is protected from damage by the ice this spring, by heavy plank put in last week by Fred Zaiser, of this city, who was given the contract by the commissioners. Heavy plank falsework was built around the bridge piling at both ends to protect the structure from damage by the ice that will go sailing down stream within the next few weeks.

Three of the commissioners were out to the bridge last week to determine what sort of protection should be made, and decided that the planking would be the best, with the result that Mr. Zaiser was given the contract for the work. The new bridge is a fine one, and the county dads do not propose to take any chances on its being damaged by the high water and ice this spring.

Little globules of sunshine that drive the clouds away. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will scatter the gloom of sick-headache and biliousness. They do not gripe or sicken. Recommended and sold here by all druggists.

RED LAKE GETS $1,000

State Commission Divides Fund of $54,600 Among Eighty-Three Counties.

The state highway commission last week announced the allotments to the counties of the state of the $54,600 provided by the legislature for state roads in Minnesota. The good roads cause has been furthered to this extent and the commission has worked for some time, consulting with the attorney general as to the most equitable means of distributing the apportionments.

By the decision of the commission the maximum amount is $1,600 while the minimum is $300. The law provides that on or before the first Monday in December this year the county auditor of each county shall certify to the highway commission that a road has been designated and twice the amount appropriated by the state has been expended by that county for such a state road. The various counties can then draw on the state treasury for the amount which has just been apportioned by the commission.

In the division four counties, Hennepin, Ramesy, St. Louis and Beltrami get the maximum sum $1,600, Aitkin, Carlton and Itasca will get $1,500, Polk is in the $1,200 class as is Mille Lacs, Morrison, Roseau and Marshall, six counties get $800, twenty-eight get $760 and the rest, twenty-seven, get the minimum $300. In the latter class are Becker, Clay, Otter Tail and Mahnomen. Red Lake and Kittson each get $1,000. Norman will draw $700.

A BIG EASTER CONCERT

Osphens Quartette And Orchestra Will Give A Fine Entertainment.

The Orphens Quartette, the swell musical organization of northern Minnesota, is arranging to give one of the finest musical entertainments ever given here on Easter Monday and to this end are hard at work on the program for the occassion.

The quartette will be assisted by the full band orchestra in several numbers, and the entire program will be one of real merit and enjoyment to the public. Following the concert a social dance will be given music for which will be provided by the orchestra, and the people of this neighborhood should make advance preparations to attend.

To Elect Officers.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold a meeting Wednesday afternoon, March 20th, in the church parlors at 2:30 p. m. A full attendance is desired as it is the annual meeting for the election of officers for the ensuing year. All the ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to be present.

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MARCH BAND CONCERT

Local Organization Will Appear In Public Recital Next Thursday Evening.

The regular monthly concert by the local band organization will occur at the Metropolitan opera house Thursday evening of next week, and the band will have a program of music ready that will make it worth the while of the people to attend.

On the program this month will be several numbers that should prove excellent drawing cards, and the arrangement of the entire entertainment will be found satisfactory to all.

The heavy overture, "Morning, Noon and Night," will be the band's feature number in the first part, and the brilliant parts of this famous composition are being nicely rounded out for capable rendition.

The special numbers will be a vocal solo by Mrs. E. F. Marshall, a pretty cornet fantasy by Clement Brunelle, an overture by the full band orchestra and a clarinet solo "LaSonnambula" by Director Emil H. Bruckman, with piano accompaniment by a talented young pianist of the city.

The other band numbers are good, and it behooves the public to keep the date well in mind and be on hand.

The following is the program:

PART I.

March, "Colonial Guard." F. Mahl
Overture, "Morning, Noon and Night" Suppe
Cornet Solo, "Brilliant Star." Durand
Clem Brunelle.
Waltz, "Sourire d'Avril" M. Depret
Vocal Solo Selected
Mrs. E. F. Marshall

PART II.

Overture, "Mazeppa." F. Mahl
Band Orchestra.
Mazurka, "LaCzarina." Ganne
Clarinet Solo, "LaSonnambula."
E. H. Bruckman.
Miss Inga Hamry, Accompanist.
Selection, "Daughter of the Regiment" Donizetti
"Lorley Pharaphrase" Neswadba
March, "High and Lofty," G. E. Holmes

Grand Jury List.

A list of Grand Jurors drawn for the March term of the District Court, which convenes on the 25th inst:

Alfred Olson	Bray
John Beaudro.	Red Lake Falls-City
Ed. Whaley	St. Hilaire
Adolph Zutz	Louisville
E. J. Akerlund	Bray
John Banner	Silverton
John Sorenson	Thief River Falls
Sam Person	Polk Center
Rusell Vance	Louisville
John Luxemberger	Lake Pleasant
Napoleon Pouliot,	R L F-City
Noah Wolf	R L F-City
Henry Rondolf	Rocksbury
Ellof Gravelie	Norden
John O. Vaslie	Numedal
Gustaf Johnson	Sanders
Joe Helm, jr.	R L F-City
John Westerland	Gervais
Peter Johnson	River Falls
Halvor Olson	Numedal
Jule Lizee	Terrebonne
Karl Hundredmark,	Red Lake Falls
Carl Sorenson	Garnes

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Financial Statement

OF

RED LAKE COUNTY, MINN.

For the Fiscal Year Ending December, 31, 1906.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
RED LAKE COUNTY, MINNESOTA,
Red Lake Falls, Minn., January 2, 1907.

TO THE HONORABLE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF RED LAKE COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

GENTLEMEN:—I submit to you herewith, a statement of the financial condition of Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the close of the fiscal year December 31, 1906, showing the receipts and expenditures for the year, the cash balance in the different funds and the total amount of cash in the County Treasury together with a statement of the finances of the County at the end of the year, including all debts and liabilities and the assets and other means of discharging the same.

Respectfully submitted,

SEAL.

John B. O'Brien

County Auditor.

TRIAL BALANCE.

Auditor's General Ledger at the close of business December 30, 1905

	Dr	Cr
[illegible] Treasurer	$ 31958 56	
[illegible]		$ 784 70
[illegible] Penalties		11056 55
[illegible] School Fund		837 25
[illegible] Revenue Fund		523 38
Poor Fund		350 01
[illegible] Road and Bridge Fund		500 18
[illegible] Interest Fund		2317 06
[illegible] Ditch Fund		8279 86
[illegible] Redemption Fund		269 56
[illegible] Funds		2946 87
[illegible] Village Fund		3421 93
[illegible] Fund		5 76
[illegible] School Fund	1 81	
[illegible] Fund		392 16
[illegible] Interest Fund		175 26
[illegible] Fund		112 99
[illegible] Fund	10 15	
Total	$ 31970 52	$ 31970 52

RECEIPTS OF RED LAKE COUNTY.

During the fiscal year ending December 31, 1906.

Balance in treasury January 2 1906	$ 31958 56
[illegible] tax collections	114305 72
[illegible] tax collections	11021 12
Interest, penalties and costs	1285 98
[illegible] liens paid	5000 79
Private redemptions	5559 01
Collections prin. and int. on state lands	7808 68
State Auditor wolf bounties refunded	1124 50
school apportionment	14752 03
state aid to schools	3847 00
Hunters licenses	130 50
Interest on deposits county funds	1351 62
[illegible] licenses	10 00
Rent	55 00
Fees probate court refunded	18 05
Jury fees	36 00
Fees district court	81 00
Insurance premium refunded	47 50
Liquor licenses	1500 00
Reward for capturing horse thief	200 00
[illegible]	846 51
Warrants outstanding December 31, 1906	4088 16
Total	$ 208123 13

DISBURSEMENTS OF RED LAKE COUNTY.

During the fiscal year ending December 31, 1906.

Warrants drawn on County Revenue Fund	$ 20228 65
" " " Poor Fund	201 42
" " " Road and Bridge Fund	7180 00
" " " Bond and Int. Fund	2156 99
" " " Private Redemp. Fund	5616 67
" " " General Ditch Fund	22333 76
" " " Incidental Fund	360 39
" " " School District Fund	60715 70
" " " Town, City and vil Fund	38180 96
" " " Court house & jail fund	157 00
" " " Spl bond and int. fund	534 98
Refunding Warrants	119 98
Principal and interest on state lands	7483 43
State revenue and school tax	9307 83
Hunters License	130 50
Warrants outstanding January 2, 1906	784 70
Balance cash in treasury December 31, 1906	32330 62
Total	$ 208123 13

TRIAL BALANCE.

Auditor's Ledger at close of business December 31, 1906.

	Dr	Cr
County Treasurer	$ 32330 62	
Warrants Account		$ 4088 16
[illegible]		5157 26
[illegible] School Fund		1261 14
[illegible] Funds		293 10
[illegible]		443 51
[illegible] Fund	1845 56	
[illegible] Fund		4046 17
[illegible] fund		212 90
[illegible] funds		8795 99
[illegible] funds		4811 11
[illegible]		85 37
[illegible] school fund	1 70	
[illegible] interest fund		324 82
[illegible] fund		361 42
[illegible] interest fund		3370 68
[illegible] fund		946 07
[illegible]	12 85	
Total	$ 34190 73	$ 34190 73

Receipts and Disbursements By Funds:

County Revenue Fund.

RECEIPTS:

Balance in treasury January 2, 1906	$ [illegible]
Taxes and penalties	[illegible]
Interest on deposits county funds	[illegible]
Auctioneers licenses	10 00
Rent	55 00
Wolf bounties refunded	[illegible]
Fees probate court refunded	19 05
Jury fees	36 00
Insurance premium refunded	47 50
Reward for capturing horse thief	200 00
Total	$ [illegible]

DISBURSEMENTS:

Warrants issued	$ [illegible]
Transferred to incidental fund	[illegible]
Transferred to county road and bridge fund	[illegible]
Refunding warrants	[illegible]
Balance on hand	[illegible]
Total	$ [illegible]

Warrants Issued.

County Officers' Salaries.

COUNTY AUDITOR.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8891	James E Ford	$ 100 00
9007	"	100 00
9202	"	100 00
9020	"	100 00
9173	"	100 00
9566	"	100 00
9720	"	100 00
9842	"	100 00
9969	"	100 00
9982	"	100 00
10012	"	100 00
Total		$1100 00

COUNTY TREASURER

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8891	K M Hausen	$ 100 00
9008	"	100 00
9203	"	100 00
9330	"	100 00
9471	"	100 00
9567	"	100 00
9730	"	100 00
9843	"	100 00
9967	"	100 00
9983	"	100 00
10013	"	100 00
[illegible]		100 00
Total		$1200 00

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8894	H T McAnulty	87 50
9011	"	87 50
9206	"	87 50
9333	"	87 50
9477	"	87 50
9570	"	87 50
9650	"	50 00
9733	"	87 60
9790	"	50 00
9846	"	87 50
9900	"	87 50
9967	"	87 50
10041	"	87 50
10294	"	100 00
Total		$ 1162 50

JUDGE OF PROBATE.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8892	N W Tarrant	97 91
9009	"	97 91
9204	"	97 91
9331	"	97 91
9475	"	97 92
9568	"	97 92
9731	"	97 92
9844	"	97 92
9898	"	97 92
9961	"	97 92
10044	"	97 92
Total		$1077 08

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8803	Thomas Germo	100 00
8893	"	100 00
9010	"	100 00
9205	"	100 00
9332	"	100 00
9476	"	100 00
9569	"	100 00
9732	"	100 00
9845	"	100 00
9899	"	100 00
9965	"	100 00
10045	"	100 00
Total		$1200 00

CLERKS IN COUNTY AUDITOR'S OFFICE.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8782	Adam Zeh	$ 24 00
8788	S L Lewis	24 00
8895	A A Latendresse	50 00
9012	"	50 00
9207	"	55 00
9334	"	55 00
9178	"	55 00
9571	"	55 00
9734	"	55 00
9794	Adam Zeh	15 00
9847	A A Latendresse	55 00
9878	S L Lewis	9 00
9901	A A Latendresse	55 00
9966	"	55 00
10046	"	55 00
10114	S L Lewis	15 00
10325	"	15 00
10317	"	16 00
10360	"	15 00
Total		$725 00

CLERKS IN COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9018	Clara Marchand	$ 5 00
9198	"	15 00
9350	Joseph Perrault	8 00
9502	Carl Schusser	4 38
9528	E E Fletcher	10 00
9563	"	40 00
9647	Doretta Mathies	4 50
9728	E E Fletcher	4 00
9795	Clara Marchand	10 00
9952	"	16 50
10116	"	6 00
10374½	S L Lewis	14 00
Total		$137 38

COURT REPORTERS.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8897	Chas M Lohn	$ 23 25
8898	WO Braggans	23 25
9014	Chas M Lohn	23 25
9015	WO Braggans	23 25
9209	Chas M Lohn	23 25
9210	WO Braggans	23 25
9383	Chas M Lohn	23 25
9384	WO Braggans	23 25
9180	Chas M Lohn	20 45
9481	WO Braggans	20 45
9573	Chas M Lohn	20 45
9574	WO Braggans	20 45
9736	Chas M Lohn	20 45
9737	WO Braggans	20 45
9849	Chas M Lohn	20 45
9850	WO Braggans	20 45
9902	Chas M Lohn	20 45
9904	WO Braggans	20 45
9969	Chas M Lohn	20 45
9976	WO Braggans	20 45
10049	Chas M Lohn	20 45
10050	WO Braggans	20 45
Total		$ 472 30

JANITOR.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8896	J O Gjerberg	$ 50 00
9013	"	50 00
9208	"	50 00
9335	"	50 00
0479	"	50 00
9572	"	50 00
9735	"	50 00
9848	"	50 00
9902	"	50 00
9968	"	50 00
10048	"	50 00
Total		$550 00

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PER DIEM AND MILEAGE.

FIRST DISTRICT.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8826	P A Ekstrom	14 80
8874	James Sutor	3 00
8927	P A Ekstrom	9 00
9107	"	16 80
9230	"	8 33
9346	"	8 33
9452	"	11 00
9590	"	8 23
9605	"	8 33
9706	"	3 00
9768	"	8 33
9870	"	8 33
9984	"	16 66
10015	"	8 33
Total		$ 132 57

SECOND DISTRICT.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8871	Wm C L Demann	$17 80
8928	"	11 40
9118	"	10 40
9228	"	8 33
9343	"	8 33
9464	"	8 33
9606	"	8 33
9687	"	23 10
8707	"	1 40
9719	"	8 33
9792	"	8 33
9817	"	6 00
9893	"	8 33
9971	"	8 33
10028	"	8 33
10316	"	1 60
Total		$ 146 67

THIRD DISTRICT.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8872	O J Johnson	$15 00
8929	"	13 00
9233	"	8 33
9352	"	8 33
9453	"	3 00
9465	"	8 33
9607	"	8 33
9708	"	3 00
9818	"	5 00
9868	"	8 33
9985	"	16 66
Total		$ 97 31

FOURTH DISTRICT.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8827	Daniel Shaw	$10 00
8930	"	20 00
9065	"	7 00
9234	"	8 33
9353	"	8 33
9454	"	4 00
9466	"	8 33
9605	"	8 33

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PER DIEM AND MILEAGE—FOURTH DISTRICT.—Continued.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9709	Daniel Shaw	4 00
8720	"	8 33
9827	"	7 20
9871	"	8 33
9986	"	16 66
10026	"	8 33
10284	"	5 00
10358	"	8 33
Total		$ 140 50

FIFTH DISTRICT.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8873	Louis Farlardeau	10 80
9103	"	10 80
9235	"	8 33
9354	"	8 33
9467	"	8 33
9609	"	8 33
9710	"	4 80
9869	"	8 33
9987	"	16 66
Total		$90 71

COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9752	Wm C L Demann	$13 40
9753	P A Ekstrom	11 80
9755	O J Johnson	15 00
9756	Daniel Shaw	16 00
9757	Louis Falardeau	16 80
Total		$73 00

BOARD OF AUDIT.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9064	Daniel Shaw	24 00
9066	James E Ford	27 00
9067	Joseph Perrault	27 00
9436	"	6 00
9437	James E Ford, co. auditor	6 00
9138	Daniel Shaw, chair. co. board	6 00
Total		$96 00

District Court Expenses.

GRAND JURORS.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9160	John Allstad	$ 9 20
9161	Denals Conelly	13 40
9162	Ildage Baril	9 60
9163	D Collins	11 40
9164	K Killund	11 40
9165	Gilbert Hoover	13 60
9166	P O Sorlont	14 40
9167	W J McCrum	13 00
9168	M Bakken	13 40
9169	Peter Swanson	10 40
9170	Max Perras	13 00
9171	Joseph Remick	9 20
9172	Andrew Anderson	14 80
9173	O M Evenson	13 00
9174	Rudolph Warberg	14 00
9175	Ed Miller	15 00
9176	G C Gulrud	17 60
9177	Henry Busse	10 40
9178	Ole G Lee	18 20
9179	Frank Laplante	10 20
9180	Morse Guerard	12 60
9181	Wm Holberg	9 20
Total		$277 00

PETIT JURORS.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9132	Charles Latta	$ 4 80
9139	Caster Christenson	4 40
9143	G O Kankel	4 00
9145	Frank Bosh	2 20
9188	Dan Gerlach	2 00
9227	John Naplin	19 60
9231	Wm Marleau	6 00
9237	Geo J Willer	6 00
9238	W J Kelly	20 00
9239	Ole J Hegg	25 00
9240	Felix Anderson	22 40
9241	Richard Mellu	23 40
9242	Axel Kron	23 80
9243	A A Odegaard	23 20
9244	P Engelstad	23 00
9245	Peter Wold	27 80
9246	G Shirra	24 00
9247	Henry Arndt	27 80
9252	A A Momerak	23 00
9253	Ovide Moreau	19 00
9254	J B Demarais	17 20
9255	Omer Delorme	26 00
9256	Jos Tschirhart	17 20
9257	A J St Mars	17 20
9258	Charles Ford	17 00
9259	Joseph Normandin	17 20
9260	John Drier	21 00
9261	Louis Perrault	24 60
9262	Eli Lasha	1 80
9263	Frank Bourque	26 40
9265	Evangelist Quesnelle	23 00
9288	Frank Glass	19 40
9292	Jas Brady	8 20
9308	George Marchildon	6 00
9924	John Platz	10 20
9927	W E Wood	11 40
9929	Emil Just	2 00
9930	J O Nauman	6 60
9931	John Rothstien	11 00
9932	Ed Moran	6 20
9933	Joseph Schmitz	7 40
9934	Aug Swenson	10 60
9935	J L Cossette	10 20
9936	Joseph Lefeovre	12 40
9937	S V Barcley	11 60
9938	E J Overland	12 40
9939	Ole O Nesja	15 80
9940	W J LaBreo	11 50
9941	V M Higinbotham	6 20
9942	George Jarman	12 00
9948	Robert Bourdoa	6 20
Total		$ 750 60

WITNESS FEES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9134	Axel Sandgreen	4 40
9135	E O Erickson	4 40
9136	Christ Amundson	4 40
9137	M M Johnson	4 40
9138	W J Kelly	4 40
9140	Chas Gilbertson	3 64
9142	W H Fuller	4 40
9144	Oscar Hicks	38 00
9146	Moses Ducharme	1 72
9148	Emil Just	1 94
9152	N A Nelson	2 26
9153	Gust Konikson	2 20
9154	Lena Rewertz	1 96
9155	John Kivel	4 40
9156	Mrs Caroline Evenson	3 40
9157	Mrs Anna Borry	3 40
9158	Mrs E E Bjerk	3 40
9221	Norman Hanson	4 12
9222	C H Carlson	4 12
9224	Ole Kuntson	4 12
9229	Axel Sandgren	4 40
9248	N M Johnson	5 40
9249	John Collins	5 40
9250	Oscar Hicks	38 00
9251	George Jarman	1 12
9297	Daniel Linnihan	1 12
9517	A P Toupin	1 12
Total		$161 58

ATTORNEY'S FEES IN STATE CASES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9264	F A Grady	$10 00
Total		$10 00

CLERK'S FEES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8832	Joseph Perrault	$50 05
9012	"	73 40
9073	"	15 15
9285	"	30 00
9432	"	127 80
9433	"	8 90
9434	"	1 05
9435	"	206.40
9694	"	40 20
10007	"	9 00
10305	"	18 00
Total		$589 85

DEPUTY CLERK'S FEES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9266	Adam Zeh	$36 00
9061	S L Lewis	12 00
Total		$ 48 00

SHERIFF'S FEES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8844	Dan Linnihan	$61 35
8815	"	16 40
9058	"	6 40
9060	Louis Gonyea	4 00
10284½	Dan Linnihan	200 00
9420	"	15 00

SHERIFF'S FEES—CONTINUED.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9424	Dan Linnihan	8 00
9425	"	118 32
9426	"	120 32
9697	"	102 82
9803	"	13 80
9804	"	128 00
9805	"	52 50
9806	"	1 00
10311	"	50 70
Total		$901 61

DEPUTY SHERIFF'S FEES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8843	John Ilson	$ 8 50
8862	Adam Zeh	11 45
8863	George Jarman	204 22
9014	"	22 95
9059	S A Swanson	3 20
9061	Geo Jarman	35 13
9424	Gust Braggren	37 00
9127	George Jarman	80 30
9428	"	71 09
9698	Fred Zalser	7 90
9699	Joseph M Putnode	7 90
9700	Joseph Belair	6 40
9702	Arther Lizee	12 50
9703	George Jarman	11 00
9704	A S Wilson	1 50
9705	S A Swanson	4 30
9754	Joseph Belair	1 50
9767	Arthur Lizee	3 00
9815	George Jarman	67 18
9912	"	8 34
10312	"	54 95
10313	Louis Gonyea	1 20
Total		$661 61

COURT DEPUTYS.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9187	Peter K Olson	$13 50
9269	Fred Zalser	33 00
9270	John Kivel	36 00
9101	Adam Zeh	3 00
9946	Fred Zalser	12 00
Total		$97 50

JAILERS' SALARIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8781	Dan Linnihan	$ 31 00
8900	"	31 00
9029	"	28 00
9201	"	31 00
9351	"	10 00
9420	William McIntosh	22 00
9582	Dan Linnihan	18 00
9991	"	27 00
Total		$198 00

BOARDING PRISONERS.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8816	Daniel Linnihan	$102 03
8847	Polk County, Minn	12 78
9056	"	62 48
9057	Daniel Linnihan	72 39
9421	Polk County, Minn	61 77
9422	Daniel Linnihan	66 16
9423	"	14 75
9626	"	10 26
Total		$403 22

Probate Court Expenses.

MEDICAL EXAMINERS' FEES—INSANITY CASES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8589	Dr N M Watson	$ 7 65
8796	George Tupper	7 65
8830	I Lemieux	15 25
9328	F H Gamble	7 65
9361	Henry Grandy	7 65
9533	N M Watson	15 30
9535	I Lemieux	7 65
9539	J E Carman	7 65
9889	I Lemieux	5 15
9890	N M Watson	5 15
9913	J C Wilkinson	5 15
9914	N M Watson	5 15
Total		$ 97 05

WITNESS FEES—INSANITY CASES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8802	Christ Anderson	$ 3 40
9651	First State Bank of Red Lake Falls	3 16
Total		$ 6 56

MISCELLANEOUS FEES—INSANITY CASES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
8801	George Jarman	expense in taking Jno Norman to state hospital at Fergus Falls	$32 48
9627	Dan Linnihan	expense in taking E Premo to state hospital Fergus Falls	28 70
9628	Joseph Belair	expense in taking E Premo to state hospital Fergus Falls	22 41
9634	D Linnihan	fees and mileage for taking Jos Vanous before the court	3 75
9888	Geo Brunelle	fees and expense conveying Mrs Gibeau to hospital for insane	49 28
9995	Arthur Lizee	expense attending court and bringing Mrs Gibeau before court	2 00
Total			$ 138 71

Municipal Court Costs

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9455	J M Bishop, municipal judge	$70 73
9978	J M Bishep, municipal judge	37 59
Total		$114 32

Justice Court Expenses

WITNESS FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8850	S L Lewis	$10 55
8851	A P Toupin	21 15
10306	S A Swanson	3 20
Total		$34 90

Coroner's Inquest

CORONER'S FEES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8866	Joseph Belair	$47 65
9431	"	35 95
10290	"	12 90
Total		$96 50

WITNESS FEES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9852	Mike Madden	$ 2 00
9853	Ed Miller	1 20
9854	H C Juhr	2 20
9855	A C Mayfield	1 24
9856	Louis Buso	2 00
9857	Val Yeager	2 00
9858	L T Borgh	1 40
9859	Isaac Dahlen	1 12
9860	John Kjonickson	1 12
9861	Carl Eggen	1 12
9862	Edward Peterson	1 12
9863	Joseph Falardeau	1 12
9864	Mrs Pierre Paquin	1 12
9865	Agnes Falardeau	1 12
Total		$19 88

Light.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8834	R L F Elec Light Co	$49 05
9075	"	16 90
9106	"	41 75
9692	"	26 00
10298	"	52 25
Total		$185 95

Fuel.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8833	Jacob O Valdal	$32 50
9068	Swan Akenson	165 00
Total		$197 50

Reporting Births and Deaths

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8976	P A Ekstrom	$2 00
8977	E J Akorlnud	75
8978	Albert Bakkou	1 00
8979	A J Hemstad	3 25
8980	Lewis Sall	3 50
8981	Olof Tande	4 00
8982	Alex Patnode	1 25
8983	A J Hemstad	75
8984	F J Madden	25
8985	R M Johnson	2 25
8986	A D Berry	2 25
8987	M Ducharme	3 75
8988	Louis Doucet	6 25
8989	E J Overlund	2 00
8990	G J Nordhagen	3 25
8991	H E Albue	1 00
8992	Olof Larson	25
8993	Ole T Romsos	1 00
8994	Arthur Laniel	2 75
8995	Peter Hansel	75
8996	F O Leppert	25
8997	A S Andersen	2 50
8998	P Engelstad	2 25
8999	Ildage Baril	4 50
9000	J C Wilkinson	15 00
9001	N K Anderson	2 50
9002	Wm J Potts	2 25
9003	A F Blomburgh	11 50
9004	Lars Backe	35 25
9005	J L Cossette	7 75
9006	Christ Morslug	5 00
Total		$131 00

Printing and Advertising.

No. of warrant	To Whom Issued	Amount
8861	Carl M Borgen	$11 30
8918	Red Lake Falls Gazette	3 30
9102	Carr & Clark	2 25
9113	St Hilaire Spectator	290 90
9672	Chas W Latta	4 35
9797	S W Bagley	18 50
9798	St Hilaire Spectator	34 10
9799	"	146 25
9800	A F Lattimore	2 00
10154	St Hilaire Spectator	286 70
9417	"	585 75
10146	Red Lake Falls Gazette	65 30
Total		$1450 70

Blank Books, Blanks, Stationery and Supplies.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8825	A L Reichert	$14 85
8818	W A Schreiter	1 25
8852	Pioneer Press Co	70 13
8853	Northwest'n Sch Sply Co	4 30
8854	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	124 70
8855	Carl M Borgen	13 75
8856	Red Lake Courier	20 00
8857	"	6 50
8858	Elliott Fisher company	6 50
8859	Free Press Printing Co	32 20
8915	Pioneer Press Co	1 40
8916	Miller-Davis Ptg Co	24 00
8917	Red Lake Falls Gazette	26 50
8922	James E Ford	1 37
8923	K M Hansen	3 55
9063	N W Tarrant	25
9092	Geo D Barnard & Co	25 30
9093	McGill Warner Co	5 70
9094	Free Press Ptg Co	20 00
9095	Pioneer Press Co	33 30
9096	Miller Davis Ptg Co	1 87
9098	C F Greenwood	9 00
9099	John E King	28 00
9100	W A Schreiter	7 50
9101	Carl M Borgen	13 50
9111	Red Lake Falls Gazette	11 75
9112	Red Lake Falls Gazette	4 00
9409	Pioneer Press Co	15 35
9410	Eli S Warner, surveyor general	112 00
9411	P E Hanson, Sec. of State	17 50
9412	Miller Davis Ptg Co	75 40
9413	Free Press Ptg Co	21 98
9414	McGill Warner Co	6 00
9415	John E King	15 75
9416	Red Lake Falls Gazette	38 50
9456	Red Lake Courier	9 15
9671	Red Lake Falls Gazette	13 00
9673	W M Welch Co	7 20
9674	Walter S Booth & Son	50
9675	BrownTreacy & Spy Co	7 80
9676	Red Lake Falls Gazette	38 00
9677	Review Publishing Co	20 00
9678	Miller Davis Ptg Co	69 61
9679	George D Barnard & Co	24 74
9680	Free Press Ptg Co	118 75
9681	McGill Warner Co	64 50
9682	Red Lake Courier	30 85
9683	Pioneer Press Co	37 00
9807	Northw'n School SplyCo	8 25
9808	The Pioneer Press Co	10 50
9809	Miller Davis Ptg Co	40 07
9810	Review Publishing Co	1 00
9811	Red Lake Falls Gazette	21 40
9812	George D Barnard & Co	74 46
10145	The Red Lake Courier	90 90
10147	George D Barnard & Co	37 16
10148	Pioneer Press Co	102 60
10149	Free Press Printing Co	99 55
10150	Miller Davis PrintingCo	16 10
10151	A L Reichert	9 15
10153	Typewriter Exchange	12 25
Total		$1807 81

Election Expenses.

RECEIVING PRIMARY ELECTION SUPPLIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10163	J L Cossette Town of Terrebonne	$ 3 20
10164	Olof Taude Town of Garnes	1 40
10165	Lewis Sall Town of Equality	2 20
10166	Halvor Johnson Town of Numedal	1 80
10167	Jay Payne Town of Clover Leaf	1 80
10168	A Laniel Town of Poplar River	1 10
10169	Tobias Stene Town of Smiley	2 40
10170	Ernest J Akerlund Town of Bray	1 00
10171	Nels K Anderson Town of Sanders	3 00
10172	Lars Lee Town of Norden	2 80
10173	A J Hemstad Town of Emardville	3 00
10174	P Engelstad Town of Rocksbury	2 15
10175	K O Gigstad Village of St Hilaire	1 20
10176	A D Berry Town of Louisville	2 60
10177	Joseph Johnson Town 153, Rge 39	1 40
10178	Max Perras Town of Lambert	1 60
10179	A P Toupin City of Red Lake Falls	2 40
10180	C W Johnson Town of Black River	3 00
10181	A S Anderson Town of River Falls	2 20
10182	Ildaige Baril Town of Red Lake Falls	1 60
10183	E J Overlund Town of North	1 50
10184	O E Naplin Town of Polk Centre	4 00
10185	Sam Lovnas Town of Mayfield	1 60
10186	Alex Patnode Town of Gervais	2 00
Total		$50 95

MAKING PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10187	David Haugen town of Wyandotte	$ 2 78
10188	Swan Walhaug town of Garnes	1 84
10189	Peder J Bugge town of Numedal	1 63
10190	A O Watsend town of Equality	1 81
10191	Wm Hebert town of Popular River	1 10
10192	Joseph A Duchamp town of Clover Leaf	2 80
10193	L G Browning 1st ward of T R Falls	1 44
10194	Ellef Gravlio town of Norden	2 40
10195	H B Blackey town of Silverton	2 40
10196	Frank Schirrick town of Polk Center	2 80
10197	Ed Enright town of Black River	2 40

MAKING PRIMARY ELECTION RETURNS
(Continued)

No of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10198	Louis Lonson 3rd ward R L Falls	$ 1 20
10199	Frank Mousley 2nd ward T R Falls	1 20
10200	Alcide Perrusse town of Terrebonne	3 20
10201	Nels Knutson town of North	1 20
10202	John A Rorestein village of St Hilaire	4 00
10203	Mathias Waldorf town of Lake Pleas	2 00
10204	Charles Sleger town Gervais	1 80
10205	A L Reichert 3rd ward T R Falls	1 20
10206	Jacob Frolland town Emardville	3 80
10207	John S Johnson town Kratka	1 00
10208	Joseph Johnson town 153 range 39	1 60
10209	C P Swanson town Bray	2 96
10210	Charles Gustafson town Rocksbury	2 00
10211	Eus Normandeau 2nd ward R L Falls	1 20
10212	R O Gorden town Mayfield	2 30
10213	Philip Gibeau town Lambert	1 10
10214	Herman Ortloff town Sanders	3 00
10215	A S Anderson town River Falls	2 20
10216	Daniel Patterson village St Hilaire	1 20
	Total	$51 56

JUDGES OF PRIMARY ELECTION

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10273	Olof O Omlid	$ 7 25
10274	Joseph Johnson	7 25
10275	Hans Fjeld	7 25
	Total	$21 75

COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD PRIMARY ELECTION

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10276	Lars Backe	$13 00
10277	L M Hoff	11 40
10278	S A Swanson	9 20
10283	Daniel Shaw	13 00
	Total	$46 60

RECEIVING GENERAL ELECTION SUPPLIES

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10217	O J Johnson Village of Plummer	$ 1 20
10218	E J Overland Town of North	1 60
10219	Alex Patnode Town of Gervais	2 00
10220	Olof Tande Town of Garnes	1 40
10221	Max Perras Town of Lambert	1 60
10222	A D Berry Town of Louisville	2 60
10223	A J Hemstad Town of Emardville	3 20
10224	W A Swanson Town of Deer Park	2 36
10225	A Lanfel Town of Poplar River	1 10
10226	Tobias Stene Town of Smiley	2 40
10227	Lewis Sall Town of Equality	2 20
10228	Ernest J Akerlund Town of Bray	1 00
10229	J L Cossette Town of Terrebonne	3 20
10230	C E Naplin Town of Poplar River	4 00
10231	Henry Hanson Town of Silverton	2 00
10232	A S Anderson Town of River Falls	2 20
10233	P Engelstad Town of Rocksbury	2 00
10234	C W Johnson Town of Black River	3 00
10235	G J Nordhagen Town of Norden	2 40
10236	Sam Lovaas Town of Mayfield	1 00
10237	Joseph Johnson Town 153, Rge 39	1 40
10238	Jay Payne Town of Clover Leaf	2 20
10239	Nels K Anderson Town of Sanders	3 00
	Total	$49 66

MAKING GENERAL ELECTION RETURNS

No of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10240	David Haugen town Wyandotte	$ 2 72
10241	Nels Knutson town North	1 45
10242	N A Nelson town River Falls	2 44
10243	C O Lindberg town Deer Park	1 13
10244	C M Wilson 3rd ward T R Falls	1 20
10245	Herman Hortloff town Sanders	3 00
10246	Sam Walhaug town Garnes	1 52
10247	Philip Gibeau town Lambert	1 10
10248	A S Wilson Vil St Hilaire	1 45
10249	A D Berry town Louisville	2 60
10250	Wm Hebert town Poplar River	1 10
10251	Sever Maaren town Mayfield	2 22
10252	P E Bergh town Silverton	2 64
10253	John Frolland town Emardville	3 60
10254	Ernest J Akerlund town Bray	4 00
10255	Chas Sleger town Gervais	1 80
10256	Mathias Waldorf town Lake Pleasant	2 00
10257	A L Reichert 3rd ward R L Falls	1 20
10258	Alfred Rieo town Goodridge	2 00
10259	L O Browning 1st ward T R Falls	1 20
10260	H W Lee 2nd ward T R Falls	1 20
10261	A Drager town Polk Center	2 80
10262	Joseph Johnson town 153 rge 39	1 75
10263	J P Harren 2nd ward R L Falls	1 10
10264	Ed Enright town Black River	2 40
10265	Louis Paranteau town Terrebonne	3 20
10266	Hdalge Baril town Red Lake Falls	1 20
10267	Peder J Buggs town Numedal	4 00
10268	O N Olson town Smiley	3 40
10269	Ellef Oravlie town Norden	2 40
10270	Charley Gustafson town Rocksbury	2 00
10271	A O Watsend town Equality	3 00
10272	Erick Iverson vill of Plummer	4 00
	Total	$72 82

COUNTY CANVASSING BOARD GENERAL ELECTION.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10279	James E Ford	$ 9 20
10280	Chas W Latta	11 80
10281	S A Swanson	9 20
10282	Daniel Shaw	13 00
	Total	$43 20

MEMBERS OF LEGISLATIVE CANVASSING BOARD.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10285	S A Swanson	$ 8 20
10286	Daniel Shaw	10 00
10288	Chas W Latta	8 80
10287	James E Ford	6 20
	Total	$ 31 20

PRINTING BALLOTS.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
10168	Red Lake Falls Gazette	$332 00
	Total	$33

Fire Wardens.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
9024	S G Iverson, state auditor	5 25
9304	" "	1 13
9601	" "	1 00
10365	" "	1 00
	Total	$ 8 38

Telephone Service.

LONG DISTANCE.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	Amount
8868	Thomas Gormo	$10 83
8869	Daniel Linnihan	6 16
9062	"	5 80
9461	Thos Germo	3 35
10156	"	7 20
10157	James E Ford	2 82
10162	N W Tarrant	70
10295	W A Schreiter	8 10
	Total	$ 44 90

RENT OF TELEPHONE.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8885	Red Lake Falls Tel Ex	$21 00
9110	" "	16 04
9102	" "	10 35
10296	" "	30 00
	Total	$ 71 35

Wolf Bounties.

No. of Warrant	To Whom Issued	Amount
8787	Henry Cyr	$15 00
8790	Math Thompson	7 50
8792	Frank Bush	7 50
8793	Joe Ford	15 00
8797	Philip Demerais	7 60
8800	Henry Runnestrand	7 50
8808	Delos Douglas	22 50
8809	Ole Anderson	7 50
8810	Tosten Elefson	7 50
8811	Harry Hallas	15 00
8812	Richard Oothier	7 50
8814	Edward Lessard	7 50
8816	Alfred Flatum	7 50
8821	Chas Rustad	22 50
8822	John G Hagen	7 50
8875	John L Evenmo	15 00
8878	Henry Lemieux	7 50
8883	Harry Hallas	7 50
8901	Gust Konikson	22 50
8902	Lars Runnestrand	7 50
8903	John O Johnson	15 00
8905	Ole S Brolland	7 50
8906	Lewis Sattre	7 50
8910	Calaxte Robedout	7 50
8911	Jas H Cyr	7 50
8912	Ole Mathison	7 50
8913	A B George	7 50
8931	Carl Olson	7 50
8932	Henry Lemieux	7 50
8933	Edward Hylnad	7 50
8934	Archie Whaley	7 50
8935	Christ Rustad	7 50
8936	Henry Cyr	7 50
8915	Alcene Juneau	7 50
8916	F Gjerberg	15 00
8947	Casper Falk	15 00
8948	Mauratz Brink	7 50
8949	Harry Hallas	7 50
8950	Targe Lofthus	7 50
8951	Gunder Hagen	7 50
8952	William Rose	7 50
8954	Andreas Hoverstad	7 50
8955	George Mamey	15 00
8956	John Evenmo	7 50
8957	Henry Starken	7 50
8959	Henry Cyr	15 00
8962	Christ Weine	7 50
8963	Olof Kolsloe	7 50
8969	Gunder Skaar	7 50
8970	Lauris Skaar	7 50
8971	Magnus Soderberg	7 50
8974	Henry Runnestrand	7 50
8975	Ad Anderson	7 50
9016	Oscar Johnson	7 50
9017	Christ Winsen	7 50
9026	Gust Konikson	30 00
9032	Clara Mannel	7 50
9035	Alcime Juneau	7 50
9037	Ernest Janke	15 00
9038	Henry Lemieux	7 50
9039	Anton Jacobson	7 50
9040	A J Anderson	7 50
9041	Torje Lofthus	7 50
9054	Andreas Hoverstad	7 50
9121	B C Haga	7 50
9123	Ole S Brelland	7 50
9129	Lawarence Madden	7 50
9141	Harry Hallas	7 50
9182	F Gjerberg	7 50
9184	Bohunil Hruby	7 50
9189	Christ Storken	7 50
9200	Charles Nelson	7 50
9215	John A Markusen	7 50
9236	Ole Peterson	45 00
9277	Carl J Anderson	7 50
9340	Mike Connaughty	5 00
9311	Joseph Noel	9 00
9342	Frank Kodla	5 00
9369	Peter Thume	7 50
9371	Joe Starken	3 00
9376	"	2 00
9462	Alfred Carpenter	6 00
9493	Hummer Herjusson	2 00
9510	C O Linberg	7 50
9518	Wilfred Beaudry	7 50
9626	Ole H Rolsland	7 50
9975	Charles Anderson	7 50
10023	Simon Opsahl	7 50
10024	Chas A Nason	7 50
10027	Omer Haule	7 50
10031	Oscar Johnson	7 50
10036	Henry Gerlach	7 50
10053	Jesse Luxemburger	15 00
10063	Artel Audette	7 50
10324	Andreas Hoverstad	7 50
10326	John G Hagen	7 50
10331	Henry Runnestrand	15 00
10337	Gjermund Kleven	7 50
10352	Emil Ostma	7 50
10359	Mike Madden	7 50
10363	George Coe	7 50
10364	Henry Cyr	7 50
10366	Herman H Halverson	7 50
10367	Lonis Sall	7 50
10368	John O Johnson	7 50
	Total	$962 00

Miscellaneous Items.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
8828	Nick Helm	painting jail and offices	$50 00
8829	Anderson & Wander	window shades	19 75
8830	Garceau & Zaiser	clothing for prisoners	8 60
8831	W A Reichel	photos of prisoners	4 50
8836	James Brady	carpenter work	12 05
8837	Franz F Freund	painting and paperhanging	6 50
8838	Frank E Hunt	hardware and supplies	53 83
8840	Inga Brynildson	stenographer work	1 00
8841	Napoleon Delage	meals for insane patient	1 50
8842	L A Kaufer	oncmeled covering for desk	9 20
8849	W A Schreiter	medicine for prisoners	2 10
8864	Tho Robertson Lumber co	lumber for repairing sidewalk	45
8865	O'Brien Bros	hardware for court house	2 75
8919	Frank St Martin	carpenter work	19 75
8920	Joseph Salley	moving safes and hauling cordwood	20 00
8964	Elick Johnson	rap spec dog tax	5 88
9047	Albert Normandeau	express charges	1 13
9069	Lucien Phillion	scrubbing county jail	3 50
9070	Adam Zeh	insurance premium	55 00
9071	V M Higinbotham	insurance premium	13 75
9074	James Brady	repairs on court house	1 00
9076	Frank Jeffers	list of decrees ond foreclosures	11 00
9077	Ben Puschinsky	repairing jail and furniture	4 72
9078	Town of Black River	exp in contaginus disease cases	6 70
9079	W A Schreiter	medicine for prisoners	2 40
9080	John Drier	nursing prisoners	8 00
9081	Wm Belair	nursing prisoners	2 00
9082	J O Wilkinson	medical attendance on prisoners	10 00
9083	George Tupper	medical attendance on pauper	65 00
9084	Lena Moland	board and nursing pauper	28 00
9085	Inga Boen	board and nursing pauper	5 60
9086	Torrison Bros	coffin box and undertakers' fees for pauper	41 50
9097	A L Reichert	medicine for prisoners	7 40
9403	Town of Gervais	½ exp in con disease cases	6 00
9404	Town of Polk Center	½ ex	20
9405	City of Thief River Falls	½ exp in con disease cases	193 22
9407	F A Grady	premium for insurance on county jail	5 64
9408	Adam Jeh	premium for ins on furniture and fixturs	91 50
9430	Frank Jeffers	rec town trs bond and making list of mortgages	32 90
9439	Chas Moller	asst supt of schools	9 00
9440	John B O'Brien	asst supt of schools	9 00
9441	S A Swanson	justice fees state vs John Doe and Wm Frenzke	4 70
9442	A L Roy	hauling wood to county jail	2 00
9443	Mory Phillion	washing bed clothing and cleaning co jail	16 50
9444	James Brady	inspecting construction of Louisville bridge	27 60
9445	Joseph Lachance	carpenter work at court house	50
9446	Nick Helm	calcimining, plastering and painting co jail	34 00
9447	B Puschinsky	repairing windows and making key for county jail	3 50
9448	Thief River Falls Lbr Co	lumber for co house and repairs	4 93
9468	Albert Lizee	express	45
9653	K M Hansen	postage for co treas	30 19
9654	Joseph Perrault	postage and exp for clk court	7 95
9684	Frank St Martin	carpenter work at co house	1 50
9685	Peter Fevre	carpenter wk at court house	1 00
9686	James Brady	carpenter wk at court house	1 20
9688	James Brady	services inspecting Louisville bridge	21 00
9689	Adam Zeh	ins prem	15 90
9690	Arthur P Tuupin	insurence uremium	36 00
9691	J R Fortier	supplies for co jail	30
9693	Peter C Wold	assessing district No 5	45 00
9695	Town of Torrebonne	exp con disease cases	7 50
9651	V M Higinbotham	insurance premium on court house	27 50
9758	James E Ford	postage co Auditors office	3 15
9777	L M Hoag, sec R L Co. Agr Society	app Thief River Falls fair	200 00
9801	John Drier	keeping J Vaneus in charge	16 00
9802	Joseph Belair	keeping J Vanous in custody	5 25
9813	John B O'Brien	conducting teachers examinetions	9 00
9814	Wm Zaiser	livery for Com Demann	2 00
9816	John A Duffy	mileage inspecting the Louisville bridge	15 00
9840	James K Doe	exp of Hendrickson, school for the blind	37 42
9841	A C Rogers	exp Frank Hendrick and J W Leppert	87 72
9867	Patrick Normandeau	exp charges	45
9917	Albert Lizee	exp charges	2 48
9925	"	"	3 80
10152	Midland Chemical Co	5 gal anti-germine spray	12 50
10158	James E Ford	postage stamps and express	52 27
10159	H T McAnulty	postage stamps and express	9 35
10160	K M Hansen	postage stms and express	31 18
10161	Frank Jeffers	postage and express	32 55
10289	C C Jackson & Co	ballot boxes and locks for unorganized voting precincts	5 50
10297	C Martin	cleaning chimneys on court house	1 50
10299	Dan Guerin	livery for co road and bridge com	2 50
10300	Frank Jeffers	transcribing records and recording town treasurers bonds	8 35
10303	J C Carroll	inspecting the Louisville bridge	26 00
10304	J H Hay	asst supt schools	9 00
10307	K Runnestrand	janitor teachers training school	30 00
10292	Z Bray	services and exp state vs Holdman and Benjamin	10 00
10293	W H Krueger	board of non resident pauper	3 75
10309	The Robertson Lumber Co	lumber to repair court house	1 52
10341	N W Tarrant	postage for judge of probate	3 00
	Total		$1742 51

County Poor Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Credit Balance, Jan. 2, 1906	$350 01
Tax collections	295 37
Total	$645 38

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants issued	$201 42
Refunding orders	42
Credit Balance, Jan. 2, 1907	443 54
Total	$645 38

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8924	A Linvik	$78 00
9718	"	77 57
10301	F J Stebbins	5 35
10302	Torrison Bros	40 50
	Total	$201 42

County Road and Bridge Fund.

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance, Jan. 2, 1906	$ 500 19
Tax collections	4836 09
Debit Balance, Jan. 2, 1907	1845 56
Total	$7181 83

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants issued	$7180 00
Refunding orders	1 83
Total	$7181 83

Warrants Issued.

COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND.

WARRANTS ISSUED,—Continued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8865	Joseph Marcotte, treasurer town Louisville	$ 100 00
9339	Edward E Havik, treasurer town Equality	100 00
9378	Cyrille Lussier, treasurer Poplar River	200 00
9381	Chas P Quist, treasurer town Silverton	200 00
9469	Lonis Fnlardeau, treasurer Lambert	100 00
9472	P E Smidesang, treasurer Polk Center	75 00
9511	L O Cadieux, treasuror Terrebonne	250 00
9525	Hans Jacobson, treasurer Clover Leaf	100 00
9539	Albert Anderson, treasurer Black River	100 00
9586	Aug Soderberg, treasurer North	100 00
9591	Edward E Havik, treasurer Equality	100 00
9619	Albert Arntz treasurer town Red Lake Falls	100 00
9738	First State Bank of Red Lake Falls	2000 00
9747	Hennepin Bridge Co	1000 00
9748	" "	1000 00
9749	" "	830 00
9750	E A Anbol, treasurer town Rocksbury	150 00
9895	O L Larson, treasurer town Sanders	100 00
9906	Oscar G Skreland, treas- [illegible]	200 00
9915	Cyrille Lussier, treasurer Poplar River	200 00
9976	A E Anderson, treasurer town Bray	100 00
10121	Elias Joringdal, treasurer town Numedal	75 00
	Total	$7180 00

County Bond and Interest Fund.

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance, Jan. 2, 1906	$2317 00
Tax collections	3213 00
Total	$5530 06

DISBURSEMENTS:

Warrants issued	$2150 99
Refunding orders	2 39
Credit Balance, Jan. 2, 1907	3376 68
Total	$5530 00

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8794	Merchants State Bank of Red Loke Falls	$ 5 73
8876	John Paulson	01
8944	Theo LoBissonlere	15
9374	First State Bank of Red Lake Falls	630 00
9531	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	300 00
9560	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	100 00
9593	First State Bank of Red Lake Falls	400 00
9594	State of Minnesota	120 00
9742	First State Bank of Red Lake Falls	240 00
9743	Thomas Thibodeau	20
10357	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	300 00
	Total	$2156 99

Incidental Fund.

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance, Jan. 2, 1906	$ 5 76
Transferred from Co. Revenue Fund	440 00
Total	$445 76

DISBURSEMENTS

Worrants issued	$360 39
Credit Balance, Jan. 2, 1907	85 37
Total	$445 76

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8783	K M Hansen	$ 7 89
8813	H T McAnulty	0 00
8823	N W Tarrant	2 00
8867	Frank Jeffers	16 90
8870	Jomes E Ford	21 20
8907	"	8 02
8939	K M Hansen	7 42
8953	N W Tarrant	2 05
8972	Joseph Sally	3 65
9021	N W Tarrant	3 00
9022	Joseph Perrault	9 70
9027	H T McAnulty	8 90
9034	N W Tarrant	75
9036	A L Roy	60
9089	K M Hansen	28 28
9090	Jemes E Ford	9 35
9091	Frank Jeffers	17 50
9293	N W Tarrant	3 00
9315	James E Ford	3 15
9338	Joseph Sally	6 29
9397	Frank Jeffers	21 40
9398	James E Ford	27 20
9399	K M Hansen	32 67
9340	H T McAnulty	6 33
9485	N W Tarrant	2 50
9496	Frank Jeffers	11 25
9577	H T McAnulty	6 85
9599	Joseph Sally	7 13
9617	K M Hansen	5 00
9641	N H Tarrent	3 00
9744	K M Hansen	5 00
9784	H T McAnully	8 00
9785	Joseph Perrault	10 00
9793	Frank Jeffers	11 00
9851	K M Hansen	5 00
9874	N W Tarrant	3 00
9881	Joseph Sally	5 84
9982	N W Tarrant	2 00
10111	Joseph Salley	1 82
10369	Jomes E Ford	15 00
10371	Joseph Perrault	5 00
9513	Albert Lizeo	25
	Totol	$360 39

Redemption Fund.

RECEIPTS:

Credit bolonce, Jan 2, 1906	$ 260 56
Redemptions	5559 01
Total	$5819 57

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants issued	$5616 67
Credit balance Jan 2, 1907	202 90
Total	$5819 57

Warrants Issued.

REDEMPTION FUND.

WARRANTS ISSUED—Continued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8784	John A Duffy	$72 06
8795	W W Prichard	12 52
8798	O Vandertuuk	33 68
8799	W W Prichard	8 43
8804	Peter Kiene	29 86
8805	O Vandertuuk	15 00
8807	"	28 07
8815	F H Welcome	16 91
8820	J A Duffy	89 80
8824	F H Welcome	1 53
8877	"	204 33
8886	"	141 52
8909	G Vandertuuk	17 50
8937	James Egan	72 83
8938	Wm M Erb	39 04
8940	W W Prichard	105 83
8941	F H Welcome	31 94
8960	W W Prichard	3 00
8961	John A Duffy	14 42
8966	O Vandertuuk	14 74
8967	F H Welcome	46 74
8968	John A Duffy	80 38
8973	G Vandertuuk	20 64
9019	W W Prichard	25 13
9023	W W Prichard	32 94
9030	F H Wellcome	32 44
9333	John A Duffy	28 84
9050	Chas O Wright	231 62
9053	W W Prichard	22 80
9150	"	26 63
9193	"	9 17
9232	J A Duffy	18 19
9278	Martina Lee	18 35
9279	John A Duffy	10 15
9281	F H Wellcome	57 11
9299	"	225 03
9303	W W Prichard	47 10
9325	"	18 85
9345	"	42 76
9347	"	12 13
9359	"	8 26
9362	J A Duffy	8 26
9366	F H Wellcome	28 60
9372	W W Prichard	9 15
9375	"	12 81
9460	"	14 37
9463	Duffy & Gaass	15 74
9470	J A Duffy	29 39
9471	W W Prichard	3 39
9482	E M Perrault	10 84
9483	Wheeler-Misner Ln Co	15 84
9487	G Vandertuuk	24 35
9488	F H Welcome	27 13
9491	"	813 18
9492	A P Toupin	28 28
9495	W W Prichard	51 70
9499	John A Duffy	28 29
9503	Geo W Wishard	60 79
9504	F H Wellcome	140 48
9507	P B Gaass	42 93
9508	F H Wellcome	79 0
9512	W W Prichard	20 14
9516	John Duffy	25 57
9518	"	21 85
9521	F H Wellcome	77 94
9534	"	169 47
9538	John A Duffy	31 58
9565	C Vandertuuk	8 55
9587	John A Duffy	33 42
9600	G Vandertuuk	18 95
9618	E M Perroult	45 79
9614	W W Prichard	41 08
9625	G Vandertuuk	17 58
9630	F H Wellcome	63 40
9640	J A Duffy	33 00
9642	F H Wellcome	108 10
9648	"	139 77
9725	J A Duffy	1 39
9745	"	35 20
9771	"	29 74
9791	F H Wellcome	42 56
9796	G Vandertuuk	40 71
9873	F H Wellcome	90 17
9875	W W Prichard	9 74
9877	Perl W Mahey	9 82
9883	W W Prichard	43 63
9885	Wheeler Misner Ln Co	21 80
9886	W W Prichard	15 26
9891	F H Wellcome	50 14
9905	W W Prichard	40 81
9909	E M Perrault	7 95
9911	W W Prichard	22 86
9921	A P Toupin	13 68
9922	L G Simons	5 19
9923	F H Wellcome	78 94
9928	P B Gaass	63 24
9944	G Vandertuuk	12 09
9949	A P Toupin	33 60
9950	W W Prichard	25 70
9972	F H Wellcome	61 64
9973	W W Prichard	30 03
9974	Anna Sleff	20 13
9979	F H Wellcome	115 12
9981	G Vandertuuk	17 58
9990	F H Wellcome	154 71
9994	John A Duffy	1 20
9997	F H Wellcome	140 33
10012	Hiram Brown	11 53
10019	F H Wellcome	26 72
10084	P B Gaass	21 42
10109	F H Wellcome	91 37
10110	"	35 32
10127	C Vandertuuk	23 71
10334	"	75 85
10335	F H Wellcome	33 96
10339	John A Duffy	62 28
10340	"	18 25
10349	E M Perrault	21 31
10355	John A Duffy	29 56
10372	Miller & Foote	17 15
10373	G Vandertuuk	40 12
10374	F H Wellcome	62 11
10361	John A Duffy	2 87
10362	"	42 20
	Totol	$5616 67

General Ditch Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Credit Balance, Jan. 2, 1906	$ 8279 86
Tax collections	18103 35
Total	$28383 21

DISBURSEMENTS.

Warrants issued	$22333 76
Refunding order	3 28
Credit balance, Jan. 2, 1907	4046 17
Total	$26383 21

Warrants Issued.

EXCAVATING.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
9553	E A Moran	$82 11
9585	John G Anderson	84 55
9645	E A Moran	288 44
9646	"	186 20
9772	X Sauve	170 34
9780	John G Anderson	48 19
9781	E A Moran	240 19
9782	"	129 00
9783	"	126 44
9879	John C Anderson	210 76
9880	E A Moran	121 88
9884	"	183 82
9892	John G Anderson	288 13
9894	X Sauve	772 74
9918	Theodore Halvorson	689 45
9919	John G Anderson	163 75
9951	E A Moran	130 51
9954	"	651 72
9955	"	363 12
9956	X Sauve	918 84
9977	Theodore Holvorson	536 59
9092	John G Anderson	1651 89
9993	X Sauve	1350 24
9998	Theodore Halvorson	1444 37
10008	E A Moran	1364 05
10021	John O Anderson	821 10
10022	Theodore Halvorson	216 08
10025	Gjernes and Hawkinson	648 35
10058	E A Moran	364 32
10323	John C Anderson	40 43
	Totol	$14333 00

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS PER DIEM AND MILEAGE

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
9104	O J Johnson	$ 6 00
9105	Daniel Shaw	7 00
9106	P A Ekstrom	5 60
9109	Wm O L Demann	4 40
9449	P A Ekstrom	5 60
9450	O J Johnson	6 00
9451	Daniel Shaw	7 00
9711	P A Ekstrom	6 00
9712	Wm O L Demann	4 40
9713	O J Johnson	6 00
9714	"	6 00
9715	Daniel Shaw	7 00
9716	"	7 00
9717	Louis Falardeau	7 80
9721	Wm C L Demann	4 40
9819	P A Ekstrom	6 00
9820	Wm O L Demann	4 40
9821	O J Johnson	13 50
9822	Daniel Shaw	7 00
9823	Louis Falardeau	7 80
9828	Daniel Shaw	4 40
10314	P A Ekstrom	8 00
10315	O J Johnson	18 50
10317	Daniel Shaw	28 00
10318	"	9 80
10319	Wm O L Demann	51 00
10320	Louis Falardeau	7 80
10321	Wm C L Demann	4 40
10322	Daniel Shaw	7 00
	Total	$265 80

ENGINEERS FEES AND EXPENSES

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8925	James K Wood	$ 19 10
9391	Geo A Ralph	5 00
9392	James K Wood	138 80
9656	"	22 00
9657	"	47 00
9658	"	85 55
9765	"	28 20
9766	"	18 85
9837	"	76 75
10128	"	366 00
10129	George A Ralph	20 00
	Total	$835 25

INTEREST ON BONDS AND WARRANTS

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
9025	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	$2145 00
9327	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	450 00
9494	J A Duffy	10 24
9506	Theo Garceau, cashier	13 31
9529	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	165 00
9530	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	178 75
9866	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	360 00
9878	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	2145 00
10356	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	178 75
	Total	$5646 05

PRINTING AND PUBLISHING

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8860	Carl M Borgen	$ 2 75
9113	St Hilaire Spectator	11 80
9418	"	20 30
9419	"	2 50
9624	"	43 50
9325	"	4 75
10130	"	2 25
10155	"	37 70
	Total	$125 35

GENERAL DITCH FUND—Con.

VIEWERS FEES AND EXPENSES.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
9382	Ingwald Hushy	$42 50
9383	Otto Zaiser	30 25
9384	Gilbert Haovi	33 60
9759	Joseph Belair	16 00
9760	James Evenson	24 00
9781	P K Olson	10 00
9834	Joseph Belair	4 00
9835	P K Olson	4 00
9836	Carl Johnson	14 85
9837	Fred Zaiser	11 25
9838	Robt K Lee	15 35
10139	Fred Zaiser	11 25
10140	O W Brink	11 85
10141	Peter K Olson	8 00
10142	Carl Johnson	5 50
10143	R A Lee	7 40
	Total	$255 30

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

No. of warrant	To whom issued	For what purpose	Amount
8926	Benjamin Iverson	chain man ditch no. 24	$ 6 00
9087	James E Ford	auditor's fees ditch no. 25	25 00
9088	Thief R F Lbr Co.	stakes for ditch no. 24	70
9385	Dan Linnihan	posting notices ditch no. 25	28 60
9386	P A Ekstrom	rodman ditch no. 25	18 20
9387	M Miller	axman ditch no. 25	12 79
9388	H Peterson	chainman ditch no. 25	10 50
9389	Alfred Dahlstrom	chain man ditch no. 25	3 00
9390	J A Anderson	chainman ditch no. 25	1 50
9393	Joseph Morisette	livery for engineer ditch no 24	2 50
9394	Zaiser Bros.	livery for viewers ditch no. 25	12 00
9395	James E Ford	auditor's fees ditch no. 25	25 00
9396	W H Kruger	board for engineer and viewers ditch no. 25	17 75
9655	F L Wood	assistant engineer co. ditch no. 25	23 10
9659	Zaiser Bros.	livery for eng. on ditch no. 22, 23 and 24	12 00
9660	C E Ekstrom	rodman & board of engineer on ditch no. 25	25 25
9651	Daniel Patterson	livery for engineer co. ditch no. 25	2 50
9662	Newbury & Bulman	livery for engineer co. ditch no. 26	10 50
9653	F L Wood	rodman co. ditch no. 22, 23 and 24	7 05
9664	F L Wood	rodman co. ditch no. 25	4 00
9665	Wm M Erb	rodman co. ditch no. 22, 23 and 24	4 00
9666	Lyndon Wood	rodman co. ditch no. 22, 23 & 24	8 00
9667	C E Ekstrom	rodman co ditch no. 25	8 00
9668	D. Linnihan	posting notices and serving notices on viewers co. ditch no. 20	19 00
9669	James E Ford	co. aud. fees co. ditch no. 22, 23 and 24	137 64
9670	Otto Zaiser	viewer co. ditch no. 25	3 00
9701	Arthur Lizee	posting notices of bearing on ditch no. 27	8 00
9762	Zaiser Bros.	livery for engineer on county ditches no. 22, 23 end 25	22 00
9763	Zaiser Bros.	livery for viewers ou co. ditch no. 26	10 50
9764	F L Wood	assistant engineer co. ditch no. 23 and 24	22 00
9826	E E Fletcher	services as stenographer, co. ditch no. 26	1 00
9829	Andrew Ydstie	board & livery for eng. co. ditch no. 22 and 24	7 00
9830	Charley Moren	service as chainman co. ditch no. 27	14 00
9831	Zaiser Bros.	livery hire for viewer co. ditch no. 27	10 50
9332	Zaiser Bros.	livery hire for engineer co. ditch no. 22, 23, 25 and 27	30 00
9833	F L Wood	services as rodman co. ditch no. 27	13 05
9983	John Larson	refundment on Garnes no. 1	6 74
10131	James E Ford	co. aud's. fees in county ditch proceeding	112 00
10132	Harry B Healy	typewriter spec. on county ditches no. 27 and 28	2 00
10133	W H Kruger	board for engineer	13 50
10134	Zaiser Bros.	livery for engineer	31 00
10135	Zaiser Bros.	livery for engineer	33 50
10136	Daniel Patterson	livery for engineer	15 00
10137	Sundohl Bros.	livery for engineer	2 50
10138	Newbery & Bulman	livery for engineer	10 50
10144	Wm Linnihan	rodman on county ditch no. 28	4 00
10291	Vil. of St. Hileire	lumber for repairing bridge across Sonders B River ditch no. 1	27 47
10308	Thief R Falls Lbr Co.	loth and stokes for co. ditches	3 60
10310	Dan Linnihan	serving and posting notices on county ditches	39 00
	Total		$872 35

Special Bond and Interest Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Credit balance, Jan 2, 1906	$ 175 26
Tax collections	724 22
Total	$ 899 48

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants issued	$ 534 93
Refunding orders	13
Credit balance Jan 2, 1907	364 42
Total	$ 899 48

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
9133	Treas Polk county, Minn.	$ 149 93
9741	W L Vannet, Treas Polk Co.	385 00
	Total	$ 534 93

Court House and Jail Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Credit balance Jan. 2. 1906	$112 99
Tax collections	990 74
Total	$1103 73

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$137 00
Refunding orders	66
Credit balance Jan. 2, 1907	946 07
Total	$1103 73

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8921	Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls	$46 00
8965	M O Sortedahl	116 00
	Total	$157 00

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BRAY.

Chas. Lanquist transacted business at St. Hilaire Friday.

Sam Peterson of Polk Center was in Bray last Sunday.

F. S. Akerlund was at Thief River Falls Saturday.

Chas. Englund made a trip to Wylie Tuesday.

The town board met at the town clerk's office to fix up the town business before election.

C. P. Swanson drove out to town of River Falls, Saturday, where he met with the directors of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Co., to adjust the loss of C. A. Hull of that place, whose residence with contents was burned to the ground last week.

Albert Johnson drove to St. Hilaire Monday.

Among the Brayites who were in St. Hilaire last Saturday were Ernest Akerlund, Elmer Burke, C. P. Swanson, Mike Ault and Joe Davidson.

DOROTHY.

Mrs. J. F. Mathews was in the city visiting with Jns. Hance, Sunday.

Fred Mathews, the 17-year-old son of J. F. Mathews, had the misfortune to bust one of the barrels of J. F's. valuable gun last week, while on a rabbit hunt with a friend.

Chas. Pagain of Argyle, is visiting with Peter Boutain at Dorothy for a couple of weeks.

Fred Mathews and Peter Boutain left Wednesday morning for a trip to Argyle by team to get Mr. Boutain's farm machinery with which to work J. F. Mathew's farm the coming summer.

All kinds of feed for sale at the Dorothy elevator, such as corn, mixed feed, oats and barley. Mascot Flour also—the best bread making flour in the northwest. J. F. Mathews, local agent.

Mrs. Paul Mathews is again on the sick list. Doctor says lung fever is the trouble.

Township election for the town of Louisville was held at the Granger hall Tuesday, March 12th.

Legend and Reality.

Legend tells how Napoleon, while Moscow was in flames, found time to draw up a decree organizing the Theatre Francais. Alas, the story is not true. Napoleon was in Poland when he received the decree ready to be signed. He there signed it and sent it back to Paris, but in the margin wrote the following: "To be forwarded when the army will be at Moscow. It is his majesty's intention that the decree should be dated from that town."

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Men's Supper Committies.

The following committies have been appointed to arrange for and serve the supper to be given by the men at the Presbyterian Church Parlors, the first part of April, 1907, date to be announced later:

Soliciting Committee—S. M. Siverlson, H. H. Zaiser, J. L. Farley, C. N. Bourdon, E. W. Chamberlain, E. L. Healy, P. B. Gaass, Dr. Wilkinson, H. Hennemuth.

Advertising Committee—Thomas Gormo, Harry Healy, L. C. Simons, Dr. N. M. Watson, Sam Hunt.

Kitchen Committee—E. W. Chamberlain, Arthur Zaiser, A. Cairns.

Serving Committee—E. L. Healy, Dr. Argue, M. O. Sortedahl.

Table Committee and Head Waiters—J. B. Armstrong, Thomas Germo, Geo. Hennings, P. O. Floan.

Assistant Waiters—H. W. Anderson, E. Bose, W. E. Erickson, Olaf Floan, Herbert Findelsen, Verne Healy, Charlie Bourdon.

Cashier—L. C. Simons.

Dish Washing Committee—C. N. Bordon, chairman. Volunteers for assistants.

Reception Committee—F. A. Hunt, Dr. N. M. Watson, Rev. H. W. Knox.

Music Committee—Lee Healy, J. L. Tracy, Prof. Bruckman.

Decoration Committe—Lee Healy, C. W. Johnson, E. Bose.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the City Hall, March 7th, 1907, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by president Borchers.

Roll called.

Aldermen all present.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

Julius Kiehl, for street work..	$10 50
John Deforge, same	13 20
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It was moved and carried that the painters living in town and vicinity be notified to file their bids with the city clerk on or before March 21st. 1907, at 6 o'clock p. m., for painting the city hall and all wood work therein. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

President Borchers was appointed a committee to purchase rubber coats and caps for the firemen.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 13th day of March A. D. 1907.
J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest:
A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

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RURAL WATER SUPPLY.

Its Sanitary Condition Not What It Ought to Be.

When such great sums of money are being expended by city governments that the inhabitants of towns may have a sanitary water supply it seems strange that the supply in rural towns should receive little or no attention. The latter population may seem relatively insignificant, but it comprises about 40,000,000 souls. This means that those 40,000,000 people are drinking the water most available without a thought of its sanitary condition.

These various sources of supply, whether wells, springs or small streams, are similarly unreliable for furnishing drinking water. The statistics of mortality in the country are very indefinite, but even these show that the rural population is not as free from illness as it should be. And though everywhere the rural death rate is lower than the urban death rate, yet the lowering in the country has not been as great as in the city. An examination of typhoid statistics shows that the death rate of other diseases is generally lower in the country than in the city, but the prevalence of typhoid is almost equal to if not greater in the rural districts than in the cities.

Several instances have been reported which show the rural typhoid rate to be ten times greater than the urban rate for the same district. To particularize, a certain district in central Pennsylvania proves this fact. It is made up of a rural population with 100 inhabitants to the square mile. It is a region of fine farms, wild mountains and woods, country residences and picnic groves. And in this valley there has been as much typhoid fever as in the city of Philadelphia.

Sad as this condition is, there seems to be no remedy for it. The sources of a city water supply are few and the city government easily controls the conditions affecting it. But what can be done when the sources of supply are numbered by the thousands? A mint of money and an army of chemists would not be sufficient to give the same care to the country supply that is given to that of the city.—New York Herald.

"In 1897 I had a stomach disease. Some physicians said Dyspepsia, some Consumption. One said I would not live until spring. For four years I existed on boiled milk, soda biscuits, and doctors' prescriptions. I could not digest anything I ate; then I picked up one of your Almanacs and it happened to be my life saver. I bought a fifty-cent bottle of KODOL and the benefit I received from that bottle all the gold in Georgia could not buy. In two months I went back to my work, as a machinist, and in three months I was well and hearty. May you live long and prosper,"—C. N. Cornell, Roding, Ga., 1905. The above is only a sample of the great good that is daily done everywhere by Kodol For Dyspepsia. It is sold here by all dealers.

Observation.

An observant man in all his intercourse with society and the world constantly and unperceived marks on every person and thing the figure expressive of its value and, therefore, on meeting that person or thing, knows instantly what kind and degree of attention to give it. This is to make something of experience.—John Foster.

Tamed Poetry.

"I wish to submit a lyric, sir," said the timid young man. "My friends say it's a beauty—really sings itself."

"Humph!" said the cold hearted editor. "We couldn't use a poem like that. We want one that, once printed, will remain perfectly quiet and not keep our readers awake by singing itself at all times."

The true strength of every human soul is to be dependent on as many nobler as it can discern and to be depended upon by as many inferior as it can reach.

The world which took but six days to make is like to take 6,000 to make out.—Browne.

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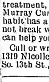

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Four hundred fifty-six and 78-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Edward Hebert and Victoline Hebert, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Brooks, mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of September, 1905, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of September, 1905, at 2 o'clock p. m., in book 34 of mortgages, on page 359, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The west half of the north east quarter of section fourteen (14), in township one hundred fifty (150) of range forty-two (42) and lots numbered five (5) and (6) in block numbered five (5) in the townsite of Brooks, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 30th day of March, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Four hundred fifty-six and 78-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, Red Lake Falls, Minn., Feb. 13, A. D. 1907.

First State Bank of Brooks,
Mortgagee.

L. C. Simons, Attorney. f14-m21

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

State of Minnesota,
County of Red Lake } ss
City of Red Lake Falls

Notice is hereby given, that application has been made in writing to the city council of said city of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on March 25th, 1907, and terminating on March 24, 1908, by the following person, and at the following place as stated in said application, respectively, to-wit:

WM. H. KRUEGER,

In that certain frame building situate on lot 14 of block 7 in Champagne and Dows' Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Said application will be heard and determined by said city council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the city hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Thursday the 21st day of March, A. D. 1907, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Witness my hand and seal of the city of Red Lake Falls this 11th day of March, A. D. 1907.

[Seal] A. P. Toupin,
m14 City Clerk.

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Berget Vettleson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota,
County of Red Lake. } ss

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Berget Vettleson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Halvor Vettleson, Hulda Maria Vettleson, William Vettleson, Mabel Theolinna Vettleson, Louie Vettleson, Thea Helena Vettleson, Laura Elvira Vettleson, Helena Bertina Vettleson and Joseph Vettleson and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said decedent: The petition of Thomas Germo as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be to him granted to sell the same:

Now Therefore, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 10th day of April 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 11th day of March, 1907.

N. W. Tarrant,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for Petitioner. m14-m28

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Mar. 7, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Richmond Dsotel of Terrabonne, Minn., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz:

Homestead entry No. 22931, made March 21, 1902, for the SE¼NE¼ Section 21, Township 150 N., Range 43 W., and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on April 17, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Hermidas Sauva, Arthur Archembault, Joseph St. Martin and Louis Teroup, all of Tarrebonne, Minn.

R. J. MONTAGUE, Register.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON JUDICIAL DITCH NO. 5.

State of Minnesota,
County of Polk. } ss

District Court,
Fourteenth Judicial District.

Notice of hearing in the matter of Judicial Ditch Number Five (5), Polk and Red Lake Counties.

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be had at the Village Hall in the Village of Erskine, Polk county, Minnesota, on Saturday the 23rd day of March, 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day upon the remonstrance made in this matter against the draining or lowering of Badger Lake, it being claimed that some of the persons who signed the remonstrance were not legally qualified to sign such remonstrance, and some of those who signed it having asked that their names be withdrawn from such remonstrance, and the court having ordered that a hearing on said matter be had at said time and place.

Dated March 9th, 1907.

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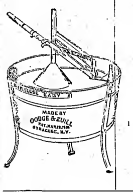

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CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Phil Zeh was down from Thief River Falls over Monday night.

August Morin spent Sunday at the home of his son, Fred, in Crookston.

A. R. Fuller, of Crookston, transacted business in the city Friday last.

The Busy Store has a shoe talk that will interest you in their ad in today's paper.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting at the Woodman hall Friday evening.

M. O. Sortedahl spent Saturday at St. Hilaire, looking after some important business affairs.

Mrs. C. C. Jackson, of Thief River Falls, was an over-Sunday guest at the home of her friend, Mrs. E. F. Marshall.

Miss Kate Martin came over from Crookston Monday to spend the week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere.

Nels Benoit went over to Grand Forks Monday evening to spend a few days looking after business affairs and visiting with friends.

Mrs. M. Hamry and daughter, Miss Effie, were guests of Thief River Falls friends a couple of days this week, arriving home last evening.

Miss Mamie Regan, who has been teaching for a couple of weeks at Argyle, as a substitute for Miss McGuire, of Crookston, returned home Friday.

K. M. Hansen returned Saturday evening from a couple of days' business visit at Thief River Falls. Mr. Hansen expects to move his family to Thief River within a short time.

Merchant Theo. LaBissoniere left Monday evening for a several days' business and pleasure trip. He will visit Crookston, Mentor, Grand Forks and other Valley points while away.

The members of the M. B. A. lodge held a progressive cinch party at their hall Monday evening, and had a very enjoyable time. The head prizes were won by Samuel Gibeau and Miss Katherine Grey, while Noel Delorme and Miss Alyce Boyd carried off the lesser honors. A good sized crowd was in attendance, and all enjoyed themselves immensely.

Carl E. Peterson left Monday evening for Towner, North Dakota, where he will take the foremanship of the News and Stockman, a leading publication of that part of the state. Pete is figuring on establishing a paper at Pekin, a new North Dakota town, during the coming spring, and his friends here look to see him hold down the editorial chair with becoming grace and dignity.

Deputy Dairy Inspector Joel G. Winkjer spent Monday in the city attending to some business connected with his official capacity. Mr. Winkjer, in conversation with a Gazette representative, stated that the outlook is excellent for great activity in dairy matters throughout the Valley this spring, and he expects to see a new record established in the way of dairy and creamery results. Mr. Winkjer is also secretary of the Valley Dairymen's association, and is busy getting the farmers interested in prize cow contest inaugurated by that organization.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

Joseph Belair was a Plummer visitor Monday.

Wm. Phillion and family moved into the Dennis Cyr house the first of the week.

The Woodmen enjoyed a smoke social and whist party after their lodge work last Wednesday evening.

Ed. Brouillet came up from Dugdale and spent a few hours attending to business matters here last Friday.

Mrs. Chas. N. Bourdon spent a couple of days with Crookston relatives last week, returning home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Bisson, living across the Clearwater, welcomed the arrival of a pair of twins last Thursday morning.

Hank Draper returned to Thief River Falls Monday, after having finished loading the old Meehan saw mill boilers for shipment to a St. Paul junk shop.

The members of the J. Carder Benoit family who have been suffering from attacks of typhoid fever are reported on the road to recovery and out of danger.

The evangelistic meetings arranged to be held at the Presbyterian church will begin on the evening of March 26 and continue for two weeks. A more extended notice will be given next week.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher came over from Grand Forks and spent Sunday with his parents and friends here. The Doctor reports himself as having enjoyed an excellent business at the Forks during the winter.

Barber Ed A. Nelson drove down to Crookston Sunday afternoon to meet his wife and babe, who arrived there that evening from Brandon. They returned here Monday and have gone to housekeeping in Mrs. Doe's house.

Charles Dougherty spent a few days at Crookston last week where his injured ankle was given attention by a surgeon. The injury does not progress as rapidly as Charley would like to have it, and he is obliged to use crutches constantly.

Pierre Colombe, jr. will hold an auction sale at his farm on the southwest quarter of section 14, Louisville, on Monday, March 25, sale to commence at 11 o'clock a. m. A big list of live stock and farm machinery is offered for sale and the posters can be referred to for particulars. A free lunch will be served at noon. Joseph Belair will officiate as auctioneer.

You should be very careful of your bowels when you have a cold. Nearly all other cough syrups are constipating, especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup moves the bowels—contains NO opiates. Conforms to National Pure Food and Drugs Law. Bears the endorsement of mothers everywhere. Children like its pleasant taste. Sold by all druggists.

Mrs. Phillias Roy was taken to St. Vincent's hospital at Crookston last Friday evening, and Saturday an operation was performed upon her person for relief from the complications that have caused her dangerous illness for the past ten days. The operation was a very delicate and dangerous one, but Mrs. Roy rallied quite well from its effects and is reported as gaining nicely at present. Mr. Roy has been with her at Crookston all week, and will bring her home as soon as she is able to be moved.

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H. Stivers and son, of Dugdale, were visitors here last Friday.

Don't forget about the men's supper at the Presbyterian church.

Z. Bregier and family have returned from Argyle, and will again make their home here.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Hon. Marcus Johnson came up from St. Paul yesterday to spend a couple of days looking after his business interests here.

John J. Padden went down to St. Paul Saturday evening and remained until Tuesday, a guest of his parents and many friends.

Frank Shaurette returned to his home at Merrill, Wisconsin, Monday evening, after a three weeks' visit with his uncle, Joseph Fournier, in Terrebonne township.

Attorney Chas. E. Boughton arrived home Saturday evening on the belated Northern Pacific train, after having spent several days attending to legal business at the Twin cities and Duluth.

The Misses Nora Smith, Inga Iverson and Clara Olson, teachers in the St. Hilaire public schools, were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John B. O'Brien, of this city, last Friday evening, returning to St. Hilaire Saturday.

H. Robbins, of Barnesville, an oldtime friend and companion of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bourdon, of this city, has been spending a week at the Bourdon home here. Mr. Robbins had not seen Mr. and Mrs. Bourdon for several years, and his visit is being enjoyed immensely.

Word has reached here of the arrival of a fine new son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. O'Brien, of Devils Lake, North Dakota, born to them last week. The many Red Lake Falls friends of the happy parents will join with The Gazette in extending congratulations.

Mrs. M. James left Tuesday evening for her home at St. Paul, after a visit of a week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Koch, jr. Her little grandson, Master Alton Koch, accompanied her home to St. Paul, where he will remain a few weeks' with Mrs. James' family.

Superintendent E. W. Chamberlain of the city schools, will go down to Crookston this evening to attend the initial meeting of the "Schoolmasters Club," a society recently formed among the superintendents of the various public schools of the valley. Professor Chamberlain is president of the Club, has arranged a fine program of matters of interest to the school workers. The meeting will be held in the high school building at Crookston tomorrow and Saturday, and a fine time is looked forward to by the valley educators.

This part of Red Lake county has gained two new settlers this week, who arrived with their families, stock and machinery this week to make this section of the Red Rivey Valley their future homes. They are Dan Boyd and August Nelson, and they come from Batavia, Illinois. Mr. Boyd has purchased the old Morinville farm in Terrebonne and Mr. Nelson will occupy the Lacoursiere farm in Lake Pleasant. Both gentlemen come recommended as excellent farmers, and the Gazette takes pleasure in welcoming them to the best county of the greatest state of them all.

The plant of the Red Lake Falls Milling company has not been running nights for the past week or so on account of the low stage of water in the Red Lake river. All the power that is developed at night has been needed to keep the electric light plant running, and as a result the mill has had to keep still. However, old Sol has got back into working territory in good shape again, and it is hoped that his warm rays will make a decided change in the appearance of this part of the country within a very short time now. It is a sure thing that there will be no cry of low water after the spring break-up starts in earnest.

W. C. Andrew, travelling salesman for the Wright, Barrett & Stillwell Paper company, of St. Paul, was killed in a wreck of the Great Northern flyer near Ojata, North Dakota, last Friday evening. H. B. Lanager, a Crookston travelling man, was also killed, and several other passengers were badly hurt. "Dad" Andrew, as he was called by those who knew him, was one of the oldest salesmen on the road and was very well known to many of our business people. He has visited this city nearly every month for a number of years past, and was a universal favorite with the trade. He was past sixty-five years of age and was making his last road trip when he met his terrible death, as he had arranged to quit travelling and go to work in the house at St. Paul, and was on his way to that city when the wreck occurred. Mr. Andrew's home was at Minneapolis, where he has several grown children, and the remains were shipped there for interment.

Macaroni seed wheat for sale.—L. C. Simons.

Miss Mary Lamb visited with friends at St. Hilaire Saturday.

Rev. H. W. Knox visited with friends at Thief River Falls Monday and Tuesday.

S. M. Sivertson was a business caller at Thief River Falls between trains Tuesday.

Claus Rasmussen, a prominent Thief River business man, spent last night at the home of Sheriff Nelson in this city.

Sheriff Nelson has been out in the country most of the week summoning the members of the grand jury for the March term of court.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere entertained a party of friends at dinner at their home Sunday evening. A pleasant time is reported.

Dr. Spofford will miss his visits for March and April, to Red Lake Falls. Next visit May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

No school was held in the Lafayette building Monday morning, on account of the heating plant being temporarily out of commission. It was put in working order in time for the afternoon session, however,

Dr. H. W. Smith, the Crookston specialist, was a caller here yesterday in consultation with Dr. Wilkinson regarding the illness of M. Lagassy. The old gentleman has not been getting along as well as was hoped for, and is very low again.

Fred Delorme arrived arrived home last Friday from Washington state, where he has been since last November visiting with relatives and friends. He spent the winter looking over the principal points of interest throughout the west, and enjoyed a very pleasant outing.

Sunday is St. Patrick's Day "in the mornin'" and green ribbons and other emblems suggestive of the day will be in evidence. Mother Earth is not expected to don her mantel of green in time to celebrate the occasion with the sons of Erin's Isle, but we all wish she would, nevertheless.

Antoine Laurent, of Terrebonne, and Miss Anna Sedig, of this city, were married at Thief River Falls last Thursday by Rev. Flesher. The couple will make their home in Terrebonne and will have the best wishes of a large number of friends for a life of happiness and contentment.

Mrs. Rufus Poirier and family arrived here Tuesday from Rolla, North Dakota, and will again make Red Lake Falls their home. Rufus has charge of a lumber yard at Rolla, and the family has lived there during the winter. However, the cost of living is very high out there now, and Mrs. Poirier and the children will remain here for a while.

J. R. Smith, travelling auditor for the Great Northern, spent Tuesday in the city checking up Agent Tracy's accounts. He found everything in apple pie order, and made the comment to a Gazette representative that there are few stations on the Great Northern system that are looked after as well and kept up as good as is Agent Tracy's.

Adelard Delorme returned home last week from a visit of five weeks at points in eastern Canada. On the 9th of February Mr. Delorme was married to a Miss Fehina Delorme, a prominent young lady from near Montreal. The young couple are at present staying at the Delorme home south of town and will set up housekeeping later in the spring.

Emil Hennings came down from Warroad Tuesday evening and will spend several days with his brothers and many friends here. Emil is in the jewelry and watchmaking business at Warroad and is enjoying a fine trade. Attorney James Taylor accompanied him on the trip down but went on through to Crookston where he had some legal matters to look after. He returned here this morning and will spend a couple of days with Red Lake Falls friends.

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P. and J. Meehan, well known here, have been sued in the United States court, district of Milwaukee, for about $18.000 for the illegal cutting of some 3,000,000 feet of timber on government land. The Thief River Falls Lumber company is also involved as it is claimed that the logs were sawed at their mill. The case will come up for trial this spring.

Editor and Mrs. Harry E. Ives, of St. Hilaire, rejoice in the arrival of a handsome new girl baby at their home, born last Wednesday night. The mother and child are doing very nicely, and while the Gazette hasn't seen friend Harry, they do say that he is wearing his overcoat for a vest these days. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ives will join with The Gazette in wishing for the young Miss Ives a life of usefulness and contentment.

Plummer Pioneer: The Minneapolis Journal this morning contains the announcement that Mrs. Short has been appointed as postmistress at Lillo to succeed Miss Ida M. Lillo, who resigned. We understand that Mrs. Short has purchased Miss Lillo's general store and will enlarge it considerably. We extend congratulations to Mrs. Short and wish her every success in her new undertaking.

Plummer Pioneer: The people of the northwest corner of Mayfield township had a special school meeting last Saturday to vote on the question of where they would build their new schoolhouse. The site selected was on the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 7. The school board expects to have the necessary building in shape to open up a term of school by the first of June.

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A Delightful Party.

About thirty ladies assembled at the home of Mrs. E. F. Marshall last Saturday afternoon, as bidden guests to what proved to be a delightfully pleasant gathering.

The home was elegantly decorated throughout, the white and green color effects being used with excellent taste. Several features were included in the entertainment of the afternoon. Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain read a selection from Whittier's "Snowbound," and Mrs. Germo rendered several piano numbers. A contest labelled an "Ice Cream Festival" furnished much amusement. A list of queries was submitted on neat program cards, which had to be answered with words ending in "ice" or something like it, and the contest proved highly interesting and amusing. Elaborate refreshments were served. The Misses Elene Hanson and Etta Gareeau assisted the hostess.

Bridge Rebuilt.

The Great Northern railway company has had a crew of men here the past couple of weeks, rebuilding their large trestle work near the Red Lake Falls Milling company's plant. The underwork on the bridge has been entirely rebuilt and the structure has otherwise been strengthened and repaired to make it as good as a new one. This bridge came near going out in an ice jam a couple of years ago, and the railroad company figured that it would not be safe to take chances this year. It is stated that they intend tearing out the trestle work over the Clearwater north of the depot this spring and putting in its place a modern steel bridge.

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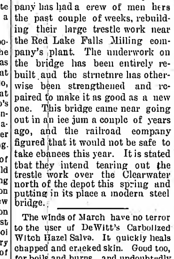

We have just received several of the latest constructed Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges, in which are contained all the features which has made the steel range famous and the latest improvements that are known to the range manufacturers' art, which makes this range the "Monarch" of them all. These ranges are now on exhibition at our store, and we would be pleased to have every housewife in this vicinity call and look them over. The price of the Monarch Malleable Steel Range" is cheaper accordingly than other so called "steel ranges."

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XVI—Continued.

On the women, too, the quick attack had been almost instantly successful. The first great volume of mad shrieks had quickly died low as if the victims were being smothered; and now could be heard only the single scream of some woman caught in flight,—short, despairing screams, and others that seemed to be cut short—strangled at their height.

Joel Rae found himself on the line after the first volley, drawn by some dread power he could not resist. Yet one look had been enough. He shut his eyes to the writhing forms, the jets of flame spitting through the fog of smoke, and turned to flee.

Then in an instant—how it had come about he never knew—he was struggling with a man who shouted his name and cursed him,—a dark man with blood streaming from a wound in his throat. He defended himself easily, feeling his assailant's strength already waning. Time after time the man called him by name and cursed him, now in low tones, as they swayed. Then the Saint whose allotted victim this man had been, having reloaded his pistol, ran up, held it close to his head, fired, and ran back to the line.

He felt the man's grasp of his shoulders relax, and his body grow suddenly limp, as if boneless. He let it down to the ground, looking at last full upon the face. At first glance it told him nothing. Then a faint sense of its familiarity pushed up through many old memories. Sometime, somewhere, he had known the face.

The dying man opened his eyes wide, not seeing, but convulsively, and then he felt himself enlightened by something in their dark color,—something in the line of the brow under the black hair;—a face was brought back to him, the handsome face of the jaunty militia captain at Nauvoo, the man who had helped expel his people, who had patronized them with his airs of protector,—the man who had—

It did not come to him until that instant—this man was Girnway. In the flash of awful comprehension he dropped, a sickened and nerveless heap, beside the dead man, turning his head on the ground, and feeling for any sign of life at his heart.

Forward there, where the yells of the Indians had all but replaced the screams of frantic women—butchered already perhaps, subjected to he knew not what infamy at the hands of savage or Saint—was the yellow-haired, pink-faced girl he had loved and kept so long imaged in his heart; yet she might have escaped, she might still live—she might even not have been in the party.

He sprang up and found himself facing a white-haired boy, who held a little crying girl by a tight grasp of her arm, and who eyed him aggressively.

"What did you hurt Prudence's father for? He was a good man. Did you shoot him?"

He seized the boy roughly by the shoulder.

"Prudence — Prudence — where is she?"

"Here."

He looked down at the little girl, who still cried. Even in that glance he saw her mother's prettiness, her pink and white daintiness, and the yellow shine of her hair.

"Her mother, then,—quick!"

The boy pointed ahead.

"Up there—she told me to take care of Prudence, and when the Indians come out she made me run back here to look for him." He pointed to the still figure on the ground before them. And then, making a brave effort to keep back the tears:

"If I had a gun I'd shoot some Indians!—I'd shoot you, too—you killed him. When I grow up to be a man, I'll have a gun and come here—"

He had the child in his arms, and called to the boy:

"Come, fast now! Go as near as you can to where you left her."

They ran forward through the gray smoke, stepping over and around bodies as they went. When they reached the first of the women he would have stopped to search, but the boy lead him on, pointing. And then, half-way up the line, a little to the right of the road, at the edge of the cedars, his eye caught the glimpse of a great mass of yellow hair on the ground. She seemed to have been only wounded, for, as he looked, she was up on her knees striving to stand.

He ran faster, leaving the boy behind now, but while he was still far off, he saw an Indian, knife in hand, run to her and strike her down. Then before he had divined the intent, the savage had gathered the long hair into his left hand, made a swift circling of the knife with his right,—and the thing was done before his eyes. He screamed in terror as he ran, and now he was near enough to be heard. The Indian at his cry arose and for one long second shook, almost in his face as he came running up, the long, shining, yellow hair with the gory patch at the end. Before his staring eyes, the hair was twisting, writhing, and undulating,—like a golden flame licking the bronzed arm that held it. And then, as he reached the spot, the Indian, with a long yell of delight and a final flourish of his trophy, ran off to other prizes.

He stood a moment, breathless and faint, looking with fearful eyes down at the little, limp, still figure at his feet. One slender, bare arm was flung out as if she had grasped at the whole big earth in her last agony.

The spell of fear was broken by the boy, who came trotting up. He had given way to his tears now, and was crying loudly from fright. Joel made him take the little girl and sit under a cedar out of sight of the spot.

He was never able to recall the events of that day, or of the months following, in anything like their proper sequence. The effort to do so brought a pain shooting through his head. Up to the moment when the yellow hair had waved in his face, everything had kept a ghastly distinctness. He remembered each instant and each emotion. After that all was dark confusion, with only here and there a detached, inconsequent memory of appalling vividness.

He could remember that he had buried her on the other side of the hill where a gnarled cedar grew at the foot of a ledge of sandstone, using a spade that an Indian had brought him from a deserted camp. By her side he had found the scattered contents of the little bundle she had carried,—a small Bible, a locket, a worn gold bracelet, and a picture of herself as he had known her, a half-faded daguerreotype set in a gilt oval, in a square rubber case that shut with a snap. The little limp-backed Bible had lain flung open on the ground in the midst of the other trinkets. He remembered picking these things up and retying them in the blue silk handkerchief, and then he had twice driven away an Indian who, finding no other life, came up to kill the two children huddled at the foot of the cedar.

Some of the men had camped on the spot. Others had gone to Hamblin's ranch, near the Meadows, where the children were taken. He had sent the boy there with them, and he could recall distinctly the struggle he had with the little fellow; for the boy had wished not to be taken from the girl, and had fought valiantly with fists and feet and his sharp little teeth. The little girl with her mother's bundle he had taken to another ranch farther south in the Pine mountains. He told the woman the child was his own, and that she was to be kept until he came again.

He Defended Himself Easily, Feeling His Assailant's Strength Already Waning.

CHAPTER XVII.

The Host of Israel Goes Forth to Battle.

He went north in answer to the call for soldiers. He went gladly. It promised activity—and company.

The day he reached Salt Lake City, Joel Rae was made major of militia. The following day, he attended the meeting at the tabernacle. He needed, for reasons he did not fully explain to himself, to receive fresh assurance of Brigham's infallibility, of his touch with the Holy Ghost, of his goodness as well as his might; to be caught once more by the compelling magnetism of his presence, the flash of his eye, and the inciting tones of his voice. All this he found.

Joel Rae was again under the sway of his old warlike feelings. Brigham had revived his fainting faith. He went out into the noise and hurry of war preparations in a sort of intoxication. Underneath he never ceased to be conscious of the dreadful specter that would not be gone—that stood impassive and immovable as one of the mountains about him, waiting for him to come to it and face it and live his day of reckoning,—the day of his own judgment upon himself. But he drank thirstily of the martial draught and lived the time in a fever of tumultuous drunkenness to the awful truth.

Forces were sent into Echo canyon, the narrow defile between the mountains through which an army would have to pass. On the east side men were put to building stone ramparts as a protection for riflemen. On the west, where the side was sloping, they dug pits for the same purpose. They also built dams to throw large bodies of water along the west side of the canyon so that an army would be forced to the east side; and here at the top of the cliff, great quantities of boulders were placed so that a slight leverage would suffice to hail them down upon the army as it marched below.

When word came that the invaders had crossed the Utah line, Brigham sent forward a copy of his proclamation and a friendly note of warning to the officer in command. In this he directed that officer to retire from the Territory by the same route he had entered it; adding, however, "should you deem this impracticable and prefer to remain until spring in the vicinity of your present position at Black's fork or Green river, you can do so in peace and unmolested on condition that you deposit your arms and ammunition with Lewis Robinson, quartermaster general of the Territory, and leave as soon in the spring as the roads will permit you to march. And should you fall short of provisions they will be furnished you upon making the proper application." The officer who received this note had replied somewhat curtly that the forces he commanded were in Utah by order of the President of the United States and that their future movements would depend wholly upon orders issued by competent military authority. Thus the issue was forced.

In addition to the defense of Echo canyon, certain agressive moves were made. To Joel Rae was allotted command of one of these. His orders promised all he could wish of action. He read them and felt something like his old truculent enthusiasm.

> "You will proceed with all possible dispatch, without injuring your animals, to the Oregon road near the bend of Bear river, north by east of this place. When you approach the road, send scouts ahead to ascertain if the invading troops have passed that way. Should they have passed, take a concealed route and get ahead of them. On ascertaining the locality of the troops, proceed at once to annoy them in every possible way. Use every exertion to stampede their animals and set fire to their trains. Burn the whole country before them and on their flanks. Keep them from sleeping, by night surprises; blockade the road by felling trees, or destroying river fords where you can. Watch for opportunities to set fire to the grass on their windward, so as to envelop their trains if possible. Leave no grass before them that can be burned. Keep your men concealed as much as possible, and guard against surprise. God bless you and give you success.
>
> "YOUR BROTHER IN CHRIST."

Forty-four men were placed under his command to perform this work, and all of them were soon impressed, even to alarm, by the very evident reliance of their leader upon the God of Israel rather than upon any merely human wisdom of his own.

The first capture was not difficult. After an all-night ride they came up with a supply-train of 25 wagons drawn by oxen. The captain of this train was ordered to "go the other way" until he reached the states. He started; but as he retraced his steps as often as they moved away, they at length burned his train and left him.

And so the campaign went forward. As the winter came on colder, the scouts brought in moving tales of the enemy's discomfiture. Colonel Alexander of the Federal forces, deciding that the canyons could be defended by the Saints, planned to approach Salt Lake City over a roundabout route to the north. He started in heavy snow, cutting a road through the greasewood and sage brush. Often his men made but three miles a day, and his supply-train was so long that sometimes half of it would be camped for the night before the rear wagons had moved. As there was no cavalry in the force the hosts of Israel harassed them sorely on this march, on one day consecrating 800 head of their oxen and driving them to Salt Lake.

Albert Sidney Johnston, commanding the expedition, had also suffered greatly with his forces. The early snows deprived his stock of forage, and the unusual cold froze many oxen and mules.

Lieut. Col. Cooke of the Second Dragoons, with whom traveled the newly appointed governor, was another to suffer. At Fort Laramie so many of his animals had dropped out that numbers of his men were dismounted, and the ambulances used to carry grain. Night after night they huddled at the base of cliffs in the fearful eddies of the snow, and heard above the blast the piteous cries of their famished and freezing stock. Day after day they pushed against the keen blades of the wind, toiling through frozen clouds and stinging ice blasts. The last 35 miles to Fort Bridger had required 15 days, and at one camp on Black's fork, which they called the "camp of Death," 500 animals perished in a night.

Nor did the hardships of the troops end when they had all reached what was to be their winter quarters. Still a hundred and fifteen miles from the City of the Saints, they were poorly housed against the bitter cold, poorly fed, and insufficiently clothed, for the burning of the trains by the Lord's hosts had reduced all supplies.

Reports of this distress were duly carried to Brigham and published to the Saints. Their soldiers had made good their resolve to prevent the Federal army from passing the Wasatch mountains. Aggressive operations ceased for the winter, and the greater part of the militia returned to their homes. A small outpost of 50 men under the command of Major Joel Rae—who had earnestly requested this assignment—was left to guard the narrows of Echo canyon and to keep watch over the enemy during the winter. This officer was now persuaded that the Lord's hand was with them. For the enemy had been wasted away even by the elements from the time he had crossed the forbidden line.

In Salt Lake City that winter, the same opinion prevailed. They were henceforth to be the free and independent State of Deseret.

"Do you want to know," asked Brigham, in the tabernacle, "what is to be done with the enemy now on our borders? As soon as they start to come into our settlements, let sleep depart from their eyes until they sleep in death! Men shall be secreted along the route and shall waste them away in the name of the God of Battles. The United States will have to make peace with us. Never again shall we make peace with them."

CHAPTER XVIII.

How the Lion of the Lord Roared Soft.

But with the coming of spring some fever that had burned in the blood of the Saints from high to low was felt to be losing its heat. They had held the Gentile army at bay during the winter—with the winter's help. But spring was now melting the snows. Reports from Washington, moreover, indicated that a perverse generation in the states had declined to accept the decrees of Israel's God without further proofs of their authenticity.

With a view to determining this issue, Congress had voted more money for troops. Three thousand men were to march to the reinforcement of the army of Johnston on Black's fork; forty-five hundred wagons were to transport their supplies; and 50,000 oxen and 4,000 mules were to pull these wagons. War, in short, was to be waged upon this Israel hidden in the chamber of the mountains. To Major Rae, watching on the outposts of Zion from behind the icy ramparts of Echo canyon, the news was welcome, even enlivening. The more glory there would be in that ultimate triumph which the Lord was about to secure for them.

In Brigham and the other leaders, however, this report induced deep thought. And finally, on a day, they let it be known that there could no longer be any thought of actual war with the armies of the Gentile.

When he heard that the new governor, who had been in the snow with Johnston's army all winter, was to enter Salt Lake City and take his office—a Gentile officer to sit on the throne of Brigham—he felt that the Ark of the Covenant had been thrown down. "Let us not," he implored Brigham in a letter sent him from Echo canyon, "be again dragooned into servile obedience to any one less than the Christ of God!"

But Brigham's reply was an order to pass the new governor through Echo canyon. According to the terms of this order he was escorted through at night, in a manner to convince him that he was passing between the lines of a mighty and far-flung host. Fires were kindled along the heights and the small force attending him was cunningly distributed and duplicated, a few of its numbers going ahead from time to time, halting the rest of the party and demanding the countersign.

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MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Beekeepers End Meeting.

Winona—The annual meeting of the Southeastern Minnesota and Western Wisconsin Beekeepers' association, adjourned after the election of the following officers:

President, W. K. Bates of Stockton; secretary, Ozro Holland, Winona; treasurer, Mrs. Fannie Berthe, Winona; executive board, Mrs. Fannie Berthe, L. A. Stickney, Minnesota City, and Philip Gardiner of Homer; vice presidents, John Turnbull, La Crescent; L. A. Stickney, Minnesota City; Fred Cech, Wilson; Joseph Reitz, Fountain City, Wis., and Philip Gardiner, Homer.

The attendance at the convention was the largest in the history of the association and the program of papers and discussions was the most helpful. The principal address was by William Russell of Minnehaha Falls, state bee inspector, who gave instructions as to how foul breed may be stamped out.

Road Funds Apportioned.

St. Paul—The state highway commission has effected the distribution of the state highway fund. The attorney general has decided that no appropriation can be made by the commission except for expenditure on state highways designated as such by county boards. Counties which have not complied with the law providing for designation of state roads in the apportionment received only the minimum, and this is held in trust for them until they shall designate a state highway. The number of counties failing to designate state highways is 35, which have received the minimum of $300 each. The other counties received amounts varying from $600 to the maximum of $1,600. In making the distribution, the areas of each county and the expense of road construction incident to development of new territory is given full weight.

Man is Badly Burned.

Rochester—Fire at midnight in the residence of D. T. Johnson, in Pleasant Grove township, nearly cost the lives of Mr. Johnson and his daughter, who first were warned of their peril by the bursting of the flames into their rooms. The girl escaped by jumping through a window, but the father, after he had reached the air, smashing through his bedroom window, remembered that there were some papers of importance in the house. Regardless of the risk he took, he plunged back into the dwelling. In was thought that he had perished in the flames, but finally he emerged with the papers, though he was terribly burned about the face, hands and feet. The hair was burned from his head and his finger nails dropped off when his hands were dressed.

Upset is Fatal.

Moorhead—A. H. Knudson is dead in the hospital here as a result of injuries received in an accident. Knudson and C. A. Nyborg were driving from Sabin to this city when their sleigh was overturned and both men were thrown out. Nyborg says that Knudson fell on top of him. But in falling Knudson must have struck his head against a piece of ice for he sustained a fracture of the skull. Nyborg managed to hang to the reins and stopped the horses, which had started to run away. He righted the sleigh and placing Knudson in it drove to this city. The injured man did not regain consciousness.

Burned by Phosphorus.

Little Falls—While conducting a series of experiments in the chemical laboratory at the high school, Miss Helen Potter, a student, was seriously burned about the right hand by phosphorus.

She was experimenting with a compound to which phosphorus had been added, and part of the chemical dropped upon the table and was ignited by the rays of the sun. Thinking to extinguish it she struck the burning phosphorus with her bare hand. Instead of being extinguished, the phosphorus, burning fiercely, stuck to her hand like glue and she was badly burned.

"Germany" Schacht Dead.

Minneapolis—Dr. Fred Schacht, a former star tackle on the Minnesota foot ball team, died at Seattle, Wash., of Bright's disease. Dr. Schacht was known all over the northwest as "Germany." His home was in Elizabeth, Minn., and he practiced at Fergus Falls for a short time after graduating.

Erect Big Flour Mill.

Minneapolis—One of the largest mills in the northwest is to be built here this spring by the Russell-Miller Milling company. The new mill will cost $400,000 and according to the officials of the company, will be the most modern structure of its kind in the United States. It will have a daily capacity of 2,500 barrels.

Workman in Wreck; One Dead.

Hibbing—A flat car on which thirty workmen were riding left the rails on the Duluth, Missabe & Northern road. F. Snyder received injuries from which he died a short time after. Andrew Cass, Ole Hanson and Joseph Berg are injured so that they may die, while a dozen others received minor injuries.

Must Be Speared.

St. Paul—Pickerel killed with a spear may be sold in Minnesota at any time, whether in the closed season or not. This is the ruling made by Carlos Avery, executive agent of the game and fish commission, in reply to a question from a Minneapolis dealer. He says that all hook and line fishing is prohibited during the closed season, and that pickerel caught with hook and line may not be sold at this time. They would be illegally taken and therefore cannot be sold, but there is no law or ruling against spearing pickerel and selling them at any season.

Synod Elects Officers.

Minneapolis—At the final session of the Augustana synod at the Augustana church, officers and committees for the year were elected.

Prof. Frank Nelson, Lindsborg, Kan., was unanimously elected president of Minnesota college. Rev. L. P. Bergstrom, Winthrop, was selected as superintendent of Canadian missions.

The directors of Gustavus Adolphus college for the year will be Andrew Lundgren, Red Wing; C. J. Swanson, St. James; Dr. E. J. Werner, Rush City, and Rev. C. B. L. Boman.

The executive committee of the synod will consist of Rev. J. D. Nelsenius, Two Harbors; Dr. C. J. Petri, Minneapolis; G. Hultquist, Center City; John Peterson, St. Paul, and A. J. Brown.

The report of the orphan's home at Vasa, Minn., showed a surplus on hand of $5,000. A committee will report next year on the advisability of establishing another orphanage in the conference.

Giant Now a Soldier.

Minneapolis—Records were broken at the local army recruiting office when Fred Schrader of Hamburg, Minn., 6 feet 6 inches in height and weighing 230 pounds, applied for service in the army. The local recruiting officers fairly scrambled in their haste to procure so desirable a candidate, and almost before he knew it Schrader had become a soldier. Later in the day the giant was taken out to Fort Snelling in charge of Private James Smith, who stands just 5 feet 1 inch in his shoes.

Its Work Done.

St. Paul—The work of the capitol commission is practically finished and at a meeting held by the commission wound up affairs preparatory to turning over the building to the governor at the next meeting. The erection and maintenance of the building have been in the hands of the commission since 1893.

Boost for Belle Plaine.

Belle Plaine—The Minnesota Canning company has decided to make Belle Plaine headquarters. The country around Belle Plaine is adapted to the raising of all kinds of vegetables, and the company intends to can nearly all kinds instead of only corn as before. New machinery will soon be installed.

NEWS NOTES.

Stewartville—The first State Bank of this place, owned by J. P. Myers, has been sold to John M. Haven of Big Lake, Minn.

Chisholm—Frank Seddiesock was killed by a cave-in while working in a drift at the Chisholm mine. He is survived by his wife and several children.

Mankato—Five "blind pigs" have been put out of business at Delavan and one at Winnebago. The Winnebago man pleaded guilty and was fined $50 and costs.

Duluth—But for the timely arrival of neighbors two young children of Joseph Chareau would have been burned to death in a fire which destroyed their dwelling house.

Winona—Company C, Second regiment, has received equipment from the adjutant general which will enable it to take the field at any time. The supplies include overcoats, blouses, guns, bayonets, belts, etc.

Stewartville—The dwelling of Dan Johnson of Pleasant Grove village was burned. The loss was $1,500, with no insurance. The family barely escaped with their lives. Mr. Johnson was badly burned about the face and hands and is in a critical condition.

Mankato—The Catholic people of Walnut Grove are preparing to build a church and have prepared articles of incorporation. Archbishop Ireland has made a donation of $200, and the work of construction will be pushed as rapidly as possible, so that the building may be ready in a few months.

Faribault—Cora Sellers, aged sixteen, and Gertrude Emmiott, aged twelve years, both living in Northfield, were brought before Judge Buckham in this city, charged with stealing a gold watch from a lady's room in Northfield. They pleaded guilty and both were sentenced to the state training school at Red Wing.

Minneapolis—On a charge of destroying a government mail box, Valentine Jaskowiak, of Silver Lake, Minn., was brought before United States Commissioner Howard S. Abbott today. The arrest was made by Deputy Marshal W. W. Rich on the complaint of James Pesek, who alleged that Jaskowiak had torn down his mail box. Jaskowiak denied heatedly that he had committed the offense, and intimated that Pesek had other motives at the bottom of his complaint. The prisoner, who is a married man with a family of seven children, pleaded not guilty, and is held for the April term of the superior court under bonds of $100.

Minneapolis—Mrs. Sarah Schaefer, police matron, is caring for a baby boy who was picked up by Police Officer Malboef of the North Side station, as he was walking his beat. The identity of the little one is not known. The child was left in a basket at the patrol box at Sixth avenue north and Lyndale avenue.

Mankato—If it can be shown that peat of good quality exists in the extensive marshes near Swan and Timber lakes, twenty miles northwest of Mankato, a company is to be organized this spring to build a factory there, having a daily capacity of sixty to eighty tons.

St. Paul—State land sales will be held this spring in Marshall, Roseau and Kittson counties. The dates have not yet been definitely decided.

Faribault—George Ames, a brakeman on the Faribault-Zumbrota branch of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, was seriously injured while switching in this city.

Current School Fund

RECEIPTS

Credit balance Jan. 2, 1906	$ 837 25
State apportionment	14752 03
Interest penalties and costs	1424 22
Tax collections	663 03
Fines	80 00
Total	$ 17756 53

DISBURSEMENTS.

Apportionment to school districts	$ 16495 39
Credit balance Jan 2, 1907	1261 14
Total	$ 17756 53

Taxes and Penalties Account.

RECEIPTS.

Credit balance, Jan. 2, 1906	$10280 45
Current tax collections	114365 72
Delinquent tax collections	14024 12
Interest, penalties and costs on current taxes	1285 98
Total	$139956 27

DISBURSEMENTS.

Taxes and penalties distributed	$139264 97
Refunding orders	34 04
Balance undistributed	657 26
Total	$139956 27

Warrants Account.

RECEIPTS.

Warrants outstanding Jan. 2 1906	$ 784 70
Warrants issued in 1906	175007 81
Total	$175792 51

DISBURSEMENTS.

Warrants redeemed in 1906	$171701 35
Warrants outstanding December 31 1906	4091 16
Total	$175792 51

State Revenue and School Fund

RECEIPTS

Tax collections	7821 2[illegible]
[illegible]	130 50
[illegible] drawn	1 70
Total	$8053 [illegible]

DISBURSEMENTS

Debit balance, Jan 2, 1906	$ 1 81
Warrants issued	8046 34
Refunding orders	5 34
Total	$8053 49

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
[illegible]	State of Minnesota	$ 92 51
[illegible]	"	2880 17
[illegible]	"	130 59
[illegible]	"	4024 08
[illegible]	"	1909 05
	Total	$8046 34

State Lands and Interest Fund.

RECEIPTS

Credit balance, Jan. 2, 1906	$ 362 16
Collections	7868 08
Total	$ 8230 24

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants issued	$ 7875 42
Credit balance, Jan 2, 1907	354 82
Total	$ 8230 24

Warrants Issued

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
[illegible]	State of Minnesota	$ 7009 94
10121	"	473 49
[illegible]	"	391 99
	Total	$ 7875 42

Refunding Account.

RECEIPTS.

Amount charged back	$ 117 28
Balance warrants outstanding	12 85
Total	$ 130 13

DISBURSEMENTS.

Warrants issued	$ 119 98
Credit balance Jan 2 1907	10 15
Total	$ 130 13

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
[illegible]	John Berry	$ 7 36
[illegible]	Henry Boise	8 40
[illegible]	W W Prichard	2 47
[illegible]	C H Wellcome	12 84
[illegible]	"	9 82
[illegible]	Mrs M Walters	1 40
[illegible]	F B F Lmbr Co	5 46
[illegible]	M L Bjork	19 96
[illegible]	Emery Dion	10 39
[illegible]	W W Prichard	9 93
[illegible]	Gunder H Hegland	11 53
[illegible]	Matt Skala	14 54
[illegible]	Dennis Cyr	5 80
	Total	$ 119 98

School Districts Fund

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
[illegible]	Peter Thune	$ 21 94
[illegible]	Chas G Sall	162 62
[illegible]	Andrew Soderberg	24 85
[illegible]	Jacob Boutain	94 21
[illegible]	Ellef Gravlie	136 51
[illegible]	T A Crompe	1200 10
[illegible]	Chas Seeger	68 68
[illegible]	Ed Enright	55 41
[illegible]	Carl Gerlach	89 16
[illegible]	H Haupt	111 91
[illegible]	George Charest	250 65
[illegible]	R O Gorden	26 16
[illegible]	Fred Brunelle	51 56
[illegible]	L C Cadieux	180 25
[illegible]	Amelia Miller	89 19
[illegible]	Carl Gerlach	142 01
[illegible]	Marius Miller	91 09
[illegible]	Michael Kees	32 53
[illegible]	Emil E Zeh	596 09
[illegible]	Otto L Bakken	78 01
[illegible]	K K Sannes	118 20
[illegible]	John Powers	57 71
[illegible]	Andrew Soderberg	38 29
[illegible]	E M Hoff	1166 87
[illegible]	T A Crompe	982 08
[illegible]	J A Reinschmidt	111 97
[illegible]	A S Anderson	45 07
[illegible]	C F Elvidge	221 05

SCHOOL DISTRICTS FUND.

WARRANTS ISSUED—Continued

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
9127	Frank Hagl	65 68
9128	Henry Granum	166 03
9130	M Winberg	158 64
9131	Max Perras	142 42
9147	Eli Lasha	66 47
9149	M P Bakken	144 34
9151	Lars P Braadrud	162 24
9159	Jacob Boutain	112 43
9184	Max Perras	50 00
9185	B C Haga	108 13
9188	Chas G Sall	329 63
9190	A J Hemstad	141 89
9191	Emil Zeh	1656 00
9194	T A Crompe	1092 00
9195	Charles Perrault	160 68
9196	C F Elvidge	36 00
9197	John A Reinschmidt	24 00
9199	Ludvig Weiss	54 77
9211	August Nordlund	148 79
9212	Rasmus I Aaseby	105 92
9213	Swan Walhaug	157 58
9216	Michael Kees	58 00
9217	Ole F Helgeland	45 42
9224	Bengt Swenson	103 71
9225	August Soderberg	112 65
9226	C F Stenhammer	115 59
9267	Joseph Robideaux	76 57
9268	Narcisse Robideaux	328 37
9276	Joseph Laurent	191 11
9287	Geo Marchildon	70 71
9289	J F Mathews	170 42
9290	Martin Foldoe	109 80
9291	Joseph Pigeon	242 64
9295	Emery Dion	63 58
9296	Ole Larson	266 30
9298	Arthur Archambeault	91 51
9300	August Swenson	96 61
9302	Ferd Gother	137 26
9306	Amelia Miller	66 00
9307	Otto L Bakken	72 06
9309	K K Sannes	48 00
9312	Ole O Lee	111 92
9313	Regis Gagnon	214 68
9314	John Powers	34 00
9317	A E Anderson	58 66
9319	O M Peterson	144 12
9320	Anton Peterson	166 97
9321	Andrew Anderson	165 82
9322	Sam Person	104 65
9326	John Jacobson	82 39
9328	Raphael Trudeau	49 13
9336	A O Davidson	191 95
9337	Joseph Brohman	198 67
9349	Carl Gerlach	48 00
9355	Alfred Dahlstrom	85 45
9356	Chas Seeger	92 85
9357	Louis Falardeau	462 60
9360	Annie Carriere	24 27
9367	Alfred Brunelle	34 00
9370	Peter Thune	112 09
9373	Ellef Gravlie	155 59
9377	Andrew Soderberg	70 00
9457	John A Reinschmidt	60 00
9458	Fred Anderson	188 75
9484	Thomas Crompe	1000 00
9490	A Welo	123 05
9497	G Swenson	107 84
9498	Gust Bergren	35 57
9501	Ludwig Weiss	50 00
9508	Ole O Slettvold	58 38
9514	John Kelberg	71 91
9515	Joseph Martell	127 22
9519	Joseph Laurent	191 57
9522	B C Haga	102 00
9523	Martin Foldoe	138 31
9526	Emil E Zeh	5501 28
9527	Octave Beauchene	265 99
9532	Narcisse Robideaux	289 10
9533	Jacob Boutain	187 92
9536	Michael Kees	164 10
9537	John A Reinschmidt	128 73
9541	Aug Soderberg	171 01
9542	Fred Anderson	146 01
9543	Emery Dion	108 86
9544	Andrew Soderberg	103 21
9545	A Welo	151 60
9546	Eli Lasha	132 35
9548	C F Stenhammer	167 98
9549	Frank Hagl	169 78
9550	A E Anderson	105 80
9552	Max Perras	168 82
9554	Arthur Archambeault	157 20
9555	Amelia Miller	176 05
9556	Thomas Crompe	1509 53
9559	L C Cadieux	489 37
9561	Henry Granum	256 07
9562	Andrew Boden	164 83
9566	Geo Marchildon	89 10
9575	George Charest	231 18
9581	O M Peterson	118 28
9584	Chas G Sall	261 33
9588	Joseph Robideaux	119 02
9587	Ole Larson	142 91
9592	M Winberg	201 07
9595	State of Minnesota	803 02
9597	Regis Gagnon	194 29
9602	Louis Weiss	43 28
9603	Charles Perrault	101 20
9610	H Haupt	211 65
9611	R I Aaseby	135 47
9612	Otto L Bakken	128 28
9618	Lars P Braadrud	148 44
9622	August Swenson	184 63
9623	Joseph Brohmann	149 01
9626	John Power	91 52
9629	A J Hemstad	85 03
9632	Bengt Swenson	72 06
9637	Louis Falardeau	224 37
9644	Lionel Gauthier	316 93
9649	C F Elvidge	67 29
9672	K K Sannes	125 90
9721	A S Anderson	159 98
9727	Alfred Brunelle	92 86
9746	Swan Walhaug	128 46
9770	Ferd Gother	102 45
9773	L P Thyren	155 09
9775	Chas Seeger	122 24
9778	E M Hoff	1091 11
9786	Marius Miller	251 81
9787	J F Mathews	152 98
9788	A A Odegaard	268 89
9789	August Nordlund	137 01
9882	John Johnson	51 78
9906	John Jacobson	146 23
9908	Carl Gerlach	201 53
9910	Emil E Zeh	1000 00
9916	John S Hanson	285 64
9920	J F Mathews	28 00
9943	John A Reinschmidt	50 00
9945	G Swenson	146 36
9947	Ellef Gravlie	96 44
9953	P O Gorden	59 00
9957	Alfred Dahlstrom	110 70
9958	Joseph Pigeon	108 92
9959	James Jones	131 10
9960	Ole Overum	4 88
9970	Joseph Laurent	100 00
9988	Thomas A Crompe	1100 00
9989	Michael Kees	30 00
9996	Andrew T Nelson	69 16
9999	A J Hemstad	51 57
10000	J F Mathews	154 04
10001	A E Anderson	34 58
10002	Sam Person	160 36
10003	T A Crompe	1241 88
10004	Michael Kees	79 04
10005	Eli Lasha	57 17
10006	Raphael Trudeau	79 46
10009	Emil E Zeh	2357 58
10010	H J Hastvet	101 21
10011	Amelia Miller	106 57
10013	Anton Petterson	119 24
10014	B C Haga	24 70
10016	Arthur Archambeault	32 11
10017	Max Perras	74 10
10018	"	144 83
10020	Thomas A Crompe	1060 00
10021	John A Reinschmidt	106 63
10030	M P Bakken	242 30
10032	A S Anderson	134 63
10033	Joseph Pigeon	101 74
10037	Chas Perrault	181 68
10038	Regis Gagnon	132 81
10039	Jos Laurent	391 21
10040	Octave Beauchene	161 13
10051	Chas Seeger	121 76
10052	Andrew Soderberg	329 37
10054	Fred Anderson	265 16
10055	C F Stenhammer	192 87
10057	A E Anderson	30 55
10058	Arthur Archambeault	90 65
10060	Ole O Lee	218 63
10061	Alfred Dahlstrom	76 63
10062	Emery Dion	68 75
10064	L C Cadieux	601 31
10066	Rasmus Aaseby	37 40
10067	Gust Berggren	30 70
10068	P O Sorlom	29 64
10069	H J Hastvet	16 84
10071	Thor Skaar	79 04
10072	Otto L Bakken	132 42
10073	Joseph Brohman	111 40
10074	M Winberg	225 91
10075	R O Gorden	69 16
10076	Lars P Braadrud	112 74
10078	John Power	93 73
10079	Aug Soderberg	174 10
10080	T G Helle	71 03
10081	O H Langlie	76 57
10082	Edward Singer	124 11
10083	Henry Granum	229 57
10085	Narcisse Robidoux	321 73
10086	O M Pederson	54 31
10087	Ole O Slettevold	124 32
10089	Ellef Gravlie	125 10
10091	Ole S Hegland	54 34
10092	Knut O Krussen	178 95
10093	John Kellberg	57 01
10094	Ferd Gother	212 81
10095	K K Sannes	74 22
10098	Bengt Swenson	101 41
10110	T A Crompe	822 79
10112	August Swenson	119 73
10115	Alfred Brunelle	78 10
10117	George Marchildon	91 53
10118	Joseph Robidoux	75 11
10120	John Sorenson	161 75
10122	Ole Larson	81 34
10123	Nick Elstein	188 20
10128	Michael Kees	53 27
10129	Anne Carriere	24 70
10131	Ole Overum	76 57
10138	B C Haga	55 68
10142	Carl Gerlach	165 65
10143	Eli Lasha	18 61
10144	Amelia Miller	99 89
10145	John Johnson	50 35
10346	George Charist	194 95

SCHOOL DISTRICTS FUND.

WARRANTS ISSUED—Continued

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
10350	A J Hemstad	$ 42 39
10351	Louis Weiss	58 88
10354	Swan E Walhaug	101 46
10369	Chas G Sall	213 26
	Total	$ 60715 30

Town, City and Village Fund.

Warrants Issued.

No. of warrant	In whose favor drawn	Amount
8785	Merchant State Bank of Red Lake Falls	$ 90 00
8786	Merchant State Bank of Red Lake Falls	30 00
8791	Louis Falardeau	271 99
8806	Leonard Holmes	156 49
8880	Merchant State Bank of Red Lake Falls	150 00
8884	Joseph Marcotte	186 68
8887	Elias P Joringdal	74 58
8908	Aug Soderberg	193 29
8942	Albert Anderson	72 25
8943	R C Jefferson	60 00
8958	Wm Sharper	255 85
9044	L C Cadieux	351 33
9116	John G Hagen	146 59
9119	Leonard Holmes	1631 89
9192	Ovide Emard	2418 44
9214	Cyrille Lussier	246 55
9271	J W Wallin	2732 79
9272	O L Larson	180 08
9273	Nels O Nora	175 02
9274	R C Jefferson	60 00
9275	"	210 00
9280	Henry J Enderle	359 01
9282	John Linnertz	242 92
9283	Edward E Havik	319 16
9284	Aug Soderberg	66 42
9286	Wm Scharper	207 22
9291	Ed A Aubol	331 31
9301	August Swenson	215 49
9310	O G Skreland	263 13
9311	Elias Joringdal	103 78
9316	Albert Anderson	126 00
9318	A E Anderson	281 84
9344	Christ Larson	85 81
9348	H P Kolseth	121 64
9358	Louis Falardeau	430 78
9365	Chas P Quist	81 20
9368	Joseph Marcotte	380 11
9459	P E Smidesang	376 91
9540	Albert Anderson	344 82
9547	Cyrille Lussier	433 14
9551	A E Anderson	623 16
9557	Aug Soderberg	190 91
9558	Oscar G Skreland	432 19
9564	George Orr	747 06
9565	Ovide Emard	2158 72
9579	R C Jefferson	60 00
9580	"	90 00
9581	Leonard Holmes	830 48
9589	O L Larson	471 48
9596	J W Wallin	4564 87
9601	Wm Scharper	542 46
9620	Edward E Havik	424 65
9621	August Swenson	499 06
9631	Henry J Enderle	224 39
9636	Louis Falardeau	814 51
9638	"	250 00
9643	H R Kolseth	243 97
9662	Nils Nora	422 32
9721	Christ Larson	55 08
9726	John G Hagen	533 95
9769	John Linnertz	455 58
9774	E A Aubol	678 46
9776	L C Cadieux	787 38
9872	Joseph Marcotte	511 81
9987	P E Smidesang	398 47
10005	Cyrille Lussier	169 68
10041	J W Wallin	2660 32
10056	A E Anderson	150 55
10065	L C Cadieux	418 57
10070	Albert Anderson	148 25
10077	H R Kolseth	104 40
10088	Nels O Nora	193 46
10090	Edward E Havik	170 54
10097	O L Larson	88 86
10098	Leonard Holmes	111 21
10114	August Swenson	170 10
10126	Henry J Enderle	41 80
10327	John G Hagen	168 26
10330	Aug Soderberg	63 08
10332	Ovide Emard	1382 19
10348	Oscar G Skrelund	84 78
9122	George Orr	258 97
9624	Elias P Joringdal	419 70
	Total	$ 38480 96

Financial Condition of Red Lake County, December 31, 1906.

ASSETS.

Taxes of 1905 and prior years, county funds	$ 12366 36
Taxes for 1906 county funds	37311 88
Cash in treasury	9543 79
Total	$ 59252 03

LIABILITIES.

Warrants outstanding, county funds	$ 3231 03
Excess of assets over liabilities	56021 00
Total	$ 59252 03

ASSESSED VALUATION OF RED LAKE COUNTY FOR 1906.

Real estate	$2690462 00
Personal property	817032 00
Total	$3507494 00

INVENTORY OF COUNTY PROPERTY.

Lots 9, 10, 11 and 12, block 3 of Champagne & Dow's addition, and lots 13 and 14, blk 1, Longevin's subdivision of church block in Red Lake Falls	$ 9600 00
Furniture and Fixtures	4000 00
Total	$ 13600 00

BONDED DEBT OF RED LAKE COUNTY.

6 per cent Funding Bonds	$ 16000 00
4 per cent " "	20000 00
4½ per cent " "	14000 00
4 per cent Jail Bonds	3000 00
Polk County Bonds	9339 13
Total	$ 56339 13
DRAINAGE BONDS OF RED LAKE COUNTY	$ 107500 00

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RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF CITY, TOWN AND VILLAGE FUNDS.

CITY, TOWN AND VILLAGE	Credit balance Jan. 2, 1906	Receipts from all tax collections and licenses	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Refunded	Debit balance January 2, 1906	Credit balance Jan. 2, 1907
Numedal	74 58	615 52	690 10	598 01			92 09
Norden		792 39	792 39	792 39			
North	193 29	386 87	580 16	513 70			66 46
Bray	139 37	916 18	1055 55	1055 55			
Sanders	97 84	824 72	922 56	741 23			181 33
Rocksbury	82 25	1445 90	1528 15	1009 77			518 38
Polk Center	145 65	849 71	995 36	775 38			219 98
Black River	72 25	619 07	691 32	691 32			
River Falls	15 96	869 57	885 53	885 53			
Wyandotte	200 67	532 36	733 03	470 01			263 02
Louisville	186 68	1230 72	1417 40	1078 60			338 80
Red Lake Falls twp.	174 50	999 14	1173 64	938 50			235 14
Gervais	513 84	1361 86	1875 70	1006 03			869 67
Emardville		848 80	848 80	848 80			
Garnes	134 53	745 11	879 64	780 10			99 54
Equality		914 35	914 35	916 47		2 12	
Lake Pleasant	313 01	1112 70	1425 71	1005 53			420 18
Torrubonne	33 58	1527 11	1560 69	1560 69			
Poplar River		1349 19	1349 19	1351 07		1 88	
Lambert	271 99	1916 60	2188 59	1767 20			421 39
St. Hilaire village	156 49	2581 58	2738 07	2738 07			
Thief River Falls cty	478 16	10133 24	10611 40	9657 98			953 42
Red Lake Falls city	144 86	6443 20	6588 06	6477 24			110 82
Silverton		81 70	81 70	81 20			50
Smiley		165 28	165 28	140 89			24 39
Vil. of Plummer		625 20	625 20	625 20			
Total	$3429 52	$39888 07	$43317 59	$38506 48		$4 00	$4815 11

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF SCHOOL DISTRICT FUNDS

Number of District	Credit balance Jan. 1, 1906	Received from state apportionment and tax collections	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Payment to State Treasurer on account of State School Fund	Debit balance Jan. 2 1907	Credit balance Jan. 2, 1907
1		380 15	380 15	380 15			
2	46 85	342 31	389 16	285 80			103 36
3	55 82	237 26	293 08	155 09		8 01	129 98
4		206 93	206 93	206 93			
5	63 68	140 67	204 35	164 83			39 52
6	24 57	301 06	325 63	286 21			39 42
7	10	241 09	241 19	244 44		3 25	
8	21 82	336 81	358 63	285 64			72 99
9	250 95	550 69	801 64	701 08	8 75		91 81
10	193 02	804 22	997 24	997 24			
11		417 80	417 80	413 44			4 36
12	10 47	441 23	451 70	327 34			124 36
13		344 77	344 77	348 93		4 16	
14		270 70	270 70	270 70			
15		10613 00	10613 00	10622 10		9 10	
16		651 67	651 67	651 67			
17	94 21	548 54	642 75	394 50	60 00		188 19
18		19887 24	19887 24	16122 07			3765 17
19		330 55	330 55	330 55			
20	25 56	348 62	374 18	366 38	5 60		2 20
21	163 76	106 23	269 99				269 99
22	50	633 66	634 16	529 44			104 72
23		394 61	394 61	394 79		18	
24	29 26	306 13	335 39	228 62			106 77
25		458 45	458 45	458 45			
26		102 13	102 13	102 13			
27	124 00	586 24	710 24	561 78	60 00		88 46
32	01	443 55	443 56	443 56			
36	115 66	389 53	505 19	358 32			146 87
40		174 60	174 60	174 60			
43		277 96	277 96	276 96			1 00
45		48 97	48 97	48 97			
48		73 06	73 06	73 06			
49		331 90	331 90	235 46			96 44
54	24 85	361 70	386 55	565 72		179 17	
63	89 16	587 22	676 38	676 38			
73		397 69	397 69	274 65			123 04
76	189 10	819 40	1008 50	686 97			321 53
79	68 16	1390 27	1458 43	1275 91	92 80		89 72
80		482 96	482 96	482 96			
81		931 17	931 17	873 89			57 28
88	68 08	336 85	404 93	404 93			
94		528 41	528 41	345 90			182 51
99		303 68	303 68	265 01			38 67
102	14 88	4081 50	4096 38	2265 66	40 00		1790 72
103		737 22	737 22	720 17			17 05
106		300 47	300 47	292 78			7 69
108	55 41	65 44	120 85	55 41			65 44
112	4 41	555 02	559 43	561 70		2 27	
115	47 67	365 18	412 85	342 51			70 34
124		350 07	350 07	452 52		102 45	
125	66 07	357 35	423 42	423 42			
126		941 70	941 70	941 70			
127	135 51	377 13	512 64	512 64			
130		256 52	256 52	256 52			
133		342 77	342 77	340 57			2 20
135		431 31	431 31	431 31			
141	99 71	478 35	578 06	455 30	54 00		68 76
147	68 16	539 90	608 06	585 62	20 00		2 44
148	43 72	463 28	507 00	599 95	14 00	106 95	
149	16 22	282 57	298 79	298 79			
151	49 04	481 12	530 16	459 08	27 00		44 08
153	41 40	385 81	427 21	427 12			09
154	15 45	391 56	407 01	268 89			138 12
165	96 53	377 94	474 47	386 64	26 88		60 95
166	157 92	335 06	492 98	492 98			
167	08	353 55	353 63	347 93			5 70
178		400 37	400 37	400 37			
180		229 59	229 59	229 59			
191		144 58	144 58	128 59			15 99
194	28 61	337 92	366 53	279 18	54 00		33 35
204		182 70	182 70	182 70			
208		476 44	476 44	476 44			
210	62 48	456 50	518 98	254 20	162 00		102 78
214		321 18	321 18	321 18			
216		255 34	255 34	255 34			
219	49 39	77 53	126 92	126 92			
221	21 94	230 14	252 08	252 08			
225	111 91	432 62	544 53	322 96			221 57
228	114 82	361 01	475 83	316 93	15 75		143 15
233		377 37	377 37	377 37			
173	22 65	13 75	36 40				36 40
31		216 74	216 74	216 74			
33		153 32	153 32	153 32			
28		66 27	66 27	66 27			
30		99 76	99 76	99 76			
34		124 11	124 11	124 11			
35		15 44	15 44				15 44
37		81 45	81 45	81 45			
29		19 79	19 76				19 76
38		49 40	49 40				49 40
39		49 40	49 40				49 40
41		76 57	76 57	76 57			
42		29 64	29 64	29 64			
44		54 34	54 34				54 34
46		79 04	79 04	79 04			
47		69 16	69 16	69 16			
	$2983 57	$66593 94	$69577 51	$60140 74	$640 78	$407 53	$8203 52

The foregoing statement prepared by the County Auditor is approved by the Board, and respectfully submitted to the taxpayers of Red Lake County.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn., this 26th day of February, A. D. 1907.

C. A. LINDQUIST,
ED. A. AUBOL,
DANIEL SHAW,
WM. C. L. DEMANN,
JOSEPH PIGEON,
Board of County Commissioners,
Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Attest:
JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
(Seal) County Auditor

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SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open wall. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur be would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Of The Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County.

Red Lake Falls, Minn.,
Feb. 26th, 1907.

Pursuant to call, the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, met at the office of the county auditor, at the court house, at ten o'clock a. m.

Commissioners present, C. A. Lindquist, Wm. C. L. Demann, Daniel Shaw, Ed. A. Aubol and Joseph Pigeon.

Minutes of meeting of January 8th were read and on motion duly carried.

The resolution paying the one thousand dollars mortgage on the court house property corrected to read that the warrants for the balance of mortgage be drawn on the county revenue fund.

On motion duly carried the minutes of the meeting of January 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th, 1907, be accepted as corrected.

On motion duly carried the financial statement as prepared by the county auditor was approved.

The petition of Joseph Johnson and others for the organization of township 153, north of range 39, west in Red Lake county, Minnesota, was read and on motion carried unanimously the following order organizing said town was made,

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Red Lake. }

Upon receiving a petition of a majority of the legal voters of congressional township number one hundred fifty three (153), north of range number thirty-nine (39) west, in said county, asking that the same be organized as a new town under the township organization law, to be named "Star," We, the county commissioners of said county, did on the 26th day of February, A. D., 1907, proceed to fix and determine the boundaries of such new town, and to name the same "Star," in accordance with said petition, and designated, as the place to hold the first town meeting, the home of Joseph Jensen on Section 20, in said town, to be held on the 16th day of March A. D. 1907. The boundaries of said town of "Star", as fixed and established by us, are as follows: All the [illegible] comprised in township number one hundred fifty three (153), north of range thirty-nine (39) west in [illegible] county of said.

[illegible] this 26th day of February, A. D. 1907.

C. A. Lindquist,
(Seal) Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Red Lake county, Minn.
Attest: John B. O'Brien,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

On motion duly carried the board took a recess until one o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by the chairman at one o'clock, p. m. All members present.

On motion duly carried a day of hearing was set for the hearing of the petition of Fred Ptacek and Joseph Johnson for new districts in this county, the same to be held on May 27th, 1907, at 1 o'clock p. m.

On motion duly carried the petition of B. Henry Costello, and others for the formation of a new school district was rejected.

On motion duly carried the petition of H. B. Boackey was granted and the following order was made:

Whereas, A petition signed and duly acknowledged by a majority of the freeholders who are entitled to vote at school meetings in their respective districts, residing within the territory of the proposed new school district, asking for the formation of a new school district which shall embrace the territory hereinafter described was presented to the county board of this county at a session of said board held on the 10th day of January, A. D. 1907, for the action of said board thereon:

And, Whereas, It was then ordered by said board that a hearing should be had on said petition at a session of said board commencing on the 26th day of February, A. D. 1907, at the office of the county auditor at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, in said county.

And, Whereas, Due notice of the time and place of such hearing has been given by posting a copy of said notice in [illegible] of the most public places in each of the school districts to be affected by said petition ten days prior to the day of such hearing, and by mailing to the clerk of each school district so affected thereby a [illegible] notice at least ten days before the time appointed for such hearing, and by the publication thereof [illegible] for two weeks in the [illegible] newspaper printed and published [illegible] Red Lake county, to-wit: The St. Hilaire Spectator, which said newspaper first mentioned is printed and published in said county and was duly designated by said County Board for the publishing of the same; and due proofs of the posting and service and publication of said notice of hearing having been made and filed by the affidavit of H. B. Brackey who posted said notice and by the certificate of the county auditor of said county who served said notice upon each of the clerks of said districts so affected thereby and by the affidavit of the publisher of said newspaper in which the same was published, respectively:

And, Whereas, at the session of said county board commencing on said 8th day of January, A. D., 1907, said petition was publicly read and considered and arguments of all persons interested therein for and against the organization of said proposed new district duly heard and considered.

It is hereby ordered and determined, that said petition be granted and the following described territory, to-wit:

The south half of sections 22, 23 and 24 and the whole of sections 25, 26, 27, 34, 35 and 36, township 151, range 42, be and the same is hereby organized and constituted a school district and shall be hereafter designated and known as Common School District No. 53 of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota.

It is further ordered and determined, That the 16th day of March A. D., 1907, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the house of Charles P. Quist in said district be and the same is fixed as the time and place when and where the first meeting of the electors of said district who are qualified to vote at school meetings will be held to organize said district and that the County auditor cause ten days posted notice to be given of the time and place of such meeting as required by law. The county auditor will mail to the clerk of each of the districts affected by this order a true copy hereof.

By order of the board of Red Lake county, Minnesota.

Chas. A. Lindquist,
(Seal) Chairman of Board.
Attest: John B. O'Brien,
County Auditor of said Red Lake county, Minnesota.

Dated this 26th day of February, 1907.

The petition of Erick J. Lom asking to be set off with his land from school district No. 51 to school district No. 30 was presented to the board and on motion duly carried a day of hearing on same was set for May 27th, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The petition of Stephen Jacobson asking to be set off with his land from school district No. 51 to school district No. 30 was presented to the board and on motion duly carried a day of hearing on same was set for May 27th, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The petition of Ole J. Valsvik asking to be set off with his land from school district No. 51 to school district No. 30 was presented to the board and on motion duly carried a day of hearing on same was set for May 27th, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The petition of Anlin Torkelson asking to be set off with his land from school district No. 51 to school district No. 221 was presented to the board and on motion duly carried a day of hearing on same was set for May 27th, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

On motion duly carried an auctioneer's license was granted to H. K. Homme.

Resolved, that the sum of $50.00 be and is hereby appropriated from the county road and bridge fund to aid township 153 north of range 39 west in repairing the road between sections 28 and 33 in said town.

On motion made by Commissioner Shaw and seconded by Commissioner Aubol the bond of E. G. Buse, as official abstracter was accepted.

Resolved that the sum of $200.00 be and is hereby appropriated from the county road and bridge fund to aid the town of Terrebonne in repairing a bridge across the Clearwater river at a place known as the Ohm and Kankel dam in the northwest quarter of Section 2 in said town.

Moved by Commissioner Shaw, seconded by Commissioner Aubol, that the bond of Ernest L. Quist as Register of Deeds be accepted: motion carried unanimously.

On motion a recess was taken until 7 o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by chairman at 7 o'clock p. m.

All members present.

Moved by Commissioner Demann, seconded by Commissioner Pigeon that the bill of L. A. Kaufer, appellant, vs James E. Ford as County Auditor of Red Lake County, Minnesota, respondent, amounting to $163.65 be allowed and ordered paid; motion carried.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Demann, who moved its adoption, and duly seconded by Commissioner Pigeon:

"Whereas it has been made to appear to this Board that judgment in the case of State of Minnesota Ex Rel William Erb, Relator, and Alex A. Sweaas and Charles M. Evenson, Intervenor, against Ole J. Johnson, P. A. Ekstrom, Wm. C. L. Demann, Louis E. Falardeau and Daniel Shaw, as County Commissioners of the County of Red Lake, in the State of Minnesota, Respondents, was erroneously entered on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1906, in favor of the relator and intervenors and against the Respondents, as such Board of County Commissioners of said County:

Be It Resolved, By the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake county, Minnesota, that F. A. Grady and Charles E. Boughton, attorneys at law, are hereby retained and authorized by said Board of County Commissioners, to take any step or steps, proceedings or action in their judgment deemed best to have said judgment above mentioned, vacated, and set aside, and interpose an answer in said case."

Commissioners voting aye, are Wm. C. L. Demann, Joseph Pigeon and Charles A. Lindquist.

Commissioners nay, are Daniel Shaw and Ed. A. Aubol.

Resolved, that the sum of $350.00 be and is hereby appropriated from the county road and bridge fund to aid the City of Thief River Falls in repairing the road on the section line between sections 25 and 36 in the Town of North.

The application of Alex F. Lattimore and others for an appropriation from the county road and bridge fund was on motion duly carried, rejected.

On motion carried unanimously the applications of Joseph Lachance and Frank Brouillet for abatement of taxes for the year 1906 on certain lots in the City of Red Lake Falls, was granted subject to the approval of the State Auditor.

On motion duly carried the applications of Dan J. Doran, clerk Camp No. 3486 M. W. of A., and Mrs. Conrad Lajambe, for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes, the same were laid over for reconsideration at the next meeting of the board.

The applications of Octave Morisette, Carrie Pirath and S. L. Ely for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes were on motion duly carried, rejected.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Miller-Davis Ptg Co., supplies for county offices	$11 25
Miller-Davis Ptg Co., supplies for county offices	15 25
E. L. Quist, postage for Register of Deeds	32 25
E. L. Quist, recording bonds of county officers and list of real estate property, transferred by Sheriff's sale	15 25
Robert A Lee, fees as deputy sheriff	8 00
Louis A Nelson, posting notices at Louisville bridge for bids on ice breakers	2 60
Louis A Nelson, one day drawing petit jurors	3 00
Lewis A Nelson, sheriff's fees in case of State vs. Charley Clause and mileage	5 53
Frank Hoveld, two men and team ½ day clearing away snow	3 00
Morisette and Sleff, livery for county surveyor	5 25
Swan Akonson, thirty cords of wood for county buildings	82 50
H R Hanson, witness fees and mileage State vs. Kemp	1 12
Mrs H R Hanson, witness fees and mileage State vs Kemp	1 12
C W Johnson, postage and express Clerk of Court's office	4 50
A D Reopelle, fourteen cords of wood for county buildings	38 50
Bethany Hospital, nursing Mrs Nels Crue, operation and medicine	12 00
John B O'Brien, postage and express, County Auditor's office	25 27
C W Johnson, misc. district court fees	6 20
O T Tandberg, postage in County Treasurer's office	10 60
Y M Higinbotham, fire ins. policy on court house property	13 75
George Jarman, deputy sheriff's fees	9 40
Thomas Germo, long distance telephone calls	5 50
Northwestern School Supply Co., two reams Exm paper	5 50
Bank of Red Lake Falls, int. and exchange on $1,000 mortgage against court house property	17 50
S A Swanson, drawing petit jurors one day and mileage	3 20
First State Bank of Red Lake Falls typewriter for Judge of Probate's office	40 00
G O Johnson, expense in the insanity of Mrs. G Aaknes	42 55
Dr J F Carmen, medical service and care of A Amundson	35 00
Tennis Lerone, board and care of A Amundson 3 days	16 00
E G Buse, int. on $642.00 mortgage against court house property, from Jan. 4 to Feb. 4, 07	3 75
Chas Hout, livery for road and bridge committee	3 50
Newbury & Bulman, livery hire for Co Surveyor on county ditch No 26	7 00
Pioneer Press Co., supplies for county offices	27 00
St. Hilaire Spectator, miscellaneous publication	319 35
Red Lake Falls Gazette, stationery for county offices	57 50
Red Lake Falls Gazette, stationery for county supt of schools	13 25
Red Lake Courier, stationery for county offices	9 75
John W Eastman, stationery for county offices	16 50
Free Press Ptg Co., stationery for county offices	24 75
Brown, Treacy & Sperry Co., stationery for county offices	11 25
Minneapolis Stamp and Pencil Co., rubber stamp for county offices	2 20
Ed Iverson, carrying general election returns, town of Clover Leaf	3 85
Henry Hanson, carrying general election returns, town of Silverton	3 00
William Luxemburger, taking care of James Nelson two days insane	4 00
Paul Schoenauer, taking care of James Nelson, and livery to Red Lake Falls	6 00
Wm C L Demann, taking care of James Nelson and livery to Red Lake Falls	1 00
Joseph Pigeon, mileage attending commissioners meeting	3 20
Ed A Aubol, mileage attending commissioners meeting	3 00
C A Lindquist, mileage attending commissioners meeting	4 00
Wm C L Demann, mileage attending comissioners meeting	1 49
Daniel Shaw, mileage attending commissioners meetings, Jan. 8th and Feb. 26th, 1907	8 00
Daniel Shaw, long distance telephone calls	75

On motion, duly carried the following bills were laid over:

James K Wood, engineers fees and expense on county ditch No 24 and 28	11 10
Harry Schockley, to serving citation on Anna Anderson for nonpayment of personal property tax	4 20
Orin Daniels, in the matter of the insanity of Clara Erickson for conveying her to state hospital for insane at Fergus Falls	39 75
Fred Zalser, service as viewer on co ditch No. 28	4 00
Red Lake Falls Electric Co. to lighting court house and jail Dec. 1906 and Jan. 1907	28 85
Daniel Linnihan, office rent for the years 1904 and 1905	180 00

On motion, duly carried, the following bills were rejected:

John Carlson, service on county ditch No. 25	27 22
Leonch Gauthier, service on county ditch No. 27	11 09
Red Lake Falls Gazette, publishing notices for teachers exams	4 35

On motion duly carried a recess was taken until 8 o'clock a. m., February 27, 1907.

February 27, 1907.

Meeting called to order by the chairman.

All members present.

On motion duly carried the county treasurer was allowed $150.00 or such part thereof as is necessary for clerk hire in said treasurer's office for the year 1907.

On motion duly carried, Commissioners Lindquist, Pigeon and Demann be a committee to examine and decide on the necessary protection for the Louisville bridge.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Hunt and Kankel, supplies for court house	$9 98
Joseph Perrault, clerk of court fees	52 05

On motion, carried unanimously, the Board adjourned sine die.

(Seal) —C. A. Lindquist,
Attest: Chairman County Board.
—John B. O'Brien,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed, and delivered by L. A. Dautremont and Laura E. Dautremont, his wife, mortgagors, to Phil A. Kaufer, mortgagee, which mortgage bears date the 9th day of September, 1903, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota on 12th day of September, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., in book 21, of mortgages on page 168, by the terms of which mortgage the following described premises were described in, mortgaged and conveyed to said mortgagee, to wit: Lots nine (9), ten (10), and the north ten (10) feet of lot eleven (11), in block seven (7) in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the corrected plat thereof, being in Red Lake county, Minnesota, and was given to secure the payment of the sum of one thousand dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, payable annually, on the 9th day of September in each year, according to the conditions of one principal note: by failure to pay the $1000 falling due on the 9th day of September, 1904 and by failure to pay the taxes levied upon said real estate for the year 1905, and whereas, said mortgage, provided as one of its conditions that in case of failure to pay said note or any part of said interest when the same becomes due or to pay any taxes levied upon said realestate before the same becomes delinquent, the whole sum of money or indebtedness thereby secured shall thereupon become due and payable:

And Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice on said principal indebtedness and interest thereon to the date hereof the sum of one thousand one hundred eighteen dollars, ($1118.00.)

And Whereas, because of said defaults and each of them the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, and no action at law or in equity having been instituted to cover said mortgage indebtedness.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises above described which sale will be made by the sheriff of said county of Red Lake at the west front door of the court house in city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said indebtedness, the attorney's fees of $25.00 and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year thereafter, as provided by law.

Dated Feb. 26, 1907.

—Phil A. Kaufer,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls. f28-a4

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Rudolf Warberg and Katharina Warberg, his wife, mortgagors, to Ralph Rogers mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in book 29 of mortgages, on page 29

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Ralph Rogers mortgagee, to G. B. Ward by written assignment dated the 15th day of October 1906, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of November 1906, at 1:00 o'clock P. M.; in book 32 of mortgages on page 391.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said G. B. Ward, the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, by written assignment dated the 13th day of November, 1906, and recorded on the 22nd day of November, 1906, at 3:10 o'clock P. M., in book 15 mortgages page 339, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

North east quarter of section numbered twenty-eight (28), in township numbered one hundred fifty (150), north of range forty-one (41), west of the 5th P. M. in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 23rd day of March, 1907, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty and no-100 dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, February 6th, 1907.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

F. A. Grady, Attorney for
Assignee of Mortgagee, f7-m21
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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COURT SETS MONDAY

Red Lake County Court Mill Will Start On A Several Days Grind.

The March term of the District Court for Red Lake county will convene at the court house in this city Monday of next week, with the Hon. Judge Watts on the bench.

The calendar for this term is not a very extensive one, but there are enough cases on hand to be tried to keep the mill grinding for a week or more at least.

The grand jury will probably get together on that day, also, but what will be the result of their deliberations is not even hinted at. There is but one minor criminal case on the calendar, but perhaps some can be found if the jury is thus inclined.

There are no sensational or really important cases listed on the civil calendar, but there will be several jury cases, and the session will likely last a week or more.

Joachim Rose Dies.

Joachim Rose, an old and highly respected resident of this part of the county, died at his home east of town Tuesday, after a several weeks illness with paralysis. Mr. Rose was well advanced in years, but prior to the time he was stricken with his final illness had always enjoyed good health. He has been a resident of southern Red Lake county for a great many years, and has several grown sons and daughters residing in this neighborhood. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church this morning, a large number of sorrowing relatives and friends following the remains to their final place of rest in the Catholic cemetery east of the city. A more extended obituary will be printed next week.

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THE ROSEAU EXTENSION.

Great Northern Announces There Will Be No Further Delays.

A report was received this week direct from a Great Northern official high in authority, says the Roseau Region, to the effect that the extension from Greenbush to Roseau and Warroad, the grade for which was practically completed last fall and, during the winter in the more swampy sections, will be rushed to completion at the earliest possible moment. The rails are available as are the ties, and the delays that have disappointed the people of Roseau and other towns along the poposed line are at an end.

The Great Northern proposes to have trains running on the extension early in the summer.

Old Mr. Draper Gone.

Thief River Press: Jeddah Draper died in his home in this city Monday morning, March 11th, at age of 84 years. The old gentleman had been confined to his bed for many months and death had been slowly but surely approaching its victim since he became bedridden. The funeral was conducted from the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Chas. Flesher.

The deceased is survived by his wife and two sons, one of whom, Hank, lives in this city. He was born in Connecticut in 1822, later moved to Pennsylvania, then to New York and afterward to Wisconsin. In the spring of 1884 he came to Red Lake Falls. Nine years ago the family moved to this city where they have since made their home.

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JOHN S. HAMILTON.

Who will conduct the Revival Meetings at the Presbyterian Church.

REVIVALS NEXT WEEK

Rev. John S. Hamilton and Prof. Bursk Will Conduct Two Weeks Services In This City.

Rev. John S. Hamilton, an evangelist of note, and Prof. John R. Bursk, a singer and musician, will open a series of revival meetings at the Presbyterian church here on Tuesday evening of next week, the 26th inst.

The meetings will continue every evening for two weeks, and the public is invited out to hear these talented gentlemen.

Rev. Hamilton has just conducted a series of meetings at Blackduck and his work is spoken of in the highest terms by the press and people of that place. He is an eloquent, forceful talker, and his subjects are all well handled.

Mr. Bursk is an excellent singer and choir leader, and during the meetings here will have able assistance by the regular church choir.

The meetings will be well worth attending, and a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

A Happy Wedding.

Mapelton Enterprise: In the neighborhood of eighty-five relatives gathered at the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Atcherson, of Medo, on Tuesday of this week, March 12, to witness the marriage of their daughter, Miss Clara, to Mr. Fremont Severson.

At precisely two o'clock p. m., Miss Olson played the wedding march while the bridal party proceeded to the parlor and there, in the presence of their many friends, they were united for life. Rev. Olson, pastor of the Norwegian Lutheran church of Medo, read the marriage ceremony which in accordance with the rites of the church is both beautiful and impressive.

The bride wore a beautiful gown of white and carried a boquet of roses, and the groom was neatly attired in a suit of black. They were accompanied by Miss Cleo Atcherson as brides maid and Mr. Bertie Severson acting as best man. Miss Clara is the second eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Atcherson of Medo, and is a young lady of culture and refinment. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lars Severson and is a very industrious young man who is honest and straghtforward in all his dealings.

Following the marriage service the company sat down to partake of a sumptuous wedding banquet. The happy couple were the recipients of many beautiful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Severson will make their future home near Red Lake Falls, this state, where the groom owns a fine farm. In leaving the community where they have lived so long they carry to their new home the best wishes of a host of friends.

You should be very careful of your bowels when you have a cold. Nearly all other cough syrups are constipating, especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup moves the bowels—contains NO opiates. Conforms to National Pure Food and Drugs Law. Bears the endorsement of mothers everywhere. Children like its pleasant taste. Sold by all druggists.

HEARING ON DITCH NO.5

Much Argued Ditch Affair Will Be Heard At Erskine Saturday, March 23rd.

On Saturday of this week Judge Watts, Clerk of Court Lanctot and Surveyor Ralph will hold a hearing on proposed Judicial Ditch No. 5 at Erskine, when the matter of the oppposition to the construction of the waterway will be taken up and considered finally.

The first hearing in this ditch matter was held in March 1906, when the matter was heard at Erskine. The opposition to the waterway at that time hired a St. Paul attorney to fight their side of the case, and the result was that the matter was indefinately postponed.

It is stated now, however, that many who opposed the construction of the waterway at that time have become convinced that the ditch would be greatly beneficial to the people along the route, and at the hearing Saturday their opposition will be withdrawn. There are still some who oppose the plan, however, but it is thought that they will be largely in the minority at the hearing Saturday of this week.

Ditch No. 5 will start at a point in Polk county and run in a northerly and westerly direction emptying into Terrebonne ditch No. 1 in this county, the water finally being emptied into the Clearwater. The section of the country to be drained by this ditch is said to be badly in need of just such a waterway, and the majority of the people whose land it will touch are said now to favor its construction.

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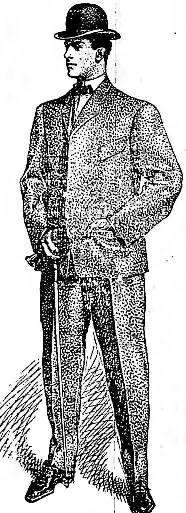

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

RESUME OF THAW TRIAL.

[illegible] Harry K. Thaw stripped off [illegible] Nesbit's clothes and flogged [illegible] before she was married to [illegible] she "would not tell lies [illegible] Stanford White," was argued by [illegible] Attorney Jerome in court. The [illegible] was telling, in the hearing of the jury, what he intended to prove by the testimony of Abraham Hummel, the disbarred and indicted lawyer, his arguments serving the same purpose as would the testimony, should Justice Fitzgerald overrule Mr. Delmas' objections and permit it to be given.

District Attorney Jerome scored on the defense in the Thaw trial by securing the admission of testimony by James Clinch Smith, brother-in-law of Stanford White, who said he talked with Thaw just before the killing and he seemed entirely sane. The attorneys made tentative plans for the closing stages of the trial.

District Attorney Jerome attempted to introduce testimony to disprove the story told by Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, but was completely blocked by the objections of Attorney Delmas and the renewed ruling of Justice Fitzgerald that [illegible] Mrs. Thaw's story was admissible only as tending to show the effect it might have had in unbalancing the defendant's mind, and that its truth or falsity is not material.

The defense in the Thaw case having rested, the trial was adjourned to give Jerome a chance to arrange his testimony in rebuttal. Mrs. Evelyn Thaw was subpoenaed to bring into court letters from Stanford White. May Mackenzie and Howard Nesbit also will be called on to testify. It was reported that if Thaw is acquitted his family will seek to separate him and Mrs. Thaw.

Harry Thaw received a long communication from Delphin M. Delmas, his senior counsel, and Prosecuting Attorney Jerome and his experts framed a hypothetical question.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Death to a number of persons and great damage to property was done by floods in the vicinity of Pittsburg and all down the Ohio river valley.

Quartermaster Sergeant Osborn told the senate committee on Brownsville that cast off khaki uniforms and ammunition were left at Fort Brown by the Twenty-sixth infantry where citizens of Brownsville might easily have picked them up.

Conferences arranged by the business interests of Louisville seemed likely to bring the strike of street car employes to an early end. There were two rather serious outbreaks of violence.

The San Francisco board of education adopted resolutions agreed upon at the conference with President Roosevelt at Washington, rescinding its action in segregating Japanese pupils in the public schools. It is understood the board will abide by this action, provided the president retains his attitude regarding the limitation of Japanese immigration.

James Hahnel, known to the world as Brother Martin, the oldest member of the Xaverian Brotherhood in the United States, died at Louisville, Ky., of senility. He was born in Cologne, Germany, in 1824.

H. L. Kerrick, one of the wealthiest farmers of central Illinois, was found dead in bed at Bloomington, Ill. He had just been elected president of the board of trustees of the University of Illinois.

Emma Kubicek, a student at the Illinois state school for the blind at Jacksonville, died of pneumonia. She was known as a second Helen Keller and had been deaf, dumb and blind since birth.

Twenty-three cadets of the Missouri Military academy at Mexico, Mo., many of them members of prominent families, were expelled from the academy for hazing Cadet Czane, of Peoria, Ill.

James K. Burnham, head of a large wholesale dry goods firm at Kansas City, Mo., and formerly of Detroit, where he retained large financial interests, died, aged 64 years.

Believing herself abandoned by a man who had brought her to Chicago from Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Miss Frances Ricollet, 24 years old, shot herself in the right temple and died.

Word reached Naples that an Italian had left the United States to kill King Victor Emmanuel.

The California supreme court denied the application made by the attorneys for Abraham Ruef for a writ of prohibition to prevent Judge Dunne from proceeding with the trial pending the disposition of the writ of error to the United States supreme court by Judge Hebbard.

The powder magazines on board the French battleship Iena blew up at Toulon and as a result Capt. Adigard, the commander of the battleship; Capt. Vertier, chief of staff of the Mediterranean squadron, and from 70 to 80 bluejackets were killed and Rear Admiral Manceron and hundreds of other men were injured.

Trinity college, a school for negroes, located at Athens, Ala., and owned by the Congregational Society of New York, was destroyed by fire.

Roll calls show that the probable number of deaths resulting from the explosion on the French battleship Iena at Toulon is 120.

Pat Egee, an insane farmer who lived near Hill City, Kan., shot and killed J. J. Plumb, a neighbor, and then forced another neighbor to hand him some poison, with which he committed suicide.

Mrs. S. N. Castle, an early missionary in the Hawaiian islands, died at Honolulu, aged 90 years.

Harry H. Blake, a well known English actor who had been leading man with Crane, Gillette and Nat Goodwin, died at Colorado Springs, Col., of tuberculosis.

J. S. Nixon, president of a wholesale grocery firm and one of the most prominent men in Augusta, Ga., was arrested on a charge of violating the bankruptcy laws by accepting more than the ten per cent. that was due him.

Engineer Kellogg and his fireman were killed in a wreck on the Chicago Great Western railroad at Dubuque.

Fifteen persons were crushed when a Southern Pacific freight engine crashed into a Maple avenue street car at a crossing near Ascot park in Los Angeles, Cal.

The supreme court at Columbus, O., affirmed the decision of the Lucus county circuit court. The law, which is sustained by this decision, gives local option to cities by petition instead of by election.

The government is investigating land entries in Idaho which, it is said, will disclose the greatest frauds ever perpetrated in this country.

Horace G. McDowell, president of the Farmers' bank of Canton, O., shot and killed himself.

Adolph Huntemann, who died in the general hospital, in Kansas City, Mo., leaving an estate valued at $400,000, has no heirs, as far as the public administrator can learn.

The big wall paper factory of Janeway & Carpenter at New Brunswick, N. J., was badly damaged by fire. Many of the women employed were overcome by fright and were carried from the building in a fainting condition.

Two thousand persons were made homeless by a fire that destroyed most of the town of Borseno, Italy.

John Arbuckle's "P. O." ranch of 55,000 acres and its stock, near Cheyenne, Wyo., were put on the market.

Secretary Taft has given orders to the engineer officers of the war department to enforce to the letter the language of the eight-hour law as applied to public works under their direction.

The Union Pacific railroad announced that work on the Athol Hill cut-off near Cheyenne, Wyo., would be discontinued because of adverse legislation towards that road ending in a cut of rates.

Seven nephews and nieces of the late Count John Creighton of Omaha are planning to contest his will.

The British tramp steamer Gownnburn went ashore off Blue Point on the south shore of Long Island.

Conditions in general in the Panama canal zone are declared to be extremely favorable for completion of the canal within the eight years ending January 1, 1915, as estimated by the engineers in charge of the work, in the opinion of the committees from commercial clubs in Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis, who arrived at Charleston, S. C., after a visit to the isthmus.

Three members of the board of public service of Columbus, O., two city employes, the president of the Cleveland-Trinidad Paving company and two of its employes, and the Columbus manager of the American Sewer Pipe company were indicted by the grand jury as the result of an investigation of charges of bribery in connection with the contract for paving East Broad street, the most fashionable residence street of the city.

Col. John Temple Graves, editor of the Georgian, was assaulted in the street at Atlanta, Ga., by J. H. Crutchfield, who recently was tried for attempted assassination of Mrs. Crutchfield.

Eight hundred boilermakers employed by the Chicago Shipbuilding company in the South Chicago plant voted to strike. The action will result in a complete tie-up of the plant, in which are employed nearly 1,500 workmen.

The wireless station at Point Loma, near San Diego, Cal., was in communication with Pensacola, Washington, and the battleship Connecticut at New York.

Two indictments against the school desk and furniture combine were returned by the federal grand jury sitting in Chicago.

The state militia was called to Manchester, Ia., to guard two men arrested for blowing up the bank at Masonville March 6, from mob violence.

At the request of President Roosevelt the California legislature decided not to pass any anti-Japanese measures at the present session.

Fred W. Baker, second cousin of Mrs. Eddy, and Dr. E. J. Foster-Eddy, her adopted son, have become parties plaintiff to the suit against Christian Science officials.

The new Ransford hotel at Brainerd, Minn., was burned, the loss being $260,000.

A continuation of disorders, the suspension of service at three o'clock in the afternoon after an intermittent and ineffectual service, and the first move towards intervention by the commercial interests of the city marked the third day of the street car strike in Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Russell Sage has set aside the sum of $10,000,000, to be known as the Sage foundation and to be devoted to the improvement of social and living conditions in the United States.

While insane, Irving T. Peckham, superintendent of the Glenark Knitting mills, of Woonsocket, shot and seriously injured his father, Samuel O. Peckham, at Auburn, R. I., and afterwards committed suicide.

A dispatch from Hongkong reports that the British China squadron has achieved a world's record in light quick-firing practice. The cruiser King Alfred made 20 hits in 38 rounds from three-pounders and 100 hits in 143 rounds from 12-pounders.

Election results in Maine were surprising, the Republicans regaining control of Bangor while the Democrats took Augusta and Belfast, as usual, and routed the citizens' party in Biddeford. Brewer went solidly Republican, no opposition being offered.

Knoxville, Tenn., by a majority of nearly 2,000 votes, decided that the saloons must go. Six months' time will be allowed them to close.

President Roosevelt stated that, so far from granting a pardon to former Senator Burton of Kansas, he would lengthen his term of imprisonment if he could.

Col. Henry G. Shaw, 65 years old, a former newspaper man, recently connected with the customs house in San Francisco, is dead. Col. Shaw was a veteran of the civil war.

William C. Salisbury, who was a pioneer judge in Ogle county, Illinois, died at Legrand, Ia. He was 97 years old. On his way west from Pennsylvania he passed a settlement of three log cabins, now the city of Chicago.

Chief of Police George G. Sheets, of Salt Lake City, Utah, charged with conspiracy to defraud tourists passing through Salt Lake City, was held by Judge Whittaker to answer to the criminal division of the district court.

The Iroquois hotel in the Michigan Soo was destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $200,000. It was one of the finest hotels in northern Michigan, and did a large tourist business.

Capt. Von Behrens was fatally wounded in a duel near Berlin with a personage of high rank whose identity was concealed.

A huge icicle fell from the Niagara gorge cliffs onto a trolley car, killing the motorman.

M. Casimir-Perrier, ex-president of France, died suddenly of embolism of the heart at his residence in Paris.

Henry Kaatz shot and seriously wounded his friend, Martin Kunz, at Fairfax, Minn., and then killed himself.

Lawson Emerson, former clerk of the supreme court of Ohio, was indicted for embezzlement.

Gov. Deneen of Illinois designated Friday, April 26, as "Bird and Arbor day."

President James J. Hill told a Minnesota legislative committee that he would be glad to have the government take the Great Northern railroad off his hands.

Violence resulting in injuries more or less severe to nearly a dozen persons; the feeble and spasmodic operation of less than 100 cars for a few hours under inadequate and lukewarm police protection, and the development of an apparently general pro-union feeling on the part of the general public marked the second day of the strike of the union employes of the Louisville Railway company.

J. Pierpont Morgan conferred with President Roosevelt for an hour and a half on the railroad problems of the country. President Roosevelt agreed to the suggestion made by Mr. Morgan that he meet to discuss general railroad affairs as affected by the railway rate law with President McCrea of the Pennsylvania system, President Newman of the New York Central, President Mellen of the New York, New Haven & Hartford, President Hughitt of the Chicago & Northwestern, and probably President Harriman of the "Harriman lines."

M. Petkoff, premier of Bulgaria, was assassinated by a discharged employe of the Agricultural bank at Sofia.

President Roosevelt will sign an order restoring to the public domain approximately 30,000,000 acres of land recently withdrawn as coal lands.

A man in Dresden killed five of his children, his wife and himself because food was scarce.

William F. Sands, secretary of the American legation at Panama, resenting a slur on Secretary Root, arranged to fight a duel with M. Rosenthal, a French resident.

The post office department will not draw the color line in the matter of white and negro mail clerks working together on the same runs, as the white clerks of the middle west had planned to ask.

Bert Curtis was arraigned in New York charged with having entered the Misses Lockwoods' school for girls at Scarsdale, N. Y., and stolen $6,000 worth of gems.

A bomb was exploded in Barcelona, Spain, injuring the man who was carrying it. Another bomb was discovered near the palace of Marquise Comilla, owner of the Spanish Transatlantic company.

The first all-steel fireproof mail car in service was put on the road by the Pennsylvania between New York and Washington.

Princes Edward and Albert, the eldest sons of the prince of Wales, will tour the world shortly in a battleship.

Three men were killed by the explosion of a locomotive boiler at Metuchen, N. J.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, March 11—The house held a short session Saturday, considered a few bills on general orders, advanced some to the calendar, then adjourned till Wednesday morning. This was because many members desired to be at their homes Tuesday when town elections take place throughout the state. The senate, however, will convene Monday evening.

The two committees on appropriations have decided that appropriations for state institutions, which will come close to $4,000,000, will have to be raised by an adjustment of the state tax levy. Because of the fact that the tax amendment which was apparently carried at the last election may be defeated by a recount being demanded at Duluth, the finance committees of both branches of the legislature are fearful of trusting to raising money to run the state institutions thru special bills which depend on the legality of the constitutional amendment. It is possible the half mill which State Auditor S. G. Iverson estimated would be all that was necessary for a rate, may be increased to one mill.

There is indication that the railroad bill hearings which have been going on for some weeks, may be drawn out a much longer time. Friday, the whole afternoon was taken up in the senate chamber with a hearing on the Cashman distance tariff bill. A number of delegations which desired to be heard, especially one from Duluth, didn't get a chance to "get in a word edgeways," so will be given a chance later, the committee agreeing not to take action on the bill till these people are heard. The great objection urged against the Cashman measure is the demand of an equality in the "rate per ton, per mile," and it is possible the measure may have this section cut out.

St. Paul, March 12—The senate was in session but twenty minutes tonight; just long enough for the introduction of half a dozen bills, the reporting of two or three committees, and for Senator George P. Wilson of Minneapolis, the most sedate member of the upper house, to crack a joke.

The most important action of the evening was the approval of a report of the committee on grain and warehouse, recommending for passage several bills for stricter regulation of of the grain trade, S. F. 137, fixing a uniform method of buying and selling grain and to prevent combinations to control prices; H. F. 125, relating to storage and shipment of grain; H. F. 115, providing against fraud in the issuance of receipts or certificates for grain, hay or straw weighed; H. F. 116, authorizing the railroad and warehouse commission to fix the time when local warehousemen shall keep their houses open for business.

Another bill aimed at the abolishment of the saloons in the vicinity of Fort Snelling made its appearance in S. F. 552, Thorpe, providing that the sale of rum shall not take place within one mile of a government reservation. Senator Hanson introduced S. F. 554 aimed at preventing one telephone company from freezing out another. It prohibits any unreasonable cut in telephone prices for this purpose. Violation is made punishable by a fine of $100 to $500. A bill aimed at compelling railroads to continually keep in use all tracks and sidetracks within this state, and prohibiting abandonment or tearing up of any trackage, was introduced in S. F. 553 by Clague.

Senate Wilson got in his joke when the house bill, backed by the superintendent of the Children's Aid society, and making it compulsory for mothers to nurse their children, was read. The bill was referred to the committee on health. "That a mistake", he told the chair. "The bill should go to the committee on drainage." And "Rome howled."

St. Paul, March 12—James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern road, was a witness all this afternoon before the Sundberg committee of the state senate which is investigating the general subject of railroads. Mr. Hill talked very freely, giving out much information which he has oft before repeated. He was asked as to whether he would be willing to let the government operate his road.

"I'd be glad to sell it to them at what it represents as an investment, $60,000 a mile," he replied, "but I think before long the government would feel like the man who drew an elephant at a lottery; that he would have to get up another lottery to get rid of the thing."

Mr. Hill denied that Minnesota shippers are compelled to pay any of the heavy expenses of operating his road over the Rockies. "On the contrary," he said, "if it were not for the business our line gets outside of of Minnesota, shippers in this state would have to pay 30 to 40 per cent higher rates to keep the road going."

The senate today passed the house 2-cent railroad fare bill. The measure was amended, however, so as to be a duplicate of the Peterson senate bill. It will now have to go to the house for that body's approval of the amendments. It looks as though this approval would not be at once forthcoming, and that a conference committee of members of both bodies will have to meet to adjust the matter and perhaps draft a new bill. Procrastination is getting to be the great bane of this session on all important measures. The vote on the passage of the bill today in the senate was 43 for, and but 5 against it.

The senate today also passed the house bill calling for establishment of a farm machinery plant at the state prison. There were 10 votes against the bill. There is every probability that this bill will now become a law.

On motion of Senator D. M. Gunn of Grand Rapids, the senate adopted a resolution for the appointment of two senators and three representatives for another legislative investigation. This one is to look into the advisibility of the establishment in Minnesota of the indeterminate sentence for the punishment of all crimes, criminals to be sentenced on the reformatory plan. Legislative investigation committees are now so numerous, that if they were all to convene at the same time during a session, there would be little left of either body for the transaction of regular business. So far none of the investigations has developed anything startling.

The committee to investigate the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce held a session today, but accomplished the usual "little." L. T. Jamme, secretary, was the witness. He told that the object of the chamber was for the better handling of various products for all parties interested in such transactions. The membership is now limited to 550. Forty one members are located at points outside of Minneapolis, and not all in the grain business. He said the reason the Farmers' Exchange was not admitted as a member, was that it had withdrawn an application it had filed for membership and never renewed it though invited to do so. He emphatically denied that the chamber is in any way a monopoly of the grain business, or fixes prices.

The house held no session today, but will convene tomorrow.

St. Paul, March 13—As predicted, the house today refused to concur in the senate amendments to the Spooner two-cent railroad fare bill, and the author of the house file, L. C. Spooner asked for a conference committee of five. Spooner, Thayer, Wells, Handlan, and Morse, were named. They will confer with a like number from the senate, yet to be appointed. The drafting of a new bill as a result of this conference is not unlikely.

R. J. Wells of Breckenridge, offered a bill in the house today for the taxation of public utilities on a gross earnings basis. Earnings of $500,000 are to pay 3½ per cent; up to $1,000,000, 4 per cent; in excess of $1,500,000, 5½ per cent. Street car, gas, water, all conduit and subway systems, come under this classification for taxation.

Senator Henry McColl of St. Paul, introduced an important measure in the upper house today. It provides for election of United States senators on the plan of the Oregon law; that they be nominated at a state primary, and later go on the general election ballots to be voted upon for election by the people.

The semi-centennial exposition bill was awakened from a long nap in the senate today by its author, J. M. Hackney, and several amendments attached. The most important was one adding the names of the original commission which reported on the advisibility of the exposition to the governor, to the board of managers for the show. These are Jos. T. Mannix of Minneapolis, who two years ago originated the semi-centennial celebration idea when a house member; F. B. Lynch, of St. Paul; M. B. Cullom of Duluth; Chas. C. Whitney of Marshall; and C. H. Kohler of Minneapolis.

Something of a surprise came in the senate today when the judiciary committee recommended for passage the bill calling for a constitutional amendment to allow woman suffrage on an equality with men. The bill will next come up in committee of the whole for debate.

Harrison White, a house member, has thought of another way the legislature can spend a bunch of money, and incorporated it in a bill. The measure provides for investment of $10,000 in a statue of "Peace" for the new capitol, to be copied after the Minnesota memorial in the Vicksburg military park.

James J. Hill was before the Sundberg committee of the senate again today. This is the committee which is stirring up the general subject of railroads. Mr. Hill told the committee that the time is near when western rates will all have to be raised by the railroads. He admitted his road had never missed a dividend period, but contended that if his road gave good service at existing low rates, the company is entitled to earn whatever profits it can.

Dies Under Load Of Hay

Hardwick—John Brown, sixty-two years old, a farmer living north of here, was instantly killed on Saturday by the overturning of a load of hay. Brown and a young man were hauling hay and as they crossed the railroad track there was a sudden lurch; Brown was thrown heavily to the ground and the load of hay tipped over upon him. His companion escaped uninjured and hastened to dig Brown from beneath the avalanche of hay. When he was taken out he was dead, his neck being broken.

Theft Victim Profits

St. Cloud—"This is in payment for the goods stolen," was the burden of a note wrapped about $75 in currency which was found at the Hillebrand grocery store when it was opened in the morning. Hillebrand does not know where the money came from nor who is the sender. About a week ago a thief broke into the grocery store and stole goods amounting to about $25. The matter at once was placed in the hands of the police, but they never succeeded in finding any clue to the robber.

HARKER ACTED IN HASTE.

Man Who Came to "Start Something" Was All Right.

Harker was in a fierce humor the other morning when the front door opened and in walked a stranger unannounced.

"I came," began the stranger, taking off his coat and rolling up his sleeves.

"What!" thundered Harker. "You didn't come in here to start anything, did you?"

"I did," replied the stranger, coolly, "I—"

But he got no further. With a savage whoop Harker grabbed the intruder around the waist and deposited him on the sidewalk. Two hours later his wife returned.

"William," said she, "was there anyone here during my absence?"

"Yes," snorted Harker, "there was some lunatic here who said he came to start something, but I just hundled him out on the sidewalk before he had time to make a move."

"William, you are the biggest goose in town!"

"In what way?"

"Why, the man came to start the clock that hasn't been running for a week. He is a clocksmith."

CASE OF BEFORE AND AFTER.

Or, What Happens to Voters Who Bother Congressmen.

"Certainly, old man," said the candidate, as he slapped the voter on the back, "you see that the boys send me to Washington and then come down and look for an office."

So in due time the candidate reached congress and the voter arrived with his card.

"I have come down to look for an office," announced the voter.

"Oh, you are looking for an office," exclaimed the congressman, as he glanced up from a mountain of documents. "Well, my dear man, what kind of an office are you looking for? The post office, the patent office, the weather office, the—"

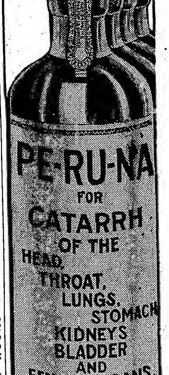
"No, I—"

"Oh, well, sir, if it is none of those offices I really haven't the time to direct you. In fact, sir, I would have you understand that I am no guide to Washington, anyway. Go out and ask a policeman."

And then the busy congressman closed the door and proceeded to forget the voter until election day.—Chicago Daily News.

Obituaries of Noted Men.

Interesting comparisons are supplied by a clipping bureau regarding the articles printed in the newspapers about the deaths of prominent men. No other man in America had so much printed about his death in the newspapers as McKinley. Carl Schurz has received thus far 12,000 obituary notices, more than any other man since McKinley. John Hay and Joseph Jefferson had 10,000 each and Mark Hanna 8,000.



W. A. Mitchell, dealer in general merchandise, Martin, Ga., writes:

"My wife lost in weight from 130 to 68 pounds. We saw she could not live long. She was a skeleton, so we consulted an old physician. He told her to try Peruna.

"She gradually commenced improving and getting a little strength. She now weighs 106 pounds. She is gaining every day, and does her own housework and cooking."

READERS of this paper desiring to buy anything advertised in its columns should insist upon having what they ask for, refusing all substitutes or imitations.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Shoots Friend, Then Himself.

Fairfax.—The plot of a desperate man to murder his friend and to kill himself was only partly carried out here, when Henry Kaatz, aged thirty-five, shot Martin Kunz, a barkeeper, aged forty, in the back of the head and then turned the weapon upon himself, inflicting a wound in his own head from which he died immediately.

The shooting occurred in Joseph Dickmeyer's saloon, in which Kunz had worked as a barkeeper for a dozen years. Kaatz went to Kunz's rooms and asked him to go to the saloon with him. Arriving at the saloon both took a drink, and Kunz leaned back in a chair while Kaatz sat upon a billiard table and carried on what appeared to be a mutually agreeable conversation.

Suddenly Kaatz strode from the table to a position close beside his friend, and taking a revolver from his pocket fired a bullet at close range into the back of Kunz's head. Kunz dropped like a log, and everybody in the saloon thought he was dying. Without a second's delay Kaatz raised the gun to his own forehead and blew out his brains.

Kunz was seen to be breathing and was taken to the office of a physician, where it was found he was merely stunned, the bullet having flattened against a bone just below the left ear. The bullet was removed and he is now recovering.

Kunz declares there was no provocation for the attempt upon his life and no motive for the suicide of Kaatz, unless it be that the latter had grown tired of his reckless and unsatisfactory way of living and had plotted his own death and that of his inseparable friend so that the two might be joined in death.

Fires at Brainerd.

Brainerd.—Brainerd was visited by two dangerous fires at the same time. Mrs. Thomas H. Beare, wife of the proprietor of the Rainsford hotel, dropped a candle in the closet of her apartments, setting fire to the clothing. The alarm was promptly given and the contents of six hand fire extinguishers was used without effect. The department succeeded in finally extinguishing the flames after a stubborn fight of over two hours. The [illegible] the east wing of the hotel [illegible] total loss and the rooms on the [illegible] floor practically ruined. The [illegible] floor was deluged with water, [illegible] the contents of the stores on [illegible] floor. There were no fatalities [illegible] though several firemen and volunteers were nearly overcome with [illegible]

While the fire was at its worst W. E. [illegible] agricultural machinery warehouse [illegible] discovered wrapped in [illegible] It was a total loss.

Will Inspect Wheat.

Minneapolis.—Word was received that the government would establish grain laboratories in Minneapolis, Duluth and St. Louis for grading wheat. This announcement is looked upon with favor by many of the grain men, who believe in federal inspection rather than state inspection. There are similar laboratories for inspection in New York and Baltimore, and the location of three in the West is believed to be a step in advance. The different systems of grading prevailing in different states often causes grain men much inconvenience and trouble, and under a general federal grading they believe much of this difficulty would be eliminated. Local firms now have their own laboratories, but the federal inspection will be on a much broader scale and the work will be in charge of government experts.

Bull Gores Aged Man.

Wadena.—J. G. Anderson, seventy years old, living at Compton, west of here, was seriously injured by a bull which he had gone into the barn to feed. While he was arranging hay for the animal, it suddenly attacked him, pinning him against the wall of the barn. The fact that the bull had been dehorned is all that saved Mr. Anderson's life. The bull's attention was distracted for a moment and the aged man managed to crawl partially outside the barn door. His legs remained inside, and these the bull stamped with his feet and probably would have fatally hurt the old man had his son not discovered his predicament and rescued him.

Ask John D. to Help.

St. Paul—Governor John A. Johnson has asked John D. Rockerfeller, the Standard Oil magnate, to aid in creating an endowment fund for Gustavus Adolphus college at St. Peter.

Directors of the college for some time have been endeavoring to raise a new building and endowment fund for $250,000. So far, the subscriptions have only reached $40,000, and they decided to appeal to the man of millions to help one of the leading educational institutions of the state. The directors asked Governor Johnson, who for the most of his life has lived at St. Peter, where the college is located, to write the letter, and the governor willingly consented.

NEWS NOTES.

Minneapolis.—Robert Bellaire, a farmer living near Mankato, was robbed of $350 by a pickpocket on a Washington avenue south car in Minneapolis. The robber has not been found.

St. Paul.—The annual drill-down for privates and non-commissioned officers was held at the state farm school. A. P. O'Brien won the contest for privates and H. A. Fallingsted carried off the honors among the non-commissioned officers. Capt. Sigerfoos, commandant of the university battalion, awarded the medals to the winners.

Mankato.—The movement against dogs is spreading in Southern Minnesota. The Lanesboro and Brownton councils are the latest to order all dogs muzzled.

Lake Benton.—The creamery last year distributed $65,000 to its patrons for milk and cream.

Woodmen Elect Officers.

Minneapolis—William N. Brown of Minneapolis was elected head consul of jurisdiction D of the Woodmen of the World at the biennial election held by the convention at the Hotel Nicollet. Other officers were elected for two years as follows: Advisor lieutenant, William Watson, Detroit, Mich.; head banker, N. T. Hagen, Minneapolis; head clerk, Carl Skow, Racine, Wis.; head escort, S. R. Hayes, Beloit, Wis.; head watchman, H. C. Wellner, Superior, Wis.; head sentry, F. W. Denton, Winona; head managers (five), G. W. Stanley, Soo, Mich; H. E. White, Waukesha, Wis.; Jacob Quesnell, St. Paul; Thomas Quesnelly, Mendota; R. J. Lynch, Wyandotte, Mich. Delegates to the sovereign grand camp convention at Norfolk, Va., in May, Ed. Campbell, Port Huron, Mich.; William L. Howes, Tomah, Wis. Delegate-at-large, H. Widrig, Mount Clemens, Mich. A class of 500 candidates was initiated at the Masonic Temple. The degree team of the St. Paul Woodmen exemplified the ritual. The initiation marked the close of the two days convention.

Upholds the Law.

Duluth—Although two United States judges, McCall of Tennessee and Evans of Kentucky, have declared the federal employers' liability bill unconstitutional, Judge Page Morris, in a decision here, upholds it.

The decision was handed down in the suit of John Kelley against the Great Northern railroad, seeking to recover damages for injuries sustained through the alleged negligence of a fellow employee, this being made a cause for liability of the employer under the federal statute. The railroad company filed a demurrer in which the constitutionality of the law was attacked.

In his decision Judge Morris maintains that the law is constitutional as a matter of common justice. An appeal will be taken.

Prisoner Takes Own Life.

Duluth.—Despondent over the death of his mother, whom he shot in a drunken frenzy on their homestead near Tivoli, this county, Feb. 3, Daniel Aho, a Finnish boy, aged about twenty-one years, hanged himself in his cell in the county jail. When the body was discovered, stiff and cold, the indications were that the prisoner committed suicide shortly after midnight. Aho used his suspenders for a rope. His body reclined as if he had thrown himself in the bunk to sleep. One end of the braces, which was made of strong web, was tied to the iron bars attached to the bunk and the other end was knotted together about the boy's neck. The noose was drawn so tightly that it made a deep mark in the throat.

Girl Wins First Prize.

Minneapolis.—Miss Vivian Colgrove won first place in the Pillsbury oratorical contest at the university chapel with her oration entitled "The Press and the Public Conscience." The second prize of $50 was awarded to Louis Schwartz, and Algernon Colburn took the third prize, $25. To the winner of first place goes not only the $100 prize, but also the honor of representing Minnesota in the intercollegiate contest of the Northern Oratorical league.

This is the first time in the history of the university that a girl has won first honors. Two years ago was the first time a girl entered the contest, Miss Fanny Fligelman at that time winning second place.

Carleton Orator Wears the Laurel.

Northfield.—The annual contest of the Intercollegiate Oratorical Association of Minnesota was held at Northfield, Carleton college being the scene.

First place was won by Carleton, her representative being Myron J. Haig, of Devils Lake, N. D. Second place was awarded to Howard Robinson, of Redwood Falls, representing Hamline university, and third to C. J. Olson, of Minneapolis, representing Gustavus Adolphus college.

Kills Self in Sleigh.

Thief River Falls—While driving in from Kratka to Thief River Falls, Lars Brandon was shot and killed by the discharge of his gun. A neighbor, with several companions riding with him, was driving less than 300 feet in advance of Brandon's sleigh at the time of the occurrence. Circumstances cause suspicion of suicide.

NEWS NOTES.

Deer River—While playing about a well, the curb of which was coated with ice, the oldest son of Paul Wall of Marcel, slipped and fell headforemost into the well. The hole through the ice being too small to permit him to turn, the boy drowned before help could reach him.

St. Paul—According to a report issued by Dr. H. M. Bracken of the state board of health, there were 300 cases of smallpox reported in the state from the week ending Feb. 4, including the week ending March 11. This is no unusual number of cases, in fact the number of cases of this disease has been gradually decreasing since 1902 and 1903.

Elmore.—While seated at a sewing machine, Mrs. William H. Leaks was stricken with apoplexy and fell to the floor. Five minutes later she was dead. Her daughter, aged ten years, was alone with her at the time.

Morton—The oratorical silver medal contest in this village was won by Miss Florence Penhall. She will contest with speakers of other towns for the gold medal to be given at the W. C. T. U. county convention to be held in Morton in June.

Minneapolis—W. C. Burns, a switchman for the Milwaukee road, fell or was pushed down stairs in Ernest Krause's saloon, 921 Cedar avenue, and died instantly.

Mankato—A young woman at Lakefield was operated upon for appendicitis and a small feather that she accidentally swallowed two years ago was found in her appendix.

THE INVESTMENT OF SURPLUS FUNDS DEMANDS MUCH CARE

Business Women Should Secure a Competent Legal Adviser Before Loaning Money with Mortgage Security—To Insure the Validity of a Deed.

BY KATHERINE LOUISE SMITH.

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Closely pertaining to banks and kindred business is the investment of surplus funds. Often a woman has money that she feels ought to be safely placed where it will bring a good rate of interest. Possibly she has had some bitter experiences in losing money, but she feels it ought not to remain idle. If she puts it in a savings bank she will get only a small rate of interest. If it is in a national or state bank she will get none at all unless she buys a certificate of deposit. Many times it seems as if all around there were chances to make money, but she does not know how trustworthy these investments are. "Look before you leap," is a safe motto in this case, for it is better to get no interest or a very small per cent. than to run the risk of losing one's principal.

It goes without saying that the fundamental principle regarding the management of property is to abstain from the various forms of speculation and to deal entirely with established forms of investment. This is essentially so in the case of women. A man can often retrieve his fortune if he has lost it in some wildcat scheme, but women seldom make more than a living at the best, and, often, if money is inherited, are utterly unable to replace it. Concerning any investment two considerations are necessary. The first and important one is safety. The second is the amount of interest paid for the money.

Broadly speaking, investments can be divided into two classes, those including real estate and bonds and those in which money is advanced upon the promise that it will be returned with interest. In this case security is given. In regard to the first class of investment, the general rule is that United States bonds are safe securities. These are closely followed by bonds of states, counties, towns and villages. In this last case, the past and present financial history of the state and country is to be taken into account, and the character of the people residing therein. United States bonds draw a small per cent. The per cent. on state and other bonds varies. Bonds which draw small interest can be classed with savings banks as a safe and good place to let money lie until an equally reliable investment presents itself at a high rate of interest.

In loaning money the rate of interest is agreed upon by the lender and borrower of the money. Every state has a certain fixed rate and interest above that is liable to be called usury, but in some states there is a certain rate allowed by contract. Montana is the only state at present where the legal rate of interest is ten per cent. The average rate is six and seven per cent. The following simple table of interest calculation often helps in computing interest on a loan.

Rule.—Multiply the principle by as many one-hundredths as there are days, and divide as follows:

Per cent.....	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	12
Divide by.....	90	72	60	52	45	40	36	30

For example, interest on $100 for 50 days at six per cent. will be 100x50, or 500. Dividing this by 60 equals 83; in other words, 83 and a fraction cents.

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When a woman desires to loan money with mortgage security, a safe rule to follow is never to loan over one-third to one-half of the value of the property. Personal inspection of the premises is desirable and precaution should be taken to find out if the title is clear. Some women are capable of investigating the records, but the majority will do well to apply to a lawyer or corporation whose business is to examine real estate and abstracts. Many of these companies guarantee that if the title shall prove defective they will make good the loss. All deeds and mortgages should be placed on record in the office established by law, for delay may cause complications.

A mortgage should be acknowledged before a proper officer, should contain a redemption clause and should be signed and sealed. Every correct mortgage describes the proper minutely, tells where it is located and the time when the debt becomes due. If the amount borrowed is not paid the mortgagee at the time specified for payment, or if the interest has not been paid when due, the property can be foreclosed; that is, it can be sold to satisfy the debt, after a certain time allowed for redemption. If the property brings more money than is required to satisfy the debt, unpaid interest and cost of foreclosure, the surplus must be paid to the owner of the property mortgaged.

If the question of investment with no immediate gain is under consideration, real estate may be a good means of safe-guarding money. Before putting money in land, the woman must consider that the value of land fluctuates, that she must meet the yearly taxes and that it may be some time before she can get back the original cost with a fair rate of interest. The same precautions must be employed regarding the title as in lending money on real estate mortgages. No one wants a defective title and the only way to ascertain is to take nothing for granted and to have the papers investigated by a competent person. Many people live for years in one house and never suspect until they try to sell it that the title is defective. To be absolutely sure is the only safe way.

In buying real estate, the instrument by which the property is conveyed from one person to another is called a deed. Certain requisites are necessary to insure its validity, and these should be understood by all parties to the contract. They are that the person should be of proper age and sufficient understanding; that there should be a satisfactory consideration; a thorough knowledge of the contents and proper attestation and delivery. Careful attention to these rules will prevent law suits and this, as well as every other legal paper should be carefully drawn up.

Real estate may be of two kinds, improved and unimproved. As a rule, it is better to invest in improved real estate, because the rental of the building will pay taxes and interest on the money invested if the purchase is carefully made. In investing in improved real estate it is advisable to find out the condition of repair of the building and the amount for which it will rent. Fire insurance should be carried upon the buildings, so that in case of fire the loss will not be complete. This insurance can be obtained for a few dollars a thousand and runs ordinarily from three to five years. Care should be taken that the insurance policy is not allowed to lapse and the premium should be paid promptly.

Farm lands sometimes prove a good investment, but it is difficult for a woman to run a farm personally, although a few have made a success at this work. When a farm is rented the tenant is prone to let the buildings run down and not to cultivate the land properly so that it becomes impoverished. A real estate agent will ordinarily look after repairs of rented houses and collect the rent for a charge of about five per cent. of the amount collected. In selling property a real estate agent will demand a comsion for the sale, which, of course, diminishes the amount received.

THE SEASON'S COLOR SCHEMES.

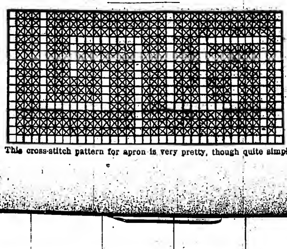
Combinations Are Beautiful When Artistically Blended.

Without doubt the most successful color schemes of the season are those carried out in brownish tints, and this is saying volumes, for all of the combinations are beautiful when artistically blended. Brown consorts amiably with green, pink and blue, being especially cool looking with the latter.

In the shot silks, as well as stripes and plaids, brown is combined with gray and blue with much success. All of the new cotton and linen fabrics show these colors in pretty shades. Among the prettiest are linen, dimity, organdy and the long line of zephyr fabrics. Brown, gray and blue grounds, with small checks and hairline stripes in contrasting colors, trimmed with lace and embroidery, will be en regle for all semi-dressy functions. Very dainty are some of the new cotton crepes and chine fabrics, covered with dots ranging from the size of a pinhead to a silver half dollar. These latter are generally woven in with the material in self colors or merely outlined in a harmonizing shade, the latter idea being the latest.

One of the new shades of brown is called ripe corn, and looks very tempting in a sheer silk fabric. Quite a fascinating design has the skirt trimmed with several rows of narrow satin ribbon divided by a plain portion incrusted with gold thread motifs, a trimming which finds repetition on the bodice, which is softened with a tucker of old lace. In many of the diaphanous gowns of the season elegant simplicity is applied to materials of artistic beauty, with marvelous results for women of fashion.

Simple Cross-Stitch Design



This cross-stitch pattern for apron is very pretty, though quite simple.

WILL DIG BIG DITCH

PANAMA TASK ENTRUSTED TO ARMY ENGINEERS.

Maj. G. W. Goethals of Engineering Corps Chosen as Head of Group of Three—Is a Man of Much Experience.

Washington.—Maj. George W. Goethals, U. S. A., has been selected to head the group of three government engineers who will complete the work on the isthmus. Maj. Goethals is regarded as a most efficient engineer and has had a great deal of experience. The army officers who will have charge of the work will receive more pay than American army officers have ever been given before. Maj. Goethals as engineer in chief will receive $2,000 more than Admiral Dewey. The president has indicated that Maj. Goethal's salary as engineer would probably be fixed at $15,000.

"The wheel horse of the force" is what Maj. Goethals has come to be called in the army engineer corps. He sets the pace for the rest. He is the protege of Secretary of War Taft and the chief of engineers, Gen. McKenzie. The latter admits he likes Goethals, but will not [illegible] that there are not 50 other engineers in his force, all just as good, and he will add if the private engineers are worth $30,000 a year, then these men are worth $50,000.

Maj. Goethals is said to know more about the actual doings in connection with the Panama canal administration and work than any other man in Washington. The reason is that he has been Taft's special agent for the Panama business. He went with the secretary on his trip to the isthmus. Goethals is said to be a six-o'clock-in-the-morning man. He is at it early and late.

Maj. Goethals was appointed to the military academy from New York and was graduated in 1884. Later he graduated from the engineer school at Willet's Point, N. Y. He was for two years on the staff of Gen. Nelson A. Miles as engineer officer of the department of Columbia, where he was engaged on surveys and reconnoissance work, and under Gen. Merrill at Cincinnati, in charge of the construction of dams, dikes and locks. His next duty was at West Point in the department of civil and military engineering, and from the academy he was ordered to duty as engineer in charge of the Mussel Shoals canal, Tennessee river, where he began the construction of the Colvert canals; designing and contracting for the 26-foot lift lock at Riverton. Upon the completion of this duty Maj. Goethals served for four years in the office of the chief of engineers as assistant.

During the war with Spain Maj. Goethals was chief engineer of the first army corps, and later he was instructor of practical engineering at West Point. He was in charge of all engineering work in the Newport district at the time he was selected for duty on the general staff in 1903—an assignment which came to him solely as a result of the recognition of his unusual professional ability.

Associated with Maj. Goethals will be two engineers who were plebes when he graduated from the academy—Majs. D. V. Gaillard and William L. Sibert, who were appointed to the military academy from South Carolina and Alabama respectively, and graduated in 1884. Both officers have had wide engineering experience. Maj. Gaillard was in charge of the breakwaters and dredging at Duluth at the time he was selected for the general staff four years ago. Maj. Sibert has spent the greater part of his service in the construction of locks and dams on the Kentucky river and in supervising the erection or completion of about 30 locks and dams along the Ohio, Allegheny and Monongahela rivers.

MAJ. G. W. GOETHALS.
(Army Officer Who Will Build the Panama Canal.)

The fact that the new chief engineer is in the prime of life was a strong point in favor of his selection. There are older men in the corps of engineers, and some who are perhaps better known, but it is declared that there is no officer of the requisite health, initiative and ability who is the superior of the man President Roosevelt has selected.

HAS STOVE IN HIS MAIL CART

How a Mail Collector in Chicago Defies the Northern Blasts.

Chicago.—There are hundreds of mail collectors' carts in Chicago, but James E. Adams, a collector out of the Ravenswood postal station, claims to have the innovation of the whole lot in Chicago, or, as far as he knows, of the letter-carrying wagons of the nation.

Mail Collector and His Heated Cart.

In all kinds of winter weather Adams keeps his body warm by hauling a hot stove around with him. His cart is especially built to accommodate a heater, and there is a solid wooden door in the rear that closes tight. The collector stands on a step just inside the door. When he steps out to abstract the contents of a mail box he carefully closes the door, so that when he follows his nose back inside his box the little two by four post office is as warm as toast.

Adams has been working in the Chicago postal service for nearly a quarter of a century. He began in 1881 as a carrier, but politics laid him off for two or three years. He has served 16 years as a collector and for that period has kept himself warm by the same stove which consumes a quarter of a ton of hard coal each season.

Superintendent Hogan of the Ravenswood station keeps his clock regulated by this collector's punctuality, and by the well-fired-up heater the latter is able to fight off rheumatism and kindred ailments.

WILL RECEIVE BIG DOWRY.

Charles W. Schwab to Give Sister $2,000,000 as Wedding Present.

Pittsburg.—The wedding of Miss Gertrude Schwab, of Loretta, Pa., and David J. Barry, of Johnstown, is expected to take place some time after Lent, although it may not be until early in June.

Miss Schwab is the favorite sister of Charles M. Schwab, former president of the United States Steel corporation, who, it has been announced, and not denied, will give his sister a dowry of $2,000,000.

MISS GERTRUDE SCHWAB.
(She Will Receive a Dowry of $2,000,000 from Her Brother.)

Since the beginning of Lent Miss Schwab has been living quietly at her home in Loretta. After the period of sackcloth she will be entertained on an elaborate scale by her friends in this city and Johnstown. It is also expected that she will be entertained in New York, where she is known, having spent much of her time in the last few years at the home of her brother there. The wedding will be followed by a European trip, according to present arrangements.

Mr. Barry, while not wealthy, has a good deal of money of his own. He is the cashier of a bank at Johnstown.

The Narrow View.

Congressman Perkins was talking about his bill for a progressive inheritance tax.

"Even a billionaire," he said, "would approve this bill if he looked at it in a broad way. But few billionaires look at such things broadly. Everything to them has but the one narrow, personal aspect.

"They are much like the old lady who, seeing a storm signal, asked what it was. She was told that the weather bureau now studied the weather and telegraphed its forecasts far in advance all over the country. The old lady, looking at this fact in a narrow, personal, billionaire-like way, could see but one advantage in it and she said:

"'Oh, isn't that convenient for the washer-women.'"

Here and Hereafter.

Her Husband—This paper says that men are more cool than women.

His wife—Well perhaps they are in this world, but they won't be in the next.—Chicago Daily News.

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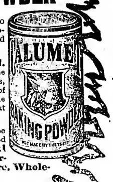

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HOW THE RAILROADS THRIVE UNDER PERSECUTION.

It is amazing to see how the railroads of the United States thrive under persecution. For the past five years they have been under the harrow. The president has been after them continually in the courts and through the interstate commerce commission. Congress has been interfering in their business with restrictive legislation. The state legislatures have been doing their part by passing bills to reduce rates and increase taxation.

One would naturally expect to see some marks of this continual persecution in the business of the railroads. Yet nothing seems to be the matter of them except over-prosperity and the common affliction of a restricted money market. They cannot buy equipment or build track fast enough enough to handle the increased business that is offiered. They cannot borrow enough to make the improvements called for by their enormous traffic.

This is the only complaint they make of the persecution they have suffered, but they seem to be no worse off than others. When a railroad and some other horrower compete in the market, the railroad is apt to get the better of the terms. The Japanese government is paying higher interest on its refunding bonds than the Pennsylvania railroad pays on its foreign loan.

There is no evidences of suffering from persecution in the report of railroad earnings for 1906 just made public. On the contrary the gain of earnings is without parallel in the history of any year in any country. The American railroads have earned $250,000,000 gross and $85,000,000 net more in 1906 than in 1904. The increase in ten years, from 1896, is $1,335,000,000 gross and $424,000,000 net. Only once in ten years was the gross increase over $200,000,000 and then the net increase.

Of course much of the astonishing increase of the last year is due to the growth of traffic that has glutted lines and congested terminals. But is not some part of it due to the increase of net earnings by cutting off freight rebates and free passes? Have not the railroads received directly a larger profit from the same expenditure by the very persecution against which four leading presidents are going to the White House to protest?

St. Hilaire will organize a commercial club. Here's hoping it will do much good for the saintly city.

Roseau Region: The railroad managers in several states declare that if the fare is reduced to 2 cents they'll take off some of the trains. That will have its advantages. There'll be fewer trying to pass on the same track.

The U. S. agricultural department reports that the amount of wheat remaining in farmer's hands on March 1 was 206,644,000 bushels or 28.1 per cent of last years crop as compared with 148,403,000 bushels, or 22.9 per cent of the crop of 1905, on hand March 1, 1906.

The citizens of Thief River Falls don't like the name of their town, and would be glad to have it changed to most any old thing. Thief River Falls does sound rather suggestive and seems to make some of her citizens squirm under the insinuation it carries, but then "a guilty conscience needs no accusing."

The Up-to-date Farmer says that the dairy farmers tributary to New York, are paid for the milk at prices made by the trust, $18,000,000. This same milk is sold to the consumers at prices made by the trust, for $41,000,000, which is two million dollars more than double what the farmers get for producing it.

Sunbeam: The county seat removal proposition is making arrangements for another trip to the supreme court. By the time the supreme court gets through with it the signers of the first petition will all have died off, with old age, so Thief River Falls will have to get up a new petition signed by men who are living at that date.

The following clipped from the Dairy Record is another one of the many good reasons why it pays to stand by the home creamery:

Up at Hinckley, Minn., there was a private local creamery doing a fair business in spite of fierce competition with centralizers in Duluth and in the Twin Cities. The creamery burned down the other day and the very next morning, so Mr. Knickerbrocker, one of the proprietors, tells us, the price of cream dropped three cents per pound of butter fat. Farmers shipping away their cream instead of patronizing their local creamery should stop and consider what is surely coming to them the minute the local creamery shuts its doors. Only by supporting and patronizing the local, preferably co-operative, creamery, can the farmer insure for himself a square deal in the disposal of his dairy products.

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Old Resident Dies.

Olivea Lagassy, a pioneer resident of Red Lake county, died at the Central Hotel, where he has made his home during the past few years, this morning after an illness of several months with heart trouble. Mr. Lagassy was past 75 years of age, and had lived in this county for nearly thirty years, settling in Poplar River in 1878. The old gentleman had enjoyed the best of health up until a few months ago, when his final illness came on and he failed rapidly until death came to relieve him. Deceased leaves seven sons and three daughters, Mrs. H. Premo, of Poplar River, being the only one residing in this county. Another daughter, Mrs. Clas, of Milwaukee, was with him when he died. The funeral will be held from St. Joseph's church after the arrival of the Great Northern passenger Saturday, and the remains will be interred in the cemetery at Terrebonne, beside those of his wife, who preceeded him to the better land over a quarter of a century ago.

Reminder for Fisherman.

The state game and fish commission has issued a bulletin calling attention to the closed season, March and April, for Minnesota. Bass are protected from March 1 to May 29; pike, muskallonge, crappies, perch, sunfish, sturgeon, catfish and other variety, except pickerel, suckers, red horse, carp and bullheads, from March 1 to May 1, and all trout except lake trout, from Sept. 1 to April 15.

Spearing of pickerel and other rough fish is permitted at all times and a fish house license is good until April 1, providing fish thus taken are not placed on the market and no hook and line fishing is done after March. All fish, except trout and bass, may be sold during the open season, but no game fish may be sold during March and April.

Wants The Whole Bakery.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Rural route No. 1, to start here and run northwest was started last year and we learn that some of the business men of Thief River Falls have started an agitation to induce the patrons of the route to have it changed so as to go out from that city. It is rather dirty work for a neighboring town to try and steal a little thing like that, and if they persist it is more than probable that they will lose many more friends than they will make. We hardly think it will pay Thief River Falls to spread out too thin at present or try too hard to make a hog of themselves.

Blackbirds and wild geese—sure harbingers of glorious spring—have been seen in this neighborhood, which bring with them the hope that perhaps there will soon be the long looked for relief from the "storm king." The past winter has been a "daisy"—but why dwell on its terrors longer? It's a sure thing that we will all join the joyous spring chorus with a fervor not in the least affected.

DOROTHY.

Black birds of the big variety are with us again. Good sign of spring.

N. P. Cassavaunt and his son, William, are very ill with the gripp.

Chas. Nelson visited with his folks last week at Belgrad, Minn.

Louis Seiff and Oliver Belair, of Red Lake Falls, were at Dorothy Monday on business.

J. F. Mathews visited with his father, Paul Mathews, Sunday. The afternoon was spent playing whist.

Fred Mathews and Ohelon Mathews son and daughter of J. F. Mathews, visited their uncle, Napalion Mathews, at Grand Forks Sunday, returning Monday.

Several of the big farmers are kicking on account of there being such a great amount of the great white material this winter.

J. S. Mark of the Mark Drug Co., of Fosston, was a caller with F. J. Bairen, the Dorthy merchant Saturday on business. J. F. Mathews drove him to Red Lake Falls in the afternoon.

Fred Richard, the Dorothy school teacher, visited at Red Lake Falls Friday evening, returning Saturday by the N. P. flyer. Fred had not been to town for three months and reports a good time.

Mascott flour and all kinds of feed at the Dorothy elevator of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co. J. F. Mathews, agent.

The office of J. F Mathews, the Red Lake Falls Milling Co's. wheat buyer at Dorothy, was broken into and some things taken and some medling was done with the ticket book. There is no clue to the offender. J. F. will get the smart guy if there is any way to do it.

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Trustees—O O Gullingsrud, E B Lanager, John A Rothstein
Recorder—O J Johnson
Treasurer—H J Enderle
Justices—O J Johnson, Otto O Gullingsrud
Constable—Oscar Carlson.
Nineteen votes were cast.

EMARDVILLE.

Supervisors—For 3 years, Andrew Johnson
For 1 year, P S Medchill
Clerk—A J Hemstad
Treasurer—J G Hagen
Assessor—A J Hemstad
Justices—P S Medchill, John Greenwald
Constables—H T Gulbrandson, Alfred Valdal
Road Overseers—Dist. No. 1, P S Medehill
No. 2, A A Momrack
No. 3, D H McOullough
No. 4, A Carpenter.
Twenty-two votes were cast.

SMILEY.

Supervisorss—H A Helgeson, A B Newton
Clerk—Tobias Stene
Treasurer—A G Sorenson
Assessor—O M Pederson
Justices—W E Wood. Tobias Stene
Constables—Anfin Brokke, John A Dahl
Road Overseers—Dist. No. 1, O Helland
No. 2, Ole S Hegoland
No. 3, Christ Pederson
No. 4, E Skredergaarden
No. 5. Chas. Helm.

RIVER FALLS.

Supervisors—I S Ray, A P Sandridge, H O. Haugen
Clerk—Andrew Martinson
Treasuror—Aug. Svenson
Assessor—James Gilbertson
Justices—James Gilbertson. P O Nelson
Constable—Andrew Martinson
Overseers—A E Anderson, Christ Boathman, Henry Reese, E H Stepheas, Peter Hagquist, John Sjoberg.

ROCKSBURY.

Supervisor—Chas. ustafson
Town Clerk—P Engelstad
Treasurer—Ed A Aubol
Justice—P Engelstad
Constable—John Hanson

NORDEN.

Supervisor—O Crestenson, 3 years
Town Clerk—G J Nordhagen
Treasurer—Nils O Nora
Assessor—Lars Lee
Justice of the Peace—G J Nordhagen
Constable—O E Aas.

NORTH.

Supervisor—W O Long
Town Clerk—E J Overlund
Treasurer—August Soderberg
Assessor—G K Haave
Justice—Nels Myrla
Constable—Albert Olson.

ST. HILAIRE.

President—A S Wilson
Trustees—Jens Nelson, E M Hoff. O H Martz
Treasurer—B E Burke
Clerk—Carl Johnson
Assessor—A F Ittner
Justice—O H Peters
Constable—H C Adams

One thing is certain, and that is the Wisconsin Central railroad is not quite as hoggish as the roads that operate in this state. On the first of this month the Central inaugurated a two-cent passenger rate, while the Wisconsin legistatare passed a bill demanding a two and a half cent fare effective June 1. If the Wisconsin Central people can afford to cut its passenger rate voluntarily, the question naturally arises, Why can't the other roads do the same thing?

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CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

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C. J. Knox came down from Thief River Falls, Wednesday to transact some business at the court house.

State Librarian John E. King came up from St. Paul Tuesday to spend several days looking after business matters here.

Fred Richards was in over Sunday from his school work at Dorothy, and his friends were glad to see him again after his all winter's absence.

Roadmaster E. J. Regan and family were entertained at the home of John Manly Sunday. The day was pleasantly spent, and the fact that it was St. Patrick's Day, the day of days to the sons of old Erin's Isle, made it all the more enjoyable.

Contractor Paul Rogge will commence work this week on a handsome new barn at the farm home of Claus Heinrichs, who lives northeast of the city. The barn will be a large one, modern in all respects, which add greatly to Mr. Heinrichs' already pretty place.

The several committees in charge of the arrangements for the coming firemen's tournament are busy preparing for an active campaign from now on. There is much work ahead but it will be attended to in a systematic manner, and nothing will be left undone that will work to the greater success of the tournament.

Joe Schusser arrived home last week from Stearns county, where he has been working all winter on the new Soo survey, which is being run through that country toward Duluth. On the way home one of Joe's big horses was taken sick and died after an illness of but a few days. This team was by far the finest work team in southern Red Lake county, and tho loss is a heavy one on Mr. Schusser.

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If your lamp chimney smokes go to Spillanes, The Right Store and get some Ruby Oil.

Attorney Boughton and Sheriff Nelson attended the Meyer auction sale south of town Tuesday.

For Sale—One lumber wagon, one spring wagon, one cutter and one pair of oobs. Ernest Buse.

Sheriff Nelson was out east the first of the week finishing up his work of summoning the jurors for next week's court term.

Lewis Siell and a crew of men will leave, within the next few days for Lavina, Montana, where they will put in the summer at railroad work.

"Get Right With God" will be the subject of the sermon by the Pastor at the Presbyterian church Sunday evening. Special music will be provided, and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. O. LaFreniere has been quite ill at her home in this city this week, suffering from an attack of heart trouble with which she has been bothered for some years past. She is reported as much improved at the present writing, however.

Editor Anthony LaFreniere came over from Grand Rapids Monday, called here by the illness of his mother, Mrs. O. LaFreniere. "Tony" is prospering at Grand Rapids, and his Independent is fast becoming one of the leading publications of eastern Minnesota. His success is gratifying to Red Lake Falls people.

J. L. Patnode. who has been employed in the Borchers sample room for the past eight years, has resigned his position and will leave next week for Argyle, where he he will engage in the saloon business for himself. Joe is a first-class fellow, and will undoubtedly make a success of his venture His place at Borchers' will be taken by Oliver Belair.

Postoffice box rent rates have been fixed heretofore upon no established basis, with the result that at certain large postoffices rates are lower than at many small offices. In order to remedy these conditions and to provide a definite and satisfactory rule for the collection of box rents, a schedule, based upon the kind and capacity of boxes and gross receipts at postoffices has been adopted. According to the new schedule, call boxes at the postoffice remain 20 cents per quarter, medium locks 45 cents and large locks 60 cents.

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Going Out of Business At Terrebonne.

Our entire stock of General Merchandise will be disposed of at COST AND BELOW COST in order to move it fast.

Sale will start Monday, March 25th continue for one week. It will be to your advantage to get prices on our goods before buying elsewhere.

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Invitation

Every woman who has difficulty in accurately fitting her feet; every woman who's shoes cause her feet to burn or to be otherwise uncomfortable; every woman who appreciates or desires shoes that are absolutely the last word of fashion, and every woman in the least disposed to practice economy is invited to inspect our assortment and be convinced that ***Queen Quality Shoes*** offer the solution of all the foot troubles.

Queen Quality Boots, $3, $3.50, $4

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Let us show you our new styles while the assortment is at its best. Not the slightest obligation to buy.

The Busy Store

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Macaroni seed wheat for sale.—L. C. Simons.

Conrad Lajambe is expected home Saturday from the big woods country, and expects to spend the summer here.

Miss Minnie Shannon, of Grafton, North Dakota, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. F. A. Mizen, all of last week.

Dr. Spofford will miss his visits for March and April, to Red Lake Falls. Next visit May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

Chas. N. Bourdon went down to Crookston Tuesday evening to spend a couple of days with Mrs. Bourdon's relatives.

Wanted—Person to travel in home territory; salary $3.50 per day and expenses. Address. J. A. Alexander, 125 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.

Merchant Theo LaBissoniere arrived home Saturday from his several days' business and pleasure sojourn at different cities in this neighborhood.

Emil Hennings left Monday evening for his home at Warroad, via Winnipeg, after a pleasant visit of a week with his brothers and many friends here.

Ed. Bray is able to be about again after a lay off of over two weeks with with a very serious attack of quinsy; which kept him confined to his home a greater part of the time.

The auction at the Eddie Meyer place south of town was held Tuesday and was well attended. The articles offered were disposed of at good prices. Joseph Belair conducted the sale.

Herman Wolf is moving his family in from Polk Center this week, and will occupy the Krueger house in the southeast part of town. Mr. Wolf expects to go to Montana to do railroad work this summer.

Attorney Ira C. Richardson, Robt. M. McGinn and E. M. Evenson, three prominent Thief Riverites, were here Tuesday in attendance at the session of the board of commissioners which was held that day.

Mrs. N. Pouliot, of Cass Lake, visited a couple of days with her sister and brothers here this week. She had been visiting at the W. P. O'Brien home at Devils Lake for a week or so, and stopped off here on her way home

Joe Gray came home Monday from the woods near Blackduck, having finished his seasons work in that vicinity. While the winter has not been an especially desirable one for logging contracts, nevertheless Mr. Gray is well satisfied with the cut made by his firm.

To remove a cough you must get at the cold which causes the cough. There is nothing so good for this as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. The liquid cold relief that is most quickly effective, that stills and quiets the cough and drives out the cold. Sold by all druggists.

J. J. Cahill and Wm. Koch, Jr., who have conducted the Courier in this city for the past several months, left yesterday with their families, Mr. Koch going to Duluth and Mr. Cahill to Minneapolis. During their residence here the boys made many friends among the people here, who will trust that they may meet with success in whatever they undertake.

The live stock, machinery, etc., of James Nelson, the unfortunate Lake Pleasant farmer, who died a few weeks ago at the Fergus Falls asylum, were sold at public sale last Thursday. A large crowd was present and the goods were all sold and brought good prices. Sam Nelson, a brother of the deceased, is here settling up the affairs of the family.

Plummer Pioneer: The stockhold- of the Emardville Creamery Association had a lively meeting last Monday afternoon at which the principal item of business transacted was the selecting of a buttermaker. After a long drawn out discussion and some personalites a vote was taken and resulted in the present buttermaker being chosen to serve for the coming year. A meeting of the directors was held afterwards and A. J. Hemstad resigned as treasurer of the association. We understand that Olaf Tande, of Garnes, will fill the position vacated by Mr. Hemstad.

A healthy young blizzard struck this section Monday morning and for a few hours made things look like mid-winter. Considerable snow fell and drifted badly, and the roads were in bad condition for a day or two. The storm played havoc with the train service for a couple of days, and while the passenger got through considerably behind time, freight service was about suspended entirely for three days. Tuesday's passenger got stuck in the Delorme cut on the N. P. line, and two engines from freights behind were called in to push her out. They brought the passenger this far and one went on to St. Hilaire to get the freight that was abandoned Monday, while the other went back to Tilden. The south bound train got through all right Tuesday evening, but the two north bound freights did not get here until nearly midnight and both tied up here until Wednesday morning. The railroad men surely won't be disappointed when glorious spring time arrives—and at that they will be no happier than a lot more of us.

Easter Opening of Fine Kuppenheimer Clothing

Our line of stylish Kuppenheimers for spring is nearly all here. Without any question the finest line of clothing made. The latest styles without being freaky. What any sensible man appreciates.

——— $15.00 TO $25.00 ———

For a second we have the famous S. & L. line of New York—"Spot Cash" Clothing. Woolen goods are high but we can give you as good values as you ever had. All wool Suits at **$8 50** to **$12**; well made.

Our Spring Line of Dress Shirts

Our spring line of Dress Shirts are the best made in American. Wilson Bros., $1.50 to $2.00. Elgin Shirts $1 to $1.50. Flour City, 50c-$1

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Just drop in, ladies and take a look at these beautifully made garments. Made by expert tailors. They look so different from other makes that there is absolutely no comparison. Spring Coats $8 00 to to $13.50. Skirts $3 to $12.00.

SHOES

See our line of Shoes before you buy. St. Cecelia at $3.50; Saranac at $2.50 cannot be duplicated elsewhere. See for yourself; take a pair of ours home with a pair from other stores and compare. Godman's $1.50 to $2.25 are beauties. Have the looks as well as the quality.

GROCERY SPECIALS

Figs, 5c pckg; Monarch Mince Meat, 8c; Minn. Pure Sorghum, 20c qt.; Labrador Herring, 6c; Lute Fisk, 6c; Monarch Jams, 25c, finest on earth; Lemons, 25c doz; 3 gal pail fancy Syrup, $1.25; Crackers, 6c lb., $1.20 box; Corn, 75c doz., Peas, $1.00 doz: 40c Tea, 25c; 8 bars Soap, 25c

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Orpheus Concert.

The Orpheus Quartette is busy practicing for their grand Easter concert and ball, which occurs on the evening of Monday, April 1. The Orpheus boys are royal entertainers and the public can look forward to an enjoyable time. The program is as follows:

Overture, "Bohemian Girl,"	Balfe
Orchestra.	
Serenade	Titl
Quartette.	
Waltz, "Daughter of Love,"	Bennett
Orchestra.	
Clarinet Solo,	Selected
Prof. E. H. Bruckman.	
Grand Fantasia	Weber
Quartette. Introducing excerpts from Weber' smost famous composition: Oberon, Rosamunde, Invitation to the Dance.	
Clarinet Duet	Selected
Messrs. Bruckman and Tracy.	
"Grossmutterchen,"	Langey
Quartette.	
Violincello Solo,	Selected
L. P. Berthon.	
Echoes from the Metropolitan Opera House,	Tobani
Quartette. Containing excerpts from the following operas: The Prophet, Aida, Cavalleria Rusticana, Boaldil, Tannhauser, William Tell.	

Price of admission $1 00 for both concert and dance. Tickets on sale at Anderson's Jewelry Store Saturday, March 30th.

Little globules of sunshine that drive the clouds away. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will scatter the gloom of sick-headache and biliousness. They do not gripe or sicken. Recommended and sold here by all druggists.

St. Hilaire Spectator: N. E. Norton U. S. postoffice inspector for rural routes arrived here on Thursday and started yesterday over the proposed rural route north and east of here. Upon his report depends whether or not the route is established. Inspector Norton came in last evening and reported that he was well satisfied with the condition of the proposed route. All differences among the patrons was satisfactorily adjusted and Mr. Norton will report favorably on the establishment of the route. It is probable that the route will be established inside of three months.

Spectator: G. W. Hooper, of Crookston, has been here a couple of days this week looking over the prospects of putting in a local telephone system. Mr. Hooper is connected with the Polk County Telephone company and has had considerable experience in the work. It is probable that Mr. Hooper will ask the village council for a franchise at the next meeting.

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The Murray Cure

To be Incorporated and Enlarged by Mr. Murray's Family.

The announcement of the sudden death of Edwin Murray, founder of the Murray Cure at Minneapolis, Fargo and Seattle, was a shock to many thousands of people who knew of the good work of the Murray Cure

Mr. Murray's family, the widow two grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and corps of attendants and employes will remain the same.

For over seven years the Murray Cure has demonstrated that the drink habit can be cured. If you have a friend that needs the Murray treatment, send him at once to the Murray Cure Institute. If the drink habit has a hold on you that you cannot break without help, remember we can help you.

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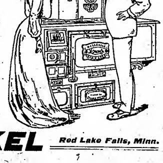

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON, AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XVIII.—Continued.

Joel Rae found himself believing that he could now have been a fiercer lion of the Lord than Brigham was; for he would have fought, while Brigham was stooping to petty strategies as if God were needing to rely upon deceit.

Late in June the army of Johnston descended Emigration canyon, passed through the streets of the city and camped on the River Jordan. But, to the deep despair of one observer, these invaders committed no depredation or overt act. After resting inoffensively two days on the Jordan, they marched 10 miles south to Cedar valley, where Camp Floyd was established.

Thus, no one fully comprehending how it had come about, peace was seen suddenly to have been restored. The people, from Brigham down, had been offered a free pardon for all past treasons and seditions if they would return to their allegiance to the Federal government; the new officers of the Territory were installed, sons of perdition in the seats of the Lord's mighty; and sermons of wrath against Uncle Sam ceased for the moment to resound in the tabernacle. Early in July, Brigham ordered the people to return to their homes. They had offered these as a sacrifice, even as Abraham had offered Isaac, and the Lord had caught them a timely ram in the thicket.

In the midst of the general rejoicing, Joel Rae was overwhelmed with humiliation and despair.

Off to the south was the desert. There he could be alone; there face God and his own conscience and have his inmost soul declare the truth about himself. In his sadness he would have liked to lead the people with him, lead them away from some evil, some fatality that had crept in about them; he knew not what it was nor how it had come, but Zion had been defiled. Something was gone from the Church, something from Brigham, something from himself,—something, it almost seemed, even from the God of Israel. When the summer waned, his plan was formed to go to one of the southern settlements to live. Brigham had approved. The Church needed new blood there.

He rode out of the city one early morning in September, facing to the south over the rolling valley that lay between the hills now flaming their best autumn colors. He was in haste to go, yet fearful of what he should meet there.

CHAPTER XIX.

The Blood on the Page.

Along the level lane between the mountain ranges he went, a lane that runs almost from Bear creek on the north to the Colorado on the south, with a width of 20 miles or so. But for Joel Rae it became a ride down the valley of lost illusions. Some saving grace of faith was gone from the people. He passed through sturdy little settlements, bowered in gardens and orchards, and girded about by now fertile acres where once had been the bare, gray desert. Slowly, mile by mile, the Saints had pushed down the valley, battling with the Indians and the elements for every acre of land they gained. Yet it seemed to him now that they had achieved but a mere Godless prosperity. They had worked a miracle of abundance in the desert—but of what avail? For the soul of their faith was gone. He felt or heard the proof of it on every hand.

Through Battle Creek, Provo, and Springville he went; through Spanish Fork, Payson, Salt Creek, and Fillmore. He stopped to preach at each place, but he did it perfunctorily, and with shame for himself in his secret heart. Some impalpable essence of spirituality was gone from himself and from the people. He felt himself wickedly agreeing with a pessimistic elder at Fillmore, who remarked: "I tell you what, Brother Rae, it seems like when the Book of Mormon goes agin' the Constitution of the United States, there's sure to be hell to pay, and the Saints allus has to pay it." He could not tell the man in words of fire, as once he would have done, that they had been punished for lack of faith.

The next evening he reached Cedar City. Memories of this locality began to crowd back upon him with torturing clearness; especially of the morning he had left Hamblin's ranch. As he mounted his horse two of the children saved from the wagon-train had stood near him,—a boy of seven and another a little older, the one who had fought so viciously with him when he was separated from the little girl. He remembered that the younger of the two boys had forgotten all but the first of his name. He had told them that it was John Calvin—something; he could not remember what, so great had been his fright; the people at the ranch, because of his forlorn appearance, had thereupon named him John Calvin Sorrow.

These two boys had watched him closely as he mounted his horse, and the older one had called to him, "When I get to be a man, I'm coming back with a gun and kill you till you are dead yourself," and the other, little John Calvin Sorrow, had clenched his fists and echoed the threat, "We'll come back here and kill you! Mormons is worse'n Indians!"

He had ridden quickly away, not noting that some of the men standing by had looked sharply at the boys and then significantly at one another. One of those who had been present, whom he now met, told him of these two boys.

"You see, Elder, the orders from headquarters was to save only them that was too young to give evidence in a court. But these two was very forward and knowing. They shouldn't have been kept in the first place. So two men—no need of naming names—took both of them out one night. They got along all right with the little one they called John Calvin Sorrow—only the little cuss kicked and scrambled so that we both had to see to him for a minute, and when we was ready for the other, there he was at least ten rods away, a-legging it into the scrub oak. Well, they looked and looked and hunted around till daybreak, but he'd got away all right, the moon going under a cloud. They tracked him quite a ways when it come light, till his tracks run into the trail of a big band of Navajos that had been up north trading ponies and was going back south. He was the one that talked so much about you, but you needn't ever have any fear of his talking any more. He'd be done for one way or another."

"You're Not My Papa—Not My Real Papa!"

For the first time in his life that night, he was afraid to pray,—afraid even to give thanks that others were sleeping in the room with him so that he could hear their breathing and know that he was not alone.

He was up betimes to press on to the south, again afraid to pray, and dreading what was still in store for him. For sooner or later he would have to be alone in the night. Thus far since that day in the Meadows he had slept near others, whether in cabins or in camp, in some freighter's wagon or bivouacking in the snows of Echo canyon. Each night he had been conscious, at certain terrible moments of awakening, that others were near him. He heard their breathing, or in the silence a fire's light had shown him a sleeping face, the lines of a form, or an arm tossed out. What would happen on the night he found himself alone, he knew not—death, or the loss of reason.

His way lay through the Meadows, yet he hardly realized this until he was fairly on the ground in the midst of a thousand evil signs of the day. Here, a year after, were skulls and whitening bones, some in heaps, some scattered through the sage-brush where the wolves had left them. Many of the skulls were pierced with bullet holes, shattered as by heavy blows, or cleft as with a sharp-edged weapon. Even more terrifying than these were certain traces caught here and there on the low scrub oaks along the way,—children's sunbonnets; shreds of coarse lace, muslin, and calico; a child's shoe, the tattered sleeve of a woman's dress—all faded, dead, whipped by the wind.

He pressed through it all with set jaws, trying to keep his eyes fixed upon the ground beyond his horse's head; but his ears were at the mercy of the cries that rang from every thicket.

Once out of it, he rode hard, for it must not come yet—his first night alone. By dusk he had reached the new settlement of Amsion, a little off the main road in a valley of the Pine mountains. Here he sought the house where he had left the child. When he had picketed his horse he went in and had her brought to him,—a fresh little flower-like woman-child, with hair and eyes that told of her mother, with reminders of her mother's ways as she stood before him, a waiting poise of the head, a lift of the chin. They looked at each other in the candle-light, the child standing by the woman who had brought her, looking up at him curiously, and he not daring to touch her or go nearer. She became uneasy and frightened at last, under his scrutiny, and when the woman would have held her from running away, began to cry, so that he gave the word to let her go. She ran quickly into the other room of the cabin, from which she called back with tears of indignation in her voice, "You're not my papa—not my real papa!"

When the people were asleep, he sat before the blaze in the big fireplace, on the hearth cleanly swept with its turkey-wing and buffalo-tail. There was to be one more night of his reprieve from solitude. The three women of the house and the man were sleeping around the room in bunks. The child's bed had been placed near him on the floor after she slept, as he had asked it to be. He had no thought of sleep for himself. He was too intensely awake with apprehension. On the floor beside his chair was a little bundle the woman had brought him,—the bundle he had found loosened by her side, that day, with the trinkets scattered about and the limp-backed little Bible lying open where it had fallen.

He picked the bundle up and untied it, touching the contents timidly. He took up the Bible last, and as he did so a memory flooded back upon him that sickened him and left him trembling. It was the book he had given her on her seventeenth birthday, the one she had told him she was keeping when they parted that morning at Nauvoo. He knew the truth before he opened it at the yellowed fly-leaf and read in faded ink, "From Joel to Prudence on this day when she is 17 years old—June 2d, 1843."

In a daze of feeling he turned the pages, trying to clear his mind, glancing at the chapter headings as he turned,—"Abraham is Justified by Faith," "God Instructeth Isaac," "Pharaoh's Heart Is Hardened," "The Laws of Murder," "The Curses for Disobedience." He turned rapidly and at last began to run the leaves from between his thumb and finger, and then, well over in the book something dark caught his eye. He turned the leaves back again to see what it was; but not until the book was opened flat before him and he held the page close to the light did he see what it was his eye had caught. A wash of blood was across the page.

He stared blankly at the reddish, dark stain, as if its spell had been hypnotic. Little by little he began to feel the horror of it, remembering how he picked the book up from where it had fallen before her. Slowly, but with relentless certainty, his mind cleared to what he saw.

Now for the first time he began to notice the words that showed dimly through the stain, began to read them, to puzzle them out, as if they were new to him:—

> "But I say unto you which hear, Love your enemies, do good to them which hate you,
>
> "Bless them that curse you, and pray for them which despitefully use you.
>
> "And unto him that smiteth thee on the one cheek, offer also the other; and him that taketh away thy cloke forbid not to take thy coat also.
>
> "Give to every man that asketh of thee; and of him that taketh away thy goods ask them not again.
>
> "And as ye would that men should do to you, do ye also to them likewise."

Again and again he read them. They were illumined with a strangely terrible meaning by the blood of her he had loved and sworn to keep himself clean for.

He could no longer fight off the truth. It was facing him now in all its nakedness, monstrous to obscenity, demanding its due measure from his own soul's blood. He aroused himself, shivering, and looked out into the room where the shadows lay heavy, and from whence came the breathing of the sleepers. He picked up the now sputtering candle, set in its hole bored in a block of wood, and held it up for a last look at the little woman-child. He was full of an agony of wonder as he gazed, of piteous questioning why this should be as it was. The child stirred and flung one arm over her eyes as if to hide the light. He put out the candle and set it down. Then stooping over, he kissed the pillow beside the child's head and stepped lightly to the door. He had come to the end of his subterfuge—he could no longer delay his punishment.

Outside the moon was shining, and his horse moved about restlessly. He put on the saddle and rode off to the south, galloping rapidly after he reached the highway. Off there was a kindly desert where a man could take in peace such punishment as his body could bear and his soul decree; and where that soul could then pass on in decent privacy to be judged by its Maker.

CHAPTER XX.

The Picture in the Sky.

If something of the peace of the night silence came to him as he rode, he counted it only the peace of surrender and despair. He knew now that he had been cheated of all his great long-nursed hopes of some superior exaltation. Nor this only; for he had sinned unforgivably and incurred perdition. He who had fasted, prayed, and endured, waiting for his Witness, for the spreading of the heavens and the glory of the open vision, had overreached himself and was cast down.

When at last he slowed his horse to a walk, it was the spring of the day. The moon had gone, and over on his left a soft grayness began to show above the line of the hills. The light grew until it glowed with the fire of opals; through the treetops ran little stirs of wakefulness, and all about him were faint, furtive rustlings and whispers of the new day. Then in this glorified dusk of the dawn a squirrel loosed his bark of alarm, a crested jay screamed in answer, and he knew his hour of atonement was come.

He pressed forward again toward the desert, eager to be on with it. The page with the wash of blood across it seemed to take on a new vividness in the stronger light. Under the stain, the letters of the words were magnified before his mind,—"And as ye would that men should do to you—" It seemed to him that the blood through which they came heated the words so that they burned his eyes.

An hour after daybreak the trail led him down out of the hills by a little watercourse to the edge of the desert. Along the sides of this the chaparral grew thickly, and the spring by which he halted made a little spot of green at the edge of the gray. But out in front of him was the infinite stretch of death, far sweeps of wind-furrowed sand burning under a sun made sullen red by the clouds of fine dust in the air. Sparsely over the dull surface grew the few shrubs that could survive the heat and dryness,—stunted, unlovely things of burr, spine, thorn, or saw-edged leaf,—all bent one ways by the sand blown against them,—bristling cactus and crouching mesquite bushes.

In the vast open of the blue above, a vulture wheeled with sinister alertness; and far out among the dwarfed growing things a coyote skulked knowingly. The weird, phantom-like beauty of it stole upon him, torn as he was, while he looked over the dry, flat reaches. It was a good place to die in, this lifeless waste languishing under an angry sun.

At last he gave his horse water, tied the bridle-rein to the horn of the saddle, headed him back over the trail to the valley and turned him loose. Then, after a long look toward the waving green of the hills, he started off through the yielding sand, his face white and haggard but hard-set. He was already weakening by fasting and loss of sleep, and the heat and dryness soon told upon him as the chill was warmed from the morning air.

When he had walked an hour, he felt he must stop, at least to rest. He looked back to see how far he had come. He was disappointed by the nearness of the hills; they seemed but a stone's throw away. If delirium came now he would probably wander back to the water.

He walked another hour, then turned, and was again disappointed—it was such a little distance; yet he knew now he must be too far out to find his way back when the madness came. So it was with a little sigh of contentment that he lay down to rest or to take what might come.

He was quite broken. Not since the long-gone night on the river-flat across from Nauvoo had tears wet his eyes. But they fell now, and from sheer, helpless grief he wept. And then for the first time in two days he prayed—this time the prayer of the publican:—

"God be merciful to me, a sinner."

Over and over he said the words, chokingly, watering the hot sands with his tears. When the paroxysm had passed, it left him, weak and prone, still faintly crying his prayer into the sand, "O God, be merciful to me, a sinner."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

DOES YOUR BACK ACHE?

Cure the Kidneys and the Pain Will Never Return.

Only one sure way to cure an aching back. Cure the cause, the kidneys. Thousands tell of cures made by Doan's Kidney Pills. John C. Coleman, a prominent merchant of Swainsboro, Ga., says: "For several years my kidneys were affected, and my back ached day and night. I was languid, nervous and lame in the morning. Doan's Kidney Pills helped me right away, and the great relief that followed has been permanent."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Matrimonial Infelicity.

Divorces are, happily, rare in society circles. Separation by mutual consent, however, grows more frequent every year. Every one has upon his or her visiting list husbands and wives who never meet if they can help it, but between whom there has never been an open breach. Incompatibility of temper is the usual cause, and the reason for that is, one imagines, the still common custom of encouraging the younger generation to marry before they have begun to approach years of discretion.—London Throne.

CASE OF ECZEMA IN SOUTH.

Suffered Three Years—Hands and Eye Most Affected—Now Well and Is Grateful to Cuticura.

"My wife was taken badly with eczema for three years, and she employed a doctor with no effect at all until she employed Cuticura Soap and Ointment. One of her hands and her left eye were badly affected, and when she would stop using Cuticura Soap and Ointment the eczema came back, but very slightly; but it did her a sight of good. Then we complied with the instructions in using the entire set of Cuticura Remedies and my wife is entirely recovered. She thanks Cuticura very much and will recommend it highly in our locality and in every nook and corner of our parish. God bless you for the sake of suffering humanity. I. M. Robert, Hydropolis, La., Jan. 5 and Sept. 1, 1906."

MADE HIS MEANING PLAIN.

Indian's Answer a Real Triumph of Quiet Sarcasm.

George Vaux, Jr., of Philadelphia, has been appointed a member of the board of Indian commissioners. Mr. Vaux told a reporter the other day an Indian story.

"There was a certain commissioner," he said, "who treated the Indians with rude scorn. One day a chief entertained this man in his tepee, telling him over the tobacco many quaint legends.

"One legend concerned a plague of grasshoppers. The chief told eloquently how grasshoppers overran the land, eating the grain, and how the medicine men averted a famine by offering a silver grasshopper to the Great Spirit, whereupon all that deluge of grasshoppers disappeared.

"But the commissioner scoffed at the tale.

"'Are you Indians such fools,' he said, 'as to believe such rubbish?'

"'O, no,' said the chief, gravely, 'or we'd long ago have offered the Great Spirit a silver pale face.'"—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Centenarian Enjoys Life.

Mrs. Mary Baraby, 103 years old, is spoken of as "the jolliest woman in Brockton." She is fond of fun, loves young people and likes to recall old corn-husking bees and other good times of her youth. She has had 20 children, 42 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. — Springfield (Mass.) Republican.

THE WHOLE FAMILY.

Mother Finds a Food for Grown-Ups and Children as Well.

Food that can be eaten with relish and benefit by the children as well as the older members of the family, makes a pleasant household commodity.

Such a food is Grape-Nuts. It not only agrees with and builds up children, but older persons who, from bad habits of eating, have become dyspeptic.

A Phila. lady, after being benefited herself persuaded her husband to try Grape-Nuts for stomach trouble. She writes:

"About eight years ago I had a severe attack of congestion of stomach and bowels. From that time on, I had to be careful about eating, as nearly every kind of food then known to me, seemed to cause pain.

"Four years ago I commenced to use Grape-Nuts. I grew stronger and better, and from that time I seldom have been without it; have gained in health and strength and am now heavier than I ever was.

"My husband was also in a bad condition—his stomach became so weak that he could eat hardly anything with comfort. I got him to try Grape-Nuts, and he soon found his stomach trouble had disappeared.

"My girl and boy, 3 and 9 years old, do not want anything else for breakfast but Grape-Nuts, and more healthy children cannot be found." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little booklet, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

A MID-WINTER VERDICT.

"Bright Sunshine All Winter," is What a Western Canada Lady Says.

Maidstone, Sask., Canada,
Feb. 4, 1907.

C. J. Broughton, Esq.,
Canadian Government Agent,
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:

Being so well pleased with Canada we wish my father and brother to come here. Will you please send them reading matter on Canada.

We have been here nearly a year and are delighted with this country. We have lived in Illinois, Iowa, and Michigan and we find Canada away ahead of any of them. We have had bright sunshine all winter so far, only two nice, easy snow storms. If it was not all right you know I would not want my father and brother to come here, but we think it is grand.

Yours truly,
(Signed) MRS. ED. TROUPE.

Money in Motor Manufacture.

About $60,000,000 is at present invested in England in the manufacture of motor wagons. About 250,000 men are employed in them, or as chauffeurs, etc., and their wages aggregate $75,000,000 a year.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

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A Condition Which Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, the Great Blood Tonic, Have Been Curing for Years.

There is no more perplexing trouble for a physician to treat than debility cases, especially in women, in which there is no acute disease but in which the patient every day sinks lower and lower despite changes of medicine and similar experiments.

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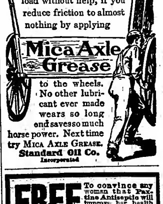
"I never felt well after my first child was born. I had a gnawing pain in my stomach and could not hold any food down. My head ached a great deal and sometimes the pain went all through my body. I had dizzy spells so that I could not stand and seemed to be half blinded with pain. These spells would often last for over an hour. My blood seemed to be in a very poor condition and my hands and feet were like ice. I seemed to be growing weaker and weaker and could not get around to do my work in the house. I was extremely nervous and the least excitement would bring on a dizzy spell.

"For a number of years I was under a doctor's care but seemed to get no better. I had heard about Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I began to take them. I soon felt better and gained in weight and strength. My nerves are strong now and I am a well woman in every way."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. A booklet of valuable information, entitled "Plain Talks to Women," sent free on request.



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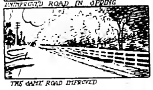
ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

RESTORATION OF HIGHWAYS.

R. H. Fuller Tells How Good Roads Benefit Farmers and Others.

There has been an effort to induce Congress to resume road building where it left off 75 years ago. It is argued in favor of this plan that the rural districts receive a disproportionately small share of the receipts from federal taxation, and the appropriations made for the improvement of rivers and harbors are cited by way of precedent for good road appropriations. It does not seem probable, however, that the national government will relieve the states of the duty of providing good roads, at least in the near future; and meantime the states are showing themselves quite capable of solving the problem. New Jersey, Massachusetts, Connecticut and New York are the pioneers in the work of good road construction on a comprehensive scale. Pennsylvania, New Hampshire, Vermont and other states are falling into line, and it is only a question of a few years before every state in the Union will have joined them.

UNIMPROVED ROAD IN SPRING



THE SAME ROAD IMPROVED

The general scheme of road improvement contemplates the construction of macadam or equally serviceable roads between the chief points in each county, so laid out that they will form a continuous network throughout the state. The less important roads are to be improved by methods not so costly. Macadam roads require an outlay for construction of from $5,000 to $10,000 a mile. This heavy initial outlay would be too great a burden for the scattered population of the farming regions to bear unaided. Outside help must be given, and inasmuch as good roads increase the prosperity of the entire state the principle of state aid has been generally accepted as just. It has been adopted in various forms by all the states which have seriously undertaken the improvement of their roads.

Even the portion of the expense which falls upon the localities, is usually too great for them to meet by immediate direct taxation, and here again the state may come to their assistance by lending them its credit so as to enable them to borrow money at a smaller rate of interest than they would otherwise be forced to pay. Naturally, where the state helps to build the roads, their location, construction and maintenance must be under state control through an official or a state commission. This insures the laying out of the roads so that they will form a comprehensive state system, and their maintenance in a condition of efficiency after they have been built.

Another important branch of the good roads movement is the introduction of wide tires on wagons intended to carry heavy loads. Narrow tires are road destroyers, while wide tires are road makers. The narrow tire cuts the road into ruts, the wide tire serves the purpose of a roller in compacting and hardening it. Tests have shown that the same force that is required to move 2,000 pounds on narrow tires will move on broad tires 2,500 pounds on a macadam road, 2,482 on a gravel road, 2,500 on a dirt road and 3,200 on a wet clay road.

Various methods of road improvement have been tried with success in different parts of the country. In California more than 2,500 miles of sandy highways have been made hard and smooth by sprinkling them with crude petroleum, which binds the loose particles of sand together. In Florida phosphate clay has proved to be excellent road material.

Alfalfa Ground.

The alfalfa ground should be put in good condition. Many plow their ground early in April, harrowing thoroughly to make a fine seed-bed, then sow the alfalfa seed with a broadcast seeder. Sow plenty of seed, 18 to 20 pounds per acre. A thin stand gives weeds too good a show while the young alfalfa plants are becoming established.

Why They Fail.

Many fail down on sheep raising because they do not give enough attention to the foundation stock. The ewes must be strong enough and vigorous. These are usually good milkers and they bring strong lambs. Sheep are more financial than cattle or hogs, and they need closer attention.

The Farm Team.

The farm teams should now be exercised daily, and light work will harden them up to the heavy work of late spring. See that the collars and harness fit snugly. It does not take very much now to chaff the shoulders.

VALUABLE FORMULA

WELL-KNOWN AUTHORITY CLAIMS IT IS MOST EFFECTIVE.

Says it Will Break Up a Cold in 24 Hours and Cure Any Cough That is Curable—Inexpensive.

A noted authority on diseases of the throat and lungs, who established a camp for consumptives in the Pine Woods of Maine, and whose remarkable cures there have attracted great attention from the medical world, says that his entire treatment consisted of fresh air, nourishing food and the Pure Virgin Oil of the White Pine Trees mixed with Whisky and Glycerine, in the following proportions:

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure)..½ oz.
Glycerine .... 2 "
Good Whisky .... 8 "

Used in teaspoonful doses every four hours.

It is claimed that the above mixture will heal and strengthen the lungs, break up a cold in twenty-four hours, and cure any cough that is curable.

The ingredients can be secured from any good prescription druggist at small cost and can be easily mixed in your own home.

Inquiry at the prescription department of a leading local pharmacy elicited the information that Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) is put up only in half-ounce vials for dispensing. Each vial is securely sealed in a round wooden case with engraved wrapper with the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure); guaranteed under the Food and Drug Act, June 30, 1906. Prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.—plainly printed thereon. Only the cheaper Oils are sold in bulk, but these produce nausea, and never effect the desired results.

Never Overlooked a Chance.

When Bishop Talbot, now of the central Pennsylvania diocese, was "the cowboy bishop" of Idaho and Wyoming he never overlooked an opportunity of securing contributions for the missionary work in which he took such delight. On one occasion, while attending a meeting of church dignitaries in St. Paul, he was chatting with some other clergymen on the steps of his hotel when several hoboes came along. One of them approached and asked for aid. Bishop Talbot took him aside and after a short but earnest conversation the other tramps saw something pass from hand to hand. "What did he give you?" asked the other hoboes when they all started away. "Didn't give me nothing," was the disgusted reply. "I gave him a dollar for his blamed new cathedral in Laramie."

FEW KNOW THIS.

Gives Simple Home Prescription and Directions to Use.

A well-known specialist is authority that Kidney and Bladder Troubles of all kinds are in nearly every instance readily relieved by taking a few doses of the following simple home-made mixture:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

The dose is a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime. These ingredients can be obtained at any good pharmacy, and are mixed by shaking well in a bottle. Victims of Kidney, Bladder and Urinary diseases of any kind should not hesitate to make this prescription up and try it. It comes highly recommended and doesn't cost much to prepare.

Burro Drivers Carry Candles.

In Mexico all vehicles, be they bandcart, automobile, or anything between, must carry a light at night. This rule or law is rigidly enforced. Even the drivers of the poor little burro or mule carts, on their two wheels, must carry a light.

So, rather than buy lanterns, which cost money, they take a dip candle, and wrapping it in a bit of newspaper to shield it from the wind, carry it in their left hand as they drive along homeward from work after evening has fallen. The effect is striking, as the light, falling strongly on the Indian driver, throws the face of the man into strong relief against the darkness.

Worth Knowing About.

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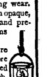

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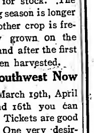

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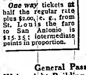

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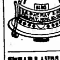

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YEARS OF THE EARTH

THIS WORLD OF OURS COUNTS THEM BY THE MILLIONS.

Various Calculations by Which the Famous Scientists Have Endeavored to Figure Out the Age of the Planet Upon Which We Live.

The time has admittedly gone by for attempting to "reconcile the facts of nature," to use a recognized phrase, with the chronology of the Bible, which makes the age of the world rather less than 6,000 years.

Indeed, in the Egyptian rooms at the British museum the visitor can see for himself objects which go back to an authenticated period long antecedent to 4,000 years B. C., and great is the wonder produced on the minds of those who first make their acquaintance.

In that same department, among the mummies, there is what is in many respects the most striking of the exhibits in the department—the body of a man who belongs to the stone age. It lies in an accurate representation of the peculiarly shaped grave in which it was found, and it has been in consequence somewhat irreverently nicknamed by the habitues of the museum "the man in the pie dish."

The particular interest in that corpse, which men, women and even children look upon without the least thought or suggestion of the fear or horror usually inseparable from death, is that it is unquestionably the oldest exhibit in the museum, and scientists have been rather struck by the fact that the authorities of the great institution in Great Russell street have not, so to say, taken the bull by the horns, boldly labeled that exhibit as dating from 50,000 B. C. Thus with one single stroke of the pen Bishop Usher's Biblical chronology is multiplied by about nine, and it may be that an even higher number would be required to satisfy the requirements of the age of that particular specimen.

How long has the earth been a planet capable of supporting not only human, but any form of life?

In an address Lord Kelvin once delivered on this subject he gathered together the opinions of various scientific men which cannot but be of interest to every thinking being. Darwin, in his "Origin of Species," stated that, "in all probability a far longer period than 300,000,000 years has elapsed;" while later on, in the same book, he stated: "He who can read Sir Charles Lyell's grand work on the 'Principles of Geology,' which the future historian will recognize as having produced a revolution in natural science, yet does not admit how incomprehensibly vast have been the past periods of time, may at once close this volume."

Lord Kelvin himself—then Professor William Thomson—later made an attempt to calculate the length of time during which the sun has been burning at the present rate, and in that connection he wrote: "It seems on the whole most probable that the sun has not illuminated the earth for 100,000,000 years and almost certain that it has not done so for 500,000,000 years. As for the future we may say with equal certainty that the inhabitants of the earth cannot continue to enjoy the light and heat essential to their life for many million years longer unless new sources, now unknown to us, are prepared in the great storehouse of creation."

It is a remarkable evidence of the acute perception of Lord Kelvin's mind, as of the rare prevision of his intellect, that the last words—"unless new sources, now unknown to us, are prepared in the great storehouse of creation"—should have been added to that remarkable sentence.

As an example of the very extraordinary range of time given to the age of the earth, consider the following statement from Professor Jukes' "Students' Manual of Geology." He wrote: "Mr. Darwin estimates the time required for the denudation of the rocks of the weald of Kent, or the erosion of space between the ranges of chalk hills known as the north and south downs, at 300,000,000 years. It may be possible, perhaps, that the estimate is a hundred times too great, and that the actual time required did not exceed 3,000,000 years, but, on the other hand, it is just possible that the time which has elapsed since the first commencement of the erosion till it was reduced to its shape as it now is was ten or a hundred times greater than his estimate, or 30,000,000,000 years."

Professor Phillips in a lecture at the University of Cambridge considered the rate of erosion between the ranges of the north and south downs to be rather one inch a year than Darwin's estimate of one inch in a hundred years, so that on mere geological grounds he reduced the time to about a hundredth. Calculating, however, the actual thickness of all the known geological strata of the earth he came to the conclusion that life on the earth's surface may probably date back to between 38,000,000 and 96,000,000 years.

Professor Sollas of Oxford, working on new principles applied to the stratified rocks, reduced this time very considerably, for he wrote, "So far as I can at present see, the lapse of time since the beginning of the Cambrian system is probably less than 17,000,000 years, even when computed on an assumption of uniformity, which to me seems contradicted by the most salient facts of geology."

What are the data, it will naturally be asked, on which calculations of this magnitude are made? Among the most important are the consideration of the underground heat which is constantly being conducted out of the earth—in other words, the cooling of the earth—the speed at which the earth rotates on its axis as well as physical properties of rocks at high temperatures.

The loss of heat by conduction was

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty-Five Dollars ($65.00) interest, which became due May 31, 1906, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Douglas Martin and Bessie Martin, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, bearing date the 31st day of May, A. D. 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of June, A. D., 1905 at 11:30 o'clock A. M., in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 6 thereof.

And Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section one (1) in township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-three (43) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey eighty (80) acres be the same more or less, in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated, March 21st, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank)
Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Warren, Minn. mar21-m 2

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Mar. 7, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Richmond Desotel of Terrebonne, Minn., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz:

Homestead entry No. 22931, made March 21, 1902, for the SE¼ NE¼ Section 21, Township 150 N., Range 43 W., and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on April 17, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Harmidas Sauve, Arthur Archambault, Joseph St Martin and Louis Terrup, all of Terrebonne, Minn.

R. J. Montague, Register.

Notice of Lein and Sale of Personal Property.

Notice is hereby given that Otto Zaiser and Fred Zaiser, co-partners as Zaiser Bros. claim and have a lein upon the following described personal property, towit: One bay horse called "Prince," weight about 950 pounds, the property of S. A. Swanson, for the care, feeding, keeping and boarding of said horse, which care, feeding, keeping, and boarding was furnished at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota at the request of said owner from and ever since September 18th, 1906 to and including the date hereof, at the agreed price of ten dollars per month, which became due more than ninety days prior to the date hereof.

And said Zaiser Bros. will sell said horse at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of Zaiser Bros. Livery Stable in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, Minnesota, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1907, at 2 o'clock P. M., to pay the amount then due to claimants upon said lein-claim, which amount, exclusive of the expenses of advertising and sale, is hereby stated to be the sum of sixty-six dollars, of which three dollars have been paid, and to pay also the reasonable disbursements of advertising and sale thereof.

Dated March 20th, 1907.

Otto Zaiser and Fred Zaiser,
Co-partners as Zaiser Bros.
m21-m28 Claimants.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Four hundred fifty-six and 78-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Edward Hebert and Victoline Hebert, mortgagors, to First State Bank of Brooks, mortgagee, bearing date the 12th day of September, 1905, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of September, 1905, at 2 o'clock p m., in book 34 of mortgages, on page 359, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The west half of the north east quarter of section fourteen (14), in township one hundred fifty (150) of range forty-two (42) and lots numbered five (5) and (6) in block numbered five (5), in the townsite of Brooks, in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 30th day of March, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Four hundred fifty-six and 78-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes if any, on said premises, and Twenty-five dollers, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law: subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, Red Lake Falls, Minn., Feb. 13, A. D. 1907.

First State Bank of Brooks,
Mortgagee.
I. C. Simons, Attorney. f14-m21

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

State of Minnesota,
County of Red Lake } ss
City of Red Lake Falls

Notice is hereby given, that application has been made in writing to the city council of said city of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on March 25th, 1907, and terminating on March 24, 1908, by the following person, and at the following place as stated in said application, respectively, to-wit:

WM. H. KRUEGER,

In that certain frame building situate on lot 14 of block 7 in Champagne and Dowe' Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Said application will be heard and determined by said city council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the city hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Thursday the 21st day of March, A. D. 1907, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Witness my hand and seal of the city of Red Lake Falls this 11th day of March, A. D. 1907.

[Seal] A. P. Toupin,
m14 City Clerk.

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Berget Vettleson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota,
County of Red Lake. } ss

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Berget Vettleson, Decedent,

The State of Minnesota to Halvor Vettleson, Hulda Maria Vettleson, William Vettleson, Mabel Theoliana Vettleson, Louis Vettleson, Thea Helena Vettleson, Laura Elvira Vettleson, Helena Bertina Vettleson and Joseph Vettleson and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said decedent: The petition of Thomas Germo as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be to him granted to sell the same:

Now Therefore, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 10th day of April 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 11th day of March, 1907.

N. W. Tarrant,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for Petitioner. m14-m28

NOTICE OF HEARING ON JUDICIAL DITCH NO. 5.

State of Minnesota,
County of Polk. } ss

District Court,
Fourteenth Judicial District.

Notice of hearing in the matter of Judicial Ditch Number Five (5), Polk and Red Lake Counties.

Notice is hereby given that a hearing will be had at the Village Hall in the Village of Erskine, Polk county, Minnesota, on Saturday the 23rd day of March, 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day upon the remonstrance made in this matter against the draining or lowering of Badger Lake, it being claimed that some of the persons who signed the remonstrance were not legally qualified to sign such remonstrance, and some of those who signed it having asked that their names be withdrawn from such remonstrance, and the court having ordered that a hearing on said matter be had at said time and place.

Dated March 9th, 1907.

W. A. Lanntot,
Clerk of the District Court,
Polk County, Minnesota.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed, and delivered by L. A. Dautremont and Laura E. Dautremont, his wife, mortgagors, to Phil A. Kaufer, mortgagee, which mortgage bears date the 9th day of September, 1903, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota on 12th day of September, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., in book 21 of mortgages on page 168, by the terms of which mortgage the following described premises were described in, mortgaged and conveyed to said mortgagee, to-wit: Lots nine (9), ten (10), and the north ten (10) feet of lot eleven (11), in block seven (7) in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the corrected plat thereof, being in Red Lake county, Minnesota, and was given to secure the payment of the sum of one thousand dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, payable annually, on the 9th day of September in each year, according to the conditions of one principal note: by failure to pay the $1000 falling due on the 9th day of September, 1904 and by failure to pay the taxes levied upon said real estate for the year 1905, and whereas, said mortgage, provided as one of its conditions that in case of failure to pay said note or any part of said interest when the same becomes due or to pay any taxes levied upon said real estate before the same becomes delinquent, the whole sum of money or indebtedness thereby secured shall thereupon become due and payable:

And Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice on said principal indebtedness and interest thereon to the date hereof the sum of one thousand one hundred eighteen dollars, ($1118.00.)

And Whereas, because of said defaults and each of them the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, and no action at law or in equity having been instituted to cover said mortgage indebtedness.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises above described which sale will be made by the sheriff of said county of Red Lake at the west front door of the court house in city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said indebtedness, the attorney's fees of $25.00 and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year thereafter, as provided by law.

Dated Feb. 26, 1907.

—Phil A. Kaufer.
Mortgagee.
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls. f28-a4

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Rudolf Warberg and Katharina Warberg, his wife, mortgagors, to Ralph Rogers mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of April 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of April, A. D. 1903, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in book 29 of mortgages, on page 29

Which said mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Ralph Rogers mortgagee, to G. B. Ward by written assignment dated the 15th day of October 1906, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 13th day of November 1906, at 1:00 o'clock P. M.; in book 32 of mortgages on page 391.

Which said mortgage, together with said debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said G. B. Ward, the assignee and holder thereof, to Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, a corporation, by written asignment dated the 13th day of November, 1906, and recorded on the 22nd day of November, 1906, at 3:10 o'clock P. M., in book 15 mortgages page 339, and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

North east quarter of section numbered twenty-eight (28), in township numbered one hundred fifty (150), north of range forty-one (41), west of the 5th P. M. in Red Lake county and state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city or Red Lake Falls in said county and state, on the 23rd day of March, 1907, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of seven hundred one and 98-100 dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and fifty and no-100 dollars, attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated, February 6th, 1907.

Merchants State Bank of
Red Lake Falls,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
F. A. Grady, Attorney for
Assignee of Mortgagee, f7-m21
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DISTRICT COURT MILL GRINDING OUT WORK

March Term Of District Court For Red Lake County In Session Here This Week.

Several Cases Tried And Others Settled Term Will Likely Continue All of Next Week.

The March term of the District Court for Red Lake county was convened at the court house in this city Monday, with the Hon. William Watts on the bench.

Nothing much was done in the morning, but in the afternoon the court got down to business in earnest, and since that time very satisfactory progress has been made, it being thought that the jury cases will be wound up by Saturday night, with the exception of the criminal counts.

The following is a brief resume of the cases tried, settled and disposed of thus far:

O. A. Aabol vs. St. Hilaire Lumber company, damage case arising from the erection of a dam in the Red Lake river by defendants, abutting plaintiff's land in Rocksbury. The case was finished last evening and went to the jury after supper.

Felix Fournet vs. Eli Lasha; suit on notes, judgment for plaintiff in amount claimed, defendant's answer withdrawn.

First National Bank of Crookston vs. Russel E. Vance and Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls; settled out of court.

Stone-Ordean Wells company vs. J. F. Mathews; settled, judgment for plaintiff.

Great Northern Railway company vs. Wylie Farmers' Elevator company; dismissed.

John Florin vs. J. K. Johnson, Theo. LaBissoniere, H. J. Kaufer, John Deutschman and M. Skala; suit against bondsmen of Contractor Johnson for material furnished him in the construction of the Washington school building in this city. This case has been noticed for trial this term, but it is expected that it will go over and be tried later in chambers.

Case of John Haley and Eliza Haley vs. the Great Northern Railroad company; this was a personal injury suit for a large amount, and promised to develop some interesting testimony. The plaintiff's alleged that as a result of a shock sustained in a wreck on the defendant's railroad, Eliza Haley gave premature birth to a child, thereby impairing her health, and restitution was demanded. The company sent a detective to Thief River Falls and as a result of his investigation a large number of prominent Thief River business men and others were subpoenaed to appear as witnesses, and it was hinted that had the case came to trial some decidedly interesting developments would have been forthcoming. The jury was empaneled but before the trial started the company's attorney made a final offer of settlement, which was accepted, and the deal was off. The plaintiff's were given $1500 in settlement of the three cases on the calendar and withdrew the complaints.

The case of Joseph Brohman vs. George Singer, an appeal from the justice court, [illegible] today and will likely be finished tonight.

It is probable that with the criminal matters and few remaining civil cases court will be in session nearly all of next week.

FARM HOME BURNS.

The farm residence of Paul Cyr, west of the city was completely destroyed by fire Tuesday night, the building and all the contents being entirely consumed. The origin of the fire is not known, but it had gained such headway when discovered that nothing much could be saved. Mr. Cyr estimates his loss at $1500, with $100 insurance.

See us for that Easter suit for the boys; bargains in caps and shoes too.

ARBOR DAY PROCLAMATION

Govenor Johnson Proclaims April 26 the Day for Planting Trees In Minnesota.

Spring poetry stirred the blood of Governor John A. Johnson Friday when he dictated his annual Arbor day proclamation. The governor grew sentimental when he thought that for one day Minnesota people will plant trees instead of destroying them. Here is what he said:

"When, following the law and custom of our state, I hereby proclaim Friday April 26, as Arbor and Bird day for 1907, private pleasure collaborates with official duty.

"The place and purpose of the tree in history, its dignity and worth, are they not set forth in the chronicles of christendom that all the world may read, from it's first mention in the first chapter of the first book on to that last Revealation of the world unseen, where, 'In the midst of the street of it * * * was there the tree of life, * * * and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of the nations?'

Throughout all time man has been the tree's sincere worshipper. In his boyhood he sought its green heights; in his youth he walked beneath its whispering branches; in his age he sat content in its sympathetic shade; 'after life's fitful fever, he sleeps well'—at the foot of it. The influence of this lifelong companionship is deep, lasting and visible.

"Quite apart from the indirect force in the mass as a factor of climate, we have daily testimony of its power to mold in the character of the Norseman, austern, independent, strong as his native pine; the Briton, rugged, honest, outspreading as his much-sung oak; the German, true forester and forest-lover that he is, full of sentiment as his linden, musical as his fir, sturdy as his beeches. Out of a state peopled by such races, what may we not hope for? Surely, the rights of the forest will be reverenced; surely the forest will make royal return.

"Let the day of this proclamation be observed far and wide among us, in deed and in spirit, in school, home and mart. Let the highways be embellished; make crooked paths straight, rough places smooth. Let consecration of aim unite with concentration of effort toward making of Minnesota one vast landscape garden, where the workings of nature are cunningly aided, not held in thrall by man; where song sparrow may sing in the hedgerows, while meadow lark and bobolink trill their sweetness from the topmost boughs, 'and none shall make them afraid.'"

GRAND JURY MAKES REPORT

August Body Completes Two Days' Session and is Discharged Last Evening.

The grand jury returned the report of its findings to the court last evening, after having been in session two days, and were discharged with the thanks of the court for their faithful service.

On convening Tuesday morning, Russel E. Vance was chosen foreman, and the work before them was taken up. A large number of witnesses were examined on different matters, and while nothing is given out as to what they did, it is hinted that seven indictments were returned. Nothing is known as to their nature, other than that two of them are against the Soo brakeman now held in the county jail here.

They will probably be public property in a very short time, however, as soon as those who counts have been issued against are brought before the court.

Monday is April Fool day.

KODOL digests what you eat and quickly overcomes Indigestion, which is a forerunner of Dyspepsia. It is made in strict conformity to the National Pure Food and Drugs Law and is sold on a guarantee relief plan. Sold by all druggists.

Concert Was Good.

The March band concert, given at the Met last Thursday evening, was well patronized, and as is the habit the organization gave a splendid accounting of itself, the entire program being one of keen enjoyment. The band numbers were all good and were given liberal applause. The specialties were also of an unusually high order, and were all enthusiastically received. Clem Brunelle played a pretty cornet solo, which was very well rendered. Mrs. E. F. Marshall sang "The Swallow" in a delightfully pleasing manner and was given a hearty encore. The band orchestra rendered two pleasing numbers and the specialties were finished by a clarinet solo by Bandmaster Bruckmnn, accompanied on the piano by Miss Igna Hamry. The solo was a very heavy one, but nothing like that bothers the Herr Bruckman, and his work was away ahead of anything ever heard here before. The accompaniment to the solo was also very fine, and this number was surely one of the finest features of the winter's series of concerts. The concert for April will terminate the indoor series, and an effort will be made to have several features entirely out of the ordinary incorporated in the program.

Pleth Won't Leave.

Julius Pleth, the hustling Plummer real estate dealer, has announced his intention of remaining in Red Lake county, and will not leave Plummer for the cities, as was intended. The news of Mr. Pleth's decision to remain with us will surely be well received by his legion of friends in all parts of the county, as there is no one who knows Julius but what is anxious to have him remain a resident of the best county in the valley. Mr. Pleth plans on a big business in the real estate line during the coming summer, and the Gazette hopes he will get it—and more.

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SOO BRAKEMAN HELD ON SERIOUS CHARGE

Languishes In The County Jail In This City Indicted Under Two Different Counts.

R. B. Hamilton, of Thief River Falls, Must Stand Trial For Rape and Indecent Assault.

County Attorney Germo and Sheriff Nelson were called to Thief River Falls Monday on a very serious criminal case, and as a result of their visit R. B. Hamilton, a brakeman on the Soo line west from Thief River Falls, is held in the county jail in this city, awaiting trial on the charge of rape. It is understood that the grand jury returned two separate counts against him, one for rape and one for indecent assault, and it possible that he will be tried on both charges.

Hamilton is a freight brakeman on the Soo, and the complainant is at Thief River Falls. She alleges that she boarded the freight at Viking last Monday morning to go to Thief River Falls, and that while alone in the caboose with Hamilton the assault was committed. On reaching Thief River Falls she at once complained to the authorities, with the result that Hamilton was arrested and brought down to the county jail here that evening. His bail was placed at $4000, in default of which he is kept in confinement. It is probable that the trial will come up Monday or Tuesday of next week.

Hamilton, of course, professes innocence of any assault, and the conductor and other brakeman of the crew are here and will be witnesses in the case. Hamilton's wife and her sister have also been here since Monday and will remain for the trial.

County Attorney Germo will conduct the case for the state, and Hamilton will be defended by Attorney Perl W. Mabey, of Thief River Falls, and Attorney F. A. Grady, of this city.

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SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

RESUME OF THAW TRIAL.

[illegible] Attorney Jerome appealed to the [illegible] to stop the Thaw trial, [illegible] Thaw was insane and [illegible] directing his counsel. The [illegible] delayed for two days while the [illegible] inquired into Thaw's mental condition and decided whether or not to appoint a commission in lunacy.

In the Thaw trial the case for the people was closed by the introduction of the Hummel affidavit, in which Evelyn Nesbit accused Thaw of repeatedly whipping and lashing her brutally when they were in Europe together, according to Hummel. Miss Nesbit also swore she would not sign statements which Thaw had prepared accusing Stanford White of having drugged and ruined her.

Able Attorney Delmas fighting every inch of the way, District Attorney Jerome secured from Abraham Hummel his complete story as to the affidavit which it is alleged Evelyn Nesbit Thaw made in the lawyer's office in 1903 charging Harry K. Thaw with beating her when she told him that the statement that Stanford White had drugged and ruined her was not true.

A schoolmate of Harry K. Thaw's in Wooster (O.) University has made a statement denying the stories of Thaw's wild life in that institution.

Reports that Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw had collapsed and that Abe Hummel faces prosecution for perjury as a result of his testimony about the affidavit accusing Harry Thaw of cruelty toward Evelyn, were prevalent. The closing of the case for the defense was delayed a day. Thaw sent $100 to the flood sufferers at Pittsburg.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The grand jury at San Francisco returned 65 indictments against Abraham Ruef charging the bribery of members of the board of supervisors in connection with overhead trolley and prize fight permits, 85-cent gas rate and telephone franchise. Ten indictments were returned against T. V. Halsey for bribery in connection with the telephone franchise.

A duel with swords, that went six rounds, was fought at Paris between Emmanuel Arene, senator from Corsica, and Adolphe Brisson, a journalist. Both contestants were wounded in the arm.

The armies of Honduras and Salvador made an attack on the Nicaraguans at Namasigue and both sides claim a victory.

In the Hermann land fraud trial A. D. Puter told how he paid money to Dr Loomis and to Senator Mitchell and arranged with Hermann for the fraudulent issue of patents to 12 homesteads.

Several bridge builders and individuals were indicted at Freeport, Ill., for conspiracy to prevent competition and for bribery.

Gov. Folk called an extra session of the Missouri legislature to begin April 9.

Alonzo L. Hart, of Detroit, Mich., was fined $6,000 for illegally manufacturing oleomargarine.

W. H. Martin, a prominent citizen of Detroit and a director of the Michigan Mutual Life Insurance company, was drowned while surf bathing at San Diego, Cal.

J. A. Wild, 55 years old, a prominent lumberman of Hoffman, Minn., died on a Missouri, Kansas & Texas train just before reaching St. Louis.

A bill forbidding state officials from using or soliciting free passes on the railroads, passed both houses of the New Hampshire legislature.

Six men were killed by an explosion in the Emporium powder mill near Emporium, Pa.

Mrs. Russel Sage gave $150,000 for the erection of a new sailors' home in New York.

The fish store of Joseph Tusa in Philadelphia was wrecked by a bomb supposed to have been thrown by "Black Hand" agents.

Frank H. Jones, assistant cashier of the Charlotte National bank of Charlotte, N. C., is missing with $68,000 of the bank's funds.

Two men arrested in New York for attempting to smuggle $25,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry are wanted abroad for a $35,000 robbery.

Two hundred and fifty pounds of dynamite exploded in Cincinnati and did great damage to a hospital and many residences and stores.

Miss Josie Gray, cashier of a furniture store at Evansville, Ind., was locked in the safe by robbers who escaped with several thousand dollars.

Mgr. Thomas P. Thorpe, a well known prelate in the Cleveland diocese of the Roman Catholic church, died of arterial sclerosis.

The coast line of the Southern Pacific railway was completely blocked by a landslide that closed the long Santa Margarita tunnel in the mountains north of San Luis Obispo.

John Blake, an employe of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company, met his wife Mary, in South Boston, shot her and then committed suicide. The woman may live.

The lining of a furnace of the Woodward iron company at Woodward, Ala., fell in and hundreds of tons of brick and mortar buried a number of workmen. Five dead bodies were taken from the debris.

A bomb was exploded in front of Judge Ogden's house in Oakland, Cal. The whole front of the house was destroyed, but none of the inmates was injured.

A south-bound homeseekers' excursion train on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad was derailed at Ldue, Mo. A number of passengers received bruises, but none was seriously hurt.

Edward Howell, colored, president of the Peoples bank of Harrisburg, Miss., was shot in the back and killed.

Two colored women, accused of a murderous attack on a white woman, were killed by a mob near Stamps, Ark.

S. E. Howell, president of the Omaha coal exchange, was sentenced to pay a fine of $1,000 and serve six months in the county jail for conspiracy in restraint of trade.

Benjamin Parker, in the burning of whose boarding house at Mayfield, Ky., one man lost his life, was indicted for murder and arson.

John Harrison was convicted at Elizabeth City, N. J., of kidnaping the son of former State Senator Beasley.

The "L. X." ranch of 200,000 acres in the Texas panhandle was sold for about $1,000,000 and will be cut into farms.

"Suffragettes" of London made another raid on parliament and about 70 were arrested.

An American mail bag whose contents were worth about $400,000 was stolen from the French line steamer La Provence.

A turn of sinister and widespread significance was given to the Central American war by the finding, on the persons of captured Nicaraguan soldiers, of proclamations promising them the loot of the first cities which they can capture in both Honduras and Salvador.

President Roosevelt conferred with Charles S. Mellen, head of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad, on the railway situation.

Heavy rains in western Pennsylvania caused new floods in the Pittsburg district. Floods in Nevada and California did great damage.

Thousands of Roumanian Jews, attacked and plundered by peasants, fled into Austria. The town of Botosahni was nearly destroyed by flames.

Thomas Bailey Aldrich, the author, died at his home in Boston.

The members of the Nashville city council were arrested for contempt on warrants issued by the Tennessee house of representatives.

Mrs. Margaret Harold Davidge, for many years well known in theatrical circles, died of heart disease following the arrest of her son for murder.

Henry T. Jaeger, general passenger agent of the Erie railroad, died at Buffalo, N. Y.

The Citizens State bank of Firth, Neb., was closed by the state banking board. The cashier is missing.

The mercury registered 102 degrees in the shade at Guthrie, Okla., breaking all heat records for the territory.

The national Saengerfest at Indianapolis, Ind., has been postponed until 1908.

Count Lamsdorff, former Russian minister of foreign affairs, died at San Remo.

Six hundred men employed by the Interstate Steel company at Hammond, Ind., struck for higher wages.

Mrs. James Tolbert was brutally assaulted and her two-months-old baby was murdered by a negro at Fairmont, Ga.

Three men blew the safe of the bank at Diamond, Mo., and escaped with $600 after Cashier Brookshire had fired five times at them.

The federal grand jury at Chicago will be asked to find new indictments against John R. Walsh, the former president of the Chicago National bank.

Herbert A. Graves, a young architect, was shot and painfully wounded in Kenosha, Wis. It is thought the shot was fired by a woman disguised as a man.

Former Deputy Manuel Talavera has been fatally wounded in a duel at Asuncion, Paraguay, with Lieut. Crispin Torres. Pistols were used. The former deputy fell at the first shot.

Attorney Arthur Clinton, chairman of the Edgar county Republican central committee, and Alvan Long, justice of the peace, both of Paris, Ill., have been indicted on charges of conspiracy to defraud by suing on a forged note for $10,000.

Fire at Augusta, Ga., ruined the office of the Augusta Chronicle, the main offices of the Western Union Telegraph company and the Union city ticket office.

Accosting Miss Dudez Dobson, his 17-year-old sweetheart, on the main street of Pointe a la Hache, La., Whitney Moliere, a young planter, asked her to marry him and upon being refused shot and killed the girl and himself.

Capt. Kosiloff of the East Siberia Sharpshooters, resenting a slur on the Russian army in a St. Petersburg hotel dining room, cut off the ear of Prince Nikaridge of Kutias, and was shot twice by the prince.

Lloyd C. Griscom, the new American ambassador to Italy, was received by King Victor Emmanuel.

Brig. Gen. John Moore, U. S. A., retired, former surgeon general of the army, died in Washington, aged 81 years. He was a native of Indiana.

About 40 members of Upton Sinclair's colony met at Englewood, N. J., near the ruins of Helicon hall, and decided not to abandon their cooperative effort.

The United States armored cruiser squadron has arrived at Shanghai. It is reported that Ensign John C. Fremont, Jr., jumped overboard in a heavy overcoat and rescued a doctor who was near drowning.

Dr. Julius H. Weinsberg, of St. Louis, was mortally shot by his son when the latter discovered that the doctor's wife was his stepmother.

Frank Dutton and Alcene Ross eloped from Virginia to Hellier, Ky. Sam Rose, brother of the girl, followed them to Hellier, where in a pistol duel he killed Dutton and almost immediately after was himself shot by Elias Dutton, brother of Frank.

As the result of a collision between a passenger and freight train at Turushiobe station, Manchuria, 17 persons were killed and 35 injured.

Judge Munger in the federal court at Omaha sentenced Bartlett Richards, W. G. Comstock, C. C. Jameson and Aequilla Triplett to fines and jail imprisonment for conspiracy to defraud the United States government out of public lands.

It was reported that the authorities of Erie, Pa., had found the kidnaped son of Dr. Horace Marvin.

Two persons were killed and ten injured at Cincinnati by the collapse of a flood-weakened house.

The port of Trujillo, Honduras was captured by the Nicaraguan naval forces. Salvador was said to have allied itself openly with Honduras.

E. P. Ripley of the Santa Fe, said that President Roosevelt was responsible for the present uncertain conditions in Wall street and attributed the recent semi-panic to "brush fire which the president started."

President Roosevelt announced the appointment of John E. Fader, of Columbus, O., as United States district judge for the southern district of Ohio.

David Vannecken was arrested at Kokomo, Ind., for an alleged attempt to wreck a Pennsylvania passenger train.

A local option bill, with an emergency clause, was passed by the legislature of Colorado. It is approved by Gov. Buchtel.

The grand jury of San Francisco was said to have uncovered further municipal corruption involving the board of supervisors.

The lower house of the New Mexico legislature voted to investigate the charges against Gov. Hagerman, who is accused of a land fraud.

Rear Admiral Benjamin F. Tilley, commandant at League Island navy yard, died of double pneumonia.

The railway commission of Canada ordered the Canadian Pacific and the Grand Trunk railroads to reduce passenger rates to three cents a mile.

Upton Sinclair, whose cooperative colony house, Helicon hall, near Englewood, N. J., was destroyed by fire, admitted that three weeks ago enough dynamite was found in the cellar of the building to have blown the structure to fragments.

Victor Emmanuel Orlande has been appointed minister of justice in the Italian cabinet in the place of the late Sig. Caio.

Calvary Baptist church, Lexington, Ky., built last year at a cost of $50,000, was destroyed by fire with all its contents.

One man was killed and two fatally injured in a wreck of a gravel train at Robinson, Ill.

Walter Pelham, an English author and playwright, died of pneumonia at the Mansion house, Garrison-on-the-Sound. He was 73 years old.

W. J. Rhees, keeper of archives of the Smithsonian institution, died of heart failure in Washington, D. C. Mr. Rhees had been connected with the institution since 1852.

The Elder-Dempster liner Jebba was wrecked on the rocks near Prawle Point, England, but all aboard were saved.

A negro who says he is one of the discharged troopers of the Twenty-fifth infantry confessed that the colored soldiers did the shooting at Brownsville, Tex., and said many of them helped to clean the guns.

Three masked men held up the passenger station of Macon, Mo., and got away with $200.

The appearance of several smallpox cases in Paris caused a great rush to get vaccinated.

M. Berthelot, who was foreign minister of France in the Bourgeois cabinet, died suddenly on being told his wife had expired.

Pedro Marcos, a lawyer, of Valladolid, Spain, his two children, their nurse and a young lady were drowned by their carriage and horse falling from a bridge into the canal.

Tests made by the ordnance department of the army proved that four rifles from company B, Twenty-fifth infantry were used in the Brownsville raid. The "confession" of a discharged trooper at Galveston was declared to be a fake.

It was reported that John D. Rockefeller had provided in his will a gift of $250,000,000 for charity and education and was about to give $50,000,000 to New York city.

Gen. Joseph Stockton, a civil war veteran and one of Chicago's oldest residents, died aged 74 years.

Copies of official papers show that the original cause of the dispute that has brought on the war between Honduras and Nicaragua was the theft of a mule by Nicaraguan cavalrymen.

Word was received of a terrible massacre of Jews in Podihilo, Roumania.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, March 16—With close to 200 bills piled up and clogging general orders, the house in committee of the whole today got another oratorical fever and wasted much precious time in wafting "hot air" towards the galleries. The most important bill considered was the W. I. Nolan bill, a copy of the municipal ownership Mueller law of Illinois. The bill was finally recommended for passage and passed to the calendar, the place of its final consideration by the house. The Rachie bill, requiring the governor to appoint the state railroad commissioners, was a subject of lengthy discussion. It was finally amended by A. J. Rockne with a proviso that the commission be increased from 3 to 5 members, two to be at once appointed by the governor for four year terms, after which all members shall be elective. Mr. Rockne deplored attacks which had been made on the state railroad commission, calling attention to the vast amount of work the commission always has on hand, and saying that in view of this work the commissioners deserve much commendation.

Among new bills in the house today, was one for annual sessions of the legislature by M. S. Carl, and an anti-treating bill by Thos. H. Horton. The house adjourned till Monday at 2 p. m.

The senate took things easy today. Early in the session the rule prohibiting smoking was suspended, and during the rest of the day business was transacted through a fog of blue smoke.

A lengthy communication was received from the St. Paul Trades and Labor Assembly, asking that the Hackney semi-centennial bill be passed and expressing a belief that the advertising to Minnesota through such an exposition would be of tremendous good. The bill now rests with the judiciary which is looking into its constitutional state of health. It is understood when the bill comes up again there is to be an amendment attached to give each county in the state a substantial allowance to expend for a county exhibit, with a view to having all parts of the state represented and advertised in a way they have never been before.

The senate adjourned till Tuesday at 10 a. m.

St. Paul, March 18—The house met this afternoon and devoted its entire time to advancing bills from general orders, in committee of the whole, to the calendar. It was from beginning to end a session of routine business and bills were brought up and disposed of as fast as they could be read, and to hasten matters the reading clerk did not hesitate to leave out many a section of a long bill which would otherwise have taken up much more unnecessary time. About 25 bills were advanced by the committee of the whole, making something of an impression on the 175 measures which had piled up on general orders. The bills thus recommended to pass included, the bill calling upon public service corporations to pay special assessments for local improvements, the pure food bill of the dairy and food commission prohibiting use of coal tar dyes in any food stuffs, the Davidson bill prohibiting treating at elections, the bill proposing a constitutional amendment to permit creation of a special tax for good roads.

W. H. Putnam of Red Wing barely saved the life of his bill which calls for the new girls' industrial school to be at Red Wing. The bill was recommended for indefinite postponement by committee, but on request of Putnam the house consented to permit the bill to be tabled for the time being with out administering the death blow.

St. Paul, March 19—Half a million dollars in appropriation for a new prison is provided in a bill introduced by Senator George H. Sullivan today, to be erected on the site purchased at Stillwater a short time ago by the state board of control. The appropriation is divided into two allowances of $250,000, one for the year ending July 31, 1907, and one for the following fiscal year. The state board of control is named as having full authority to prepare plans and let contracts.

The senate settled the question today that there will be no new normal schools established in spite of the fact that bills for two such institutions have been pending for some time. One bill by Senator D. M. Gunn of Grand Rapids, provided for a normal at Cass Lake. The second bill, by Senator A. L. Hanson of Ada, called for a normal to be located by the normal board at some point along the Great Northern line between Duluth and East Grand Forks. Both measures came up for debate this afternoon. Each of the two named senators spoke in favor of his bill and quite a wrangle started. Senator P. Fitzpatrick of Winona made a speech which was the death blow of both bills, and which seriously questioned the need of any new normal at any location at all. The senate took the Winonian's suggestion to heart, and motions to indefinitely postpone both bills were then carried by a large majority.

The house today killed the bill requiring locomotive engineers to have three years experience as fireman, by a vote of 51 to 34. Elmer Adams of Fergus Falls called attention to the fact that the enforcement of such a law, would mean at times of strikes, railroads in the state would be absolutely tied hand foot and unable to move a train.

E. A. Orne of Faribault introduced a bill which aims to repeal all laws relating to primary elections in this state. The bill, however, does not re-establish the old convention system and would leave the state without any means of making nominations.

Both senate and house are now spending nearly all their time considering bills on general orders in committee of the whole, to advance them to the calendar where they may be finally acted upon. This is tedious routine work, but absolutely necessary to get the pending business moving. The senate when it adjourned late yesterday, had caught up with its work. The house is still considerably swamped, but in better shape than two days ago.

St. Paul, March 20—A statistical bureau to be devoted especially to reports relative to farm products, is provided by a bill introduced in the senate today by George H. Sullivan of Stillwater. The state auditor is made superintendent, and allowed $6,000 a year for the payment of assistants and such other expenses as it may be necessary to incur.

An interesting bill is one presented by Senator D. M. Gunn of Grand Rapids. It makes a state park of Star Island in Cass lake, to be under supervision of the governor who may appoint a superintendent and caretaker at $100 a month. This island is heavily wooded. In its center, is a forest-hidden little lake, which is considerably higher in water level than Cass lake which surrounds it. How it is possible for the waters of this lake to remain higher than those of Cass lake is a mystery which no one can solve and which caused the state auditor to recommend the very action by the legislature which this bill proposes.

Senators Canestorp and Representative W. C. Bicknell both introduced an amendment of the existing inheritance tax law which is important. It extends the tax to the transfer of any and all properties within the state where such transfer is in the settlement of an estate. Thus a tax would be secured from non-residents who now escape.

The Pauly bill requiring corporations to pay labor wages at least twice a month, was indefinitely postponed by the senate today after lengthy debate. It was contended the bill was unfair to farmers, to operations in the woods, and to mining interests.

A blow at the liquor monopolies which are said to exist in many of the large centers of population in the state, is made by a bill introduced in the house today by Representative James S. Spencer of Rochester. Spencer says that in his town a local brewery has practically obtained control of all the available property for saloons, and thus secures a monopoly of the business. The bill prohibits any brewery, person, firm or corporation from taking out more than one license in any one town. The penalty for violation is $100 or 90 days in jail.

Messrs. Bjore and Jefferson today introduced in the house their third joint tonnage tax bill. It provides a graduate tax from 2 cents per ton on ore containing 49 per cent of iron, to 7.1 cents per ton on ore containing 66 per cent of iron. The average Minnesota ore runs about 55 per cent, which is taxed 5 cents per ton.

The senate committee on logs and lumber today presented a measure to increase the price paid for scaling state timber from 5 to 15 cents per thousand feet. The bill is introduced at the request of the state timber board, the members of which say that because of the diminutive size of logs at present being cut, and which one member of the board jokingly describes as "hand-picked", scalers have to do vastly more work to the thousand feet of scaling than a few years ago. The timber board members say the state's interests have suffered much because of being compelled to accept the services of poor men, the experts not caring to work for the remuneration offered.

There is every indication that at the end of the present session, the bills piled up in the house swamping that body will be hundreds in number. The house for ten days past has failed to catch up with the bill on general orders. The senate, however, manages to clear up both its calendar and general orders each day. The house has an over-supply of talkers, who insist on taking the floor at the least provocation and making the body as a whole "hold its horses" while they address the galleries. Every speech made at this stage of the session, acts as a compulsory order on each pending measure to "whoa Bill."

A Mystery

Minneapolis—By the death of Robert E. Lester, an automobile mystery of three years ago was probably sealed forever from being unearthed. On May 14, 1904, Robert Lester returned to his room in the Vendome hotel bruised and cut. Medical assistance was summoned and he lingered for three years a helpless invalid who had forgotten everything about the accident except that it was an automobile. The only clue is that he at times talked about how fast some chauffeurs drive their machines.

Cow Had Rabies

Mankato—Dr. Wesbrook of Minneapolis, director of the laboratories of the state board of health, has reported to Chairman Thompson of the Watonwan county board of health an examination of the head of a cow sent to him last Sunday shows that the cow died of rabies.

This cow was one of a herd owned by Fred Kirsch of Long Lake. Kirsch's dog bit four of his cows and is thought to have bitten dogs belonging to neighbors. A number of unmuzzled dogs have been shot in the county.

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Physiological Mystery.

According to some curious investigations conducted by English scientists, eldest sons tend to be criminals and youngest sons paupers. A great many thousand school children and many family histories have been examined to yield these results. First-born children were found to be, as a rule, taller and heavier, with greater ability and endurance than the others. This is in accordance with the popular feeling in many countries that the oldest child is superior to the others and deserving of special privileges. It is a well established fact that among men of genius an undue proportion are eldest sons.—Detroit Free Press.

SCIATIC TORTURE

A Locomotive Engineer Tells How He Was Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Pain that seems almost unbearable is a characteristic of sciatic rheumatism. In some cases the pain is knife-like, sharp or shooting; in others it is dull and aching. Sciatica is stubborn in resisting treatment and the patient frequently suffers for years. This was the case with Mr. Herbert E. Spaulding, a locomotive engineer on the Cincinnati, New Orleans & Texas Pacific Railway, whose home is at Longview, Texas.

"While running an engine some years ago," he says, "I fell off and hurt my knee and spine and I have always considered this to be the cause of my illness. The sciatica took hold of me from my heel to the back of my head. The pain was the worst I ever suffered in my life and my leg and back were twisted out of shape. I was under a physician's care for several months and for six months could not get out of bed. I also went to Hot Springs but came back in a worse condition than when I went.

"It was when I was down in bed that I heard of the case of a Mr. Allison, a much older man than myself, who had been cured of sciatica by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I began taking the pills and soon was able to get out of bed. When I had taken six boxes I was able to work about the house and yard. I kept right on with the pills until I was cured and I have never had any return of the trouble. I have been running an engine ever since."

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XX.—Continued.

When he had said over the words long as his parched throat would him, he became quiet. To his azement, some new, strange peace filled him. He took it for the ace of death. He was glad to think was coming so gently—like a kind other soothing him to his last sleep.

His head on his arm, his whole tired ody relaxing in this new restfulness, opened his eyes and looked off to he south, idly scanning the horizon, s eyes level with the sandy plain. Then something made him sit quickly p and stare intently, his bared head eaning forward. To the south, lying w, a mass of light clouds, volatile, hanging with opalescent lights as he ooked. A little to the left of these louds, while his head was on the and, he thought his eyes had de- ted certain squared lines.

Now he scanned the spot with a everish eagerness. At first there was ly the endless empty blue. Then, hen his wonder was quite dead and was about to lie down, there came miracle of miracles,—a vision in the ear blue of the sky. And this time e lines were coherent. He, the dying inner, had caught, clearly and posi- tively for one awful second in that , the flashing impression of a cross. faded as soon as it came, vanished while he gazed, leaving him in gasp- fainting wonder at the marvel.

And then, before he could think or estion himself, the sky once more bled its vision; again that image of cross stayed for a second in his s, and this time he thought there e figures about it. Some picture s trying to show itself to him. Still ning his body forward, gazing efully, his aroused body pulsing ttly to the wonder of the thing, he an to pray again, striving to keep excitement under.

O God, have mercy on me, a sinner!"

Slowly at first, it grew before his eyes, then quickly, so that at the there was a complete picture but an instant before had been a meaningless mass of line and olor. Set on a hill were many low, quare, flat-topped houses, brown in olor against the gray ground about them. In front of these houses was a arger structure of the same material, church-like building such as he had ce seen in a picture, with a wooden oss at the top. In an open square efore this church were many moving persons strangely garbed, seeming to Indians. They surged for a mo- ent about the door of the church, then parted to either side as if in an- ver to a signal, and he saw a proces- ion of the same people coming with owed heads, scourging themselves ith short whips and thorned branches. At their head walked a own-cowled monk, holding aloft be- him a small cross, attached by a ain to his waist. As he led the pro- ession forward, another crowd, some them being other brown-cowled monks, parted before the church door, and there, clearly before his wondering eyes was erected a great cross pon which he saw the crucified Sa- vior.

He saw those in the procession form about the cross and fling themselves upon the ground before it, while all the others round about knelt. He saw the monk, standing alone, raise the smaller cross in his hands above them, as if in blessing. High above it all, he saw the Crucified One, the head lying over on the shoulder.

He sank back on the sands in an ecstasy. His Witness had come—not as he thought it would, in a moment of spiritual uplift; but when he had been sunk by his own sin to fearful depths. Nor had it brought any message of glory for himself, of gifts or powers. Only the mission of suffering and service and suffering again at the end. But it was enough.

How long he lay in the joy of the realization he never knew, but sleep or faintness at last overcame him.

He was revived by the sharp chill of night, and sat up to find his mind clear, alert, and active with new purposes. He had suffered greatly from thirst, so that when he tried to say a prayer of thanksgiving he could not move his swollen tongue. He was weakened, too, but the freezing cold of the desert night aroused all his latent force. He struggled to his feet, and laid a course by the light of the moon back to the spring he had left in the morning. How he reached the hills again he never knew, nor how he made his way over them and back to the settlement. But there he lay sick for many days, his mind, when he felt it at all, tossing idly upon the great sustaining consciousness of that vision in the desert.

The day which he next remembered clearly, and from which he dated his new life, was one when he was back in the Meadows. He had ridden there in the first vagueness and weakness of his recovery, without purpose, yet feeling that he must go. What he found there made him believe he had been led to the spot. Stark against the glow of the western sky as he rode up, was a huge cross. He stopped, staring in wonder, believing it to be another vision; but it stayed before him, rigid, bare, and uncompromising. He left his horse and climbed up to it. At its base was piled a cairn of stones, and against this was a slab with an inscription:—

"Here 120 Men, Women, and Children Were Massacred in Cold Blood Early in September, 1857."

On the cross itself was carved in deep letters:—

"Vengeance is mine; I will repay, saith the Lord."

He fell on his knees at the foot and prayed, not weeping nor in any fever of fear, but as one knowing his sin and the sin of his Church. The burden of his prayer was, "O God, my own sin cannot be forgiven—I know it well—but let me atone for the sins of this people and let me guide them aright. Let me die on this cross a hundred deaths for each life they put out, or as many more as shall be needed to save them."

He was strong in his faith again, conscious that he himself was lost, but burning to save others, and hopeful, too, for he believed that a miracle had been vouchsafed to him in the desrt.

Nor would the good padre, at the head of his procession of penitents in his little mission out across the desert, have doubted less that it was a miracle than did this unhappy apostle of Joseph Smith, had he known the circumstance of its timeliness; albeit he had become familiar with such phenomena of light and air in the desert.

"Are You a Damned Mormon?"

CHAPTER XXI.

The Sinner Chastens Himself.

How to offer the greatest sacrifice—how to do the greatest service—these had become his problems. He concerned himself no longer with his own exaltation either in this world or the world to come.

He resolved to stay south, fearing vaguely that in the north he would be in conflict with the priesthood. He knew not how; he felt that he was still sound in his faith, but he felt, too, some undefined antagonism between himself and those who preached in the tabernacle. For his home he chose the settlement of Amalon, set in a rich little valley between the shoulders of the Pine mountains.

Late in October there was finished for him on the outer edge of the town, near the bank of a little hill-born stream, a roomy log-house, mud-chinked, with a water-tight roof of spruce shakes and a floor of whip-sawed plank,—a residence fit for one of the foremost teachers in the Church, an Elder after the Order of Melchisedek, an eloquent preacher and one true to the blessed Gods. At one end of the cabin, a small room was partitioned off and a bunk built in it. A chair and a water-basin on a block comprised its furniture. This room he reserved for himself.

As to the rest of the house, his ideas were at first cloudy. He knew only that he wished to serve. Gradually, however, as his mind worked over the problem, the answer came with considerable clearness. He thought about it much on his way north, for he was obliged to make a trip to Salt Lake City to secure supplies for the winter, some needed articles of furniture for the house, and his wagons and stock.

He was helped in his thinking on a day early in the journey. Near a squalid hut on the outskirts of Cedar City he noticed a woman staggering under an armful of wood. She was bareheaded, with hair disordered, her cheeks hollowed, and her skin yellow and bloodless. He remembered the tale he had heard when he came down. He thought she must be that wife of Bishop Snow who had been put away. He rode up to the cabin as the woman threw her wood inside. She was weak and wretched-looking in the extreme.

"I am Elder Rae. I want to know if you would care to go to Amalon with me when I come back. If you do, you can have a home there as long as you like. It would be easier for you than here."

She had looked up quickly at him in much embarrassment. She smiled a little when he had finished.

"I'm not much good to work, but I think I'd get stronger if I had plenty to eat. I used to be right strong and well."

"I shall be along with my wagons in two weeks or a little more. If you will go with me then I would like to have you. Here, here is money to buy you food until I come."

"You've heard of me, have you—that I'm a divorced woman"

"Yes, I know."

She looked down at the ground a moment, pondering, then up at him with sudden resolution.

"I can't work hard and—I'm not—pretty any longer—why do you want to marry me?"

Her question made him the more embarrassed of the two, and she saw as much, but she could not tell why it was.

"Why," he stammered, "why,—you see—but never mind. I must hurry on now. In about two weeks—" And he put the spurs so viciously to his horse that he was nearly unseated by the startled animal's leap.

Off on the open road again he thought it out. Marriage had not been in his mind when he spoke to the woman. He had meant only to give her a home. But to her the idea had come naturally from his words, and he began to see that it was, indeed, not an unnatural thing to do. He dwelt long on this new idea, picturing at intervals the woman's lack of any charm or beauty, her painful emaciation, her weakness.

As he entered Brigham's office in Salt Lake City some days later, there passed out by the same door a woman whom he seemed dimly to remember. The left half of her face was disfigured by a huge flaming scar, and he saw that she had but one hand.

"Who was that woman?" he asked Brigham, after they had chatted a little of other matters.

"That's poor Christina Lund. You ought to remember her. She was in your hand-cart party. She's having a pretty hard time of it. You see, she froze off one hand, so now she can't work much, and then she froze her face, so she ain't much for looks any longer—in fact, I wouldn't say Christina was much to start with, judging from the half of her face that's still good—and so, of course, she hasn't been able to marry. The Church helps her a little now and then, but what troubles her most is that she'll lose her glory if she ain't married. You see, she ain't a worker and she ain't handsome, so who's going to have her sealed to him?"

"I remember her now. She pushed the cart with her father in it from the Platte crossing, at Fort Laramie, clear over to Echo canyon, when all the fingers of one hand came off on the bar of the cart one afternoon; and then her hand had to be amputated. Brother Brigham, she shouldn't be cheated of her place in the Kingdom."

"Well, she ain't capable, and she ain't a pretty person, so what can she do?"

"I believe if the Lord is willing I will have her sealed to me."

"It will be your own doings, Brother Rae. I wouldn't take it on myself to counsel that woman to anybody."

"I feel I must do it, Brother Brigham."

"Well, so be it if you say. She can be sealed to you and be a star in your crown forever. But I hope, now that you've begun to build up your kingdom, you'll do a little better, next time. There's a lot of pretty good-looking young women came in with a party yesterday—"

"All in good time, Brother Brigham! If you're willing, I'll pick up my second on the way south."

"Well, well, now that's good!" and the broad face of Brigham glowed with friendly enthusiasm. "You know I'd suspicioned more than once that you wasn't overly strong on the doctrinal point of celestial marriage. I hope your second, Brother Joel, is a little fancier than this one."

"She'll be a better worker," he replied.

"Well, they're the most satisfactory in the long run. I've found that out myself. At any rate, it's best to lay the foundations of your kingdom with workers, the plainer the better. After that, a man can afford something in the ornamental line now and then. Now, I'll send for Christina and tell her what luck she's in. She hasn't had her endowments yet, so you might as well go through those with her. Be at the endowment-house at five in the morning."

And so it befell that Joel Rae, Elder after the Order of Melchisedek, and Christina Lund, spinster, native of Denmark, were on the following day, after the endowment-rites had been administered, married for time and eternity.

From the altar they went to the wagons and began their journey south. Christina came out of the endowment-house, glowing, as to one side of her face. She was, also, in a state of daze that left her able to say but little. Proud and happy and silent, her sole remark, the first day of the trip, was: "Brigham—now—he make such a lovely, bee-yoo-tiful God in heeven!"

But his work of service had only begun. As they went further south he began to make inquiries for the wandering wife of Elder Tench. He came upon her at length as she was starting north from Beaver at dusk. He prevailed upon her to stop with his party.

"I don't mind to-night, sir, but I must be off betimes in the morning."

But in the morning he persuaded her to stay with them.

"Your husband is out of the country now, but he's coming back soon, and he will stop first at my house when he does come. So stay with me there and wait for him."

She was troubled by this at first, but at last agreed.

"If you're sure he will come there first—"

She refused to ride in the wagon, however, preferring to walk, and strode briskly all day in the wake of the cattle.

When they reached Cedar City a halt was made while he went for the other woman—not without some misgiving, for he remembered that she was still young. But his second view of her reassured him—the sallow, anemic face, the skin drawn tightly over the cheek bones, the drooping shoulders, the thin, forlorn figure. Even the certainty that her life of hardship was ended, that she was at least sure not to die of privation, had failed to call out any radiance upon her. They were married by a local Bishop, Joel's first wife placing the hand of the second in his own, as the ceremony required. Then with his wives, his charges, his wagons, and his cattle he continued on to the home he had made at the edge of Amalon.

Among the women there was no awkwardness or inharmony; they had all suffered; and the two wives tactfully humored the whims of the insane woman. On the day they reached home, the husband took them to the door of his own little room.

"All that out there is yours," he said. "Make the best arrangements you can. This is my place; neither of you must ever come in here."

CHAPTER XXII.

The Coming of the Woman-Child.

The next day he sent across the settlement for the child, waiting for her with mixed emotions,—a trembling merge of love and fear, with something, indeed, of awe for this woman-child of her mother, who had come to him so deviously and with a secret significance so mighty of portent to his own soul. When they brought her in at last, he had to brace himself to meet her.

She came and stood before him, one foot a little advanced, several dolls clutched tightly under one arm, and her bonnet swinging in the other hand. She looked up at him fearlessly, questioningly, but with no sign of friendliness. He saw and felt her mother in all her being, in her eyes and hair, in the lines of her soft little face, and indefinably in her way of standing or moving. He was seized with a sudden fear that the mother watched him secretly out of the child's eyes, and with the child's lips might call to him accusingly, with what wild cries of anguish and reproach he dared not guess. He strove to say something to her, but his lips were dry, and he made only some half-articulate sound; trying to force a smile of assurance.

Then the child spoke, her serious, questioning eyes upon him unwaveringly.

"Are you a damned Mormon?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The world doesn't owe you a living—it was here first.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

State Has 5,000,000 Trout Fry.

St. Paul—The state game and fish commission this year will distribute 5,000,000 brook trout fry through the parts of the state where these kind of fish thrive. This will break all previous records of the department along this line.

Shipments of the fry are already being made to the southern and northern parts of the state, where the small brooks most abound. One shipment is being made every day, and so far seven carloads, or about 280,000 brook fry, have been shipped.

The sportsmen at Winona and in other parts of the state have organized anglers' associations and these associations have provided tanks for the fry that they may be kept safely until all danger from the spring freshets has gone. The shipments are made direct to the associations.

All the trout are healthy. The two fish hatcheries were so crowded that part of the stock had to be disposed of earlier than usual. The shipments are made in cans containing about 2,000 trout each. Twenty cans are sent in each shipment.

Rich Iron Ore Struck.

Brainerd—A valuable find of iron ore is reported to have been made at Randall, in Morrison county, on the cut-off on the Cuyuna range. The ore is said to be red hematite of a 60 per cent grade and equals anything yet found on the range.

There have been drills at work in that vicinity for nearly a year, and it is said on good authority that the Allworth and Washburn interests have made arrangements to renew the work with increasing vigor as soon as spring opens.

It is also said that strong indications of ore have been found in a line running from about the center of Mille Lacs southwesterly through Morrison county. The claim is made that this line has been known for two years to certain Minneapolis financiers who have been quietly acquiring title to the land through which it runs. There has been no drilling done on this line and apparently it is not the intention to begin exploration work until all of the land has been acquired.

Fixes Interest Rate.

St. Paul—The state board of deposit, consisting of State Auditor S. G. Iverson, State Treasurer C. C. Dinehart and Public Examiner Anton Schaefer, has passed a resolution requiring an interest rate of 3 per cent from all banks in the state used as state depositories. But three banks are exempt, they being the Security Bank of Minnesota at Minneapolis and the Merchants National and First National banks of St. Paul. These banks are designated as depositories where the active current state accounts may be kept, and these banks are to pay 2 per cent interest on daily balances.

Heretofore the distinction in regard to the rate of interest has been between the city and country banks, the banks of the small towns being obliged to pay 3 per cent interest, while the banks of St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth and Winona paid but 2 per cent. The new order makes the distinction between active and checking accounts. The order will affect nearly all the banks in the state.

State Gets $67,792.

St. Paul—The state of Minnesota is a gainer in the sum of $67,792 which has just been ordered paid by congress. This sum represents interest on the old bonds upon which Governor Ramsey raised money in 1862 to suppress the Sioux uprising. When in Washington two years ago, State Auditor Sam G. Iverson, in making some investigations, discovered what he believed to be a claim against the government for this interest.

Accordingly he took the matter up and had a brief prepared by Attorney General Young. A bill was passed ordering an investigation, and, as a result of Mr. Iverson's persistency, the claim has been allowed.

Fruit From South Africa.

Minneapolis—Pears and plums that were grown in South Africa furnish something in the way of unusual delicacies in the stock of E. P. Stacy & Sons, commission merchants, and so far as it known, this is the first South African fruit to appear in the Minneapolis market.

The consignment, which was shipped first to London and from there to Minneapolis by way of New York, consists of several boxes of Wickson plums and several of Bon Cretin pears. The fruit was grown on the Cecil Rhodes farm and because of the cost of transportation it will be necessary to sell each pear or plum for 10 or 15 cents to cover expense.

Blows Off Top of Head.

Alexandria—Peter Nelson, a farmer of Lund township, Douglas county, blew off the top of his head with a shotgun. He had been very gloomy for some time. During the temporary absence of his family he went into the kitchen and resting the butt of the gun against the wall placed the muzzle in his mouth and discharged the weapon by means of a small stick. His hired man entered the kitchen just in time to see him fall dead.

Engineer and Conductor Killed.

Deer River—Frank McVeigh, engineer, and George Martin, conductor, were instantly killed in a head-on collision between freight trains on the Minnesota & International, near Deer River. The trains came together on a reverse curve where the engineers could not see the headlight of the other train.

Both engines were shattered and Engineer McCabe was crushed to death in his cab. Conductor Martin was riding on the top the caboose of his train and was hurled to the ground, breaking his skull. Twenty cars were wrecked.

Sales of State Land.

St. Paul—Samuel G. Iverson, state auditor, is arranging for the sale of 341,600 acres of state lands this summer, beginning with a sale at Grand Rapids on June 11, and concluding with an auction at Pine City on July 3.

According to law, these lands will be sold by auction to the highest bidder. Only 15 per cent of the purchase price must be paid at the time of the sale. The remainder is allowed to run for forty years, if so desired by the buyer, at 4 per cent interest.

The sales which the auditor plans to hold, the place and date of each sale, and the amount of land to be offered at each place, is to be summarized as follows:

	Acres offered.
Tuesday, June 11, Grand Rapids, 10 a. m.	35,000
Wednesday, June 12, Duluth, 10 a. m.	35,000
Thursday, June 13, Carlton, 10 a. m.	21,000
Friday, June 14, Aitkin, 10 a. m.	36,000
Saturday, June 15, Brainerd, 10 a. m.	21,000
Monday, June 17, Bagley, 1 p. m.	15,000
Tuesday, June 18, Bemidji, 1:30 p. m.	20,000
Wednesday, June 19, Walker, 10 a. m.	20,000
Thursday, June 20, Park Rapids, 10 a. m.	17,000
Friday, June 21, Wadena, 2 p. m.	15,000
Saturday, June 22, Long Prairie 1 p. m.	8,600
Monday, June 24, Hallock, 1 p. m.	25,000
Tuesday, June 25, Warren, 1 p. m.	3,000
Wednesday, June 26, Crookston, 10 a. m.	3,000
Friday, June 28, Roseau, 10 a. m.	30,000
Monday, July 1, Red Lake Falls, 1 p. m.	5,000
Tuesday, July 2, Detroit, 10 a. m.	23,000
Wednesday, July 3, Pine City, 1 p. m.	10,000

Fish Clog Water in Pipe.

Brainerd—The Northern Pacific Railway company has been having trouble for some time in getting water at its well which supplies the tank at Klondike. A few days ago a crew of men were set at work to clean out the well, and it was found to be absolutely filled with fish. There were suckers, bullheads, shiners and other small fish almost by millions. Suckers weighing seven pounds were found.

The pumps has refused to work and an examination showed that two large bullheads had got into the cylinder, clogging it completely and it was necessary to take the pump apart to get them out.

The well is connected by a large intake pipe with the Lookout lake, and it is thought that the screen over the end of the pipe must have rusted out, thus allowing the fish to pass into the well.

War on Wolves.

St. Paul—The war which is being waged on mad dogs in various parts of the state is merely a flicker of the candle when compared to the battle which has been going on against Minnesota wolves during the last three months, according to the wolf bounties paid by the state auditor's office.

Since Dec. 26, when the last bounties were paid, 1,228 full-grown wolves and 299 cubs have passed away through the medium of the bounty seekers, making a total of 1,587 for which the state will pay $9,958.50. Roseau county leads the list with 361 wolves, thereby securing almost $3,000. Metropolitan Ramsey county is at the bottom of the ladder, but managed to break into the run column with three full-grown wolves.

Walked From Oregon.

from the asylum at Fergus Falls with David Murphy, who is being returned to the asylum at Portland, Ore. Murphy escaped from the Oregon asylum more than a year ago and walked the entire distance from Portland to Duluth, occupying seven months in the journey.

He was picked up by the Duluth authorities about five months ago and was committed to the asylum. From words dropped by the man it was learned that he had been an inmate of the Oregon institution, and correspondence with the authorities there developed that Murphy had escaped from the asylum.

While at Church Home Burns.

Crookston—The farm house of Owen Jones, four miles east of the city, was burned to the ground while the family was in the city at church. The fire was discovered by neighbors, who broke open the doors and succeeded in saving the piano and a few articles of furniture. The house was totally destroyed. The loss will reach several thousand dollars, partially covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is a mystery, but it is thought that it may have been started by an overheated stove.

NEWS NOTES.

Minneapolis—Judgments for $1,006.03 have been given in the district court against twenty-seven members of the university class of 1905, as a result of the scandal connected with the Gopher published by that class. Byron & Willard, the printing firm that issued the book for the class, has been given judgment against the number.

Mankato—A physician sent $1.85 to a whisky firm in response to an advertisement that for this sum it would send twelve full bottles of whisky, this offer being made "merely to introduce the goods." When the package arrived it contained the twelve full bottles, as promised, but each bottle was about as big as a thimble.

Fergus Falls—John Persons of the town of Deer Creek was severely injured while cutting cordwood with his brother. The two young men were using double-bitted axes and standing back to back, when the brother swung his ax and struck John in the back, cutting a long gash alongside the backbone, severing a number of ribs and literally laying his back open. Fortunately the blade did not cut through any of the vital organs, and he will recover.

Winona—E. K. Tarbell, former mayor of this city and for a number of years proprietor of the Hotel Winona, died here, after a brief illness.

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STATE AID FOR ROADS.

The discovery that it will be impossible for the legislature to appropriate [illegible] or any sum greater than the proceeds of a tax of 1-20 [illegible] for state aid to road building in Minnesota, draws attention to the necessity of passing the proposed constitutional amendment to give the legislature more power. A similar amendment, apparently, failed to carry at the election, last fall, according to the official returns, but the new proposition is so drawn as to do away with all opposition.

The proposed amendment is brief, and is build on the "wide-open" plan, leaving it to the discretion of the legislature to levy as great a tax for this purpose and it to appropriate the proceeds as it sees fit.

The amendment submitted last fall was objected to because limits were placed on the amount that could be appropriated to any one county, and because it was provided that no county should have the use of any state aid until it should expend, from its own funds, twice as much for the road purposes. Both these objectional features have been omitted.

This amendment is the result of the demand, all over the state, for good roads, by which the farmer may bring his produce to his market at the least expense and with the least trouble. Every city, village and township in the state will profit by making farming a more profitable business, through cheapening the cost of hauling produce from farm to market. Hence the demand that a larger portion of the state funds should be devoted to this meritorious purpose, and no one should say it nay.—St. Paul Dispatch.

TWO KINDS OF SUCCESS.

E. H. Harriman may be right in his recent declaration that "every body hates a successful man" if, by that designation, he means such men as himself, John D. Rockefeller, John W. Gates, the late Russel Sage, H. H. Rogers, "Gas" Addicks and others of that ilk. All of these have made their successes simply by riding rough-shod over the people, by acts that savor strongly of those of pirates and by ruthless disregard of the rights of others.

But there are thousands of men in all walks of life who may justly claim to have been eminently successful—business men, lawyers, doctors, ministers, public men, even financiers—who certainly are not only not hated but are universally admired. Such men, and their names are legion, are held up to the world as the truest and best models of marked success and the growing generation is constantly advised to pattern after them.

The class of men, to which Harriman certainly refered, is that of the unscrupulous builder of big fortunes at the expense of the mass of the people. These are hated, not because of their wealth, for there are many very wealthy men who have been deservedly popular, but because of the methods they have adopted to win their so-called success and pile up their millions on millions and because they have adopted toward the great mass of the people the "public be ——" policy of William H. Vanderbilt.

Harriman and his like have not shown any inclination to win the friendship and esteem of the public. Even John D. Rockefeller's colossal bids for popularity came so late that his every gift is suspected. Why then should the Harrimans of today expect anything except hatred? Contrast them with Mark Twain, Thomas A. Edison, President Roosevelt, the late Bishop Phillips Brooks, D. L. Moody and others, who certainly measure far beyond Harriman's type of successfulmen, and who will dare say that the public is wrong in its discrimination as to men to be hated and those to be admired?—Duluth Herald.

Editor Hunt, of the Sunbeam must have been reading the Plummer Pioneer. He says: "The only line of goods that are being handled in Plummer is Sunny brook rye, and stationary."

A North Dakota paper says: "Most of the people who were frozen to death in North Dakota the past winter—on paper—are coming forward and denying the charge in forcible and indignant language. Like the average healthy North Dakotan, they are bubbling over with life and naturally object to having their obituaries printed in the eastern papers. If some of these "frozen stiffs" could be rounded up and exhibited at the Jamestown Exposition it would be a good advertisement for North Dakota."

The Taking Cold Habit

The old cold goes; a new one quickly comes. It's the story of a weak throat, weak lungs, a tendency to consumption. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral breaks up the taking-cold habit. It strengthens, soothes, heals. Ask your doctor about it.

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Red Lake Falls Minnesota

There are over 12,000 laws on the Minnesota statute books, and yet it is held that ignorance of the law excuses no man.

Bemidji has a new daily newspaper, launchhd by A. B. Allen of the Bemidji Weekly Sentinel. This gives the city two dailies.

C. J. Pryor, manager of the Bemidji Daily Pioneer, and A. G. Rutledge, city editor, have purchased the controlling interest in that paper and will guide its course henceforth. Mr. Pryor, who is well known in this city, and the genial "Doc" Rutledge, who has been actively connected with the state game and fish commission for several years past, ought to make a good running team, and the Gazette extends best wishes.

Few realize how great a source of wealth the horse is. In Minnesota, for instance, there are no less than 723,000 horses, representing a valuation of $70,000,000. While North Dakota has 580,000 horses worth $55,000,000 and South Dakota 548,000 worth $45,000,000. Thus the horse, despite the encroachment of the automobile, stands well in the front in importance and in three states represents wealth equal to $170,000,000.

Revival Notes.

Evangelist John S. Hamilton, and Singer John R. Bursk arrived in this city on Tuesday and began meetings at the Presbyterian church the same night. In spite of bad weather the meeting the first night was largely attended. Rev. Hamilton spoke to Christians on the duty of being "Helpers." It was a thoughtful and stirring discourse.

Prof. Bursk organized a large chorus from the singers of the audience, and desires to invite all other singers to join the chorus. He also sang two Gospel solos in a very winning way. He has a pleasing voice and sings very earnestly. He is planing to organize a "Sunbeam Choir" of boys and girls, and to make their singing a special feature of the meetings. The orchestra will be present, except when detained by other duties, and will also assist in making the music a special feature of these meetings.

On Wednesday and Thursday the Evangelists, accompanied by Rev. Knox, visited a large portion of the business houses to become acquainted with the men and invite them to attend the meetings. Services begin each night at 7:30 p. m. The meetings will last only a short time and you are urged to attend every night, if possible.

Herbert W. Knox, Pastor.

Break-up Causes Trouble.

The break-up of the latter part of last week, played havoc in general with the country roads, and as a result taffic was at a standstill for several days. The "Star" mail carriers failed to get here at all from Friday until Tuesday, and then their trips were extremely difficult ones and were made under almost impossible conditions. The large amount of snow throughout the country had become well trodden down during the winter, so that rigs could drive over the high drifts with comfort. The warm sun of a few days of last week completely changed conditions, however, and in many places the horses would go nearly out of sight in the snow, breaking through at every step. No travel was attempted for several days, and while conditions are somewhat better at the present writing it will be some little time before the roads are in satisfactory shape for comfortable travel.

May Locate Here.

Fergus Falls Journal: E. M. Nelson, the well known citizen of Friberg was in the city Saturday on his return from Thief River Lalls, Red Lake Falls, Crookston and other northern points. Mr. Nelson's health has not been particularly good for a year or two past and he thinks of giving up farming and engaging in the real estate business in some of the cities to the northward, but has not yet come to any definite conclusion.—Fergus Falls Journal.

You should be very careful of your bowels when you have a cold. Nearly all other cough syrups are constipating, especially those containing opiates. Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup moves the bowels—contains NO opiates. Conforms to National Pure Food and Drugs Law. Bears the endorsement of mothers everywhere. Children like its pleasant taste Sold by all druggists.

CLASS PLAY OF '07

The Sweet Girl Graduate Will Make Her Debute In The Glare of The Footlights.

The sweet girl graduate is not only the embryo of expectancy and many future hopes, but has found her way into the field of romance to the extent that she has commanded the attention of the playwright, and, H. Rea Woodman, charmed by her many little whims and caprices, has embodied her several moods in a delightful little farce comedy entitled "The Sweet Girl Graduates," which will be presented to the people of Red Lake Falls by the High School Class of '07, at the Metropolitan Opera House on the evening of April 12th two weeks from tomorrow (Friday.)

The play, which is composed of three acts and an epilogue, is replete with many little scenes abounding with comedy and satire, sombered by the deep earnestness with which plans are laid for the great and unknown future, and suggest to the play goer days gone by when they too were about to go go fourth into an untutored and unsuspecting world.

The Class of '07 have had the play in hand for some two weeks past, and at rehearsals now being held, promise to give a first-class reproduction of the "Sweet Girl Graduate as depicted by the author, whose portrayal of life is decidedly typical.

Many specialties will be interwoven with the play and an effort is being made to have a full orchestra in attendance, so that there will not be an idle moment during the entire program. In the afternoon of April 12th, the class will give a matinee for the benefit of the children who would be unable to attend in the evening, thereby giving all who desire, a chance to witness the "Sweet Girl Graduate" as she is about to enter an unexplored world filled with the hope of youth and many plans for the future.

The cast of the play is as follows:

Miss Maude De Smythe, the Sweet Girl, Secretary of the Class of '07.
—Alice Ericson.

Mrs. DeSmythe, her mother, who is threatened with neverous prostration.
—Lucy Hunt.

Mr. De Smythe, her father, President of the R. I. P. Railroad.
—John Richards.

Mr. Jack Hamilton, her Beau, President of the Class of 1907.
Paul Bruuelle.

Miss Matilda Hoppenhoer. her aunt. Who never graduated, thank Heaven.
Freda Ittner.

Miss Valeria Reynolds, her dearest friend.
Viola Longtin.

Madam Sateene, her dressmaker,
Ina Linnihan.

Miss Rantum, her elocution teacher, (late of the Boston school.)
—Edna Swanson.

Professor Grindem, Principal of the High School.
—Herbert Findeisen.

Mr. Chinese Bulbus, the Florist.
—Olaf Floan.

Katherine,...............the maid.
-Lillian Zaiser.

Ole. G. Sanders and Miss Anna Johnson, of Highlanding were married by Judge Tarrant Thursday of last week. the newly married couple are settlers on the reservation and will make their home near Highlanding.

Harry Mitchell's EDITORIAL.

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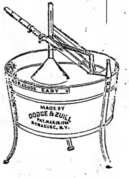

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$8.00

Hunt Hardware Co.

The Local Field---

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Sunday is Easter—watch for that new bonnet.

Dan Linnihan was down to Crookston Tuesday.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Joe Grey transacted business at Crookston Tuesday and Wednesday.

J. W. Wheeler of Crookston was a business caller in the city the first of the week.

Father Adolph of Thief River was the guest of Father Ambrose over Tuesday night.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Joe Boushea, of Brooks came over Wednesday, to act as a witness in the Brohman-Singer case.

F. E. Hunt spent several days at Brooks the first of the week getting the stock of hardware recently purchased at that place, in shape for the spring trade.

Attorneys Richardson and Stanton, of Thief River Falls, and Miller, of Crookston, were looking after the Thief River end of the county seat case before the district court this week.

Miss Lillian Swanson who is employed as stenographer in the office of Superintendent of Schools. E. E. McIntyre, of Crookston, came home Saturday for a few days visit with her parents.

The Gazette has a new apprentice this week in the person of Anthony Paradis who has decided that he desires to become versed in the mysteries of the printers art. Anthony is starting out well and promises to make rapid advancement in the business.

"Jim and Paul" the popular clothiers were down to Crookston the first of the week to meet representatives of some of the eastern clothing and haberdashery firms, and make selections from the elaborate displays of the season's styles on exhibition at that place.

We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times ---First State Bank. Red Lake Falls.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

Sam E. Hunt was in off the road between trains yesterday.

Wm. Clancy was a business caller at Crookston the first of the week.

For Sale—Light Brahmas, thorough bred cockerels. C. L. Mikkelsen.

If your lamp chimney smokes go to Spillanes, The Right Store and get some Ruby Oil.

Don't forget the Easter concert and ball given by the Orpheus Quartette Monday evening.

W. B. Cheshire, cashier of the Bank of Brooks, was a business caller in the city Wednesdry.

Attorney Perl Mabey of Thief River transacted legal business before Judge Watts Tuesday.

The name of the town of Oslo on the Soo west of Warren has been changed to Soo City.

C. M. Rasmussen, of Thief River Falls, is spending the week at the home of his nephew, Sheriff Nelson.

Dr. Argue was up to St. Hilaire Wednesday on professional business. Hereafter he will make that place every Wednesday, instead of twice a month as heretofore.

Rudolph Warberg, of Lambert. was transacting business in the city Wednesday. Mr. Warberg will dispose of his properties in that that township shortly and remove to other fields.

The Big Store calls your attention to a few of their Easter Offerings in their ad. this week. They could not enumerate them all, but would be pleased to show you many more at the Big Store.

St. Hilaire Spectator: Talk about the past winter deing a cold one, Henry Peters was around yesterday with pansies which he had picked in the garden. They had been covered with straw and snow.

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church the following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President Mrs. S. M. Sivertson: 1st vice-president, Mrs. C. E. Boughton; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. A. E. Cairns: secretary, Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain: treasurer. Mrs. E. F. Marshall.

Congressman Steenerson has received notification from the pension department at Washington, D. C., that the pensions of A. M. Childs, City Clerk, and Cornelius Snyder, a drayman of Crookston have been increased to $12 per month. Knute Anderson of Fosston has received an advance which entitles him to $20 per month and Simon Paul of this city will get $12 monthly from now on.

N. E. Beebe. a prosperous St. Hilaire farmer, is in the city doing duty on the grand jury. Mr. Beebe is a hustling dairyman and his monthly check is one of the biggest given out at the St. Hilaire creamery. The editor knew "Norm" years ago in one of the oldest towns in the southern part of the state and knows that he comes of stock that will help to make Red Lake county famous in both the dairy and farming line.

Macaroni seed wheat for sale.—L. C. Simons.

Attorneny Martin O'Brien of Crookston, was a caller here Monday afternoon.

Chief of Police Erickson of the Upper Falls was a court visitor the first of the week.

Vena Carver who has a school near Thief River Falls is home for the Easter vacation.

Marcus Johnson came up Wednesday to look after his many business interests at this point.

Chas. Tscinda, the Fertile cigar man was drumming up a trade in the city the first of the week.

Mrs Arthur Zaiser returned Monday morning from a few days visit with her parents at Crookston.

Dr. Fletcher, the dentist, will be at Dr. Wilkinson's office in this city Monday and Tuesday of next week.

Agent Weimer of the Ham Brewing Co., came down from Thief River, Monday to look after business in his line.

J. H. Peterson, the Kewiel Brewery representative was looking up the "Bock" trade in the city the first of the week.

"Jim & Paul" ask you to come and see the latest styles in spring haberdashery. Read their big ad on the front page.

Dr. Spofford will miss his visits for March and April, to Red Lake Falls. Next visit May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

Wanted—Person to travel in home territory; salary $3.50 per day and expenses. Address. J. A. Alexander, 125 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.

Hank Draper returned to Thief River, having completed the job of loading the old Meehan sawmill boilers for shipment to Minneapolis.

Felix Fournet and L. P. Stranahan, two prominent Crookstonites, were in the city Wednesday looking after business matters and calling on their many friends.

Attorney Wilhelm Michelet was here over Monday night on court business. He will be down again next week to try a case before the court on Wednesday.

Doctor Henry Grundy and H. O. Schaleben were down from Thief River the first of the week summoned as professional witnesses on several cases before the district court.

The Modern Woodmen will hold their regular meeting on Wednesday evening of next week. A full attendance is desired as business matters of much importance will come up at this time.

C. L. Hanson, the popular St. Hilaire banker, spent several days here this week. C. L. likes St. Hilaire better every day he lives there, and says that her people are loyal to the home institution every time.

At the meeting of the county board last week unorganized town 154-39 in eastern Red Lake county was organized underthe name of Reiner. "Teddy" was likewise suggested as a name but the commissioners decided upon Reiner as being more dignified and appropriate.

To remove a cough you must get at the cold which causes the cough. There is nothing so good for this as Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. The liquid cold relief that is most quickly effective, that stills and quiets the cough and drives out the cold. Sold by all druggists.

G. A. Johnson, representing the Wright, Barrett and Stillwell Paper Co. of Minneapolis, was calling on the trade in this city Saturday. Mr. Johnson has been traveling for this company for several years, and in addition to his old line of customers will handle the territory covered by W. A. Andrews, who was recently killed in a Great Northern railroad wreck.

A refunding bond of Red Lake county for $10,000 is due and becomes payable April 12th. There being insufficient funds to meet this obligation at the present time, the county board has made application to the state for a loan to take up these bonds. This $10,000 obligation was incurred at the time of the organization of Red Lake county in 1896 to paying running expenses until tax money should begin to come into the treasury.

Remi Fortier of Crookston was a visiter at the home of his son, Joseph in this city Tuesday of this week. Mr. Fortier had in his possession a petition to the state legislature asking for an appropriation for the benefit of the state agricultural school at Crookston, which was circulated among the business men and received the hearty approval of nearly everyone to whom it was presented. The school is of much importance and benefit to Northern Minnesota and it is to be hoped that a substantial appropriaton will be made by the legislature to promote its further development.

For Sale.

One 22 shoe Dowagaic drill, as good as new, 1 Jones mower and rake, 1 John Deere gang plow, 1 riding cultivator. Will be sold at a bargain if taken at once. Inquire of F. C. Westphal, Red Lake Falls.

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Queen Quality Boots, $3, $3.50, $4

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Let us show you our new styles while the assortment is at its best. Not the slightest obligation to buy.

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Treasurer Tandberg was up to Thief River Falls Monday.

W. A. Schreiter was a between trains visitor at St. Hilaire Monday.

Joe Brohman came in from Lambert Wednesday to look after his interests in a case before the district court.

Attend the revival meetings at the Presbyterian church. You will be pleased with both the singing and the sermons.

Banker W. W. Prichard of the First National Bank of Thief River Falls. was looking after business matters at the court house Monday.

F. L Farley closed a deal this week whereby he becomes owner of the Hatten residence on State street, which he has occupied for some time past.

Thief River Falls sent a large delegation down this week to attend the session of the District Court, about fifty being present the first of the week.

Misses Mary Lamb and Elene Hanson of the teaching force of the Lafayette school are spending the Easter vacation at thier homes in Moorhead and Fertile respectively.

Miss Clara Marchand came home Saturday from Moorhead for a weeks sojourn. She was accompanied by Miss Pauline Day, who is also putting in part of the week visiting friends at St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls.

The Markham Hotel at St. Hilaire, which was closed down recently will be be thoroughly overhauled and renovated and will be reopened for business April 1st, under the management of Mr. Hans Wilson of Wylie. The need of hotel accommodations at St. Hilaire is so pronounced that her citizens at once took steps to secure new managemeut for the Markham which was closed about a fortnight past.

Little globules of sunshine that drive the clouds away. DeWitt's Little Early Risers will scatter the gloom of sick-headache and biliousness. They do not gripe or sicken. Recommended and sold here by all druggists.

J. W. Bourdin was a St. Hilaire caller Monday.

Frank McGinty of Thief River, was a county seat caller Monday.

M. R. Hall returned Monday from the Big woods where he put in the past winter in the lumber camps.

Miss Mamie Ericson who is teaching at Fergus Falls arrived home Saturday morning to spend the spring vacation.

Miss Maggie Kaus accompanied by her friend Miss Thompson of Moorhead, came up from that place Saturday for a weeks vacation from normal studies.

W. J. Scharmer and wife, of Sandridge, spent several days the first of the week as the guest of Mrs. Scharmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Leader who reside northeast of this city.

Oliver Belair has acceted a position at Fred Borchers popular refreshment emporium. Mr. Belair takes the place formerly filled by Joe Patnode who will remove to Argyle

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Mr. Murray's family, the widow two grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and corps of attendants and employes will remain the same.

For over seven years the Murray Cure has demonstrated that the drink habit can be cured. If you have a friend that needs the Murray treatment, send him at once to the Murray Cure Institute. If the drink habit has a hold on you that you cannot break without help, remember we can help you.

Call or write, Murray Cure Institute 1319 Nicollet Ave, Minneapolis, or 321 So. 13th St., Fargo. N. D.

Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges . . .

We have just received several of the latest constructed Monarch Malleable Steel Ranges, in which are contained all the features which has made the steel range famous and the latest improvements that are known to the range manufacturers' art, which makes this range the "Monarch" of them all. These ranges are now on exhibition at our store, and we would be pleased to have every housewife in this vicinity call and look them over. The price of the Monarch Malleable Steel Range" is cheaper accordingly than other so called "steel ranges."

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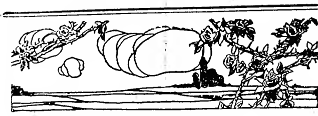


AN EASTER SONG

A song of sunshine through the rain,
Of spring across the snow,
A balm to heal the hurts of pain,
A peace surpassing woe.
Lift up your heads, ye sorrowing ones,
And be ye glad of heart,
For Calvary and Easter Day,
Earth's saddest day and gladdest day,
Were just one day apart!

With shudder of despair and loss
The world's deep heart was wrung,
As, lifted high upon His cross,
The Lord of Glory hung—
When rocks were rent, and ghostly forms
Stole forth in street and mart:
But Calvary and Easter-Day,
Earth's blackest day and whitest day,
Were just one day apart.
—Susan Coolidge.

Symbol of Glad Easter

All Nations and All Peoples Have Connected the Egg with the Creation or Renewal of Life.

FOR days the shop windows have spoken eloquently though mutely of the advent of tho great spring festival which in some form or other the classes and masses of the people are observing. Easter lilies and tulips, violets and hyacinths nll have spoken of the birth of a new year, of the springing forth of buds and blossoms, of the thrilling of bird songs, of the breaking of ice-bound waters, of the passing of winter, and of the return of the sun, bringing with it seedtime, and the birth of new hopes and desires, symbolized in the celebration of Easter.

And everywhere the egg, symbolic of the universe and of life, of the springing forth from the germ of new forces and powers, has been in evidence.

The Egyptians, the Jews, the Persians and Hindus, the Syrians, the Burmese, the Chinese, the Australians, the Hawaiians—all have connected the egg with the creation or renewal of life.

The fire worshippers of Persia, worshiping Zoroaster as a prophet, believed in a first great spirit from whom came two brothers, Ormuzd and Ahriman. Ahriman, showing jealousy of his brother, Ormuzd, was condemned to darkness for thousands of years. Angered, he longed for revenge, and when Ormuzd made an egg containing good genii Ahriman made another full of evil spirits, and broke the two together, so that from the beginning good and evil were mixed. In memory of this legend of creation, tbe Persians at the festival of the solar new year, held in March, exchanged colored eggs as gifts.

The Chinese have a story that the first man, Poo Koo Wong, came from an egg, and that having been born he used the upper part of the shell to make the heavens, while the lower part became the earth.

The Burmese tell that the first man and woman, their Adam and Eve, were hatched from a single egg.

The Syrians say that their gods from whom they were descended were hatched from eggs.

The Australians believe the earth was darkened space until one of their race threw up an egg, which exploded and became the sun.

Hawnll, the islanders declare, wns a great egg which some mammoth hird dropped as it passed over the seas.

The Egyptians regarded the egg as a sacred emblem of the renovation of mankind nfter the flood, nnd the Jews used it as a type of their departure from the land of the Egyptians, nnd with the Paschal lamb it was a part of the Passover feast.

The early Christians were, of course, Jewish, and when they began to observe Easter as a Christian feast gave to the egg as a part of the ceremonial of the season a new significance, that of the resurrection from tho dead. Eggs were forbidden during Lent, and so nnturnlly accumulated, as the hens did not stop laying. Eating them on Easter day signified that fasting time was over nnd feasting begun, so they were connected with joy just ns were the hells which, hushed during the period preceding Easter day, broke into joyous pealing at its dawn.

The nnme for Easter in the romance languages—paques in French, pasqua in Italian, nnd pascun in Spanish—comes through the Latin paschn, from the Chaldean form of the Hebrew name for the Passover festivnl. Hence the eggs are pace, pashe, paschal, or pasque eggs, as well as Easter eggs.

When the early Christians began to observe Easter as a Christian festival a controversy as to the time of its observance, known as the Paschal controversy, and extending from the second to the fourth centuries, arose. The Eastern churches kept it at the same time as the Jewish Passover, tho 14th day of the Jewish lunar month of Nisnn, which most often corresponds to our month of April, though sometimes synchronous with March. The Western churches thought that it should he identified with Sunday, and observed it on the Sundny following the 14th day of Nisan. At the beginning of the fourth century, the Emperor Constantine succeeded in having a canon passed hy the ecumenical council of Nice, fixing and making uniform the dnte of its observance, though as the rules laid down by this council for the date of its observance made it necessary to reconcile tbree periods, witb no common measure, namely, the week, the lunar month and the solar year, the determination of Easter was for a long time a matter requiring great nicety of calculation, aud so, as the Egyptians were skilled in astronomical matters, this was left for n long time to the Alexandrian see to decide.

The rules decreed that the 21st of March should be regarded as the vernal equinox.

The full moon happening upon or next after the 21st of March should he regarded as the full moon of the month of Nisan.

The first Lord's day after that full moon should be observed as Easter day.

If the full moon chanced to fall on Sunday, the next Sunday should he Easter day.

As all the movable feasts and fasts depend on Easter, uniformity of time in its observance was an important matter. The rules adopted by the Nicene council makes it possible for it to fall upon any Sunday of five weeks, commencing with March 22 and ending with April 25.

The name Easter is derived from the name of the Saxon goddess of spring, Eostre, Eastre, or Ostera, and may he traced back to the Phoenician moon goddess, Astarte, so often associated with the hare in Eastern myths. Hence, perhaps, the use of the hare in connection with the Easter eggs, which it is said to lay.

Some think the name comes from the word oster, which means rising, and to Christians it, of course, is commemorative of the rising of Christ from the dend.

Tbe month dedicated to the spring goddess of the Saxons wns the fourth month, which answers to our April, and her festival was held in honor of the opening of the natural year, to commemorate the setting free of tha nntural forces of germination and growth which the winter had chilled and crucified.

Each nation has had its own Easter customs, hut many of them can ha trnced hack to the ancient spring festivals welcoming the return of tha sun. In tbe church it is one of the threc grent Christinn feasts, and has heen known as the Queen of Festivals and the Lord of Days. It is ushered in hy vigil and fasting, hut is, itself, a time of rejoicing. In the olden days a relic of the fire worshiping time could he found in the kindling of new and pure fires, after the old ones hnd heen extinguished, from the Paschal candle, the great and sacred candle which often weighed hundreds of pounds. The washing of the feet of others by high dignitnries of church and state was, of course, done in memory of Christ's wnshing the feet of the npostles.

Music, candles, honfires, flowers, miracle plays, the pealing of bells, the exchange of gifts, the liberation of prisoners, the setting free of slaves, the giving of alms or maunds, the playing of games, some of them rude and rough enough indeed, during Easter week—these set npart the season from others.

Certain articles of food, such ns tansy cake, typifying the "hitter herhs," and hot cross huns and custarda were eaten in England. In Ireland the peasants rose early to see the sun dance, which we mny do hy looking in a stream of water, as they did.

Most of the ruder sports have died out, but the note of glndness in its observnnce still dominates, though sounded in gentler fashion.

And the solemn observance of the church, made beautiful hy an impressive ritual invested with all that light and color and sound can add to a ceremony, inspire the faithful with the thought that once again light and life have triumphed over death and darkness.

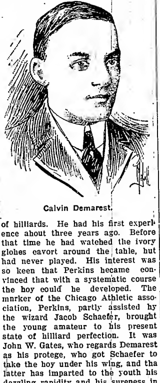
Sporting Gossip.

Again a young billiardist—this tima Calvin Demarest, a youth of 19 from the west—has electrified the followers of the game by winning tbe national nmnteur championship at 14.2, in tbe recent tournament in New York city. This amateur promises to create as much of a furor at tbe game as tbe late Frnnk C. Ives, and more recently William F. Hoppe, nlthough the latter two were of the professional class. In every phase of manipulation of the ivory halls with the willow cue the lad who represents the Chicago Athletic association displays a technique and skill which have hrought no end of controversy among tha wiseacres, hoth amateur and professional.

Besides taking the championship, the young amateur captured the prize for high single avernge, high grand average and high run.

That one so young in years and to the game should at one session at the tahle eclipse the world's amateur record average with 27 3-11, and also count a high run of 115 carroms, in a measure tells the story of his execution and skill. This is all the more remarkable when it is taken into account that 12 months ago Demarest made his first appearance as an aspirant for national honors. Even then he showed such mastery of the ivory glohes that he was placed second to Edward W. Gardner, winner of the championship, and captured the high grand averaga prize of the tournament at the Chicago Athletic association with 12.07. His improvement has heen so marked that during the recent meting at the Liederkranz club such experts as Maurice Daly, George F. Slosson and Edward McLaughlin predicted that he could now give Hoppe a hard mntch.

The method of training hy which Demarest has attained his proficiency is without its duplicate in the history of hilliards. He had his first experience ahout three years ago. Before that time he had watched the ivory glohes cavort around the tahle, hut had never played. His interest was so keen that Perkins hecame convinced that with a systematic course the hoy could he developed. The mnrker of the Chicago Athletic association, Perkins, partly assisted hy the wizard Jacob Schaefer, brought the young amateur to his present state of hilliard perfection. It was John W. Gates, who regards Demarest as his protege, who got Schaefer to take the hoy under his wing, and tha latter has imparted to the youth his dazzling rapidity and his sureness in playing the difficult masse shot.



Calvin Demarest.

Demarest's skill is another exemplification of the time-worn ndage that "sticking everlastingly at it hrings success." He is a slave to hard and careful practice. His training is another indication of what cnreful training hacked hy painstaking application and an adaptahility for the game will accomplish even for one young in years. In Chicago they class Demarest as the foremost amateur in America.

Perkins was the first to impart the knowledge of carroms to the boy. It was a grueling beginning according to Demarest, as for a period of half a yenr his only practice was with a fairly heavy cue, ahout 24 ounces swinging the willow wand with the right and left hands, hut never touching a hall. It was in a sense imaginary hilliards. He merely formed bridges and worked for a graceful and easy swing of stroke. But it achieved its objact, as can he easily seen hy his perfect action when in match play.

Under this mathod Damarest was brought to a state of methodical and mechanical perfection in the manual work of his arms nnd the swing of the cue. After that had heen attained the carroma and the angles, with the ivory spheres followed, and it was then that Schaefer supplemented the training accomplished under the eye of Perkins.

It is conceded hy all of the experts that Demarest is hardly a finished product as a hilliardist, hut that his game is remnrkable and displays wonderful possihilities.

Maurice Daly believes that Demarest will achieve hetter results when he has learned to play tha carroms with mora delicacy of touch, and arrives at a stage of his career when he can accomplish big runs hy nursing. In this he is upheld by George F. Slosson.

FADED TO A SHADOW.

Wern Down hy Five Years of Suffering from Kidney Complaint.

Mrs. Remetha Myers, of 180 South Tenth St., Ironton, O., snys: "I hava worked hard in my time and have heen exposed again and again to changes of weather. It is no wonder my kidneys gnva out and I went nll to pieces at last. For fiva years I was fading away nnd finally so weak that for six months I could not get out of tha house. I was nervous, restless and sleepless nt night, and lame and sore in tha morning. Sometimes everything would whirl and hlur hefore me. I hloated so badly I could not wear tight clothing, nnd had to put on shoes two sizes larger than usual. The urine was disordered and passages were dreadfully frequent. I got help from the first hox of Doan's Kidney Pills, however, and hy the time I hnd taken four hoxes the pain and hloating were gone. I have heen in good health ever since."

For sale hy all dealers. 50 cents a hox. Foster-Milhurn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Secret of Japan's Success.

Gen. Sir Ian Hamilton of the British army wrote the evening after one of the great hattles which he had witnessed between Russians and Japanese in the recent war in Menchuria: "To bed! Although it is with reluctance that I prepare to lose my grip of the exciting consciousness that I have to-day seen the most stupendous spectacla that it is possihle for mortal hrain to conceive—Asia advancing, Europe falling hack; the wall of mist and the writing thareon." Then as to the meaning of this retreat of Europe hefora advancing Asia: "The more I think the more certain I am that it was not strategy or tactics, or armament or informntion, which won tha hattle of Liaoyang for Oyama, hut that it was rather tha souls of the Japanesa troops which triumphed over tha less davaloped, less awakaned, less stimulated qualities of the Russians."

THREE BOYS HAD ECZEMA.

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"My three children had eczema for five months. A little sore would appear on the hend and seemed very itchy, increasing day after day. The hahy had had it about a week when tha second hoy took the disease and a few sores developed, then the third hoy took it. For the first threa months I took them to tha N— Dispensary, bnt they did not seem to improve. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and in a few weeks they had improved, and when their heads were well you could see nothing of the sores. Mrs. Kate Keim, 513 West 29th St., New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 5 and 7, 1906."

Valuahie Ruhber Plant.

A German maid with a knowledge of English just sufficient to gat things mixed was much interested in tha housa plants of her mistress, who possessed, among others, a rubber plant.

One day whila sweeping the room she had occasion to move this particular plant, when she ramarked that she had read in the paper that a rubher plant worth $200,000 hurned in Woonsocket, and sha thought it must have heen a heautiful plant to have cost so much money.

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Pine 200 Years Old.

Charles H. Lord of Dunharton, N. H., recently cut a large pine tree on his farm which, from the rings, was 200 years old. The tree was 134 feet tall, measured five feet four inches on the stump, and at the height of 60 feet measured thrae feet in diameter.

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And some people are so industrious that when they haven't anything to do they proceed to do somebody.

WILLING TO LET HIM DIE.

Stinging Message Sent by Farmer Worstad in Business Deal.

In the old colony town of Scituate, Mass., onca lived Deacon J——, who had a yoke of oxen he desired to sell. The news reached the ears of Farmer T——, who lived in another portion of the town, who was in want of a pair. So he visited the deacon, who met him with a gracious smile and led him to the oxen, which were chewing their cuds and to all appearances ready for any amount of toil.

After some hargaining a difference of fiva dollars remained. Finally the deacon said: "I am old and feehle, and shall not live long, and five dollars will he of no account," so the hargain was made. Farmer T— took the oxen bome.

They proved worthless, could not work, nnd had heen heated. He felt provoked at heing sold, and, seeing a person tha next day who was going to the part of the town where the deacon lived, said: "You tell Deacon J—— he need not live another d—d minute longer on my account."

You can do your dyeing in half an hour with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES. Ask your druggist.

One makes one's own happiness only hy taking care of the happiness of others.—C. Doane.

HE HAD TASTE IN VEILS.

Unfortunate Admission That Made Trouhie for George.

She was standing by the mirror. He was huried deep in the sporting page.

"George!"

"Well, well! What is it now?"

"How do you like my new veil?"

"Oh, it is very pretty. Anything else?"

"But how do you know it is pretty? Men don't know anything ahout veils."

"You nra very polita toward our sex. I would hava you understand tbat I have a taste for veils."

"You have a taste for veils?"

"Yes, I have tasted a dozen veils. Tbat is—er—I mean I have—no, yes, I—wbat in thunderation do I mean? I—"

"Stop! Not another falsehood, George Brown! You have heen kissing some girl through her veil. You know the taste of veils, eh? You deceiver. I—"

But poor George had fled.

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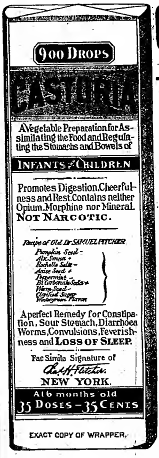
Coolies Show Affection.

The Chinese laborers in the Van Rhu gold mines recently prasented to their white manager a handsome silver tray to mark their feelings of affection, "as deep as the sea."



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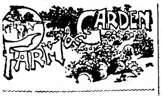
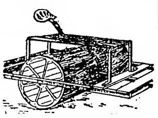


HOME-MADE LAND ROLLER.

One Which Will Do Good Service in Pulverizing the Soil.

With four old mowing machine wheels, with the earth slugs cut off, an axle and a sickle bar, a very satisfactory roller can be made after the manner shown in the accompanying illustration. One-half inch holes were drilled every four inches, about the outside rim of each wheel. Two by four oak planks three feet six inches long with half-inch holes bored close to the end, were bolted on the old mowing machine wheels, being careful not to let the two by four project over the edge of the wheel.

In the center an old sickle bar with guards off was used with a two-inch hole in the center. The ends were turned half around to fasten to the frame. This bar was placed between the two sections of the roller. The



Roller from Mowing Machine Wheels.

ends of the center shaft were inserted in boxes in the two outside pieces of the frame, which was made of four by four hardwood material. Four two by eight planks were used for the front and rear of the frame.

A platform was made on which the seat was attached by taking an old wagon tire and bending it in position shown. Platform was placed on these rails and an old mowing machine seat bolted for the rider. An old mowing machine tongue was used for the tongue on the roller. When a roller is devised in this manner, says Prairie Farmer, it is much easier for a team to turn around than is the common log roller.

TREATING GRAIN FOR SMUT.

How It Is Done with Formaldehyde Solution.

For the benefit of those who have not already treated seed grain for smut with formaldehyde, I will state my experience in doing so, writes a correspondent of The Farmer. Three years ago I had 300 bushels of wheat that was so smutty that I could not sell it at the elevator but had to grind it and use it for hog feed. I did not buy different seed the following year but treated the grain I had in the following manner and it cleaned it so effectively that very little smut is to be found in the grain now. I made a solution as the directions with the formaldehyde stated, in a barrel about half full or more with water. By having a board slant onto the edge of the barrel and placing the dripping sacks on the board, the solution which drips from them will all run back into the barrel. By having two coarse sacks, one submerged in the barrel and the other on the board dripping, it does not take very long to treat enough grain for the following day's seeding, thus giving it one day's time to dry. I consider this less work than sprinkling and shoveling and far surer of getting all the grain treated. Have also treated oats with very good results. I treat oats the same way only they have to be stirred more on the floor and left longer to dry as it is very difficult to sow swollen oats. I also believe in cleaning all seeds in the best possible way, but if they are found to contain foul seed it is safest not to use it for seed at all. From costly experience I have learned the old saying to be true: "As we sow so shall we reap."

Growing Better Corn.

Now for a better stand of corn. Over much of the corn belt it is estimated that not more than two-thirds of a stand of corn is secured. The fault is largely with the seed. It is not graded or sorted so that the planter will drop uniformly. It is surprising how many different shape kernels are found on a single ear, and when all of these are put into the planter boxes the best you can expect is uneven drops. Not only use good seed, but size it so that two, three or four kernels may be dropped in 95 hills out of 100.

Have Faith in the Farm.

Make farming a business. Put money and brains into the farm with the expectation that it will return a profit. To manage a farm in a half-hearted way, being afraid to invest a dollar on improvements or to apply sufficient fertilizer for fear that it will not pay, is a sure way of having one's fears realized. If the effort is made to make the farm better year by year it is pretty certain to be a success.

Don't Waste.

The manure made from fattening steers is too valuable and much too costly to permit waste. Keep the sheds well bedded so that as much of the manure as possible will be saved. Too often feeding is done out of doors and every rain or thaw drains away great streams of costly fertilizer. Stop these drains.

Ideal Trade Conditions.

Women should not get credit. Neither should men. Cash is the cure. Tradesmen, maybe, would have a bad time for six or 12 months, and many a lady would have to "lie low," but in the end we would get both our trade and our money, and she would get her dress, and at far less cost.—London Opinion.

Triumph of American Duchess.

Helen, duchess of Manchester, is now lady-in-waiting to Queen Alexandra, and the first American to receive that honor. So much for marrying the only son of the most popular duchess at the court of Edward VII. Other American duchesses may shrug and say they wouldn't be a lady in waiting on any account; but don't you believe them. It is a royal distinction tremendously valued by English nobility, and the next step is the political plum to be made mistress of the robes.—Boston Herald.

TACK THIS UP.

Simple Advice Which May Prove of Untold Value.

At the first sign of Backache or pain in the region of the Kidneys, or weakness and Urinary trouble, the following simple prescription should be used:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

Any good prescription pharmacy will supply these three ingredients at small cost, which can easily be mixed by shaking well in a bottle. This is said to force the Kidneys to filter the sour acids and poisons from the blood, overcoming the worst cases of Rheumatism.

THE ARTISTIC WALL.

One of Solid Color Will Always Give Best Effect.

The dearest, daintiest, most artistic wall is a solid colored wall. It furnishes a perfect background for all kinds of pictures, it throws them out in their correct proportions, and does not detract from their artistic value. The solid colored wall is also much better as a background for furniture, and harmonizes much more artistically with carpets and rugs than any other method of wall treatment. The less breaking up of color on a wall the more artistic it is.

The most successful form of the solid colored wall is an alabastined wall. There is as much difference between tinted walls, as there is between shoddy and all-wool gowns. The shoddy gown holds its color for a few days, while the all-wool keeps its color to the very last thread, so also in solid colored walls, there are shoddy walls and permanently colored walls which retain their color down to the very last particle. The ideal wall coating never rubs off, never flakes nor chips off and is always ready for a fresh coat. If there is wallpaper on the wall, soak it off with warm water, then go over the plaster after you have removed the paper with warm water to remove every trace of paste. Have the wall thoroughly clean for a clean wall cannot be built on an unclean foundation. If there are any particles of foreign matter adhering to the wall scrape them off with a putty knife. Then if there are any discolorations on the wall, size it with a material made from cheap varnish, thinned down with benzine and japan added for a drier, then cover your wall with your tinting material.

Be sure your man uses a tinting material mixed with cold water. If he comes to you and asks for warm water, you can make up your mind that there is glue in the material which he proposes to put on your wall, and you can be certain that you are going to have a shoddy wall, for glue means shoddy. Glue means that it will hold its color long enough for the man to collect his bill and not much longer. Insist on your tinting material being mixed with clear, cold water. Be sure that your wall is made from pure materials, then you will have a permanent, artistic, sanitary wall. A wall that will be a "thing of beauty and a joy forever."

FOOLED THE PREACHER.

A Doctor's Brother Thought Postum Was Coffee.

A wise doctor found out coffee was hurting him, so he quit drinking it.

He was so busy with his practice, however, that his wife had to write how he fooled his brother, a clergyman, one day at dinner. She says:

"Doctor found coffee was injuring him and decided to give Postum a trial, and we have used it now for four years, with continued benefit. In fact, he is now free from the long train of ills that follow coffee drinking.

"To show how successful we are in making Postum properly I will relate an incident. At a dinner we gave, Doctor suggested we serve Postum instead of ordinary coffee.

"Doctor's brother, a Clergyman, supposed it was old fashioned coffee and remarked, as he called for his second cup: 'If you do preach against coffee, I see you haven't forgotten how to make it.'"

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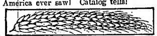

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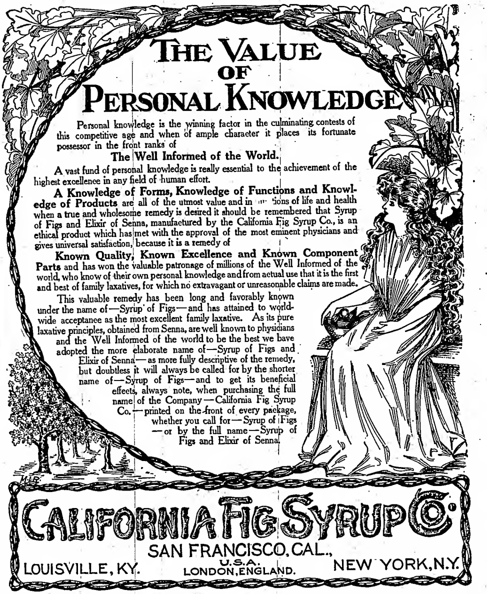

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL......

F. C. Westhhal visited with friends at Thief River Tuesday.

See Jim and Paul for your boys clothes; they'll save you money.

City Clerk Lars Backe, of the Upper Falls, transacted business at the county seat yesterday.

Jim and Paul can dress your b[illegible] location in suits, caps and shoes.

A new policeman has been added to the city's already efficient force, a bouncing baby boy having arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lizee, Wednesday evening, March 27th. Both mother and child are doing nicely.

Joseph Fortier will leave this evening, or tomorrow, for Portland Oregon, and other western points to look up a business location in the mercantile line. If nothing suitable is found Mr. Fortier signifies his intention of returning and settling in the good old state of Minnesota.

The remains of Oliver Lagassy, who died Thursday of last week, were laid to rest in the St. Anthony cemetery Monday, when the last sad rites that make all mankind akin were held. The remains were held until that time to permit several relatives from a distance to be in attendance.

N. J. St. Aubin and family who have been living at Devils Lake, N. D., for about a year past, will return to this city during the early part of April and will take up their residence at their old home. S. L. [illegible] who now occupies the Aubin [illegible] into the residence [illegible] by K. M. Hansen.

Prof. E. W. Chamberlain went down to [illegible] Friday to act as judge in a debating contest between the High School girls and boys [illegible]. It is intimated that the professor gave way to a little [illegible] prejudice and handed down a decision in favor of the ladies. Mr. Chamberlain also put in a day or two at the Twin Cities before returning.

Jack Lagassy arrived in the city Sunday from Vonda, Saskatchewan, Canada, from which place he was called by the death of his father, Oliver Lagassy. Mr. Lagassy, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Clas, went to Brooks Monday for a brief visit, from which point they will return to Mr. Lagassy's home at Vonda, where Mrs. Clas will remain for several weeks before returning to Milwaukee.

Merchant H. H. Zaiser, who has been in Chicago for several days past, writes from that place that he has purchased a large line of fancy and staple dress goods which will arrive at the Busy Store in a few days. The line contains some of the swellest individual patterns of the coming season's styles and was purchased with a view of giving the Busy Store's customers the best and most up to the season values that could be procured on the market.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Hansen will move their household goods to Thief River Falls the first of next week where they will make their future home. Mr. and Mrs. Hansen have made many warm friends during the time they have lived in this city who will regret to see them depart from our midst. Mr. Hansen is yet undecided as to what his future course in business will be but will probably conduct an [illegible] and collection office at the Upper Falls.

Orpheus Concert Program For Next Monday Evening.

Overture "Bohemian Girl," ..... Balfe
Orchestra

Song [illegible] ..... [illegible]
Quartette

Waltz "Daughter of Love," ..... Bennett
Orchestra

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Introducing excerpts from Weber's most famous composition, Oberon, Rosamunde, Invitation to the Dance.

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"[illegible]" ..... Langey
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Quartette.
Containing excerpts from the following operas: The Prophet, Aida, Cavalleria Rusticana, [illegible], Tannhauser, William Tell.

Price of admission $1.00 for both concert and dance. Tickets on sale at Anderson's Jewelry Store Saturday, March 30th.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Re-opening of Lands.

Under the Provisions of the Indian appropriation bill for 1905 an appropriation of $15,000 was made for a drainage survey of the ceded Indian lands in Minnesota, and the lands were withdrawn from entry pending the survey and report. Under the last Indian bill it was provided than these withdrawn lands should be made subject to entry upon the settlers agreeing to pay for drainage when the same is actually made. Many settlers are desirous of making entry on these withdrawn lands. Last week Congressman Steenerson telegraphed the Commissioner of the General Land Office inquiring on what date they would be subject to entry, and received a reply that the instructions relative to the re-opening of the withdrawn ceded Chippewa lands had been prepared and would be forwarded to the local land office at an early date.

It is therefore expected that persons desiring to file on these withdrawn lands will know within a couple of weeks when they can file on the land and under what conditions the filings will be accepted.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, Interest, which became due February 25th, 1906, and the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1907, each of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John F. Campbell and Mary Campbell, his wife, Mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 9:20 a. m. in book 35 of mortgages on page 370 thereof,

And Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely:- The Southeast Quarter, and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter, and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter all in section Twenty Four (24) in township one hundred fifty three (153) North of range forty four (44) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey three hundred twenty (320) acres, be the same more or less, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20 100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank,)
Mortgagee.
Wm J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.
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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty-Five Dollars ($65.00) Interest, which became due May 31, 1906, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Douglas Martin and Bessie Martin, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee,
bearing date the 31st day of May, A. D. 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of June, A. D., 1905, at 11:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 6 thereof,

And Whereas, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section one (1) in township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-three (43) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey eighty (80) acres be the same more or less, in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated, March 21st, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank)
Wm. J. Brown, Mortgagee.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Warren, Minn. mar21-m 2

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Mar. 7, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Richmond Desotel of Terrebonne, Minn., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz:

Homestead entry No. 22031, made March 21, 1902, for the SE¼NE¼ Section 21, Township 150 N., Range 43 W., and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on April 17, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Harmidas Sauve, Arthur Archambault, Joseph St Martin and Louis Terrup, all of Terrebonne, Minn.

R. J. Montague, Register.

Notice of Lein and Sale of Personal Property.

Notice is hereby given that Otto Zaiser and Fred Zaiser, co-partners as Zaiser Bros. claim and have a lein upon the following described personal property, towit: One bay horse called "Prince," weight about 970 pounds, the property of S. A. Swanson, for the care, feeding, keeping and boarding of said horse, which care, feeding, keeping, and boarding was furnished at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, at the request of said owner from and ever since September 18th, 1906, to and including the date hereof, at the agreed price of ten dollars per month, which became due more than ninety days prior to the date hereof.

And said Zaiser Bros. will sell said horse at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of Zaiser Bros. Livery Stable in the City of Red Lake Falls, County of Red Lake, Minnesota, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1907, at 2 o'clock P. M., to pay the amount then due to claimants upon said lein-claim, which amount, exclusive of the expenses of advertising and sale, is hereby stated to be the sum of sixty-six dollars, of which three dollars have been paid, and to pay also the reasonable disbursements of advertising and sale thereof.

Dated March 20th, 1907.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed, and delivered by L. A. Dautremont and Laura E. Dautremont, his wife, mortgagors, to Phil A. Kaufer, mortgagee, which mortgage bears date the 9th day of September, 1903, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota on 12th day of September, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., in book 21 of mortgages on page 168, by the terms of which mortgage the following described premises were described in, mortgaged and conveyed to said mortgagee, to-wit: Lots nine (9), ten (10), and the north ten (10) feet of lot eleven (11), in block seven (7) in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the corrected plat thereof, being in Red Lake county, Minnesota, and was given to secure the payment of the sum of one thousand dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, payable annually, on the 9th day of September in each year, according to the conditions of one principal note; by failure to pay the $1000 falling due on the 9th day of September, 1904 and by failure to pay the taxes levied upon said real estate for the year 1905, and whereas, said mortgage, provided as one of its conditions that in case of failure to pay said note or any part of said interest when the same becomes due or to pay any taxes levied upon said realestate before the same becomes delinquent, the whole sum of money or indebtedness thereby secured shall thereupon become due and payable:

And Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice on said principal indebtedness and interest thereon to the date hereof the sum of one thousand one hundred eighteen dollars, ($1118.00.)

And Whereas, because of said defaults and each of them the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, and no action at law or in equity having been instituted to cover said mortgage indebtedness.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises above described which sale will be made by the sheriff of said county of Red Lake at the west front door of the court house in city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said indebtedness, the attorney's fees of $25.00 and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year thereafter, as provided by law.

Dated Feb. 26, 1907.

—Phil A. Kaufer,
Mortgagee.
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls. f28-a4

Citation for Hearing on Petition to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Berget Vettleson, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake. } ss

In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Berget Vettleson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Halvor Vettleson, Hulda Maria Vettleson, William Vettleson, Mabel Theoliana Vettleson, Louis Vettleson, Thea Helena Vettleson, Laura Elvira Vettleson, Helena Bertina Vettleson and Joseph Vettleson and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said decedent: The petition of Thomas Germo as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court, representing that it is necessary and for the best interests of said estate and all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be to him granted to sell the same:

Now Therefore, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 10th day of April 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said Court, and the seal of said court, this 11th day of March, 1907.

N. W. Tarrant,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.
Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for Petitioner. m14-m28

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LIQUOR LICENSE.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake } ss
City of Red Lake Falls }

Notice is hereby given, that application has been made in writing to the city council of said city of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for License to Sell Intoxicating Liquors for the term commencing on March 25th, 1907, and terminating on March 24, 1908, by the following person, and at the following place as stated in said application, respectively, to-wit:

WM. H. KRUEGER,

In that certain frame building situate on lot 14 of block 7 in Champagne and Dowe' Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Said application will be heard and determined by said city council of the city of Red Lake Falls at the city hall in the city of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake county, and state of Minnesota, on Thursday the 21st day of March, A. D. 1907, at 8 o'clock p. m.

Witness my hand and seal of the city of Red Lake Falls this 11th day of March, A. D. 1907.

[Seal] A. P. Toupin,
m14 City Clerk.

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TEACHERS SELECTED

Eight Teachers Were Engaged Monday Evening For Ensuing Year.

The school board met Monday evening in a short business session, the principal feature of the meeting being the election of teachers for the coming school year.

Prof. E. W. Chamberlain was re-elected superintendent of the city schools at an advance of $50 per year, making his salary $1200. Mr. Chamberlain has given the schools an excellent administration during the past three years, and the announcement of his re-election to serve for the fourth term at an advance in salary will be received with pleasure by the many patrons of the schools.

Only eight teachers were chosen at this meeting, as follows:

Miss Twinam, per month,...		$60.00
Mrs. J. J. Doe,	" ..	50.00
Miss Lamb,	" ..	47.50
Miss Detert,	" ..	47.50
Miss Brady,	" ..	50.00
Miss Coughlin	" ..	50.00
Miss Kaus	" ..	50.00
Lee Healy, principal Washington school		70.00

Misses Hanson, Wilson, Trudo, Hennemuth and Nieland have signified their intention of not returning to this city next year and the election of teachers to fill the remaining positions will probably be made at the next meeting of the board.

Adjourned Hearing.

On Saturday, March 23rd, the hearing was held at Erskine on the remonstrance against the lowering or draining of Badger Lake in Polk county, by the proposed judicial ditch No. 5 which will empty into Terrebonne ditch No. 1, in Red Lake county. Judge Watts, Clerk of Court Lanctot, Surveyor Ralph and a large number of farmers interested were present and the matter was discussed at some length. However, no decision was arrived at and the meeting was postponed to reconvene at Crookston on Saturday, April 6th.

HAMILTON-BURSK MEETINGS

At the Presbyterian Church Have Drawn Large Crowd.

The revival meetings at the Presbyterian church have been largely attended, and the interest has been most encouraging to the pastor and people of that congregation. A large number have expressed a desire to become Christians, many of whom will become members of the church.

Evangelist Hamilton is very popular with the people. He presents truth in a very forcible way, and his manner is very pleasing. There is nothing stereotyped in his methods, and he is always very tactful in dealing with his audience. Singer John R. Bursk has won the hearts of the boys and girls. His "Sunbeam Choir" of 25 members is a notable feature of the meetings. There is also a Young People's Choir with 20 voices. Mr. Bursk's solos are sung with good expression and are effective means of bringing the truth of the Gospel to every hearer.

The meetings will close on Sunday night, and the evangelists will go to Hallock, where they will conduct a two weeks' revival. The people are urged to attend every service until the close. Saturday night there will be a stereopticon lecture on the "Passion Play" as given at Ober-Ammergau giving the story of the life of Christ.

Celebrate Tenth Anniversary.

On Monday of next week the local lodge of Modern Brotherhood of America will give a dancing party at their lodge rooms in the Kaus block for their members and invited guests. The function is given to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the founding of the order which occurs on April 5th. This order, for its age, is one of the strongest fraternal organizations in the United States, is founded on sound financial principles, and at the present date has a reserve fund of half a million dollars well invested. Its membership is not far from 100,000. The local lodge which is known as Good Faith Lodge No. 601, is in a very flourishing condition, having a membership of eighty five, with new members being added rapidly.

GONE!!! One Battered, Worthless, Old County Seat Petition, For Which Thief River Falls Had No More Use.

County Auditor O'Brien reports that the county seat petition, that famous, but somewhat worthless, battered, old literary production which Thief River Falls filed here some years ago, has disappeared from his office.

When, where and how, nobody seems to know, but it is suspected that if two or three of the wise-heads who rule Thief River's destinies in the county seat matters, would open their sphinx-like faces, they could tell us all about it and reveal the present hiding place of the much-regretted petition.

Doesn't it strike you, gentle reader, as somewhat strange that during all the time that Red Lake Falls men occupied the court house—Ford, Jeffers, Perrault, the petition lay safely in its place; stayed there when Red Lake Falls was losing in the fight:—

Stayed there when Thief River Falls' money effected a change in the board of county commissioners;

Stayed there when Commissioners Shaw, Eckstrom and Johnson were jumping on Red Lake Falls with both feet, and kicking what they thought was a corpse;

Stayed there when the District Court decided against Red Lake Falls and by its' mandate, bound and gagged us, our only hope lying in a doubtful appeal to the Supreme Court.

If it ever lay in the power or desires of the good people of Red Lake Falls, to do away with the petition, those were the times.

But when our men went out of office, the petition was still there, and when the decision of the Supreme Court was handed down, destroying the hopes of Thief River Falls, the petition was still there as safe as if in the hands of its original signers.

But now,—

When it has been shown up that the county seat petition is as full of holes as the proverbial sieve;

When Thief River Falls people themselves admit that they "made lots of mistakes" when they got up that petition, and "will know better how to do it next time."

When the Red Lake Falls attorneys, acting under the instructions of the county board, ask the Court to open the Mandamus case, so that the court may investigate that petition and show up its irregularities, and the fraud that was used in getting it;

When a fair and impartial county board is about to meet and pass upon this petition, and disclose its illegality to the citizens of the county;

When it is known that Red Lake Falls has enough withdrawals of signatures to the petition, to accomplish its downfall, and defeat stares Thief River Falls in the face at every turn of the road;

THE PETITION TURNS UP MISSING.

Why? Because Thief River Falls people realize they can never win out on that petition, and want it out of the way, so they can get a new one.

Because they want to make a grand-stand play, lay the theft on Red Lake Falls, and appeal to the sympathy of the people.

No one ascribes the loss of the petition to any fault on the part of Auditor O'Brien, or any other county officer. Mr. O'Brien is an able and conscientious official, and we trust and believe, will always remain so.

But all the county officers have a right to resent the slur thrown upon them by the Thief River Falls News of last week, in its article on the theft of the petition, in which it states that several of the other county officers used the auditor's vault and knew the combination of the lock.

FAST WORK.

Soo to Build Duluth Extension in a Big Rush.

The building of the Duluth extension of the Soo line is liable to be a record-breaker in point of rapidity of construction. The company is reported to be very anxious to have the road completed in time for handling the Northwestern grain crop.

It is even said that Foley Bros., who have the contract for grading will, if necessary, prosecute the work of construction both day and night in order to have the line completed before the movement of the fall crop begins.

The work of preparation for grading is being rushed with all possible haste. Several carloads of supplies and equipment for construction work have arrived at Milaca and Mora, and every team in that section of the country has been mustered into service for the hauling in and distributing of these supplies at camps which are being established along the survey of the new line.

Sweet Girl Graduates.

The class of '07 is busy with rehearsals of the class play, "The Sweet Girl Graduates," and though she is a trifle shy, each succeeding rehearsal brings them in closer touch with their many excellent traits and when the time comes for them to make their debut to the public promise to have sufficiently won their confidence to eliminate all danger of stage fright, and present a first class entertainment to the theatre going public.

Nearly all the arrangements have been made for the play which will be given on Friday evening, April 12th. with a matinee in the afternoon for the benefit of the children who cannot attend the evening entertainment. The price of admission at the afternoon performance will be 15 cents, while in the evening the popular prices of 35c, 25c and 15c will prevail. Don't forget to reserve this date and come and see the "Sweet Girl Graduates."

CREAMERY STARTS UP

Local Institution Started Up Last Week With Competent Buttermaker in Charge.

The Red Lake Falls Creamery Association's creamery was started for the season's business last week, with P. L. Malvin, of Oakes, N. D., in charge as buttermaker and factory manage. Mr. Malvin is an experienced creamery man and comes well recommended.

Owing to the bad condition of the roads the cream receipts have been a trifle light, averaging between three and four thousand pounds, but as soon as the conditions become more favorable an effort will be made to secure every pound of cream in the country tributary to the local institution, and it is believed from present indications that the coming year's business will be one of the best in the history of the creamery. The prices of dairy products are advancing steadily and should be an incentive to every farmer to make dairying one of the principal sources of revenue from the farm.

While for the past year or two the creamery has been operated only during the summer months, it is the intention of the association from now on to keep the plant running the year round and no effort should be spared by our business men and the farmers in the surrounding country to promote the welfare of the local creamery and dairying in general. While cereal crops may fail, this country has never known a failure of the products which go to support the dairying industry and the farmer who will devote a portion of his time in this line is assured of a permanent income.

For Sale.

One 22 shoe Dowagaic drill, as good as new, 1 Jones mower and rake, 1 John Deere gang plow, 1 riding cultivator. Will be sold at a bargain if taken at once. Inquire of F. C. Westphal, Red Lake Falls.

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We still have some great bargains in Boys' Suits. Of course the lots are broken in sizes, but we may be able to fit your boy.

Boys' $6.00 Suits for.................. $4.35
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RED LAKE FALLS. . MINN.

SUMMARY OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS AT HOME TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

LATE FOREIGN DISPATCHES

Interesting Items of News Gathered from All Parts of the Globe and Outlined in the Briefest Manner Possible.

After the Thaw jury had been excused until Monday and the commission to determine the state of Thaw's mind had been sworn in, former Judge Morgan J. O'Brien resigned from the latter body, and Justice Fitzgerald appointed David McClure, a well-known lawyer, in his place. It was announced that the inquiry would be pushed rapidly and that some of the hearings would be public.

Mayor Schultz of San Francisco denied the story that he had profited to the extent of $662,000 from participating in boodling operations, and intimated that as soon as he was well, he would sue the papers for libel.

James Henry Smith, of New York, who inherited over $50,000,000 from his uncle, George Smith, died in Kioto, Japan. He was on his bridal tour.

Richard Mansfield, the actor, is so ill that he has abandoned his spring tour.

An explosion in a fireworks factory on Staten Island killed one man and fatally injured a boy and two girls.

At a meeting of the international committee of the Young Men's Christian association, it was announced that Mrs. Russell Sage had added $100,000 to her recent donation of $250,000 for the building of a home for the committee.

A. L. Sutton, chief of the bureau of exploitation of the Jamestown Exposition company, tendered his resignation at the request of the board of governors upon charges filed by a tourists' bureau.

William West, of Montgomery, Ala., shot and killed Engineer Fraser and, finding escape impossible, turned his pistol on himself, dying a few moments later. West was accused of stealing a diamond ring from Fraser.

The federal grand jury at Chicago began an investigation of the abuse of the express franking privilege.

John W. Leonard, a Chicago policeman, killed his wife and himself by shooting.

San Antonio, Tex., detectives believed young Horace Marvin, the kidnaped boy, was in that city, but he disappeared.

A proposed advance of coal rates by the Illinois and Indiana railroads was averted by the intervention of the interstate commerce commission.

President Roosevelt was invited to address business men of the middle west at Springfield, Ill., and to declare his policy as to railroads.

Thirty sacks of gold, valued at $10,000, said to have been stolen from the mines at Rhyolite, Nev., and shipped into Pueblo, was seized by a United States marshal.

The president will speak at the unveiling of a monument to the Rough Riders in Arlington National cemetery April 12.

Roy Bourquin, 17 years old, was arrested for trying to blow up a hospital in Cripple Creek, Col., with dynamite.

William McElroy, aged 18 years, was shot and fatally wounded by a policeman in Philadelphia while resisting arrest for stealing bread.

A fire of unknown origin at Elizabeth City, N. J., resulted in estimated loss of between $400,000 and $450,000 in property.

John A. Meyer, of Milwaukee, a freshman in the University of Wisconsin, who was injured while diving off the pier at Madison, Wis., into Lake Mendota, died.

The Chattman mill at Howard and Berks streets, Philadelphia, occupied by a number of textile concerns, was damaged $100,000 by three fires that were discovered within a period of 12 hours.

Simeon W. West, an aged stock raiser of Leroy, Ill., was robbed in a San Francisco street car, losing $6,000 in drafts and $100 in currency.

Sixty thousand tailors in Germany demanded a wage increase of from 40 to 100 per cent., and are threatened with a lock-out.

Dynamite exploded at the Southern railway station in Atlanta, Ga., killing two negroes and a white man and hurting others.

The Wisconsin senate adopted a resolution to begin balloting for United States senator April 16.

Arthur Sanderson of Carthage, Mo., who killed Dr. S. D. Sanderson because he mistreated Mrs. Sanderson, was acquitted by a jury.

Speaker Cannon and members of congress were not permitted to land at Colon until the six days' quarantine against Venezuela had expired.

Cleveland Harding (colored) was lynched near Florence, Ala., for attacking a white woman.

France obtained three rich provinces by a new treaty with Siam.

Secretary Taft was entertained at Charleston, S. C., on his way to the isthmus of Panama.

Nicaraguan forces captured Tegucigalpa, the capital of Honduras, after a hard battle in which Gen. Barahona, Honduran minister of war, was mortally wounded. President Bonilla was reported to be reorganizing his army for a prolonged resistance. Peace negotiations were started in Washington.

Peasants on the estate of King Charles of Roumania revolted and troops were sent to the royal domains. Bloody battles between insurgents and soldiers took place in several towns.

The British war office has removed the ban from Chicago meats.

William C. Gilbert, a shoe clerk, was elected mayor of Danbury, Conn., by a majority of 425. He is president of the Danbury Republican club.

Prof. Belar, of Laibach university, reports an earthquake shock which traveled 6,000 miles.

An estate worth over $20,000,000 was left by the late Herr von Korn of Germany, owner of the Schlessissche Zeitung.

Justice Fitzgerald appointed a commission in lunacy to inquire into the present mental condition of Harry K. Thaw. The men selected are: Morgan J. O'Brien, a former justice of the appellate division of the supreme court; Peter B. Olney, former district attorney of New York county and a lawyer of high legal attainments; Dr. Leopold Putzel, a practicing physician and authority on mental disorders.

The first distribution by the general education board of John D. Rockefeller's $32,000,000 was made as follows: Yale university, $300,000; Princeton university, $200,000; Bowdoin college, Brunswick, Me., $50,000; Millsaps college, Jackson, Miss., $25,000.

Senator Foraker in a public statement suggested that Ohioans vote at the primaries to decide who shall be their favorite son and presidential candidate.

A violent storm of wind, rain, hail and lightning passed over Chicago and northwestern Indiana, causing several deaths and great damage to property.

Mrs. James R. Hemphill, of Akron, O., going insane, strangled her daughter and tried to commit suicide.

Col. James M. Farnum, formerly surrogate of New York county, was killed in an automobile accident.

The Minnesota Title Insurance company of Minneapolis closed its doors and James D. Shearer was appointed receiver by State Bank examiner Schaeffer.

Nebraska legislature passed a bill permitting a large increase in the taxation of railroad property.

The body of Prokop Plecity, town clerk of the town of Haugen, Wis., was found in his burning office and residence by neighbors. He had been shot.

Salvador asked Mexico to intervene and restore peace between the warring Central American Republics.

Gen. Charles Dick, of Ohio, was elected president of the National Guard association, which adjourned to meet next year.

In a duel over a poker game at Reserve, La., Superintendent T. W. Farrell of the Ruddock-Orleans Lumber company, was killed outright and Benjamin P. Bourgoois, his opponent, was seriously wounded.

Hugh G. Shaugh, the organizer of the Brotherhood of Railway Postal Clerks, was dismissed from the railway mail service.

While John Corcoran of Yonkers, N. Y., was ramming a charge of dynamite into a hole in a rock with the handle of a broom the charge exploded and the broomstick was driven through his body below his heart.

Jesse F. Welborn has been chosen by the directors of the Colorado Fuel and Iron company to succeed the late Frank J. Hearne as president of that company.

Judge Samuel Ryan, aged 83 years, the oldest editor in Wisconsin and one of the oldest members of the Odd Fellows, died of pneumonia at the home of his brother, James Ryan, in Appleton, Wis.

The town of Lincoln, N. J., offered Upton Sinclair a big house and fertile land for the burned-out colony of Heliconites.

The plant of the Mennonite Publishing company at Elkhart, Ind., was damaged by fire to the extent of $65,000.

The glaze mill of the Austin Powder company at Fall Junction, O., blew up and two men were killed.

Oscar Nyler of Cambridge, Ill., committed suicide at Mount Pleasant, Ia., by throwing himself under the wheels of a train.

Several persons were killed and injured in a fight at Muskogee between members of United Socialists and city and federal officers.

Suit to recover $20,000,000 from the trustees of the estate of the late Isabelle E. Schege, widow of Isaac M. Singer, was begun in New York, by Paul C. W. Schege, the third husband of the former Mrs. Singer.

Frank Brink, who murdered his sweetheart, Bessie Newton, at Ponca, Neb., was declared insane and acquitted by the jury.

A serious fire broke out in the 600-foot level of the Home Stake Mine, Lead, S. D.

Interrupted in an attempt to commit suicide Charles Wallace, a saloonkeeper, of Memphis, Tenn., shot and seriously wounded his brother-in-law, J. E. Rousch, and firing two bullets into his own breast, ended his life.

Fire at Minersville, Pa., destroyed the Union Brewing company's plant and four tenement houses.

M. Pobiedonostseff, ex-procurator general of the holy synod, died at his home in St. Petersburg, aged 80 years.

The pope set April 15 as the date for the next consistory, when he will create six cardinals, all Europeans.

Capt. A. S. Barnes, in point of service the oldest railway mail clerk, died at Elkins, W. Va.

Twenty-four persons were injured, some seriously, and a two-story building occupied by a five-cent theater, was wrecked at Greenfield, Ind., by an explosion of natural gas used to heat the building.

The Morton Salt block, in Hutchinson, Kan., the largest in the world, owned chiefly by Joy Morton and Paul Morton, former secretary of the navy, was destroyed by fire, the loss being $500,000.

Alexander Beaubien, the first white child born in Chicago, died, aged 85 years.

Abraham Ruef of San Francisco withdrew his writ of error in the federal supreme court and said he was ready for trial on the charge of extortion.

Attila F. Mallory, one of the most prominent citizens of Pensacola and a brother of United States Senator Stephen B. Mallory, was found dead in his office.

Peter Clark shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Ollie Hill on an interurban car near Girard, Ill., because she repulsed him. Both principals in the tragedy had been divorced because of their relations with each other.

An immense landslip at Steubenville, O., buried railway tracks and broke gas mains.

Mrs. William Moore and her daughter Emma were fatally burned at Decker, Ind.

Rev. Stephen Sater Ortynskyi, of the Order of St. Basil the Great, has been appointed bishop for the Catholics of the Greek Ruthenian rite in the United States.

James Young who, with M. M. Towle, founded Hammond, Ind., 30 years ago, died at San Diego, Cal.

In an effort to enforce recognition of their unions, 2,000 skirt, cloak and suit makers of Boston, employed in about 100 shops, went out on strike.

John Hippo, a white man, 35 years of age, hanged himself in a toilet room on a Louisville & Nashville train.

Miss Emma Rousey, of Huntington, W. Va., was killed by a railway train, as was Perry Meadows, a section hand, who tried to save her.

United States Judge Emory Speer in a decision in the case of Lucy Snead, administratrix, against the Central of Georgia Railway company, upheld the constitutionality of the employers' liability act passed by the last congress.

Strikers in a chocolate factory, at Vevey, Switzerland, became riotous and were fired upon by gendarmes, several being injured.

Speaker Cannon and members of congress spent a day inspecting the Panama canal.

Only two white laborers in the canal zone died during February.

Three men were killed by the explosion of a locomotive boiler at Onava, N. M.

Col. Albert L. Meyer, Eleventh cavalry, has been selected for promotion to the rank of brigadier general to fill the vacancy created by the death of Gen. Wint.

William John Merrall, vice president and director of the Acker, Merrall & Condit company, died at his home in New York city. He was 76 years old.

A male teacher of English in Granada, Spain, posing as a woman, has been unmasked.

A great gas well near Sapulpa, I. T., caught fire and could not be extinguished.

A collision between the Dover-Calais mail steamers Princess Henriette and Lord Warden near Dover, England, caused excitement on both vessels, but no one was injured.

The Pennsylvania railroad announced in Philadelphia that it may countermand orders for $25,000,000 worth of improvements owing to the two-cent fare agitation.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., informed his Bible class in New York that his health is near a breakdown. He will take a long rest.

The prefect of police, Ghent, Belgium, will add women to the force.

Six persons were killed and 17 injured when a special carrying students and the Overland limited on the Santa Fe collided head-on at Los Angeles.

Elmer Sheppard, colored, who was only 17 years old but weighed 640 pounds, died in Appleton, Wis.

Fire in the F. H. Lawson tinplate factory at Cincinnati did $100,000 damage.

Joseph Demar, a wealthy Italian, was murdered by Black Hand agents at Bellefontaine, O.

Fire destroyed the store of A. G. Spalding Bros. in Chicago, with $350,000 worth of sporting goods.

The ruling dynasty in China was reported to be in grave peril as a result of the famine, and the United States and Europe were concerned for the safety of white residents in China.

A fund was being raised in Portland, Ore., to employ Heney and Burns of San Francisco to uncover municipal graft in the Oregon city.

Nine hundred veterans in the Old Soldiers' home at Leavenworth, Kan., were poisoned by tainted hash, and one died.

Former Senator Joseph R. Burton, of Kansas, on reaching his home at Abilene, delivered an address in which he called himself a martyr and said the sugar trust had plotted to ruin him.

Ten men successfully passed the government's first competitive examination for positions in the consular service.

William Henderson, of Oregon City, Ore., killed his wife, wounded her father and then committed suicide.

Mrs. Mary Peters, a widow, committed suicide at Cleveland, O., by jumping from a high bluff into Lake Erie.

COURT HOLDS HILL STOCK ISSUE VALID

MINNESOTA SUPREME BODY DECIDES IN FAVOR OF $60,000,000 INCREASE.

RULING OF LOWER BENCH IS REVERSED

Great Northern Has Right to Put Forth Shares Without Consulting Railroad Commission According to Opinion.

St. Paul, March 29.—The state supreme court Thursday upheld the Great Northern railroad in its contention that it had the right to issue $60,000,000 of addition stock which was authorized by the board of directors several months ago. The issue was enjoined through the intervention of Attorney General Young, who held that the railroad company should first go before the state railroad and warehouse commission and submit to an examination to show the necessity of the issue. The contention of the state was upheld by Judge Hallam in the Ramsey county district court, and he ordered an injunction to issue. The supreme court reversed that decision.

Court's Opinion Unanimous.

The opinion of the court was unanimous. Chief Justice Start delivered the opinion, the syllabus of which follows:

1. The terms and conditions upon which corporations may be created, the powers and capital stock they may have, the purposes for which they may increase their capital stock and the conditions and limitations thereof are exclusively matter for legislative action which cannot be delegated.

2. The state having created railway corporations for public purposes, the legislature has the right to enact statutes regulating the increase of their capital stock. Such regulations tend to prevent secrecy of operation and accounts by such public agencies and the issue and sale of fictitious or watered stock, which is a felony in this state.

3. In the exercise of this right the legislature may enact n statute providing generally for what purposes and upon what terms, conditions and limitations an increase of capital stock may be made, and may confer upon a commission the duty of supervising any proposed increase.

Commission May Find Facts.

4. It may also delegate to the commission the duty of finding the facts in each particular case, and may authorize and require it, if it finds the existence of facts that bring the case within the statute, to allow the proposed increase or otherwise to refuse it.

5. Any statute, however, which attempts to authorize the commission in its judgment to allow an increase of capital stock for such purposes and on such terms as it may deem advisable or in its discretion to refuse it would be unconstitutional, as an attempt to delegate legislative power.

6. Section 2,872, R. L. 1905, relating to the increase of capital stock of railway corporations, does not violate article 1, section 11, of the state constitution, or article 1, section 10, of the constitution of the United States, which forbid the enactment of any law impairing the obligation of contracts. It does, however, violate section 1, article 3, of the state constitution in that it delegates to the commission legislative power. Order reversed.

Hill Says He Expected It.

New York, March 29.—"The decision of the Minnesota court was no more than was expected," said J. J. Hill, when informed that the supreme court had upheld the Great Northern stock issue. "For 15 years we had been doing the same thing, with never any serious opposition from the authorities of that state."

The four deferred payments, or installments, on new Great Northern stock will amount to $24,000,000 by April 9. As the payment of so large a sum at this time might create a disturbance in the money market, it is believed that stockholders who may find it convenient to remit the full amount will be granted an extension of time.

Glass Factories to Shut Down.

Hartford City, Ind., March 29.—As a result of a cut in prices by the American Window Glass company, which uses machines, every window glass factory in the country, with the possible exception of the one nonunion plant at Lancaster, O., will close April 25. The National Brokerage company, representing the output of 90 per cent. of the hand-blower plants, refused to meet the cut in price.

Nephew of Gen. Lee Dead.

Colorado Springs, Col., March 29.—Hamlin F. Lee, a veteran of the Mexican and civil wars and a nephew of Gen. Robert E. Lee, died here of heart failure, aged 87 years. Although closely related to the southern general, and a Virginian by birth, Mr. Lee fought with the union army. In the late 70's Mr. Lee went to Leadville and was the discoverer of the famous Robert E. Lee mine.

Tornado Damages Kansas Town.

Chanute, Kan., March 29.—A tornado of small proportions struck the outlying portion of Chanute early Thursday, damaging half a dozen houses and causing other minor damages. No one was hurt, so far as learned.

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

Beaten and Robbed.

Ashawa—William Nichols was attacked and badly beaten by three hold-up men, who secured $5, but overlooked a roll of $215 which Nichols had in an inside pocket. Nichols was on his way home from work when three men with masked faces suddenly confronted him and demanded his money. The hold-up men did not produce revolvers, and as Nichols had a weapon he drew it and opened fire. The bandits took to flight and Nichols emptied his revolver after them, but without effect. The bandits then, realizing that their victim was unarmed, returned and, taking his revolver from him, beat him over the head and shoulders with it until he was insensible. They then searched his pockets and secured what loose change he had, but apparently were frightened away before they discovered the other money. Nichols thinks he can identify his assailants.

Explosion Burns Two.

Hibbing—Daniel Previck and Thomas Ryan were seriously burned in two different explosions of gasoline at the Sellers stripping works. Previck was severely burned about the face and hands and probably will not recover. He was working on a steam shovel and found a cap on a jerk which he could not unscrew. Taking a can of gasoline he poured a large quantity of the fluid on the cap and set fire to it. The can containing the gasoline was exploded, and the burning stuff scattered over Previck's face and hands. Ryan, who is a locomotive fireman, was filling a lamp from a gasoline can and at the same time smoking his pipe. A spark from the pipe exploded the can and he was severely burned about the face and hands, but will recover.

Big Suit Transferred.

Minneapolis—By order of Judge Fred V. Brown the biggest personal injury suit ever commenced in Hennepin county has been transferred to the federal court because the defendant is an outside corporation. The case is that of Michael Shema, as guardian of Annie Shema, against the Bemis Brothers' Bag Company.

Shema claims $60,000 as the result of his daughter's injuries in the factory of the company. In some way her hair was caught in a revolving shaft and her scalp was torn from her head. Although the accident occurred five months ago, the girl is still in the city hospital, where she has submitted to four skin-grafting operations.

Missed Shot is Fatal.

Virginia—A missed shot was responsible for the death of John Kaslika and the injury of Werner Saraner, employed in the Larkin mine near here.

The men were about to leave the pit for the day and had lighted fuses in three holes. Two of the charges exploded and the men rushed back to see what was wrong with the third.

They reached the spot just as the dynamite exploded. Koslika's body was blown to pieces. Saraner had an open knife in his hand and the force of the explosion drove the blade into his side. He was seriously hurt, but will recover.

Train Kills Team.

Mankato—Ed. Klitzke, a well-known farmer of Penn township, near Winthrop, had a narrow escape from instant death. He drove to town in the morning, attended to some business and in the evening started with a cord of wood for the church in Penn township. When three miles out of town, his team started to cross the railroad track at a crossing, when a special freight train struck and killed them, hurling them 150 feet or more. The accident happened at 11 o'clock at night. Klitzke was unhurt, having escaped death by a couple of seconds.

Laboratory Not Ready.

St. Paul—It is feared that the chemical laboratory established by the national government for the analyzing of food products in this part of the country will not be ready by May 1. It was announced some days ago that a laboratory would be established in St. Paul and a room in the old capitol had been set apart for its use. There was difficulty, however, in securing men able to manage such a laboratory and, so far as local authorities know, little has been done toward setting up the apparatus.

Fire Exposes a Fraud.

Cloquet—The Great Northern station at Swan river was burned recently, the fire exposing an interesting fraud. Some years ago, the story runs, the body of a supposed petrified Indian woman was dug up near Cass Lake. It was shipped to Swan River and never called for. Charges accumulated and the express company stored it in the Swan River station. After the recent fire nothing remained of the "corpse" but some cement and the iron in the frame.

NEWS NOTES.

St. James—The St. James Telephone company, which was organized last year by business men, built seventy miles of rural lines last season and thirty miles more are projected for the coming summer.

St. Paul—State Auditor S. G. Iverson has issued a booklet entitled "Great Opportunities in Minnesota." The booklet contains full information regarding the sale of school and other state lands during June and July. Each county is dealt with separately and the booklet is illustrated with views of farms throughout the state where the land is to be offered for sale.

Duluth—Hans Miettinen, a laborer, who has lived in West Duluth for the last year, committed suicide by hanging. Miettinen had gone to an empty house, and entering the garret had fastened one end of a short leather strap to the rafter, the other end had been noosed about his neck. The man's feet touched the floor of the garret and he evidently had strangled to death.

Faribault—The Episcopal church in the village of Dundas was broken into and the silver communion service, collection plate and other valuable articles were stolen. There is no clue to the burglars.

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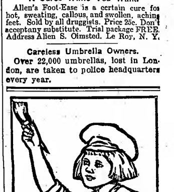

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HOME OF THE MALAY.

PRIMITIVE HABITATIONS ARE STILL IN EXISTENCE.

Warm but Rainy Climate Calls for Light and Waterproof Houses—Ancient Rites Still Practiced by the Natives.

Among the most distinctive homes of the far East are those of the Malays who inhabit the island on which the British city of Singapore is built. The town, beside the great marine highway between India and China, is modern; the houses in the country out from it are as ancient as the history of the land itself. They have not changed in style in a thousand years, and probably will not in a thousand more.

On the Malay peninsula the weather is always warm and several months in the year it is rainy. In such a climate a house must be both light and waterproof. These two properties the natives secure with the simplest materials, ready to their hand in the lush forest growth all around them.

They make the frames of their houses of light, strong trees, planting the timbers firmly in the ground. Between the uprights are fitted squares of bark reinforced with light slats of split bamboo, to which the bark is tied with roots of fiber.

The roof is thatched, lightly, but in a manner to keep out the heaviest downpour of rain, with the leaves of the atap palm, which are laced in layers to the rafters.

The floor is made of split bamboo, laid flat side upward.

The house, as in most eastern countries except China and Japan, is raised from the ground several feet, for the double purpose of keeping out damp and prowling beasts.

It is a sweet, light and airy habitation, better than a white man could devise for such a country, and an ideal home for the little brown people of the woods and shore.

In the Malay home furniture is limited. In fact, there is hardly any, as the floor serves for seats, tables and beds. It is covered with soft, sweet-smelling mats, made from grasses or vegetable fiber, and on these the family sleep. In such a warm climate bed covering at night is not needed. Thus the housewife's worry about bedding is not great.

The culinary arrangements of a Malay home, while much more advanced than those of the sea islands across the Straits, are primitive. Staple articles of diet are rice, yams, eggs and fish. Cooking is done out of doors, or under a protecting shack of palm leaf in wet weather. A few primitive clay pots are the kitchen outfit. Roasting is done over live coals, and of baking there is scarcely any, since bread is not a part of the family diet.

Sweet cocoanut milk, from young nuts, is the chief drink of the people, and one of the first acts of entertainment when a visitor arrives is to send a boy up a tree to throw down some young nuts to supply him a drink of milk.

The Malay women are good cooks, and are specially skilled in making fiery sauces and condiments. They have all the materials for such work at hand, as the forest around them is rich in pepper, cloves and other spices, as well as in various sweet herbs.

A Malay House Near Singapore.

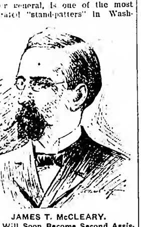
The dress of the Malays consists of a sort of petticoat wound around the waist, and a tight jacket above it, fastened with buttons. The women are skilled with the needle, and make very pretty embroidery in gold and silver thread. Both men and women are fond of introducing a little gilt or color into their clothing.

Large families are common among the Malay people, and early marriages are the rule. Strangely enough, these brown men of the East are Mohammedans, their forefathers having become converts many centuries ago. Their marriage ceremony is according to that faith, though some of their ancient rites survive, as, for example, the filing down of a girl's teeth when she becomes engaged, and the dyeing of her finger nails and palms.

POSTAL JOB FOR M'CLEARY.

Minnesota Congressman to Succeed Shallenberger.

Washington. — James Thompson McCleary, who succeeds W. S. Shallenberger as second assistant postmaster general, is one of the most celebrated "stand-patters" in Washington. He took John Lind's seat in congress when Lind's Minnesota district repudiated him for supporting free silver during the first Bryan campaign.



JAMES T. McCLEARY.
(He Will Soon Become Second Assistant Postmaster General.)

McCleary gained national fame when Speaker Thomas B. Reed selected him to answer Congressman Towne, who had made a brilliant speech in favor of the 16 to 1 doctrine.

He brought in a lot of maps and figures, just as Towne had; he took a ruler and pointed out this date, that price, the other condition of the country, and he did it for several hours. That speech had the largest circulation of any sent out by the Republican committee in 1896 and Gen. O. O. Howard is authority for the statement that Mr. McKinley believed that, next to the efforts of Mark Hanna, he owed most to McCleary's great argument on the silver question.

Congressman McCleary is a man of intense and radical convictions. He believes in a high tariff that is really high. He has fought the Massachusetts revisionists at every turn. He is author of a bill providing a maximum and minimum tariff. This would allow the president to enforce the maximum rates against countries that discriminated against America. He would take the Dingley schedule as the minimum and in speaking of a tariff war with Germany said he would advance these duties 25 per cent.

Congressman McCleary was born in Ingersoll, Ont., in 1853. He attended McGill university in Montreal. He taught school in Wisconsin. He became professor of history in the Minnesota Normal and was president of the Minnesota Educational association in 1893, when first elected to congress.

ON IMMIGRATION COMMISSION.

Prof. Jenks and C. P. Neill Made Civilian Members.

Washington.—Prof. John W. Jenks, of Cornell university, and Labor Commissioner Charles P. Neill who are to be appointed civilian members of the immigration commission, authorized by the last congress, are well known students of political economy. Professor Jenks is the head of the political economy department in the Ithaca college, and is said to be one of the most original and entertaining lecturers in the country. He was appointed in August, 1907, special commissioner of the war department to report upon economic questions, particularly in the English and Dutch colonies of the Orient. In his report Professor Jenks advocated a system of registration of Chinese laborers and their admission to the Philippines on the plan of a three years' contract. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan.

Mr. Neill has been labor commissioner since 1905. He was born in Rock Island, Ill., and was educated at the University of Notre Dame, University of Texas, Georgetown college and the University of Chicago. He has been a social settlement worker in the stockyards district, vice president of the board of charities of the District of Columbia, assistant recorder of the anthracite strike commission and professor of political economy in the Catholic university at Washington. Mr. Neill gained wide reputation as assistant recorder of the commission that arbitrated the differences between the anthracite coal operators and the striking miners.

PROF. J. W. JENKS.
(One of Newly Appointed Civilian Members of Immigration Commission.)

Never stand too high to listen to advice.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, March 25—The anti-trust twine bill was passed by the senate today. The bill, H. F. 586, permits the state board of control to sell prison twine outside the state at its discretion, in retaliation when so desired, for encroachments by the twine trust. The bill also allows dealers to sell twine made by convicts at a profit of 1 cent a pound on cash sales, and 1½ cents on credit sales, a half cent more than is allowed by the present law. The bill passed by a vote of 47 to 5.

The S. D. Works inheritance tax bill went down and out today in the senate. This is the bill which provides that half of the inheritance taxes collected shall go to the counties wherein the deceased lived and the other half to the state. Under the present law, it all goes to the state. The bill was attacked by Senators O. G. Dale of Madison, F. H. Peterson of Moorhead, and Frank Clague of Lamberton. They asserted that the wealthier counties are now avoiding much taxation by the hiding of personal property, and that to divert half of the inheritance taxes to the respective counties would cause heavier state taxation to be paid by the less wealthy counties. The bill was indefinitely postponed.

Trusts received a severe grilling in the senate in considering the E. H. Canfield bill making contracts entered into with trusts null and void. Senator George P. Wilson was opposed to the bill. He said that under this bill a man might buy lumber, build a house, and then make the provisions of the bill an excuse for not paying for it. Ray G. Farrington, C. J. Gunderson, and C. A. Johnson all spoke in favor of the bill. Trusts, the lumber and building material combine, especially, were given warm roasts by these gentlemen, and the senate committee of the whole voted the bill for passage.

The house did not convene till this evening, and was in session but a short time. W. H. Putnam of Red Wing succeeded in getting his bill for a girls' training school at Red Wing, from the table and on to general orders, making the motion and getting it through in the absence of Representative Spooner, the author of the bill for such an institution in some county where a state institution is not already located.

G. W. Rodenberg of St. Paul introduced a bill to pension teachers not to exceed $40 a month in cities of over 50,000 inhabitants. A bill in the senate by A. D. Stephens makes a minimum penalty of 25 years, and a maximum of forty, for burglary where dangerous explosives are used.

St. Paul, March 26—Reductions in passenger and freight rates which will aggregate $4,000,000 a year, are offered by the railroads to the legislature for a settlement to all pending difficulties, not only in the way of contested and pending bills, but in the settlement of the cases now pending in the courts which promised to be dragged out through several years of litigation. Both branches of the legislature have passed two-cent passenger fare bills. These bills are in conference committee of which L. C. Spooner is chairman for the house delegation, F. H. Peterson chairman for the senate. The overtures of settlement and virtual surrender have come to this committee. The conference committee told the roads the committee had no jurisdiction to accept or even negotiate a settlement but would submit the proposition to the legislature. Accordingly, a resolution has been passed by the house, and is now pending in the senate, to permit the conference committee to negotiate with the roads, and report to the legislature not later than April 2. The settlement offer of the roads is a grant of nearly all demands on the part of the state. In brief, the document which the attorneys of the various lines are now preparing, may be summarized into the following points; a maximum rate of 2½ cents, with family mileage books at 2 cents, good until used, and unused portion redeemable in cash. Interchangable 2,000 mile books at 2 cents, good until used. All round-trip tickets at 2 cents, return coupon to be good at any time and without restriction. Voluntary reduction in existing commodity rates by the railroads, amounting to two-thirds of the sweeping reductions recently ordered by the railroad commission. Roads will dismiss injunction suits pending in the United States court. Roads will recognize the power and authority in future of the state railroad commission in making rates. There will be no withdrawal of special excursion rates.

The house committee of the whole, has recommended two important bills for passage after lengthy debates on each. One is for the agricultural industrial schools to be established at central points for various districts of the state. Speaker Lawrence Johnson today left the chair to conduct the campaign on the floor for the bill and finally carried his point. The second important bill, is the so-called Mueller bill, because it follows the Mueller law of Illinois, to permit municipalities to absorb public service corporations, street cars, gas and electric plants.

W. W. Dunn, who is author of the existing primary election law, introduced an important election bill today in the senate. It provides for special elections for selection of delegates to county conventions which are to nominate state officials. Each political party is to have ballots for this election of a different color, but there may be as many different ballots of one party as there are sets of men wanting to be county convention delegates. When each man votes, he must declare his party, which shall be registered with his name. The lists thus secured shall be used at the regular primary election later, and the men registered shall be compelled to vote at the primary election only the ticket of the party with which they are registered.

The H. W. Libbey bill to compel the railroads to employ only the most competent men as locomotive engineers, was laid on the shelf forever, by a vote of 44 to 58 in the house. The country members killed the bill, claiming it was going a step to far for labor interests to expect.

By a vote of 78 to 11 the house passed the C. B. Miller bill increasing the gross earnings taxes on railroads to five per cent.

St. Paul, March 27—After six hours of strenuous arguments and voting, the senate this evening by one vote killed the famous Hackney semi-centennial exposition bill. During all this time the fate of the bill was never certain for an instant, in fact not until the very last man had cast his ballot on the final roll-call, making the vote 30 for and 31 against the bill, and as Victor Johnson ended an explanation of his vote by saying: "Gentlemen, I know that the vote I am about to cast will decide this great issue of the proposed expenditure of $1,000,000 for a semi-centennial exposition in 1908. I must be true to what I believe are the desires in this matter of the people I represent, and vote 'no' on this bill.

Then the air castles of the big show planned for the state fair grounds in 1908 fell silently in ruins. The half-formed plans for making not only the eyes of this country, but of the world all turn to Minnesota in 1908 were obliterated. It was 7 o'clock in the evening. The senate had been battling on the proposition all morning and all afternoon and had refused to adjourn for supper till the pending matter was disposed of. There was a burst of applause from the opponents of the bill, who earlier in the day had admitted their own defeat. Then came adjournment and enemies and opponents of the bill, but one and all friends of its author, J. M. Hackney, crowded around him to express their good will toward him, and to congratulate him on the noble, straight-forward and ever gentlemanly campaign and final fight he had put up in the interests of the bill for a big exposition in the inter-city district which he is representing for his first term.

With the exception of one hour today, the entire time was put on the exposition bill in the senate. But in that one hour, the W. A. Nolan reciprocal demurrage bill of the house was taken up and passed by a vote of 51 to 9. There was not an attempt made to even amend it, through it was criticised severely in addresses by Senators George R. Laybourn of Duluth and J. F. Calhoun of Minneapolis.

The house today passed the agricultural school bill, the measure for which the speaker has worked untiringly and a number of times left the chair to take the floor and defend. The bill establishes agricultural industrial school at Breckenridge, Austin, Willmar, Madison, Marshall, Morris, Slayton, and Wadena. There is prospect that when the bill reaches the senate the number of agricultural schools will be decreased.

A number of bills were introduced in the house. One interesting measure of a rather uninteresting lot, is by J. S. Gates of Kenyon. It provides for a mercantile tax on all dealers in goods and merchandise, a license as it were. Retailers are to pay $2 a year plus 5 mills on each dollar of their gross volume of state business. Wholesalers are to pay $10, and 3 mills on the dollar of earnings.

The joint committee on iron property taxation, has prepared a report opposing the proposed iron ore tonnage tax as unconstitutional, unwise, and a measure which would likely prevent the contemplated establishment of large steel plants in this state as is contemplated by the United States Steel corporation.

Christmas in Scandinavia.

In Scandinavia Christmas is celebrated in its literal sense of "peace on earth, good will toward men"; the courts are closed, quarrels are adjusted and old feuds forgotten. It is the home of the famous Yule log.

No More Horse Thieves.

St. Paul—The anti-Horse Thief Society of Olmsted County was disbanded last week. The society was organized in 1879 and was effective in putting an entire stop to the operations of bands of "rustlers," who had stolen numbers of horses in Olmsted county.

From the time of the organization of the society to the present there has not been a single horse stolen in Olmsted county. Of the sixty-one charter members thirty have died or moved away.

New Flax a Success.

St. Paul—The new variety of flax distributed by the Minnesota experiment station last spring has proven of great value to the state. About one thousand bushels of this flax was distributed to about 270 farmers in various parts of the state. Each man was allowed four bushels or less, for which he paid $2.50 per bushel. Forty-eight reports were returned in which the new flax was compared with, or grown under similar conditions with, common varieties.

Black and Brown Only Colors for Thin Face Veil

There is something particularly becoming in a bewitching veil. It is the finishing touch to the street costume. Very few women can get along without a veil because of the perishable qualities of the present-day coiffure. To the tailor-made, spick-and-span type of woman it is an absolute necessity.

There are only two colors desirable for the thin face veil—black and brown. White veils are so colorless when worn against the face and give such a look of paleness that they should be carefully avoided, although a white veil with a single black thread and plenty of black dots will do nicely for the girl who has ruddy red cheeks. Brown is unusually good for either blondes or brunettes. There is also a sort of grayish brown now in vogue that is very pretty, but it comes only in the very expensive French qualities.

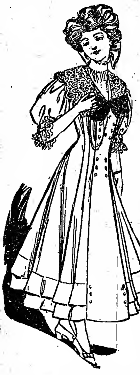
Purple, green and red veils are most trying. They are loud and striking, and not one woman among many thousands can wear any one of these colors and look well. So far as chiffon veils are concerned—that is a different matter. The loose automobile or driving veils are worn away from the face, and almost any color is possible.

Quite the prettiest, newest and most satisfactory veil is a black or brown one, with an edge of velvet to match, the mesh itself being a heavy embroidered dot, quite dreadful for the comfort of the wearer's eyes, but a great joy to the beholder. Such a veil brings out all the brightness and light of a woman's face, giving her youth and loveliness, softening every blemish and increasing every quality of beauty.

Few women realize that veils, like every other article of dress, become decidedly soiled and that they need constant attention from the cleaner.

Lace veils may be dipped in gasoline and then pressed with an iron only fairly warm. They will come out nicely. Face veils bought by the yard may be cleaned with alcohol, the fabric being pulled gently into straight lines while it is drying. The alcohol gives the proper body and stiffness to the veil.

MISSES' DRESS OF BLUE LINEN.



The misses' dress is of blue linen with a collar of Irish lace tied with a black velvet ribbon. The bias band on the skirt is held loose at the top which gives a slight fullness at the hem.

Period gowns will characterize many of the spring and summer models for evening wear. One will see costumes on the lines of those worn in the day of Louis XV. and Louis XVI. There will be empire and semi-empire, and even the classical princess robe.

Pure Gold Brown Now Fashionable Color for Hair

The fashionable color of hair this coming season is to be the pure gold brown, beloved of youthful poets, writes the lady correspondent in Paris of the London Tribune.

It is always difficult to trace directly back to the actual personage who starts a new fashion; fashions very often seem to start themselves. In the affair of gold brown hair it is possible that we have to thank two famous beauties—one a true Parisienne and the other a Parisienne from New York city. Both these lovely women have hair of a delicious shade of brown gold, absolutely and entirely natural and difficult beyond words to imitate. On the other hand, it may well be that some autocratic Parisian coiffeur has, under the rose, given this new mode a push forward. There is no color so difficult to imitate as pure gold brown, and the attempt to imitate it is a very costly and elaborate business.

For the last two years the coiffeurs of Paris have been complaining bitterly of "bad times," etc.; they have found their hands more or less idle since artificial undulations began to go out of fashion and—coiffeurs are quite human.

Many things can be done at home by amateur hands, but hair tinting, except with henna, is not one of them. To tint the hair with henna is a horribly dirty piece of work, but it can be done at home with the help of a clever maid or obliging sister. On the other hand, it is impossible for an amateur to make her hair gold brown otherwise than by the use of peroxide, and peroxide can only be used in small quantities and with the greatest care, for it quickly gives a glittering, unpleasant tone of color which is clearly artificial by daylight.

Apropos the hair on the head of a pretty woman—the fashion in the matter of hair-dressing is slowly but surely changing—the low natural looking headdress is coming in again. We have for some little time back been swaying in this direction; picture hats and dresses have demanded picture headdresses, and more and more it has ceased to be correct to dress the hair stiffly and in artificial undulations, and every effort is made to produce a natural effect.

The Greek coiffure is very fashionable this winter for evening wear, and in a somewhat modified form it is quite charming. It is not considered necessary to adopt the severely plain flat bands in front, and at the back the hair may be caught up in a series of loose curls or in careless looking coils confined by silver ribbons or by art nouveau bandeaux.

TO MASSAGE THE FACE.

Operation Any Woman Can Successfully Do at Home.

It is not difficult to massage one's own face. To do it use the whole hand, for the palm smooths the skin upward and each of the finger tips has its particular motion. For the small wrinkles around the corners of the mouth work from the nose and corners of the mouth out to the cheeks. Place the first finger at the corner of the nose and smooth the wrinkles up to the first finger. Around the eyes where there are those little lines that are so distressing massage out from the corner of the eye to the temple and then from the corner under the eye to the nose and back again. Always have all the motions with an upward tendency. With both palms at once gently smooth the skin up toward the eyes to take away the possible sagging of the flesh of the jowls, and with the backs of both hands and with the chin tilted back smooth the under part of the chin to do away with the possible double layer of fat there. That part of the throat is admitted to be the first indication of middle age, so if taken in time one may easily ward off that stage a few years longer. A massage is not only good for the skin but very restful.

Just how to wear a veil is an important piece of knowledge. The woman who throws on her veil helter-skelter can never look tidy and trim, and a woman without neatness is always without beauty.

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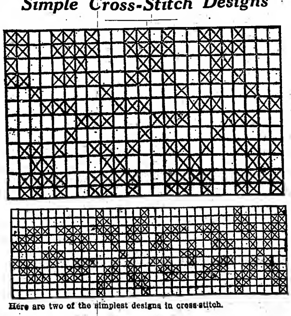
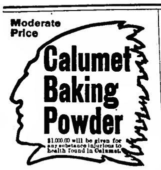


Here are two of the simplest designs in cross-stitch.



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A POPULAR FORM OF SOCIALISM.

There is a certain form of socilism that is growing rapidly in this country. It is not the socialism that points to communism that holds all labor on a parity, that considers all wealth as based on manual labor, or that would work a redistribution of wealth through the law.

It is that which holds that primarily all forms of natural wealth, all the earth's resources, belong of right to all the people, and that therefore they should be developed for the good of all the people. That the control of all industrial enterprises; all means of transportation; all public utilities is a public trust.

It holds that these should not be exploited for private and individual gain, and that men who either through inheritence, business ability, their executive powers or other dominant mental facilities have secured the control and management of such enterprises, must be content with a fair, though justly large financial return, but must find the greater part of their reward in the glory of accomplishment.

This is the form of socilasim which today is winning the brains and the honesty of the world as its converts and that is finding its expression in laws and even more powerfully in public opinion. On the one side of this proposition is seen Theodore Roosevelt; at the other extreme E. H. Harriman.

In a recent interview B. F. Yoakum, chairman of the Rock Island-Frisco railroad executive boards, said: "A railroad has no more business to be at the mercy of stock jobbers than a savings bank or a life insurance company. The American railroads are or should be as much a public trust as these institutions. Wild and ruthless, speculation in the securities of a railroad company should be made subject to criminal prosecution. Stock and bond values should represent actualities, not hot air.

Mr. Yoakum in this goes a long way with the people on the road of modern socialism. He believes, however, that these conditions will gradually come of themselves; that "overcapitalization is bound to be squeezed out automatically," and that "with proper federal rates supervision most of the other abuses of managerial power will vanish.

He is too optimistic of human nature. He is still somewhat blinded. So long as men have the power to water stock and to exploit the railroads and the earths's resources to their own profit they will do it. The only way to prevent it is by law—a law that wilt makes it criminal—and then in this country the administration of the law remains with the people.—Duluth News Tribune.

STATE AUDITOR SAM IVERSON BOOSTS RED LAKE COUNTY.

We are in receipt of a booklet compiled by State Auditor Samuel G. Iverson, under the caption of "Great Opportunities in Minnesota," which is an excellent method of advertising to the world at large the preeminent advantages and superb prospects of the northern part of the state as could well be devised. If copies could be placed within the reach of all of the tens thousands of homeseekers now moving, or preparing to move, out of the East, the result would inevitably be that hundreds of the people would turn from the far west and southwest and Manitoba and be delighted to take up lands in this state.

As a simple collection of facts relative to Northern Minnesota and as an exact statement of conditions that will bear the closest investigation, Mr. Iverson's booklet is a capital guide and compendium. It does not ask any homeseeker to take things for granted but it invites him to examine everything for himself and make his own unbiased decision with perfect confidence as to what that decision will be.

The original object of the booklet was to set forth the great and attractive opportunities offered by the coming sale of 300,000 acres of school and other state lands during June and July next, but it will in the end du more than that. These 300,000 acres will be appraised in advance and the minimum price, which may be as low as $5 an acre, will be fixed. These lands are sufficient to furnish good homes' in a well timbered region where there is no danger of a fuel famine, to from 1,875 to 3,000 families of men who are seeking good living, good homes and good profits from reasonable work.

Plain condensed descriptions of each of the counties in which the lands lie—St. Louis, Itasca, Carlton, Aitkin, Crow Wing, Clearwater, Beltrami, Cass, Hubbard, Wadena, Todd, Kittson, Marshall, Polk, Roseau, Red Lake, Becker and Pine—are given. Liberally interspersed through the book are views from real life in each of the various counties that, in themselves, should be sufficient to induce hundreds to ceme and see the attractions for themselves.

In speaking of Red Lake couuty he says:

This is an important county and is one of the richest in the state, it being quite well developed and farming is the principal industry. Wheat is the principal crop raised here, yielding un the average of 20 bushels to the acre, while oats go about 50 bushels per acre. Corn is alsu sucessfully raised here and dairy farming is becoming the principal agricultural industry, and many creameries and cheese factories are being erected.

Red Lake Falls is the county seat and is a thriving village. The county is well watered by three large rivers and tributaries, and three railways, the Northern Pacific, Great Northern and Soo Lines, furnish excellent railway facilities. The soil is very rich, being of a rich black loam with a clay sub-soil, is very productive. The character of the country varies considerably, a majority of it being gently rolling, other parts are sparsely timbered, while still in other sections we find dense hardwood timber.

The county abounds in wild game: ducks, geese, prairie chickens, grouse, snipe, deer and bear and many streams have been stocked with trout. The population is mixed, being American, Scandinavian, German, French, and Irish. In this county are located several large flour mills, which supply the northwestern part of the state and part of Dakota with excellent flour and feed. This county has been receiving a great many new settlers the past few years, swelling its population a great deal, but there is still considerble good farm lands to be had at very low figures. Wild lands sell at from $10 to $14 per acre, and improved lands sell at from $15 to $40 per acre.

For general healthfulness, Red Lake county cannot be surpassed and the water is pure and healthful. The county is well organized and has many school districts, affording splendid schools and churches for the settlers. The state of Minnesota sold a large amount of land in this county last year and still owns many acres, which will be offered at the land sale tu be held at Red Lake Falls in June. No doubt all of the state land in Red Lake county will be sold at this sale and this will probably be the last chance to secure a good piece of cheap land in Red Lake. Everyone stands an equal chance of bidding on these lands and the state gives forty years' time at 4 per cent interest. The sale of Red Lake County lands will occur on Monday, July 1, at the Court House in Red Lake Falls, at one o'clock P M.

Revival meetings are being held in Red Lake Falls. We know of no place more in need of a revival.—Thief River Press.

Judging from the indictments returned by the grand jury last week, it would seem that a little missionary work in the up-river town would be very beneficial and might tend somewhat to raise the moral standing of the community. "Let him who is without sin cast the first stone."

A bill has passed both houses of the legislature, and is now in affect, which requires boards of county commissioners to allow the actual and necessary expenses of county superintendents of schools. The bill is as follows:

Section 1. The county board of each county of the state of Minnesota shall audit and if found correct allow duly itemized and verified claims of the county superintendent of schools for actual and necessary traveling expenses, incurred and paid by him or his assistant in the conduct of his official duties as county superintendent of schools.

Section 2. All acts or parts of acts, general or special, inconsistent with the foregoing are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This act shall be in force and take effect from and after its passage.

What is it that tastes as pleasant as maple sugar and relieves coughs and colds? Mothers who have used it will quickly answer: "Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup." The pleasant cold remedy that expels the cold through its laxative action on the bowels. Conforms strictly to the Pure Food and Drugs Law. Contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.

Chas. Claus, of Thief River, who who has been sojourning at the county bastile for the past forty daya, bid Host Nelaon adieu last Saturday and wended his way back to former fields, promising to be a better man. Charley is a good workman but frequently strays from the water wagon and proceeds to indulge in "brainstorm" beverages until the strong arm of the law has to come to his assistance to help him regain his seat on the water van.

Rest is the great restorer. We tire our muscles by exercise and then rest to restore them; yet a great many of us do not stop to think how little rest we give to our stomachs. As a usual thing no part of our bodies is so generally overworked as our digestive organs. A tired and overworked stomach will give signs of distress to which we pay no heed until at last Dyspepsia takes hold. Indigestion is just a warning, and if we heed the warning we can easily avoid further consequences. KODol is a most thorough stomach relief. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach the needed rest and greatly assists in restoring it to its normal activity and usefulness. KODOL is sold on a guaranteed relief plan. It is sold here by all druggists.

Safety and Convenience

"Safety" is the password in transferring money—"convenience" is also of equal importance.

You have both safety and convenience in money matters when you pay by check.

A checking account is the simplest method for everyone—for you—to emply in financial affairs, because you have a complete record of every transaction.

We welcome small accounts.

All accounts—large and small—receive the same careful attention

Merchants State Bank

Red Lake Falls Minnesota

SPRING OPENING

FOR the Spring Season of 1907 this store will show a better and more complete line of Spring Goods than ever before in its history. We are constantly growing, improving, progressing. Our aim is to become more generally known as Red Lake Falls' greatest store for popular priced merchandise, and the public is cordially invited to inspect our elegant new Spring and Summer lines.

WASH GOODS

New designs and colorings in materials that will withstand the wear and tear of repeated washing and ironing without losing its original brilliancy of color and finish, at astonishing low prices.

Tissue, Zepher, Poplin, Costume Silk, Swiss, Lawns, Batiste and Madrass Cloth in the new designs, at

15c, 20c, 25c 35c and 50c

Dress Ginghams at 10c and 12½c;
New Calico at 6c and 7c.

Ladies Neckwear and Belts—Stocks and collars in silk, embroidered and Swiss, 10c, 15c, 35c and 50c.

Leather Belts with new Swastiker buckle, 50c and 75c; Black ank colored Silk Belts, 35c, 50c and 60c.

Note the strikingly handsome styles of **"QUEEN QUALITY" SUMMER OXFORDS** displayed in our window this week. Note also the moderate prices asked for these really fashionable and pretty shoes. But don't stop at the window, come in and try on a pair. Not the slightest obligation to buy.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Ladies, we wish to call your special attention to our fine assortment, to the home-made appearance and to the remarkably low price. Please remember when in our store to ask our sales lady to show you our Muslin Underwear and the American Beauty Corsets.

Corset Covers at 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c.
Drawers at 25c, 40c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.
Shirts at 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.75.
Gowns at 75c, $1 00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

New Spring Shirts, tasteful colorings, the jacket style with cuffs attached, at $1, $1.25, $1.50.

The Lanpher Hats, none better in all the new styles, $3 and $4.

Men's Spring Weight Underwear, just the kind you'll need some of these days; light weight, wool or cotton, union suits or seperate garments, per garment, 25c, 50c and $1.00.

Fancy Hose For Men, from 25c to 50c.

THE BUSY STORE

GARCEAU & ZAISER

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.......

Miss Eline Hanson, who has been principal of the high school in this city for the past two years, has been tendered the principalship of the Alexandria high school for the school year of 1907-08 and has accepted. She will teach the English classes. Miss Hanson's many friends in this city regret to learn that she has decided to severe her connections with the Red Lake Falls schools, but are pleased to know that she will enter a larger field and wish her the success which ambition merits.

The bank statements of the Marchants State Bank and the First State Bank of St. Hilaire appeared in last week's Spectator and make a very substantial showing, the deposits of the two banks aggregating close on tu $112,000.00, with the Merchants State leading by about $22,000: This is not so bad for a town which last year lost one of its biggest institutions—the saw mill. St. Hilaire has a good substantial farming community to back her up and promises to hold her own with her sister towns.

Yesterday Coroner Belair drove out to the town of Wyandotte to investigate the death of Ole Omoth, who was found dead on section 15 in that township. The body of Omoth was found in a chair where he had been sitting and it is supposed that death was due to heart failure. Mr. Omoth had been drawn to serve on the petit jury at the present term of court but was excused last week on account of illness. He was a farmer and lived alone, with the exception of a hired man who was absent at the time of his death.

H. H. Zaiser returned Monday from an extended trip to the Twin Cities, Chicago and other eastern points. Mr. Zaiser combined business with pleasure and during his sojourn in Chicago made large purchases of the season's dress goods and novelties which will arrive this week. While in Chicago Mr. Zaiser had the honor of becoming a member of the Chicsgo Commercial Association, which is an association for the mutual benefit of wholesale and retail dealers, with club rooms and other facilities for the convenience of its members and friends.

The post Lenten concert and hall given by the Orpheus Quartette last Monday evening proved to be one of the finest musical entertainments given in this city in some time past. The concert numbers were all well rendered, and disclosed the fact that Red Lake Falls possesess an orchestra which will rank well to the front among the high class musical organizations of the Northwest, while the individual members at once showed exceptional musical talent and executive ability. After the concert dancing was the order of the program, and this ever popular amusement held the participants until a late hour. Both the concert and dance were well attended and thoroughly enjoyed. The receipts of the evening reached a very substantial figure.

The men's supper which was to have been served at the Presbyterian Church this week has been postponed until Tuesday evening April 16th. It is said that several of the gentlemen are having considerable difficulty in fulfilling their promises to furnish cakes, pies, etc. for the occasion. Thomas Germo is trying to construct an angel food cake that won't fall apart as soon as taken from the oven; Prof. Chamberlain is endeavoring to construct a mince pie by an algebraic process; L. C, Simous is figuring on how to bake bread by the hydraulic raising method, and Geo. Hennings is offering all the small boys in town 10 cents a dozen to hunt up holes enough to insert in the batch of doughnuts that he has in the process of consruction.

SHIP YOUR GRAIN. We are the only firm in this city dealing exclusively with the farmer. All Millers know that our cars are of [illegible] grade and not elevator mixed. [illegible] satisfaction. [illegible] Send us samples for grading [illegible]
COOPER COMMISSION CO., Minneapolis, Minn.

Crookston Journal: Congressman Halvor Steenerson has received notice from Washington of the establishment in Red Lake county of the postoffice of Malone named after a prominent young lady in this city. As there is more than one Miss Malone in Crookston and as the honored young lady is of an exceedingly modest nature it is thought best not to be too specific.

Superintendant McAnulty made his regular monthly trip to Thief River last Tuesday. These visits are made for the purpose of accommodating anyone from the Eleven Towns who may have business with the superintendants office. Mr. McAnulty makes his headquarter at the Rusford hotel where he may be found by anyone desiring to consult him on his regular visits to that place.

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A Few Reasons Why You ... Should Have One ...

It saves the clothes.

It saves precious time.

It saves physical force.

It saves in cost—no new tubs or boards to buy.

It washes cleaner and rinses better.

It is adapted to both heavy and light clothes.

We Have Sold Hundreds of these machines since we have had the agency—another good reason why you should have one. We wouldn't have sold so many if they weren't right. Remember we put them out on trial and the price is only ....

$8.00

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Delicious
Hot Biscuit
MADE WITH
ROYAL BAKING POWDER
are the most appetizing, healthful and nutritious of foods
Much depends upon the Baking Powder
ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

The Local Field---

Send us the news.

Henry Henderson was down from St. Hilaire Monday.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Wm. Clement returned Saturday from his winter's work in the lumber camps.

Miss Mamie Erickson returned Saturday to Fergus Falls to resume her school duties.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Just Received—A car of fresh lime, plaster and cement.—Thief River Falls Lbr. Co., Dan J. Doran, Mgr.

Miss Laura Lizee, who is attending the Crookston College came up Monday for a short visit with the home folks.

Miss Alpha Twedten of Crookston spent several days in the city the first of the week as the guest of Miss Ella Hanson.

Oscar Sponheim, assistant cashier of the Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls was a business caller here on Monday.

Miss Mable Hanson of Fertile, spent several days in the city the first of the week as the guest of her sister, Miss Ella Hanson.

Albert Swanson, of Clover Leaf, spent several days in the city the first of the week visiting with Register of Deeds E. L. Quist.

John Savord, who has been cooking in one of the lumber camps near Blackduck during the past winter returned to this city Saturday.

I have taken off a hatch and will now sell or trade my "Old Trusty" incubator, 110 egg size, as I have no further use for it this year.—Fred L. Farley. 2w

Mrs. J. E. [illegible]karud returned to this city Thursday of last week after having spent some time as the guest of friends at Grand Forks and at her old home at Ada.

The Thief River high school class of '07 have prepared a play entitled "A Cheerful Liar," which will be presented at the opera house in that city tomorrow evening.

The Busy Store advertise their Spring Opening in this week's issue, and will be pleased to show you their many novelties in the season's goods. It will pay you to look over their ad.

Miss Amanda Johnson, sister of Clerk of Court Johnson, returned home Monday from Fergus Falls, where she has been attending the Northwestern college the past winter.

We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times.---First State Bank, Red Lake Falls.

When in the City
stop at
PAUL'S
HOTEL
Sample Room In Connection
Rates $1 to $1.50 per day. Free 'Bus to all Trains.
☞House is heated by furnace throughout, and everything kept up in first-class shape.
Give Us A Call.
SIMON PAUL, Proprietor.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

Banker Hansen of St. Hilaire was a business caller in the city Monday.

For Sale—Light Brahmas, thoroughbred cockerels. C. L. Mikkelsen.

Good speltz and barley seed for sale. Inquire of H. O. Gjerberg, town of Gervais.

Burt Lizee returned home Saturday after having spent the winter in the big woods.

Farmers bring your cream to the Red Lake Falls creamery and help make this year's business a record breaker.

Clara Marchand, Margaret Kaus and Miss Thompson returned to Moorhead Monday to take up their normal studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Brouillette, of Dugdale, were over Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brouillette.

Only a few more evenings to attend the revival meetings at the Presbyterian church. You are cordially invited to be present.

J. A. Egan returned Saturday from a trip to Galesburg, N. D., where he has been looking after his land holdings in that vicinity.

Dr. Spofford will miss his visits for March and April, to Red Lake Falls. Next visit May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

Mrs. John E. King and children accompanied Mr. King on his trip to this city Saturday, and are putting in the week visiting among old acquaintances.

Services will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Rev. I. T. Aastad will conduct the services both morning and evening.

Miss Mable Hannay came down from St. Hilaire Monday evening to be present at the Easter concert and ball. She was the guest of Miss Mary Lamb during her stay in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry L. Malvin arrived from Oaks, N. D., last week and have moved into the Callier house. Mr. Malvin will have charge of the local creamery during the coming year.

G. A. Kankel, the hardware man, has erected a large and attractive sign over the entrance to the Kankel store. The sign is a very prominent one and cannot be missed by anyone looking for a hardware store.

A fine lot of household goods for sale. Everything up-to-date, including high grade piano, china closet and other things too numerous to mention. Must be sold before May 1st. Will sell cheap for cash.—Mrs. Louis Sieff.

KODOL for Dyspepsia clears the stomach and makes the breath as sweet as a rose. KODOL is sold by druggists on a guarantee relief plan. It conforms strictly to the National Pure Food and Drugs Law. Sold by all druggists.

Crookston Journal: Friday afternoon Miss Edna Glenn entertained 16 girls at a thimble bee for Miss Ethel Bourdon of Red Lake Falls who is the guest of Miss Ina Phillips. Lunch was served and a very pleasant afternoon was spent.

A business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will be held at the home of Mrs. Henry Hennemuth on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, April 10th Important business will be transacted and all members are requested to be present.

Macaroni seed wheat for sale.—L. C. Simons.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

J. J. Padden was an over-night visitor at Crookston Monday evening.

Attorney Chas. Loring of Crookston was in the city on business the first of the week.

If your lamp chimney smokes go to Spillanes, The Right Store and get some Ruby Oil.

M. V. Evenson of Thief River was an over Tuesday night business caller at the county seat.

Miss Eline Hanson spent several days last week as the guest of Miss Alpha Twedten of Crookston.

Peter Beauleau, of the Busy Store force, made a business trip to Grand Forks Tuesday returning the following day.

P. E. Pirath was up the Greenbush line last week dispensing chemical fire extinguishers, for which he has the agency.

Merchant F. J. Boivin of Dorothy was a business caller in the city Monday. The Gazette acknowledges a pleasant call.

"Jim & Paul" call your attention to some big bargains in boys suits, shoes and furnishings in their ad on the front page this week.

Wanted—Person to travel in home territory; salary $3.50 per day and expenses. Address. J. A. Alexander, 125 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.

The members of the family of J. Benoit Carder, who have been undergoing a seige of typhoid fever are all reported on the road to recovery at this writing.

White Wyandottes are the best general purpose fowl. Have the size and are great winter layers. Eggs from extra fine stock $1.00 per setting.—Fred L. Farley. 27 30

Abner Fletcher, who is attending the U. of N. D. at Grand Forks, came over Friday of last week for a rest from student life and a few days' visit with the home folks.

County Treasurer Tandberg requests that in paying or asking for statement of taxes in each case mention year and add 30c advertising fees to each description for back taxes.

Mrs. T. J. McKee, accompanied by her step daughter, little Miss Dorothy arrived Monday from Newfane, New York, for an extended stay at the home of Mrs. McKee's mother, Mrs. O. LaFreniere.

Grand Rapids Independent: Joseph Hamel, who has been spending the past several weeks at Terrebonne, Red Lake county, returned Tuesday. He was accompanied by H. Hinslet, who will visit here for some time.

When you need a pill, take a pill and be sure it's an Early Riser. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are safe, sure, satisfactory pills. The pills with a reputation. They do not gripe or sicken. They are sold here by all druggists.

The star route mail carrier from Crookston failed to make his appearance last Sunday on account of the bad condition of the roads and the postoffice patrons were again forced to forego the pleasure of receiving their Sunday mail.

The Big Store this week calls your special attention to their line of spring shoes, dress goods and the ever popular Palmer Coats which are recognixed as the standard of perfection in all fashionable centers. They also quote extra specials in the grocery line.

Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Children like its pleasant taste, and mothers give it hearty endorsement. Contains no opiates, but drives out the cold through the bowels. Made in strict conformity to Pure Food and Drugs Law. Recommended and sold by all druggists.

Medames Theo. LaBissoniere, Wm. Findelsen and J. P. Hairen will entertain a number of their friends from three to five o'clock Friday afternoon at the Oddfellows hall. Elaborate preparations have been made for the entertainment of their guests and the occasion promises to be one eminently befitting the opening of the post Lenten social season,

Louis Sieff left Tuesday with a party of about twenty men for Billings, Montana, where they will put in the summer on railroad construction for A. Guelthre & Co., who have large contracts for the Great Northern in that vicinity. Among those who joined the party were Fred Bergdorf, Chas, Gerlach, M. R. Hall, Herman Wolf, Chas. Bourdon, Jr., Frank Doyea, and Fritz Gerka, Joseph Seiff and others.

Mayor Lundgren who has just been elected to his fourth consecutive term at Warren believes that all lads and lassies should marry, and as an extra inducement to bachelors and old maids in that city has offered to present large residence lots to the first five who will abandon single blessedness and join the anti-race-suicide throng. While the mayor may be able to interest some of the bachelors of that vicinity, we will bet our brindle cat that he won't find any of the ladies who will admit that they have reached the age when the term "old maid" might be applied.

"Good for everything a salve is used for and especially recommended for Piles." That is what we say about DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. That is what twenty years of usage has proven. Get the original. Sold by all druggists.

The following marriage licenses have been issued by Clerk of Court Johnson during the past few days: Eli G. Gunder and Miss Anna Johnson, of Thief River Falls; Gustav Braggren and Miss Helena Johnson, of Thief River Falls; and William Dejare, of St. Paul, to Miss Hulda S. Erickson of Thief River Falls.

"Off again, on again, gone again, Finnigan." Carl E. Peterson who left this city three weeks ago Monday, returned to Red Lake Falls Monday and will be found at his old stand on the Gazette force. Pete arrived from the deserts of the Dakotas covered with alkali dust, his cheeks wan and drawn, and his throat parched and dry. He said that he had travelled straight as the crow flies and that he arrived just in time to save having his life snuffed out in the drought stricken districts of old Setting Bulls former stamping grounds. Pete didn't take to the descendents of that famous warrior in the least and says that Red Lake Falls is good enough for him, and that he is going to remain here this time forever and a day.

. . . Shoes for Spring . . .

IT IS with confidence and pride that we offer to the public our new spring line--
St. Cecilia Shoes for Women and Misses
In spite of the fact that leather is much higher than in past year, this new line shows more quality and style than they have shown in the past. So the friends of the St. Cecilia shoe will not be disappointed as the wearers of other makes are in these days of high prices when so many unscrupulous manufacturers will take the quality out of a shoe in order to maintain old prices. We show them in B C D and E widths, single and double sole, blucher and plain lace **$3.50** to all. Nanaimo **$3.00,** Saranac **$2.50**. Godman **$1.50 to 2.25.** They are world beaters as to quality.

Long Coats for Women
Fashion has again put its stamp of approval on the long coat. We are showing a line of **Palmer Coats** that must be see to be appreciated. **8.00 to $13.50.** You are not doing yourself justice if you do not wear a Palmer coat or skirt. They do not cost any more so why not buy a Palmer? We are also showing a splendid line of **Long Coat Goods.** 36 in Suitings at **50c** and **60c,** that are very good in quality and appearance. Fine Imported English Suitings at **80c to $1.50** in the latest Pasted Shades, Phantom Plaids, Invisible Checks, etc. Finest line ever shown here.
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EDITORIAL.

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON, AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XXII.—Continued.

He broke the spell of awe that had been upon him, so that he felt for the moment only a pious horror of her speech. He called Christina to take charge of her and Martha, the second wife, to put away her little bundle of clothing. He himself went to be alone that he could think what must be done for her. From an entry in the Bible, written in letters that seemed to shout to him the accusation of his crime, he had found that she must now be five years old. It was high time that he should begin to supply her very apparent need of religious instruction.

When she had become a little used to her surroundings later in the day, he sought to beguile her to this end, talking diplomatically with other things.

"Come, tell me your name, dear."

She allowed her attention to be diverted from her largest doll.

"My name is Prudence—" She hesitated.

"Prudence—what?"

"I—I lost my mind of it." She looked at him hopefully to be prompted.

"Prudence Rae."

She repeated the name, doubtingly. "Prudence Rae?"

"Yes—remember now—Prudence Rae. You are my little girl—Prudence Rae."

"But you're not my really papa—he's went far off—oh, ten ninety miles far."

"No, Prudence—God is your Father in heaven, and I am your father on earth."

"Are not my papa!"

"Listen, Prudence—do you know what you are?"

The puzzled look she had worn fled instantly from her face.

"I'm a generation of vipers."

She made the announcement with a perceptible ring of elation in her tones, looking at him proudly, and as if waiting to hear expressions of astonishment and delight.

"Child, child, who has told you such things? You are not that!"

She retorted, indignantly now, the lines drawing about her eyes in signal of nearby tears:

"I am a generation of vipers—the Bishop said I was—he told that other mamma, and I am it!"

"Well, well, don't cry—all right—you shall be it—but I can tell you something much nicer." He assumed a knowing air, as one who withheld knowledge of overwhelming fascination.

"Tell me—what?"

And so, little by little, hardly knowing where to begin, but feeling that any light whatsoever must profit a soul so benighted, he began to teach her.

In the days that followed he wooed her patiently, seeking constantly to find some favor with her, and grateful beyond words when he succeeded ever so little. At first, he could win but slight notice of any sort from her, and that only at rare and uncertain intervals. But gradually his unobtrusive efforts told, and, little by little, she began to take him into her confidence. The first day she invited him to play with her in one of her games was a day of rejoicing for him.

And that night, before her bedtime, when he sat in front of the fire, she came with a most matter-of-fact unconsciousness to climb into his lap. He held her a long time, trying to breathe gently and not daring to move lest he make her uncomfortable. Her head pillowed on his arm, she was soon asleep, and he refused to give her up when Martha came to put her to bed.

Though their intimacy grew during the winter, so that she called him her father and came confidingly to him at all times, in tears or in laughter, yet he never ceased to feel in aloofness from her, an awkwardness in her presence, a fear that the mother who looked from her eyes might at any moment call to him.

CHAPTER XXIII.

How the Red Came Back to the Blood to Be a Snare.

The red was coming back to the blood of Martha, the fair flesh to her meager frame, the spring of youth to her step and living fire to her voice and the glance of her eyes. Her husband was pleased. He had made a new creature of the poor, worn wreck found by the wayside, weak, emaciated, reeling under her burden. He rejoiced to know he had done a true service. He was glad, moreover, to know that she made an admirable mother to the little woman-child. Prudence, indeed, had brought them closer to each other, slowly, subtly, in little ways to disarm the most timid caution.

And this mothering and fathering of little Prudence was a work by no means colorless or uneventful. The child had displayed a grievous capacity for remaining unimpressed by even the best-weighed opinions of her protector. She was also appallingly fluent in and partial to the idioms and metaphors of revealed religion,—a circumstance that would not infrequently cause the sensitive to shudder.

Yet her days were by no means all of reproof nor was her reproof ever harsher than the more or less pointed selections from the moral verses could inflict. Under the watchful care of Martha she flourished and was happy, her mother in little, a laughing whirlwind of tender flesh, tireless feet, dancing eyes, hair of sunlight that was darkening as she grew older, and a mind that seemed to him she called father a miracle of unfoldment. It was a mind not so quickly receptive as he could have wished to the learning he tried patiently to impart; he wondered, indeed, if she were not unduly frivolous even for a child of six; for she would refuse to study unless she could have the doll she called Bishop Wright with her and pretend that she taught the lesson to him, finding him always stupid and loth to learn. He hoped for better things from her mind as she aged, watching anxiously for the buddings of reason and religion, praying daily that she should be increased in wisdom as in stature. He had become so used to the look of her mother in her face that it now and then gave him an instant of unspeakable joy. But the sound of his own voice calling her "Prudence" would shock him from this as with an icy blast of truth.

She Was Waiting, Silent, But with Eyes That Told More Than He Dared to Hear.

As he observed her day by day in her joyous growth, it was inevitable that he came more and more to observe the woman who was caring for her, and it was thus on one night in late summer that he awoke to an awful truth,—a truth that brought back the words of the woman's former husband with a new meaning.

He had heard Prudence say to her, "You are a pretty mamma," and suddenly there came rushing upon him the sum of all the impressions his eyes had taken of her since that day when the Bishop had spoken. He trembled and became weak under the assault, feeling that in some insidious way his strength had been undermined. He went out into the early evening to be alone, but she, presently, having put the child to bed, came and stood near, silently in the doorway.

He looked and saw she was indeed made new, restored to the luster and fullness of her young womanhood. He remembered then that she had long been silent when he came near her, plainly conscious of his presence but with an apparent constraint, with something almost tentative in her manner. With her return to health and comeliness there had come back to her a thousand little graces of dress and manner and speech. She drew him, with his starved love of beauty and his need of companionship; drew him with a mighty power, and he knew it at last. He remembered how he had felt and faintly thrilled under a certain soft suppression in her tones when she had spoken to him of late; this had drawn him, and the new light in her eyes and her whole freshened womanhood, even before he knew it. Now that he did know it he felt himself shaken and all but lost; clutching weakly at some support that threatened every moment to give way.

And she was his wife, his who had starved year after year for the light touch of a woman's hand and the tones of her voice that should be for him alone. He knew now that he had ached and sickened in his yearning for this, and she stood there for him in the soft night. He knew she was waiting, and he knew he desired above all things else to go to her; that the comfort of her, his to take, would give him new life, new desires, new powers; that with her he would revive as she had done. He waited long, indulging freely in hesitation, bathing his wearied soul in her nearness—yielding in fancy.

Then he walked off into the night, down through the village, past the light of open doors, and through the voices that sounded from them, out on to the bare bench of the mountain—his old refuge in temptation—where he could be safe from submitting to what his soul had forbidden. He had meant to take up a cross, but before his very eyes it had changed to be a snare set for him by the Devil.

He stayed late on the ground in the darkness, winning the battle for himself over and over, decisively, he thought, at the last. But when he went home she was there in the doorway to meet him, still silent, but with eyes that told more than he dared to hear. He thought she had in some way divined his struggle, and was waiting to strengthen the odds against him, with her face in the light of a candle she held above her head.

He went by her without speaking, afraid of his weakness, and rushed to his little cell-like room to fight the battle over. As a last source of strength he took from its hiding place the little Bible. And as it fell open naturally at the blood-washed page a new thing came, a new torture. No sooner had his eyes fallen on the stain that it seemed to him to cry out of itself, so that he started back from it. He shut the book and the cries were stilled; he opened it and again he heard them—far, loud cries and low groans close to his ear; then long piercing scream stifled suddenly to low, horrible gurglings. And before him came the inscrutable face with the deep gray eyes and the shining lips, lifting, with love in the eyes, above a gashed throat.

He closed the book and fell weakly to his knees to pray brokenly, and almost despairingly: "Help me to keep down this self within me; let it ask for nothing; fan the fires until they consume it! Bow me, bend me, break me, burn me out—burn me out!"

In the morning, when he said, "Martha, the harvest is over now, and I want you to go north with me," she prepared to obey without question.

He talked freely to her on the way, though it is probable that he left in her mind little more than dark confusion, beyond the one clear fact of his wish. As to this, she knew she must have no desire but to comply. Reaching Salt Lake City, they went at once to Brigham's office. When they came out they came possessed of a document in duplicate, reciting that they both did "covenant, promise, and agree to dissolve all the relations which have hitherto existed between us as husband and wife, and to keep ourselves separate and apart from each other from this time forth."

This was the simple divorce which Brigham was good enough to grant to such of the Saints as found themselves unhappily married, and wished it. As Joel Rae handed the Prophet the fee of ten dollars, which it was his custom to charge for the service, Brigham made some timely remarks. He said he feared that Martha had been perverse and rebellious; that her first husband had found her so; and that it was doubtless for the good of all that her second had taken the resolution to divorce her. He was afraid that Brother Joel was an inferior judge of women; but he had surely shown himself to be generous in the provision he was making for the support of this contumacious wife.

They parted outside the door of the little office, and he kissed her for the first time since they had been married—on the forehead.

Christina would now be left alone with the cares of the house, and he knew he ought to have some one to help her. The fever of sacrifice was also upon him. And so he found another derelict, to whom he was sealed forever.

At a time of more calmness he might have balked at this one. She was a cross, to be sure, and it was now his part in life to bear crosses. But there were plenty of these, and even one vowed to a life of sacrifice, he suspected, need not grossly abuse the powers of discrimination with which Heaven had seen fit to endow him. But he had lately been on the verge of a seething maelstrom, balancing there with unholy desire and wickedly looking far down, and the need to atone for this sin excited him to indiscretions.

It was not that this star in his crown was in her late thirties and less than lovely. He had learned, indeed, that in the game which, for the chastening of his soul, he now played with the Devil, it were best to choose stars whose charms could excite to little but conduct of a saintlike seemliness. The fat, dumpy figure of this woman, therefore, and her round, flat, moon-like face, her mouse-colored wisps of hair cut squarely off at the back of her neck, were points of a merit that was in its whole effect nothing less than distinguished.

But she talked. Her tones played with the constancy of an ever-living fountain. Artlessly she lost herself in the sound of their music, until she also lost her sense of proportion, of light and shade, of simple, Christian charity. Her name was Lorena Sears, and she had come in with one of the late trains of converts, without friends, relatives, or means, with nothing but her natural gifts and an abiding faith in the saving powers of the new dispensation. And though she was so alive in her faith, rarely informed in the Scriptures, bubbling with enthusiasm for the new covenant, the new Zion, and the second coming of the Messiah, there had seemed to be no place for her. She had not been asked in marriage, nor had she found it easy to secure work to support herself.

"She's strong," said Brigham, to his inquiring Elder, "and a good worker, but even Brother Heber Kimball wouldn't marry her; and between you and me, Brother Joel, I never knew Heber to shy before at anything that would work. You can see that, yourself, by looking over his household."

But, after the needful preliminaries, and a very little coy hesitation on the part of the lady, Lorena Sears, spinster, native of Elyria, Ohio, was duly sealed to, for time and eternity, and became a star forever in the crown of Joel Rae, Elder after the Order of Melchisedek in the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and President of the Amalon Stake of Zion.

In the bustle of the start south there were, of necessity, moments in which the crown's new star could not talk; but these blessed respites were at an end when at last they came to the open road.

At first, as her speech flowed on, he looked sidelong at her, in a trouble of fear and wonder; then, at length, absently, trying to put his mind elsewhere and to leave her voice as the muted murmur of a distant torrent. He succeeded fairly well in this, for Lorena combined admirably in herself the parts of speaker and listener, and was not, he thankfully noted, watchful of his attention.

He was called back by the stopping of her voice, but she had to repeat her question before he understood it. The Devil tempted him in that moment. He was on the point of answering, "Because she talked too much," but instead he climbed out of the wagon to walk. He walked most of the 300 miles in the next ten days.

But he had taken up a new cross and he had his reward. The first night after they reached home he took the little Bible from its hiding place and opened it with trembling hands. The stain was there, red in the candle-light. But the cries no longer rang in his ears as on that other night when he had been sinful before the page. And he was glad, knowing that the self within him had again been put down.

CHAPTER XXIV.

The Wild Ram of the Mountains Offers to Become a Savior on Mount Zion.

In the valley of which Amalon was the center, they made ready for the end of the world. It is true that in the north, as the appointed year drew nigh, an opinion had begun to prevail that the Son of Man might defer his coming; and presently it became know that Brigham himself was doubtful about the year 1870, and was inspiring others to doubt. But in Amalon they were untainted by this heresy, choosing to rely upon what Brigham had said in moments more inspired.

He had taught that Joseph was to be the first person resurrected; that after his frame had been knit together and clothed with immortal flesh he would resurrect those who had died in the faith, according to their rank in the priesthood; then all his wives and children. Resurrected Elders, having had the keys of the resurrection conferred upon them by Joseph, their own households; and when the last of the faithful had come forth, another great work would be performed; the Gentiles would then be resurrected to act as servants and slaves to the Saints. In his lighter moments Brigham had been wont to name a couple of Presidents of the United States who would then act as his valets.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

OVER $1,000 A YEAR AND "LIVING."

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Olds, Alberta, Dec. 10, 1906.

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Since I came here wheat has run from 25 to 45 bu. per acre, oats from 65 to 115, that I know of. I raised that last year, 115 bu. to the acre of the finest oats I ever saw, and oats that I sowed 31st day of May this year went 72½ to the acre and weighed 41 lbs. to the bushel. My barley went 40 bu. last year and 50 this year, and was not sown until the latter part of May. I had 3 acres of potatoes this year and sold 700 bushels and put 275 bu. in the cellar, and no bugs to pick.

We have a fine Government Creamery at Olds. Our cows made $41 per head and I didn't feed any grain; only prairie hay, so you see we are doing well. We have the patent for our homestead now and am very thankful that we came to Alberta. We have made a little over $1,000 each year besides making our living. I would not go back to Michigan to live for anything. If I had my choice of a ticket to Olds or a 40-acre farm in Michigan I would take the ticket and in two years I could buy any of them 40-acre farms. This is the country for a poor man, as well as a man with money.

I will close, thanking you for our prosperity, I remain yours truly,

(Signed) OTTO YETTING,

Olds, Alberta, Canada. Box 159.

Information as to how to secure low rates to the free grant lands of Western Canada can be secured of any Canadian Government agents.

CLAIMS TO CURE ALL ILLS.

Scotch Minister Announces Discovery of Remarkable Germicide.

A claim of an astounding nature is put forward by a minister whose field of work lies within the bounds of the city of Glasgow, Scotland. He has discovered a germicide by the application of which he can cure every kind of infectious, loathsome, and incurable disease, even when considered, humanly speaking, hopeless. He has demonstrated to his own satisfaction that hospitals for infectious diseases are quite unnecessary, and that surgical operations except on the battlefield or in railway or other accidents, are totally uncalled for. No operation is needed, according to him, for appendicitis, for example, as it can be perfectly well cured by the germicide. The discoverer of the germicide has published a list of the names of 50 patients, with their addresses, whom he says he has cured, or is in process of curing, even in some cases, after they had received their "death warrant" from medical practitioners.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF ECZEMA.

Terrible Itching Prevented Sleep—Hands, Arms and Legs Affected—Cuticura Cured in 6 Days.

"I had eczema nearly fifteen years. The affected parts were my hands, arms and legs. They were the worst in the winter time, and were always itchy, and I could not keep from scratching them. I had to keep both hands bandaged all the time, and at night I would have to scratch through the bandages as the itching was so severe, and at times I would have to tear everything off my hands to scratch the skin. I could not rest or sleep. I had several physicians treat me but they could not give me a permanent cure nor even could they stop the itching. After using the Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment and two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent for about six days the itching had ceased, and now the sores have disappeared, and I never felt better in my life than I do now. Edward Worell, Band 30th U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska."

Varnish Secret Lost.

The Cremona varnish disappeared about 1760, and so far the recipe has not been rediscovered. Whether it was a gum or an oil or a distillation from some plant or a chemical is not known, nor how it was mixed. Many theories regarding it have been advanced from time to time, and Dod, who died in 1830, claimed to have rediscovered it. He employed others to make his violins, but always varnished them himself. His varnish is very superior, and his violins command high prices. The varnishing and polishing of a violin are done usually by a woman. It requires time and practice, for the finest instruments are gone over as often as 30 times.—March Circle.

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Here is a simple remedy that will break up a cold in twenty-four hours, and cure any cough that is curable: Glycerine, two ounces; Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure), one-half ounce; good Whisky, a half pint. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses every four hours. The ingredients can be secured from any good prescription druggist at small cost, but must be pure to effect the desired results. For this reason it is always best to purchase the ingredients separately and prepare the mixture at home.

Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure) should be purchased only in the original half-ounce vials put up for druggists to dispense. Each vial is enclosed in a round wooden case, with engraved wrapper, with the name—Virgin Oil of Pine (Pure); guaranteed under the Food and Drug Act, June 30, 1906. Prepared only by Leach Chemical Co., Cincinnati, O.—plainly printed thereon. Imitations and oils sold in bulk pay dealers larger profits, but they are dangerous to health and should never be used.

New Danger for Burglars.

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Italian Born Dublin Mayor.

Joseph Nannetti, recently reelected lord mayor of Dublin, has sat in parliament since 1900. He is the son of an Italian modeler and was educated in Dublin. Mayor Nannetti is in his fifty-seventh year.

TWO YEARS IN BED

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Cured Stubborn Rheumatism When Other Treatment Gave No Relief.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been curing the most stubborn cases of rheumatism for nearly a generation and thousands of grateful patients have given testimony that cannot be ignored.

Mr. Robert Odhert, a machinist, living at 201 Cameron Street, Detroit, Mich., had a very distressing experience with rheumatism for about two years. He makes the following statement: "About the year 1887 I felt the effects of rheumatism which gradually grew worse until I was compelled to give up work for a time. The years of '97 and '98 I was confined to my bed most of the time. I was under doctors' treatment but found no relief. My legs were swollen from the hips downward and red blotches appeared all over them. Frequently they pained me so that I had to bind them tightly with strips of linen. This sometimes relieved the pain but at other times failed to do so. At times I had to crawl to my work, using two crutches. During these spells I suffered greatly from pain around my heart which I attributed to the rheumatism.

"At last my mother wrote me and asked me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I did and in a short time I found myself getting better and have had no trouble since. I may here add that I consider myself perfectly cured. I have not had the least sign of the disease since and feel better now than I ever did. For these reasons I recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to any one affected the same as I was."

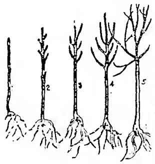
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or sent by mail, postpaid on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

HORTICULTURE

PRUNING TREES AT SETTING.

The Work Can Be Done More Rapidly at That Time.

Some interesting information relative to the different methods of pruning peach trees at time of setting are given in bulletin on "Suggestions on the Renewal of the Peach Industry in New Jersey," by G. F. Warren. Our illustration is made from a photograph reproduced in this bulletin. Prof. Warren points out that all pruning before setting can be done most rapidly before the trees are set in the ground. The trees may be pruned, have borers removed and be dipped in lime, sulphur and salt and then heeled in again to set for time of planting.



Pruning Peach Trees to Enhance Vitality.

In order to see what effect this system of pruning might have on the growth of trees, it is reported that 80 Mountain Rose trees were divided into four lots. Different methods of pruning were as follows:

Lot 1 were pruned to whips.

Lot 2 were pruned so that about five stubs were left, each about one inch long so that there was one bud on each side branch.

Lot 3 were pruned so that five stubs were left, each stub being about three inches long.

Lot 4 were pruned so that one-third of the top of each tree was removed by cutting the tips of the twigs off. By this method the heads were left almost as they were when they came from the nursery.

Lot 5, as shown in the illutsration, was left unpruned.

The result of the test as reported by Prof. Warren shows that the severe pruning proved to be the most successful. It was found that of the 20 trees pruned to whips 18 were found to make good growth on June 1, while two were making a fair growth.

Lot 2, which were pruned to one inch tops had 17 making good growth on June 1, and three making fair growth.

In lot 3, which were pruned to three-inch stubs, on June1, it was found that 18 were making good growth with two reported fair.

In the lot where one-third of the top was left it was found that on June 1 only 11 were making good growth, six were making fair growth, two were reported making very poor growth and one was found to be dead.

It is concluded from this experience that pretty severe pruning is necessary to the trees before being set out in order to insure good growth. It is not found that the trees were injured by being healed after pruning, waiting suitable time for planting.

SUN BETTER THAN SHADE.

The Reason Why Trees Are Not Desirable Along Roads.

Concerning trees for the roadside, my advice is, that the less trees on the roadside the better for the roads, either in summer or winter, writes a correspondent of Orange Judd Farmer. One reason is, that in summer they shade the roads too much in rainy weather, thereby keeping the roads wet too long where there is too much shade, while the other parts of the road dry up quickly. In winter, where there are trees on the roads, the snow accumulates, piles up too much in windy weather, making it difficult and sometimes dangerous to travel, and takes longer in the springtime to thaw away and consequently keeps the roads much longer in bad condition than if otherwise were the case. I agree, however, with the suggestion that on a 160-acre farm, ten acres should be devoted to trees.

Not All Lost.

If the cold, driving winds of the past winter have killed back the tops of your peach trees, do not despair. Use the pruning shears expediently; cut back as far as the wood appears to be killed. Chances are fair that the trees will then form a much better top and bear more fruit than in any previous year. Their newly-formed tops grow thriftily and very productively, says Farm Journal. You must go after them as early as possible in the spring, otherwise they will very likely pine away and die with the coming of the growing season.

Too Late Now.

It's late to prune grapevines. The work ought to have been done last November, or during a mild spell in February. If done now the vines will bleed.

RENEWING OLD ORCHARDS.

How Pruning and Cultivation Will Give New Life to Trees.

Altogether the most profitable orchards are those set in recent times, or at least put out in the modern method. They are composed of strong, healthy, vigorous trees which practically cover the ground and among which there are no blanks. On many farms, however, there are smaller or larger tracts of old orchard, many of which are worthless and many more of which are not distinctly profitable. Some of these old orchards could be rejuvenated. They could be brought into reasonably good bearing and to a point where they would really pay a profit. Now the rejuvenation of an old orchard is a fairly simple matter, providing it is properly understood, says Country Gentleman. The important point is that it does not consist in the application of any single patent remedy. Spraying will not do the work; pruning will not cure all the troubles; tillage alone will be worth very little; the only way to get the desired result is to apply proper methods all along the line. The soil should be loosened up and proper drainage provided. The trunks should be scraped clean and spread with copper sulfate or Bordeaux mixture. Old dead limbs should be cut out. A reasonable but not excessive pruning should be given. Thorough spraying should be undertaken. In case the trees are of mixed or unprofitable varieties, they should be regrafted to standard sorts. It is not likely that additional plant food will be required at first, except on soils very much depleted. An orchard taken vigorously in hand in the matter of tillage, pruning and spraying is apt to start into a strong growth at once; and if a good deal of raw fertilizer is applied, there may easily be more growth than is desirable. However, one must keep his eyes open, and in case the trees show the want of more food, it should be given. It is really a comparatively easy matter, if all these things are systematically attended to, to bring an old orchard round. It requires from two to five years to do it, depending on the condition of things when the matter is taken in hand.

RASPBERRIES FOR HOME USE.

Every Farmer Should Have His Berry Patch.

No farmer is doing his full duty to his family if he neglects to set at least four long rows of raspberries for home use. Four rows, because he needs four varieties, two of which should be black and two red, an early and a late of each.

Set them in the spring on freshly prepared land by laying it off with a shovel plow and setting 2½ feet apart in the bottom of the furrow. Tramp the dirt firmly on the roots. Make the rows as long as the needs of the family may require.

Locate the patch out in the open where cultivation may be easily given, for which the ordinary corn plows are well adapted, suggests Farm and Home. They will not bear the first year, and only a part of the crop the second, but for from six to ten years after that the crop is almost certain. After the second year a six-inch mulch of straw each season will make cultivation unnecessary and the only work required will be an annual trimming. This may be done when the plant is dormant, but preferably in the winter or in early spring.

Orchard and Garden.

If the garden plot is not naturally well-drained, make plans for draining it.

It is surprising how few farmers make a practice of spraying their fruits and vegetables.

In spraying use plenty of liquid and put it on thoroughly. Use too much rather than too little.

Keep an eye on the strawberry bed. If winds blow the mulch off in spots, replace it at once.

In western New York buckwheat as a cover crop is the standard of fertilization for apple orchards. It really works wonderful results.

Why do we not spend more time digging weeds before our crops are swamped by them, and less in mourning because we had such a light yield at harvest time?

Time to Spray.

Fruit growers should spray their fruit trees in March, before buds swell, for fungous troubles such as peach leaf-curl, scab of pear and apple, fruit rot, etc. The Bordeaux mixture is the standard fungicide. (But, remember, lime-sulphur is also a fungicide; so if you use it for San Jose on your trees you will not need the early spray of Bordeaux.)

The Strawberry Bed.

Somebody asks: "Shall I cultivate or hoe my strawberry bed this spring?" To this the Farm and Home says: As a rule, no. The bed should have been clean when it was "laid by" last fall. Any weeds which push through the mulch should be pulled out by hand.

Planting Pears.

Pears can be planted closer than apples. A convenient distance is 15x20 feet. These can be thinned to 30x20 feet when time shall require. This will be all the thinning necessary, as pears tend to reach up rather than laterally.

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Detective's Parable.

Hilary K. Adair, the well-known detective, was complimented in Galveston, Tex., on an arrest that he had made. The arrest had been mysteriously achieved and Mr. Adair was asked to explain it. This, though, he refused to do.

"There are so many ways of catching criminals," he said, laughing. "You know what the old man told his wife? She first said to him:

"'Don't talk, John. You can't say I ever ran after you.'

"'True,' the old man assented. 'And you can't say the trap ever runs after the mouse, either, but it gathers him in just the same.'"

DURING THIS MONTH.

Excellent Advice Which Our Readers Will Benefit By.

Now is the time to get the rheumatic poisons and foul acids from the blood and system, states an eminent authority, who says that Rheumatism and Kidney trouble are caused by the blood, which often becomes sour from excessive acids, and also tells what to do to make it pure and healthy.

Get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Just try this simple blood cleaner and tonic at the first sign of Rheumatism, or if your back aches or you feel that the Kidneys are not acting right. Any one can easily prepare this mixture at home.

BUTTON THEIR OWN WAISTS.

New York Women Have Surmounted Great Obstacle.

Marvelous as it may seem, New York women have lately discovered a way of fastening their waists up the back without calling for assistance. Thought not lacking in generosity, they became so tired of the outstretched palm of the chambermaids that they now feel that it is time to guard their pockets. The Gotham woman discovered that if she put her blouse on hind side before, with the sleeves hanging free, it could be fastened from top to bottom, with the exception of the hooks at the neck, and then turned around and the arms slipped into the sleeves without unduly straining the fastenings. So simple! So strange that no one had thought of it before. Or is it possible other women have used the plan and meanly kept it to themselves? Will the waist that buttons in the back now have a new lease of life?

Coincident Inventions.

Almost at the same time two different inventors in different places have announced their success with electrical devices for seeing at a distance. They are J. B. Fowler and William H. Thompson. In Fowler's device four wires are required to accomplish the combined effect of distant vision and hearing. Details of the operation are withheld, however, on the plea of getting out a patent. Each inventor uses the name "Televue."

GOOD NATURED AGAIN.

Good Humor Returns with Change to Proper Food.

"For many years I was a constant sufferer from indigestion and nervousness amounting almost to prostration," writes a Montana man.

"My blood was impoverished, the vision was blurred and weak, with moving spots before my eyes. This was a steady daily condition. I grew ill-tempered, and eventually got so nervous I could not keep my books posted, nor handle accounts satisfactorily. I can't describe my sufferings.

"Nothing I ate agreed with me, till one day I happened to notice Grape-Nuts in a grocery store and bought a package, out of curiosity to know what it was.

"I liked the food from the very first, eating it with cream, and now I buy it by the case and use it daily. I soon found that Grape-Nuts food was supplying brain and nerve force as nothing in the drug line ever had done or could do.

"It wasn't long before I was restored to health, comfort and happiness. Through the use of Grape-Nuts food my digestion had been restored, my nerves are steady once more, my eyesight is good again, my mental faculties are clear and acute, and I have become so good-natured that my friends are truly astonished at the change. I feel younger and better than I have for 20 years. No amount of money would induce me to surrender what I have gained through the use of Grape-Nuts food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. "There's a reason." Read the little book, "The road to Wellville," in pkgs.

MAN OF DELICATE NERVES.

Rosenthal, the Pianist, Made Much Trouble in Hotel.

Rosenthal, the pianist, is one of those entitled to have his crankiness termed "the eccentricities of genius," says the San Francisco Chronicle. When he inspected his rooms at the Majestic upon his arrival very late the other night, he went softly to the adjoining doors, and placing his ears close to the cracks, exclaimed in broken English, "Zgodd, no sounds pass thees." After nodding his approval of the grand piano and the furniture he frowned at the tan-colored window shades. "Must be green." He was assured that a change would be made especially for him the next day.

At five o'clock in the morning Rosenthal, clad only in his pajamas, came scurrying excitedly down stairs and into the office, where the drowsy night clerk was nodding at the desk.

"Ze street cars! Noise! Must stopped! Nervous me! I cannot sleep."

The clerk hurriedly sent for Manager Gustav Mann, and Mann spent two hours telling Rosenthal funny stories in German trying to divert his mind while the clerk was upstairs squaring the management for waking a guest on the Gough street side and ordering him to move at once to the Sutter street side as a gas pipe had burst under the floor and had to be repaired!

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PE-RU-NA A MEDICAL COMPOUND

In any medical compound as much depends upon the manner in which it is compounded as upon the ingredients used.

First, there must be a due proportion of the ingredients. Each drug in the pharmacopeia has its special action. To combine any drug with other drugs that have slightly different action, the combination must be made with strict reference to the use for which the compound is intended. The drugs may be well selected as to their efficacy, but the compound ENTIRELY SPOILED BY THE PROPORTION in which they are combined.

It takes years and years of experience to discover this proportion. There is no law of chemistry, of pharmacy, by which the exact balance of proportion can be determined. EXPERIENCE IS THE ONLY GUIDE.

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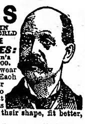

INSTITUTE A CONTEST

Prizes to be Distributed Among Patrons of Red Lake Falls Creamery.

A unique contest has been instituted by the Red Lake Falls creamery association which promises to be a popular one with the patrons of the institution. The contest has as its object both the securing of additional patrons for the creamery and the promotion of interest in the most up-to-date methods of farming, and as an incentive to contestants, substantial cash prizes have been offered, the money for which has been secured by a subscription list which was circulated recently among the business men of this city. The citizens were not slow in recognizing the value of such a contest and as a result enough money was subscribed to assure the carrying out of the project in every detail as far as necessary funds were concerned.

The project is instituted under the head of "A Fodder Corn and Root Crop Contest for the Season of 1907," and is open tn all farmers who will bring their cream to the local creamery throughout the season of 1907-08, up to Morch 1, 1908. The conditions of this contest are made with the object of benefitting all who wish to participate by promoting their interest in dairying, and the prizes offered are large enough to make them well worth striving for.

The prizes offered are as follows:

For ten acres fodder corn, first prize [illegible], second prize $15.00, third prize $10.00.

For five acres fodder corn, first prize $10.00, second prize $5.00.

For one acre mangles, first prize [illegible] second prize $10.00, third prize $5.00.

For one acre stock carrots, first prize [illegible], second prize $10.00, third prize [illegible].

Church Announcement.

In connection with the close of the Hamilton-Bursk meetings the following special Sundays have been planned for at the Presbyterian church by Rev. Herbert W. Knox, the pastor:

April 7—Revival Day. Close of the two weeks revival.

April 14—Church Day. Public reception of members into the church, with a "Charge on the duties of the Christian life."

April 21—Communion Day. Observance of the Lord's Supper.

April 28—Covenant Day. Baptism of infant children.

Special music is being arranged for every service during the month. The "Sunbeam Choir" and the Young Peoples' Chorus will sing at both services each Sunday. The families living in the country are specially urged to be present.

The Murray Cure

To be Incorporated and Enlarged by Mr. Murray's Family.

The [illegible] of the sudden death of [illegible] Murray, founder of the [illegible] at Minneapolis, Fargo and Seattle, was a shock to many thousands of people who knew of the [illegible] of the Murray Cure

Mr. Murray's family, the widow two grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and corps of attendants and employes will remain the same.

For over seven years the Murray Cure has demonstrated that the drink habit can be cured. If you have a friend that needs the Murray treatment, send him at once to the Murray Cure Institute. If the drink habit has a hold on you that you cannot break without help, remember we can help you.

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Make Tour of Inspection.

A number of Great Northern officials came up over the Greenbush line Saturday in the general superintendent's private car, which was attached to the local passenger. The officials were on a tour of inspection and went up to Greenbush, the end of the line where a short conference was held in regard to the Greenbush-Warroad extension which the Great Northern is preparing to push to completion in the near future. While nothing definite could be learned indications point to commencement of construction work as soon as possible and it is believed the Greenbush line will be in operation clear thru to Warroad by the coming fall. Other roads are building into the country which would be tapped by this line and in view of this fact it is hardly probable that Jim Hill will long remain idle before going after his share of the business. The inspection party of last Saturday was composed of General Superintendent E. L. Brown, Division Superintendent T. F. Lowry, General Road Master T. Conlin, Division Road Master John Laughlin and Master Carpenter E. A. Mills.

Stereopticon Lecture on the Passion Play.

At the Presbyterian church on Saturday night, Mr. John R. Bursk will give an illustrated lecture on the Life of Christ as shown in the Passion Play at Ober-Ammergau in Germany. The views will be shown twice during the evening; once for children and once for adults. The first lecture will begin at 7:30 p. m. at which time the doors will be closed, and no one admitteb during the lecture. The doors will be open for the second lecture at 8:15 p. m. and the lecture will begin at 8:30. There will be a silver collection taken at each lecture for the expenses of the lecture and for the local expenses of the revival meetings. Everybody welcome.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1906, and the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1907, each of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John F. Campbell and Mary Campbell, his wife, Mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 9:20 a. m. in book 35 of mortgages on page 370 thereof,

And Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely:- The Southeast Quarter, and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter, and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter all in section Twenty Four (24) in township one hundred fifty three (153) North of range forty four (44) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey three hundred twenty (320) acres, be the same more or less, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche
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Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.
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District Court Grind.

As we went to press last week the case of Brohman vs Singer was before the court having been brought up on an appeal from the justice court. The jury brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff awarding damages to the amount of $31.50.

In the case of Jac Kiewel Brewing Co. vs Mary Zeh; on motion of plaintiff case is dismissed without prejudice to bringing another action.

Frank Grady vs Joseph Horace Corbiel; case taken under advisement by the court.

Peter K. Olson vs. Louis Sieff; case will go over to be tried at the July term.

On Friday the court adjourned until Wednesday when the case of R. B. Hamilton, the Soo brakeman, on the charge of rape was taken up.

Last evening the court heard the case of the State of Minnesota vs. Minnie Smith and Fred Hannebohl, on the charge of keeping a disorderly house at Thief River Falls. The defendants were each fined $200 and costs which were paid this morning. Myrtle Monroe and Tom Butler, of the same place, who were also indicted under the same charge, have decided that the "skidoo" act was popular at this time, and the sheriff has been unable to locate them up to date.

In the matter of the State vs. Blackey, indictment for accepting a bribe, the case was set over to the October term on account of State being unable to secure desired witnesses at this time. Akerman, who was indicted for giving a bribe has not been located.

The Hamilton rape case is occupying the attention of the court today behind closed doors and will probably last all doy tomorrow.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the som of Sixty-Five Dollars ($65.00) interest, which became due May 31, 1906, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Douglas Martin and Bessie Martin, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee,
bearing date the 31st day of May, A. D. 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of June, A. D., 1905, at 11:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 6 thereof.

And Whereas, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal som of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section one (1) in township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-three (43) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey eighty (80) acres be the same more or less, in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Coort House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated, March 21st, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche
Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank)
Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Warren, Minn.
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Last Indoor Concert

The date for the April band concert has been set for Friday, April 26th, and as this is the last indoor concert of the season of 1907-08 a special effort will be made to make it the biggest and best of the winter's course. The concert will also take the form of a farewell party or reception in honor of Messrs. L. P. Berthon and J. B Armstrong, as it will probably be their last appearance in the concerts at the Metropolitan opera house. As the band boys are not slow in showing their appreciation to those who have assisted in making the Red Lake Falls Concert band one of the best in the middle west, the occasion promises to be an exceptionally brilliant one from a social point of view.

Carman No More.

The Great Northern has changed the name of the town of Carman, the railroad station one mile south of Crookston to Red Land, the change evidently being made to avoid confusion in names as there is a town named Carman, Manitoba, located on the Canadian Pacific Ry., thru which the new line of the G. N. Ry., from Neche, N. D., to Portage la Prairie runs. Carman was named by the Great Northern before the name of Crookston was heard of, and a townsite by that name platted. By an act of the legislature March 7, 1887, however, Carman was made a part of Crookston and the name Carman since that time while applied in general to that section of Crookston was correctly applied only as the name of the Great Northern station south of the city limits at which all trains stop and register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Mar. 7, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Richmond Desotel of Terrebonne, Minn., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz:

Homestead entry No. 22931, made March 21, 1902, for the SE¼NE¼ Section 21, Township 150 N., Range 43 W., and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on April 17, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Harmidas Sauve, Arthur Archambault, Joseph St. Martin and Louis Teroup, all of Terrebonne, Minn.

R. J. Montague, Register.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed, and delivered by L. A. Dautremont and Laura E. Dautremont, his wife, mortgagors, to Phil A. Kaufer, mortgagee, which mortgage bears date the 9th day of September, 1903, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota on 12th day of September, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., in book 21 of mortgages on page 168, by the terms of which mortgage the following described premises were described in, mortgaged and conveyed to said mortgagee, to-wit: Lots nine (9), ten (10), and the north ten (10) feet of lot eleven (11), in block seven (7) in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the corrected plat thereof, being in Red Lake county, Minnesota, and was given to secure the payment of the sum of one thousand dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, payable annually, on the 9th day of September in each year, according to the conditions of one principal note; by failure to pay the $1000 falling due on the 9th day of September, 1904 and by failure to pay the taxes levied upon said real estate for the year 1905, and whereas, said mortgage, provided as one of its conditions that in case of failure to pay said note or any part of said interest when the same becomes due or to pay any taxes levied upon said realestate before the same becomes delinquent, the whole sum of money or indebtedness thereby secured shall thereupon become due and payable;

And Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice on said principal indebtedness and interest thereon to the date hereof the som of one thousand one hundred eighteen dollars, ($1118.00.)

And Whereas, because of said defaults and each of them the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, and no action at law or in equity having been instituted to cover said mortgage indebtedness.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises above described which sale will be made by the sheriff of said county of Red Lake at the west front door of the court house in city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said indebtedness, the attorney's fees of $25.00 and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year thereafter, as provided by law.

Dated Feb. 26, 1907.

—Phil A. Kaufer,
Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls.
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QUIETLY PASSED AWAY

Katherine Winifred Cushing Died Saturday Morning, April The Sixth.

On Saturday morning of last week, at 7:15, Katherine Winifred Cushing quietly passed away, at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain, in this city, being a victim of consumption.

Katherine Cushing was born at New Ulm, Minnesota, November 6th, 1882, and died April 6th, 1907, having reached the age of twenty-four years and six months on the day of her death.

The death of Miss Cushing was an exceptionally sad one, inasmuch as it had been her mission to minister to the wants of the afflicted, and it was while in performance of this noble work in a hospital in Wisconsin that she contracted the disease which later was to take her to that bourne from which no traveler returns.

Symptoms of the malady were first noticed about thirteen months past, and, despite the aid of excellent medical treatment, grew apace, until last August when she was induced to come to this city in hopes that the change would prove beneficial. For a while there was a marked improvement, but in December she contracted a severe attack of the lagrippe, during which the dread ravages of the white plague had gained such headway that it left her broken in both body and spirit. A brave and valiant fight was made for her life by those near and dear, and although every effort was made for her relief until the last, it soon became apparent to all there could be but one result—death, which came to relieve her upon the 6th inst.

Short services were held at the Chamberlain home Saturday afternoon. Saturday evening the body, accompanied by Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain and Elizabeth Cushing, was taken to New Ulm, where funeral services were held Monday from the Congregational church and the remains interred in the cemetery at that place.

The Gazette joins with the community in extending their heartfelt sympathy to those who loved her, in this, their hour of bereavement.

RAILROAD EXTENSIONS

Several Roads Are Beginning To Prepare For Work On Their Extensions.

Extension work of the several railrords carrying on improvements in Northern Minnesota and Wisconsin is now progressing in good shape. The contractors for the Soo, the Wisconsin Central, the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg, the Minnesota & International, and the Great Northern are all preparing to rush their contracts through in the shortest possible space of time this spring and summer.

It is expected that in a few weeks the work of laying the track from Greenbush, Minn., on the completed grade of the Great Northern to Roseau and Warroad, will begin. It is also understood that the Great Northern is taking steps to extend this line to International Falls and that a preliminary survey between these points will be made before the frost leaves the ground. For the past year there has been considerable talk about the Great Northern building from Warroad to International Falls, and it is believed that a contract for this extension will be awarded this summer.

The Minnesota & International bridge across the Big Fork river at Big Falls is practically completed, and trains are being run across it with construction material for work on the other side of the river. It is thought that the track will be laid to Little Fork by the middle of April, and the Northern Minnesota Navigation company will have its steamer Itasca in shape to take care of the passenger and freight business that will pass that way until the road is completed to International Falls.—Duluth Herald.

For Sale.

One 22 shoe Dowagatc drill, as good as new, 1 Jones mower and rake, 1 John Deere gang plow, 1 riding cultivator. Will be sold at a bargain if taken at once. Inquire of F. C. Westhpal, Red Lake Falls.

DEAD PETITION STOLEN TO AROUSE SYMPATHY OF PEOPLE

Thief River Committee Realized That the County Seat Petition Was Doomed and Kidnapped Corpse to Create Sentiment In Their Favor.

"Murder will out." is an old proverb which has proven true so often that there has long since been established a dread superstition among the members of the criminal profession that the eye of justice was omnipresent, and is not dimmed by lock nor key, nor the deep darkness of the blackest night.

That the old proverb is substantially true has been proven by recent developments in connection with the disappearance of the much lamented county seat petition, and which, it now develops was saved from the potters field by a clever ruse on the part of the high salaried, graft-fattened "county-seat committee" of Thief River Falls.

Realizing that the end was near for the $16,000 pap-fed county seat petition fraud, which had been perpetrated upon the inspecting citizens of the up-river burg, and not having enough left of that magnificent county seat fund to provide for a respectable "wake," the aforesaid committee conceived the idea of kidnapping their pet offspring and reaping their reward by the awakening of a flood of sympathy in the hearts of the people of the county and being able to secure the ready signatures of a host of voters to a new petition, by laying the dastardly deed at the door of Red Lake Falls citizens.

Accordingly a "Pat Crowe" was selected from their midst, who selecting a favorable opportunity and with a skill worthy of his craft, abstracted the petition corpse from its resting place in the county vaults, fled with it to a remote and secluded spot and having succeeded in secreting it from the eyes of the world, passed the word to his partners in crime who immediately set up the cry of "stop thief," and pointed the accusing finger of righteous (?) indignation toward Red Lake Falls.

That it was a cleverly worked out plan, and seems to some extent to be having the desired effect, we will not deny, but to every fair minded citizen there arises the question: "WHY SHOULD RED LAKE FALLS WANT THAT PETITION?"

Red Lake Falls had no desire whatsoever to have the county seat petition disappear, but would have been only to well pleased to have it appear at a regular meeting of the county board, for we have more than enough withdrawals to prove its illegality, and furthermore, there is not a citizen in Red Lake Falls but who well knew that any such move on our part would only act as a boomerang and prove detrimental to our cause.

Red Lake Falls is not playing to the galleries for sympathy—we simply want a fair consideration of the case, and, getting it, do not feel alarmed over the result.

The question at present is:

WILL THE CONTEMPTUOUS TRICK OF THE THIEF RIVER COMMITTEE WORK?

The ruse is too plain to fool the people whose sympathies are appealed to. We believe that Thief River will have to invent another game.

The Class Play of '07, the "Sweet Girl Graduates" has been postponed from tomorrow evening to Aprill 19 th. Don't forget the date.

WE WILL PLAY BALL

Local Fans Are Making Arrangements to Get Into the Game. With a Winning Team.

The base ball fans throughout the valley are showing the effects of the on-coming spring by getting together in their respective towns and laying plans for the organization of a number of fast squads for the coming season. Considerable enthusiasm has been aroused over the idea of organizing an amateur league among the different towns taking in Crookston, Red Lake Falls, Warren, Hallock, Thief River, Ada and perhaps Stephen and Argyle. All of the towns mentioned are noted for putting up fast teams in the past and should the league proposition be carried thru, the fans of the valley can look forward to one of the best seasons in base ball circles in this section.

Red Lake Falls is already making active preparations to put one of the fastest teams in the field during the history of the diamond in this city. Red Lake has always been noted for having a bunch of fast ball players and the material in sight gives promise of a better team being brought together this season than for some years past.

Negotiations are underway for the securing of a crack battery, which is the only point at which the team is short at this time, and when the season opens the other towns of the valley will find us in the field with a team that will make them all go some.

Assessors will Meet.

The various township assessors of Red Lake county will meet in the offices of County Auditor J. B. O'Brien, on Thursday, April 25th, to receive their assessor's books and such instructions as are usually given by the county auditor relative to making the official tax estimates. There will be over thirty assessors who will be expected to attend the meeting. After receiving their full instructions they will at once begin the work of assessing the real and personal property in their individual townships and villages.

HAMILTON ACQUITTED

District Court Wound Up Spring Session Last Friday Afternoon.

Last Thursday afternoon the case of R. B. Hamilton, on trial under the charge of rape committed on the person of Miss Annie Christenson, of Viking, was turned over to the jury at 3 o'clock. After being out eight and one-half hours the jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

Hamilton was also indicted under the charge of indecent assault. On Friday the court held a hearing in the matter and the defendant was bound over to the October term of court under $1000 bonds. By request Hamilton was taken to Thief River where bail was furnished and the prisoner released from the custody of the sheriff.

The case of Jarman vs. county board of commissioners. was dismissed for want of prosecution, the plaintiff not appearing.

Myrtle Monroe, indicted under the charge of keeping a house of ill fame, at Thief River Falls, appeared before the court, plead guilty, and was fined $200. Tom Butler, also plead guilty to running a disorderly house at the up-river town, and was called upon to pay a $200 fine. Both parties paid their fines and immediately left for more genial surroundings—Thief River Falls. This makes $800 in fines paid by the "red light" district of Thief River at this term of court.

County Attorney Germo has been very successful in bringing criminals to justice during this term and it is probable that they will not lay themselves open to prosecution again for some time to come.

The court adjourned Friday, to convene again on July 9th, when a special term will be held for the purpose of issuing citizens papers.

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

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CHAPTER XXIV.—Continued.

It was this earlier teaching that the faithful of Amalon clung to, perhaps not a little by reason that immediately over them was a spiritual guide who had been trained from infancy to know that salvation lay in belief,—never in doubt. For a sign of the end they believed that on the night before the day of it there would be no darkness. This would be as it had been before the birth of the Savior, as told in the Book of Mormon: "At the going down of the sun there was no darkness, and the people began to be astonished because there was no darkness when the night came; and there was no darkness in all that night, but it was as light as if it were midday."

They talked of little but this matter in that small pocket of the intermountain commonwealth, in Sabbath meetings and around the hearths at night. The Wild Ram of the Mountains thought all proselyting should cease in view of the approaching end; that the Elders on mission should withdraw from the vineyard, shake the dust from their feet, and seal up the rebellious Gentiles to damnation. To this Elder Bell Wardle had replied, somewhat testily:

"Well, now, since these valleys of Ephraim have got a little fattened a whole lot of us have got the sweeny, and our skins are growing too tight on our flesh." He had been unable to comprehend that the Gentiles were a rejected lot, the lost sheep of the house of Israel. On this occasion it had required all the tact of Elder Rae to soothe the two good men into an amicable discussion of the time when Sidney Rigdon went to the third heaven and talked face to face with God. They had agreed in the end, however, that they were both of the royal seed of Abraham, and were on the grand turnpike to exaltation.

To these discussions and sermons the child, Prudence, listened with intense interest, looking forward to the last day as an occasion productive of excitement even superior to that of her trips to Salt Lake City, where her father went to attend the October conference, and where she was taken to the theater.

One day in this spring when she was 14, the good Bishop Wright, on his way down from Box canyon with a load of wood, saw her striding up the road ahead of him. Something caught his eye, either in her step which had a child's careless freedom, or in the lines of her swinging figure that told of coming womanhood, or in the flashing, laughing appeal of her dark eyes where for the moment both woman and child looked out. He set the brake on his wagon and waited for her to pass. She came by with a smile and a word of greeting, to which his rapt attention prevented any reply except a slight nod. When she had passed, he turned and looked after her until she had gone around the little hill on the road that entered the canyon.

After the early evening meal that day, along the many-roomed house of this good man, from door to door there ran the words, starting from her who had last been sealed to him:

"He's making himself all proud!"

They knew what it meant, and wondered whom.

A little later the Bishop set out, his face clean shaven to the ruffle of white whiskers that ran under his chin from ear to ear, his scant hair smooth and shining with grease from the largest bear ever trapped in the Pine mountains, and his tall form arrayed in his best suit of homespun. As he went he trolled an ancient lay of love, and youth was in his step. For there had come all day upon this Prince of Israel those subtle essences distilled by spring to provoke the mating urge. At the Rae house he found only Christina.

"Where's Brother Joel, Sister Rae?"

"Himself has gone out there," Christina had answered with a wave of her hand, and using the term of respect which she always applied to her husband.

He went around the house, out past the stable and corrals and across the irrigating ditch to where he saw Joel Rae leaning on the rail fence about the peach orchard. Far down between two rows of the blossoming trees he could see the girl reaching up to break off a pink-sprayed bough. He quickened his pace and was soon at the fence.

"Brother—Joel,—I—the—"

The good man had been full of his message a moment before, but now he stampered and hesitated because of something cold in the other's eye as it seemed to note the unwonted elegance of his attire. He took a quick breath and went on.

"You see the Lord has moved me to add another star to my crown."

"I see; and you have come to get me to seal you?"

"Well, of course I hadn't thought of it so soon, but if you want to do it to-night—"

"As soon as you like, Bishop,—the sooner the better if you are to save the soul of another women against the day of desolation. Where is she?" and he turned to go back to the house. But the Bishop still paused, looking toward the orchard.

"Well, the fact is, Brother Joel, you see the Lord has made me feel to have Prudence for another star in my crown of glory—your daughter Prudence," he repeated as the other gazed at him with a sudden change of manner.

"My daughter Prudence—little Prue—that child—that baby?"

"Baby—she's 14; she was telling my daughter Mattie so jest the other day, and the Legislature has made the marrying age 12 for girls and 15 for boys, so she's two years overtime already. Of course, I ain't 15, but I'm safer for her than some young cub."

"But Bishop—you don't consider—"

"Oh, of course, I know there's been private talk about her; nobody knows who her mother was, and they say whoever she was you was never married to her, so she couldn't have been born right, but I ain't bigoted like some I could name, and I stand ready to be her Savior on Mount Zion."

He waited with something of noble concession in his mien.

The other seemed only now to have fully sensed the proposal, and, with real terror in his face, he began to urge the Bishop toward the house, after looking anxiously back to where the child still lingered with the mist of pink blossoms against the leafless boughs above her.

"Come, Brother Seth—come, I beg of you—we'll talk of it—but it can't be, indeed it can't!"

"Let's ask her," suggested the Bishop, disinclined to move.

"Don't, don't ask her!" He seized the other by the arm.

"Come, I'll explain; don't ask her now, at any rate—I beg of you as a gentleman—as a gentleman, for you are a gentleman."

The Bishop turned somewhat impatiently, then remarked with a dignified severity:

"Oh, I can be a gentleman whenever it's necessary!"

They went across the fields toward the house, and the Bishop spoke further.

"There ain't any need to get into your high-heeled boots, Brother Rae, jest because I was aiming to save her to a crown of glory,—a girl that's thought to have been born on the wrong side of the blanket!"

They stopped by the first corral, and Joel Rae talked. He talked rapidly and with power, saying many things to make it plain that he was determined not to look upon the Wild Ram of the Mountains as an acceptable son-in-law. His manner was excited and distraught, terrified and indignant,—a manner hardly justified by the circumstances, about which there was nothing extraordinary, nothing not pleasing to God and in conformity to His revealed word. Bishop Wright indeed was puzzled to account for the heat of his manner, and in recounting the interview to Elder Wardle, he threw out an intimation about strong drink. "To tell you the truth," he said, "I suspicion he'd jest been putting a new faucet in the cider barrel."

When Prudence came in from the blossoming peach trees that night her father called her to him to sit on his lap in the dusk while the crickets sang, and grow sleepy as had been her baby habit.

"What did Bishop Wright want?" she asked, after her head was pillowed on his arm. Relieved that it was over, now even a little amused, he told her:

"He wanted to take my little girl away, to marry her."

She was silent for a moment, and then:

"Wouldn't that be fine, and we could build each other up in the Kingdom."

He held her tighter.

"Surely, child, you couldn't marry him?"

"But of course I could! Isn't he tried in the Kingdom, so he is sure to have all those thrones and dominions and power?"

"But child, child! That old man with all his wives—"

"But they say old men are safer than young men. Young men are not tried in the Kingdom. I shouldn't like a young husband anyway—they always want to play rough games, and pull your hair, and take things away from you, and get in the way."

"But, baby,—don't, don't—"

"Why, you silly father, your voice sounds as if you were almost crying—please don't hold me so tight—and some one must save me before the Son of Man comes to judge the quick and the dead; you know a woman can't be saved alone. I think Bishop Wright would make a fine husband, and I should have Mattie Wright to play with every day."

"And you would leave me?"

"Why, that's so, Daddy! I never thought—of course I can't leave my little sorry father—not yet. I forgot that. I couldn't leave you. Now tell me about my mother again."

He told her the story she already knew so well—how beautiful her mother was, the look of her hair and eyes, her slenderness, the music of her voice, and the gladness of her laugh.

He was awake all night in a fever of doubt and rebellion. By the light of the candle, he read in the Book of Mormon passages that had often puzzled but never troubled him until now when they were brought home to him; such as, "And now it came to pass that the people Nephi under the reign of the second king began to grow hard in their hearts, and indulged themselves somewhat in wicked practices, like unto David of old, desiring many wives—"

Again he read, "Behold, David and Solomon truly had many wives, which thing was abominable before me, saith the Lord."

Still again, "For there shall not be any man among you have save it shall be one wife."

Then he turned to the revelation on celestial marriage given years after these words were writtn, and in the first paragraph read:

"Verily, thus saith the Lord unto you my servant Joseph, that inasmuch as you have inquired of my hand to know and understand wherein I, the Lord, justified my servants Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, as also Moses, David, and Solomon, my servants, as touching the principle and doctrine of their having many wives—"

He turned from one to the other; from the many explicit admonitions and commends against polygamy, the denunciations of the patriarchs for their indulgence in the practice, to this last passage contradicting the others, and vexed himself with wonder. In the Book of Mormon, David was said to be wicked for doing this thing. Now in the revelation to Joseph he read, "David's wives were given unto him of me, by the hand of Nathan, my servant."

But in the midst of his questionings he seemed to see a truth,—that another snare had been set for him by the Devil, and that this time it had caught his feet. He, who knew that he must have nothing for himself, had all unconsciously so set his heart upon this child of her mother that he could not give her up. And now so fixed and so great was his love that he could not turn back. He knew he was lost. To cling to her would be to question, doubt, and to lose his faith. To give her up would kill him.

But at least for a little while he could put it off.

"It Will Surely Be in Another Month, Daddy—Perhaps Next Week."

CHAPTER XXV.

How the World Did Not Come to an End.

With the first day of 1870 Joel Rae began to wait. With prayer and fasting and vigils he waited. Now was the day when the earth should be purified by fire, the wicked swept from the land, and the lost tribes of Israel restored to their own. Now was to come the Son of Man who should dwell in righteousness with men, reigning over them on the purified earth for a thousand years.

He watched the mild winter go, with easy faith; and the early spring come and go, with a dawning uneasiness. For the time was passing with never the blast of a trumpet from the heavens. He began to see then that he alone, of all Amalon, had kept his faith pure. For the others had foolishly sown their fields, as if another crop were to be harvested,—as if they must continue to eat bread that was earth-grown. Even Prudence had strangely ceased to believe as he did. Something from the outside had come, he knew not what nor how, to tarnish the fair gold of her certainty. She had not said so, but he divined it when he shrewdly observed that she was seeking to comfort him, to support his own faith when day after day the Son of Man came not.

"It will surely be in another month, Daddy—perhaps next week—perhaps to-morrow," she would say cheerfully. "And you did right not to put in any crops. It would have been wicked to doubt."

His hope lasted hardly until the year ended. Before the time was over, there had crept into his mind a conviction that the Son of Man would not come; that the Lord's favor had been withdrawn from Israel. He knew the cause,—the shedding of innocent blood. They might have made war; indeed, many of the revelations to Joseph discriminated even between murder and that murder in which innocent blood should be shed; but the truth was plain. They had shed innocent blood that day in the Meadows. Now the Lord's favor was withdrawn and His coming deferred, perhaps another thousand years. The torture of the thing came back to him with all its early coloring, so that his days and nights were full of anguish. He no longer dared open the Bible to that reddened page. The cries already rang in his ears, and he knew not what worse torture might come if he looked again upon the stain; nor could he free himself from these by the old expedient of prayer, for he could no longer pray with an honest heart; he was no longer unselfish, could no longer kneel in perfect submission; he was wholly bound to this child of her mother, and the peace of absolute and utter sacrifice could not come back to him. Full of unrest, feeling that somehow the end, at least for him, could not be far off, he went north to the April Conference. He took Prudence with him, not daring to leave her behind.

She went with high hopes, alive with new sensations. Another world lay outside her valley of the mountains, and she was going to peep over the edge at its manifold fascinations. She had been there before as a child; now she was going as a woman. She remembered the city, bigger and grander than fifty Amalons, with magnificent stores filled with exotic novelties and fearsome luxuries from the land of the wicked Gentile.

More fondly did she recall two wonderful evenings at the theater. First had been the thrilling "Robert Macaire," then the romantic "Pizarro," in which Rolla had been a being of such overwhelming beauty that she had felt he could not be of earth.

And there were strange new faces to be seen, people surely of a different world, of a different manner from those she had known, wearing, with apparent carelessness, garments even more strangely elegant than those in the shop windows, and speaking in strange, soft accents. She was told that these were Gentiles, tourists across the continent, who had ventured from Ogden to observe the wonders of the new Zion. The thought of the railroad was in itself thrilling. To be so near that wonderful highway to the land of the evil-doers and to a land, alas! of so many strange delights. She shuddered at her own wickedness, but fell again and again, and was held in bondage by the allurements about her. So thrilled to her soul's center was she that the pleasure of it hurt her, and the tears would come to her eyes until she felt she must be alone to cry for the awful joy of it.

The evening brought still more to endure, for they went to the play. It was a play that took her out of herself, so that the crowd was lost to her from the moment the curtain went up in obedience to a little bell that tinkled mysteriously,—either back on the stage or in her own heart, she was not sure which.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Needs of Naval Officers.

Admiral Sir Edward Fremantle, who entered the British navy in 1849 when 13 years old, has been publishing some of his experiences and observations. He agrees emphatically with President Roosevelt that "the naval officer of the future must be a fighting engineer," and he thinks that this view is shared by the British admiralty. The admiral also says: "In the present age we are so entirely dependent on mechanical science that it is essential that our officers and men should learn to 'grease and gauge' with the engineers if they are to be capable seamen."

OLD CANNON CAN'T BE BROKEN.

Armament of Old Craft Was Made to Last.

A good story is being told at the Mare Island navy yard concerning a San Francisco contractor who bought all the old obsolete cannon which were sold at the local yard some time ago. The cannon were all of the smooth bore kind, and in order that they might be easily handled for shipment to the city all sorts of schemes were tried to endeavor to break them with dynamite and blasting powder, but they were unsuccessful.

An electric drill machine was even set up at the yards and the cannon were drilled full of holes in order to weaken them for breaking open with wedges, but this was also unsuccessful. The cannon were then taken away and the last heard of them they were corralled in the hills near Point Richmond, where an effort was being made to break them open with dynamite again.

The cannon which proved to be so strong were among the armament of the war craft which sailed the seas in 1812.

The Court Warned.

"Bill, old boy," said the prisoner to the justice, "I want you to pay particular attention while I'm a-making of this here statement."

"Don't address the court as 'Bill,' sir," said the justice, "or I'll fine you for contempt."

"That's all right, William," replied the prisoner, "we wuz growed up together an' I reckon you feel as dignified as a alligator on a log in a mill pond up thar, but ef you decide this case agin me, Lord help you when I ketch you in the middle o' the road. Go on with your proceedings."

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At the Star Theater, Seattle, the other evening the flags of several nations were exhibited in succession during an act on the stage. All except the flags of Russia and Japan were applauded. The former was received in silence, the latter was loudly hissed.

Hides, Furs, Pelts.

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Not a Single Stone Has Formed Since Using Doan's Kidney Pills.

J. D. Daughtrey, music publisher, of Suffolk, Va., says: "During two or three years that I had kidney trouble I passed 2½ pounds of gravel and sandy sediment in the urine. I haven't passed a stone since using Doan's Kidney Pills, however, and that was three years ago. I used to suffer the most acute agony during a gravel attack, and had the other usual symptoms of kidney trouble—lassitude, headache, pain in the back, urinary disorders, rheumatic pain, etc. I have a box containing 14 gravel stones that I passed, but that is not one-quarter of the whole number. I consider Doan's Kidney Pills a fine kidney tonic."

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GHOSTS PLAY MANY PRANKS.

Grab Rope from Bellringer and Cut Down Trees.

Ghostly happenings have disturbed the town of Kirkwall, the capital of the county of Orkney. On Wednesday night, says the London Daily Mail, the wife of the bellringer went to St. Magnus cathedral to sound the curfew at eight o'clock. This is an ancient custom still observed in the burgh. The bell had been tolled for less than a minute, when, it is alleged, a figure suddenly appeared at the woman's side, snatched her hands from the rope and as mysteriously disappeared.

Another morning 20 trees which a few years ago were planted in front of the cathedral were found to have been cut down. The night was a calm one, with brilliant moonlight, and the trees were standing at one o'clock in the morning.

Hundreds of windows have an outlook on the spot, and many people who were still astir at three o'clock in the morning did not hear the slightest sound outside. Yet an hour later every tree had been destroyed. The police are baffled.

It avails little to the unfortunate to be brave.—From the Spanish.

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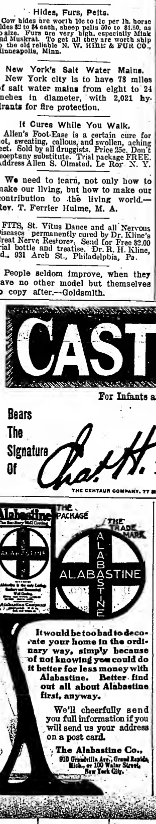

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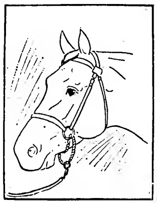
TO BREAK A HALTER PULLER.

Arrangement of Rope Which Will Prove Effective.

My plan, explains an Illinois correspondent of Prairie Farmer, consists of an ordinary ring halter with the two side rings connected by a strong cord. Whenever the horse pulls, the inner part of the cord is drawn forcibly against the jaw, and the effect is severer punishment than he is willing to endure.



Plan to Break Halter Puller.

STUMBLING HORSES.

Why They Acquire the Habit and How to Cure Them.

Some horses are naturally addicted to stumbling, others acquire the fault, and still others have the stumbling habit thrust upon them, says an exchange. In the first, it is almost incurable, but the second and third causes can be remedied by the rider or driver. If the ground is rough or uneven, horses with a low action are prone to stumble. Other horses which are naturally slip-shod, generally stumble because they do not lift their feet high enough from the ground. Laziness is another cause for stumbling, and horses that are heavy in front, or whose fore legs are weak or unsound, have the same fault. Very often carelessness on the part of the driver causes horses to stumble. This makes it necessary always to bear in mind the value of keeping the horses well in hand and sufficiently collected. If the habit is due to laziness it can often be cured by riding or driving the horse over rough ground until he has been broken of the fault. But in all cases the cure rests with the driver or rider. The most sure-footed of horses is bound to stumble at times, but this can be reduced to a minimum by keeping a tight rein. A slack rein is often the sole cause for stumbling. If fatigue is the cause, extra care must be taken to keep the horse well up to the bit. No good horseman will ever take chances of his horse stumbling by allowing a slack rein. Stumbling is not only an annoying habit, but it often results in serious injury and many times in the total disability of the animal. While an habitual tendency to stumble often does not admit of a cure, the average case can be prevented by the methods suggested above.

GROWING GOOD BEEF.

It Is Possible for the Small Farm to Produce It.

It is possible to produce good beef on small farm, and much of the beef of the future will be thus produced. The demand for beef will never be less than it is at the present time, but the great ranges on which the beef of the past has been produced must grow smaller as the land is brought under irrigation. Great projects are under way for irrigating vast stretches of land that before now have been the feeding ground of cattle. How much of the ranges are to be eaten up in this way we do not know at this time. It means that the price of the best beeves must advance and that these will largely be raised on small farms and be almost a by-product. To produce this good beef, says Farmers' Review, the farmer will need but make sure that the animal he is raising for beef is a high grade of some one of the beef breeds. Some of the really good beef made now is being produced on the farms in the middle West, where only a few beef animals are kept per farm. The beef steer is proving to be a side issue with many of our farmers, but a side issue that yields annually a good profit.

Reset the Shoes.

Don't let the shoes stay too long on the work horses. It is not hard in the winter time to keep shoes on horses for three or four months, but if allowed to stay on for more than four or five weeks the shoe is likely to contract the foot and make trouble. So we would advise having them reset at least once a month or twice in three months

Trim the Hoof.

Take a chisel and good block of wood and cut off the long grown out toe of the hoof. After going through the winter without attention the feet are likely to be in bad condition in the spring time and when the colt starts running over rough ground he is likely to stumble and break into the quick or twist a pastern.

HELPING ALONG HIS MEMORY.

Husband Willing to Do His Best to Follow Instructions.

Mr. Morse is an undemonstrative man and an absent-minded one as well. In these two respects be is a trial to his wife, who is exactly his opposite. "James," she said as she bade him good-by when he was about to start for Chicago, "will you remember to hunt up Cousin William and find out all about Aunt Sarah? It is so many years since I've heard from any of that family."

"Yes, my dear."

"And do you suppose you will remember to put on your overcoat if the wind changes, so as not to catch one of your dreaded colds?"

"Yese, my dear."

"And you will try to remember that you have plenty of clean collars, so you needn't go about looking as if you had no wife to see to you?"

"Yes, my dear," said Mr. Morse, as he turned to take up his bag.

"And, James," said Mrs. Morse, tearfully, "do you suppose you will think of me every day while you are gone and I am here at home?"

"My dear," responded Mr. Morse, with his mind on catching the train, "I will certainly make a memorandum to do so."

BLOOD GETS SOUR.

Every Family Should Make Up This Home Mixture and Take Now.

At this time of year, says a well-known authority, the Kidneys become weak, clogged and inactive, failing to filter out the poisons and acids, which sour the blood, causing not only facial and bodily eruptions, but the worst forms of Rheumatism, Nervous and Stomach troubles, Backache and painful, annoying Urinary afflictions.

It is worth anyone's time now to get from some good prescription pharmacy the following ingredients: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after your meals and at bedtime.

This simple home-made mixture will force the Kidneys to normal, healthy action, so they will filter and strain all uric acid and poisonous waste matter from the blood, and expel this in the urine, at the same time restoring the "full blood count"—that is, 95 per cent. red blood corpuscles—which is absolutely indispensable to perfect health.

NIGHTCAPS IN VOGUE AGAIN.

Women Returning to the Fashion of Their Grandmothers.

Fashionable women have revived the use of the nightcap. It was discarded at least half a century ago, except by grandmothers and elderly spinsters, but now, according to the Drapers' Record, it has again become an indispensable part of woman's outfit and is included in all trouseaux. The revival is partly ascribed to the doctors. Their incessant advocacy of well ventilated bedrooms has, in the absence of over door transoms, in English houses, resulted in bedroom windows being opened at night, and women who are not robust found the wintry draughts too trying. Another and more distressing cause is alleged by hairdressers. These say that elaborate coiffures are being desired. These are helped by stylish transformations, which are detached at night. To facilitate this arrangement it is said that many ladies have their hair cropped rendering a nightcap necessary. Their grandmothers practised the same folly. Moreover, the new manner of dressing the hair, which introduces an exceptionally careful process of undulation and is submitted to by women three times a week, calls for the use of the protecting nightcap to preserve the freshness of the coiffure.

FURIOUS HUMOR ON CHILD.

Itching, Bleeding Sores Covered Body —Nothing Helped Her—Cuticura Cures Her in Five Days.

"After my granddaughter of about seven years had been cured of the measles, she was attacked about a fortnight later by a furious itching and painful eruption all over her body, especially the upper part of it, forming watery and bleeding sores, especially under the arms, of considerable size. She suffered a great deal and for three weeks we nursed her every night, using all the remedies we could think of. Nothing would help. We tried the Cuticura Remedies and after twenty-four hours we noted considerable improvement, and after using only one complete set of the Cuticura Remedies, in five consecutive days the little one, much to our joy, had been entirely cured, and has been well for a long time. Mrs. F. Ruefenacht, R. F. D. No. 3, Bakersfield, Cal., June 25 and July 20, 1906."

Many Children Take Sacrament.

A notable confirmation took place recently in Dublin, at the pro-cathedral. Archbishop Walsh conferred the sacrament of confirmation on nearly a thousand children. The actual conferring lasted two hours, and the ceremony was concluded by the administering of the temperance pledge and a strong exhortation to the children to discharge faithfully all their religious duties.

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FIGURES OF A CROP IN WESTERN CANADA.

How a Swan River Settler Has Succeeded.

Benito, Manitoba, Nov. 26, 1906.

At Swan River Valley, in May, 1900, a settler took up a homestead on Section 30, in Township 34, Range 29 West of the First Meridan, at that time 50 miles from a railway, telegraph, school or church. There is now a railway within two miles of my farm, and all these other advantages close at hand. His story is:

"After making my homestead entry fee of $10 I had $45.00 total (forty-five dollars) capital. Through doing homestead duties in slack times of the year, I managed to get a start. I am a married man of 28 years of age.

"I built my first house, or shack, and broke up 8 acres, putting five acres in crop the first year.

"This year, 1906, I had 80 acres in crop—65 acres in wheat, 20 acres of which yielded 850 bushels, or 42½ bushels per acre; 15 acres of oats, which yielded 355 bushels, and one stack of oats in sheaf for feed.

"Receipts for the year—

Sold 1,755 bu. of wheat for	$1,037.10
In granary, 110 bushels	71.50
In granary, 355 bu. oats	88.75
Garden roots and vegetables	25.00
One stack of oats in sheaf	50.00
Total	$1,272.35
Expenses of year—	
Blue stone for seed	$ 1.60
Paid for binder twine	30.00
Paid for hired help	120.00
Paid for threshing	107.00
Total	$ 258.60
Receipts	$1,272.35
Expenditures	258.60
Balance	$1,013.75
Assets.	
160 acres of land valued at	$2,500.00
Frame house 20x26, valued at	600.00
Farm implements	425.00
1 team horses and harness	400.00
5 head young cattle	75.00
2 hogs	15.00
Receipts of this year's crop	1,015.75
Total	$5,030.75
Liabilities.	
Loan on farm	500.00
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appeal to the Well-Informed in every walk of life and are essential to permanent success and creditable standing, therefore we wish to call the attention of all who would enjoy good health, with its blessings, to the fact that it involves the question of right living with all the term implies. With proper knowledge of what is best each hour of recreation, of enjoyment, of contemplation and of effort may be made to contribute to that end and the use of medicines dispensed with generally to great advantage, but as in many instances a simple, wholesome remedy may be invaluable if taken at the proper time, the California Fig Syrup Co. feels that it is alike important to present truthfully the subject and to supply the one perfect laxative remedy which has won the appoval of physicians and the world-wide acceptance of the Well-Informed because of the excellence of the combination, known to all, and the original method of manufacture, which is known to the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

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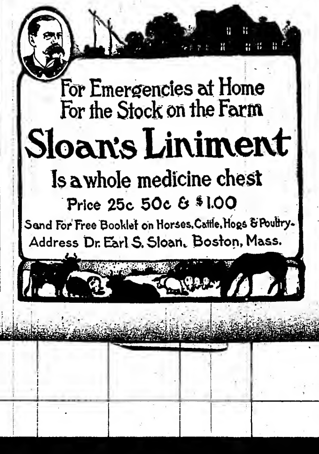

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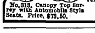

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By DUDLEY & CREGLOW.

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The 2-cent fare bill was signed by the governor last Thursday and becomes effective May 1st.

"We'll dig the ditch or bust" said Speaker Joe Cannon after his recent trip to the site of the Panama canal. By the time the durned thing has been dug it will probably "bust us, by gosh."

Plummer Pioneer:-Some of the county newspapers are telling their readers what the result will be "if" the county seat petition was stolen by a partizan of Red Lake Falls. How will it be "if" it was removed by a gentlemen belonging to the other side

The committee on mileage of the house cast up its little list Friday of last week and found that at the rate of 15 cents a mile, coming and returning, the members would draw $[illegible] for traveling 25,064 miles. H. O. Hanson of Stephen is allowed 7[illegible] miles and Donald Robertson of Argyle, [illegible] miles, drawing $105 and $[illegible] respectively.

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Mahnomen and Koochiching as the names of two newly created Minnesota counties may have a certain sentimental value but when the land man tries to boom them with a line of warm talk his embarrassment can be imagined—one suggesting another verse of Longfellow's Hiawatha or a new breakfast food, and the other making a noise like a four-cylinder automobile climbing a steep grade.—Minneapolis Tribune.

Thief River News: An attempt was made last week to have the grand jury condemn the court house and county jail, but the scheme did not work. If the court house and jail were condemned by a grand jury the county commissioners would be compelled to furnish new buildings, which is just what Red Lake Falls wants. It was a nice scheme, but it didn't work.

Friend Eastman must have been indulging in a Turkish pipe dream or another one of his "T-o be, o-or n-o-t t-o b-e" periodicals. The above item was the first intimation that either the grand jury or the people of Red Lake Falls had received that any such attempt had been made. There were twenty-four men from different parts of the county who served on the grand jury. We will simply request the reader to ask any of these jurymen if there was any such attempt made, and if they agree, or even one-half of them agree that there was, then will we cheerfully admit the corn. If not, then brand the above as a dirty, contemptable lie.

"We will have a 3-mill direct levy for state revenue if the different demands that are being strongly backed before the appropriations comittee are granted," said a member of the sub committee recently.

The subcommittee this year is a big one, having nine members from each branch. It is so large that a good many of the appropriation bills have their sincere advocates within the committee, and there is a prospect now that the omnibus bill, as finally agreed upon, will carry over $4,000,000 in appropriations outside of those figured as the necessary annual appropriations by the state auditor. He allowed extraordinary appropriations, amounting to $500,000, on half-mill levy. At the first of the session it was thought a 1-mill levy would be enough. Ideas have expanded as the session advanced. The drainage advocates want $300,000, the capitol grounds extension calls for $500,000, the state fair for $400,000 and the university for $890,000. The county agricultural schools impose another burden of $200,000 for the first year.

St. Paul has opened her new auditorium and thinks that with the new facilities for handling large conventions she would be pleased to entertain the delegates to the next Republican National convention. It has been sixteen years since the national convention was held in Minnesota, and considering its location in the states, St. Paul hadn't ought to have much trouble in landing the convention of 1908.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL.......

Sheriff Nelson transacted legal business at Thief River Monday.

Father Adolph of Thief River Falls was the guest of Father Ambrose the first of the week.

Rev. I. T. Aastad of Thief River Falls, conducted services in the Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday.

The Halstad Reporter has suspended publication owing to lack of support from the business men of the town.

Judge Knight was a G. N. passenger to Thief River Tuesday where be will spend several days renewing old acquaintances.

Court Commissioner S. T. Johnson, of Thief River, was called to this city Wednesday on business in connection with his office.

Mike McNamara left yesterday for Great Falls, Montana, near which place he has an extensive railroad contract to push through this summer.

Atty. W. A. McIntyre, formely of this city and who is now located at Langdon, N. D. transacted professional business in the city the first of the week.

No admission fee will be charged to those who desire to attend the April band concert and dance. It is desired to have a big attendance and you are invited to be present and enjoy yourself.

Peter Beauleau, who has dispensed dry goods, groceries, etc., for some time past at the Busy Store, has severed his connection with that institution, and on Monday left for Grand Forks where he will take a course in stenography at the Grand Forks Business College.

When you have glasses fitted take no chances; but have your eyes examined by a Specialist whose ability is unquestioned, Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

Miss Ella Kruger who has been teaching in Polk Center township is enjoying a two weeks vacation beginning the first of this week. The roads are almost impassable and it was deemed advisable to close the school until conditions become more favorable for children to travel.

Last Saturday night, Prof. J. R. Bursk gave an illustrated lecture on the Life of Christ as interpreted by the peasants of Ober Ammergau in Southern Germany in the Passion Play, which is given there every ten years. Over fifty views were given, dealing especially with the last week of life of Jesus. The new arc-light used with the lantern for the first time, was very satisfactory and the pictures were bright and clear. The lecture was given at the Presbyterian Church, which was filled twice.

Sheriff Nelson was called to Thief River Monday where he arrested Willie Ewart, the eleven-year-old son of Henry Ewart, on the charge of incorrigibility. Willie has led a strenuous life for an urchin of his immature years, but his last escapade was a little more daring than his previous adventures and proved the windup of a career that bid fare to rival that of Captain Kidd. It seems that last week Willie got short of funds and in order to replenish his depleted larder confiscated a copper boiler, which the owner had neglected to nail down, and sold it to a local junk dealer at Thief River. The deed having been disclosed by a descendent of Sherlock Holmes, Willie was placed under arrest. Henry Ewart, the boy's father, admitted that he could not manage the youth, and Sheriff Nelson took him to Warren, Tuesday, where the case was laid before Judge Grindeland, who decided that the state training school was the proper place for the boy for awhile. Sheriff Nelson took the lad to Red Wing Wednesday.

Rest is the great restorer. We tire our muscles by exercise and then rest to restore them; yet a great many of us do not stop to think how little rest we give to our stomachs. As a usual thing no part of our bodies is so generally overworked as our digestive organs. A tired and overworked stomach will give signs of distress to which we pay no heed until at last Dyspepsia takes hold. Indigestion is just a warning, and if we heed the warning we can easily avoid further consequences. KODol is a most thorough stomach relief. It digests what you eat and gives the stomach the needed rest and greatly assists in restoring it to its normal activity and usefulness. KODOL is sold on a guaranteed refund plan. It is sold here by all druggists.

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The Hamilton-Bursk Meetings which have been in progress during the past two weeks closed last Sunday night. The meetings were largely attended although the bad roads prevented many country familes from attending. Rev. John S. Hamilton, the Evangelist, is a man of strong personality, and he preaches with great force and enthuiasm. Prof. John R. Bursk was very successful with his chorus singing. The Sunbeam Chorus of boys and girls being an especially attractive feature of the meetings. The Presbyterian Church will receive a large number additions during the next six weeks as a direct result of these Evangelists. They are now at work at Hallock.

Bray.

Old man Winter kicked up quite a fuss last Saturday and covered the otherwise bare earth with quite a heavy blanket of snow. It is a pity some inventive genius does not come along and put up some California weather in cans for the trade.

Halvor Hanson drove to St. Hilaire Wednesday.

C. P. Swanson and Emil Larson went to Wylie Saturday to attend a meeting of the directors of Wylie Elevator & Mer. Co.

Swan Schelio and son, Halvor, transacted business at St. Hilaire Friday.

O. P. Johnson left for Barnesville last Wednesday after a few days stay with his family.

Card of Thanks.

To the many friends of our departed sister who by their thoughtful attention and kindly sympathy made her last days more pleasant and kindly aided us in the performance of the last sad rites we extend our heartfelt thanks.

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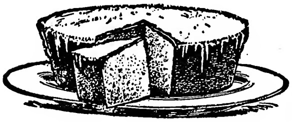

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The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Just Received—A car of fresh lime, plaster and cement.—Thief River Falls Lbr. Co., Dan J. Doran, Mgr.

Mrs. H. W. Knox was a passenger to Thief River this morning where she will be the guest of Mrs. J. M. Bishop for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Hauser moved their household goods to Thief River last Friday where they will make their future home.

I have taken off a hatch and will now sell or trade my "Old Trusty" incubator, 110 egg size, as I have no further use for it this year.—Fred L. Farley. 2w

Orson Doe, arrived home from Wimbleton N. D., Tuesday, where he has been working this winter. Orson will spend some time visiting with the home folks and is undecided as to whether he will return to Wimbleton.

When you need a pill, take a pill, and be sure it's an Early Riser. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are safe, sure, satisfactory pills. The pills with a reputation. They do not gripe or sicken. They are sold here by all druggists.

Six members of the orchestra, Lee and Harry Healy, Franz Freund, L. P. Berthon and Clement and A. L. Brunelle leave for Thief River tomorrow where they will furnish music for a dancing party to be given by the Antlers Club tomorrow evening.

The Board of Audit, composed of Chairman of the County Board C. A. Lindquist, Auditor O'Brien and Clerk of Court Johnson finished their labors yesterday of checking up Treasurer Tandberg's tax books and reports them O. K. The current tax collections from Jan. 8th to March 1st amount to over $25,000.

L. D. Padden, of St. Paul arrived in the city the first of the week and will have charge of a chair at the Nelson tonsorial parlors. Mr. Padden is a first class barber and will enable Mr. Nelson to take care of his rapidly increasing patronage in a satisfactory manner to both himself and the trade. Mr. Padden is a brother of J. J. Padden of this city.

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"Sweet Girl Graduates," April 19th.

Roy Wilfred was a Crookston visitor Sunday.

For Sale—Light Brahmas, thoroughbred cockerels. C. L. Mikkelsen.

The Busy Store calls your attention to several specials in their ad this week.

Good speltz and barley seed for sale. Inquire of H. O. Gjerberg, town of Gervais.

Norman Schreiter left Saturday for a week's visit with old friends in the twin cities.

Joe Schusser and Fred Zaiser made a business trip to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Miss Mayme Linnihan spent several days in Crookston the first of the week as the guest of Mrs. G. W. Lytle.

E. L. Norton, western freight agent for the Burlington road was calling on his many friends in this city Wednesday.

Mrs. P. E. Pirath went up to St. Hilaire Friday of last week to spend several days with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Ives.

The Big Store always in line with the season's latest apparel, call your attention to many articles of timely interest in their ad this week.

Mrs. Joseph Sally and children spent several days this week visiting with Mrs. Sally's sister, Mrs. Fred Holtznecht of Thief River Falls.

G. A. Kankel the new hardware man calls your attention to the celebrated Heath & Milligan line of ready mixed paints, sporting goods etc., in his ad in this issue.

"Good for everything a salve is used for and especially recommended for Piles." That is what we say about DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve. That is what twenty years of usage has proven. Get the original. Sold by all druggists.

Joe Duchamp, scout, guide and interpreter of Germantown, was a county seat visitor last week. Joe is one of the pioneers of the Red Lake country and always has many interesting reminiscences of early day life with which to entertain his friends of the present times.

On Monday evening the local lodge of Modern Brotherhood of America celebrated the tenth anniversary of the organization of the order by a dancing party at their rooms. About fifty couple were in attendance and a very enjoyable time is reported by all participating.

Arrangements for the men's supper at the Presbyterian church are progressing nicely and quite an elaborate spread is promised by those in charge of the arrangements. The menu is being guarded and the gentlemen promise to have some surprises for their guest. Don't forget the date, Tuesday, April 16th.

Mr and Mrs. Boyle, Tacoma, Wash. arrived in city Monday and spent a couple of days visiting with old time friends. Some eighteen or twenty years ago Mr. Boyle conducted a law office in this city; but later moved west and is now the senior member of the law firm of Boyle & Warburton, which has an extensive practice in the coast states. On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs Boyle left for New York City, from which point they will leave for a tour of the British Isles and the European continent, returning home about the first of July.

Macaroni seed wheat for sale.—L. C. Simons.

Attorney Germo was a Thief River caller Monday.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Read the new ad of the Merchants State Bank in this issue.

Marcus Johnson is spending several days in the city looking after his milling interests.

If your lamp chimney smokes go to Spillanes, The Right Store and get some Ruby Oil.

Banker John A. Duffy is spending the week looking after business matters in the Twin Cities.

Register of Deeds E. L. Quist was an over-Sunday visitor to Thief River and his farm on the reservation.

Geo. Carpenter of the Maplebay Windstacker Co. of Crookston, transacted business in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Kankel of Terrebonne, has been spending several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kankel this week.

Mrs. J. K. Hanney of St. Hilaire, left last week for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. G. B. Grace, at Mount Vernon, Washington.

Miss Maude Findeisen and Miss Margaret Kaus have been elected to positions on the instruction corps of the Warren schools for the next school year.

Supplementary proceedings in the case of Larson & Carpenter vs. John Bugge, Peder Bugge and Nels P. Arggern was heard before Referee F. A. Farley Tuesday and the case continued until the 23 inst.

White Wyandottes are the best general purpose fowl. Have the size and are great winter layers. Eggs from extra fine stock $1.00 per setting.—Fred L. Farley. 27 30

Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Children like its pleasant taste, and mothers give it hearty endorsement. Contains no opiates, but drives out the cold through the bowels. Made in strict conformity to Pure Food and Drugs Law. Recommended and sold by all druggists.

Wm. Hoiberg resumed his position at the Busy Store Monday, after a long struggle with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Billy still feels the effects of the long siege, but manages to get around pretty well, and his many friends hope that he will not have to undergo any more afflictions of this character.

The St. Hilaire Commercial Club held their first meeting under their new constitution and by-laws at the village hall last Wednesday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, O. F. Post; vice-president, J. C. Cummings; secretary, Jens Nelson; treasurer, K. O. Gigstud; directors, Daniel Patterson, H. E. Ives, Leonard Holmes, M. L. Hanson, J. K. Hunnay.

Dan Linnihan and Joe Gray left Monday for Glenwood, Little Falls, and other points where they will look over the specifications for contracts on construction work for the Glenwood-Duluth extension of the Soo line which is to be built during the coming summer. The building of this line is expected to be a record breaker in point of rapidity of construction, as the Soo people wish to have the line running in time to take care of the crop shipments to the head of the lakes this fall. In view of this fact, Messrs. Linnihan and Gray expect to secure some pretty good contracts which will be pushed to completion with the greatest possible speed.

On Wednesday, April 24 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Remington at St. Hilaire will occur the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alma I. to Mr. Howard K. Jones of Crookston. The wedding will take place in the afternoon after which the bride and groom will take the train for Crookston and at once start house keeping at 303 Hulbert street which is being cosily furnished by the prospective groom for his bride. Miss Remington is one of the prominent society young ladies of St. Hilaire and is a talented school teacher in Red Lake county. Mr. Jones has been a resident of Crookston since last fall when he went there from St. Hilaire. He held a responsible position with the St. Hilaire Lumber Co. His uncle, E. R. Evans was formerly superintendent of the St. Hilaire Lumber Co., but is now a resident of Crookston and is now connected with the Crookston Lumber Co.

Presbyterian Church Notes.

On Sunday morning Rev. H. W. Know, the Pastor will give a "Charge to Christians," especially to those just uniting with the church, on the duties and hindrance of the Christian life. Sunday evening the Pastor will give an object sermon to children on "Christ the Magnet." The "Sunbeam Choir" will sing both morning and evening and also the "Young Peoples Chorus." Other special music is being arranged for. The public reception of members into the church will be postponed for one week.

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On Tuesday County Auditor O'Brien posted notices of the tax judgment sale of all lands on which taxes were delinquent on the first Monday in Januury 1907. The sale is to be held on Monday, the 13th day of May, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the auditor's office in the court house.

The attorney general has given the state superintendent of public instruction an opinion that a child who is of sufficient age cannot be kept from attending school, whether the child enters the school at the beginning or the middle of the school year. A ruling was asked by N. E. Soderberg, of Dawson board of school trustees.

Mrs. Marchand and Miss Bertha Lafreniere were Grand Forks visitors Friday and Saturday of last week. Miss Lafreniere purchased a beautiful Poole piano which will be installed at her home as soon as received from that place.

What is it that tastes as pleasant as maple sugar and relieves coughs and colds? Mothers who have used it will quickly answer: "Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup." The pleasant cold remedy that expels the cold through its laxative action on the bowels. Conforms strictly to the Pure Food and Drugs Law. Contains no opiates. Sold by all druggists.

Prof. Emil H. Bruckman who has had charge of the local band organization in this city for the past three months, finished his third month on March 8th, drew his monthly salary for the same, packed his belongings together and, without waiting to say goodbye or assigning any reason for so doing, boarding the evening N. P. train for parts unknown. Mr. Bruckman is an excellent musician, but it is believed he is imbued with the restless wandering spirit of the Arab of the desert, and like that restless tribesman frequently folds his tent, and as silently steals away. Manager Tracy informes us that a new leader for the band will be secured in a very short time, as he already has several first class men in view.

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd Garee, who had been married but one day, were burned to death in a hotel at Sutton, W. Va.

Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy issued a personal note saying that she had put her estate into the hands of trustees so that she might have more peace and time for spiritual thought.

Judge Jacob W. Willkin, for 18 years a member of the supreme court of Illinois, died at Danville, aged 70 years.

The Michigan senate passed a bill reducing railway fares in that state.

A fire following an explosion of a tube of benzine on the third floor of a seven-story building in New York, occupied by fur manufacturers, did damage amounting to thousands of dollars and caused a panic among 200 women and 75 men.

The airship which was brought to this country by Santos Dumont for exhibition at the St. Louis exposition and which was seized by the customs officials for non-payment of duty, was sold at New York for $80.

William Pore, a retired steel manufacturer of Pittsburg, gave $25,000 to Carthage college, of Carthage, Ill.

After several months of suffering from a nervous malady, Mrs. Ellen Berry Ryder, wife of Cornelius Ryder, one of the wealthiest men in the Gravesend section of Brooklyn, hanged herself.

Contracts for three years were signed by the representatives of the St. Louis breweries and the striking employes, and the strike was officially declared terminated.

A warrant was issued at Greensboro, N. C., against Earle Varetare, a palmist and clairvoyant, accused of taking jewelry and money to the amount of $10,000 from prominent women and others for telling their fortunes.

George S. McReynolds, who was sent to jail for fraud in connection with operations on the Chicago board of trade, was released on a writ of supersedeas.

By the explosion of an infernal machine believed by the police to have been sent him by a rival for the affections of a woman, Daniel Miller, of Schenectady, N. Y., was terribly injured. If he recovers he will be totally blind and a cripple for life.

An attempt was made to wreck a Pennsylvania railroad express train near Tacony, a suburb of Philadelphia.

A jury at Goring, Neb., brought in a verdict of murder in the second degree against E. S. Kennison and recommended the extreme penalty. Kennison last December shot and killed Sam D. Cox, a newspaper man.

Dr. W. H. Dwight, cashier of a bank at Goddard, Kan., killed himself because of ill health.

House owners of Colon complained to Secretary Taft of "unjust and intolerable conditions" imposed in the carrying out of sanitary improvements there.

Walter Scott of Boston shot and killed Agnes Bates, his sweetheart, and seriously wounded himself.

Carpenters and other mechanics of Newport, R. I., struck for a Saturday half holiday.

William Simpson, a young farmer near Montreal, killed his two little daughters and tried to commit suicide.

Alfred De Cordova, wealthy New York banker, is dead.

Walter Wellman, on arrival at New York, said he would start for the pole in his airship in July.

Marquis Bindo Peruzzi de Medici committed suicide with a revolver in his apartments at Florence, Italy. He was 29 years of age and a well-known sportsman. His mother, who is a widow, was formerly Miss Edith Storey, of Boston.

The greatest amount of merchandise ever appraised at the New York port in a single month was recorded in March. Goods valued at $86,681,523.07 were passed.

Fire caused a loss of $2,500,000 to the plant of the San Francisco Gas & Electric company.

A mother and four children perished in a tenement house fire at Passaic, N. J.

Mrs. Russell Sage is the largest individual tax payer in New York city, being assessed on $7,500,000.

A hundred passengers were jolted and bruised in a collision between a passenger train and a freight on the Baltimore & Ohio near Fairmont, W. Va.

Most of the business district of Wolcottville, Ind., was destroyed by fire.

Two men were killed by an explosion in the Lowellville steel furnace near Youngstown, O.

H. W. Goode of Portland, Ore., who was president of the Lewis and Clark exposition, died at Atlantic City, N. J.

Postmaster Fred A. Busse was elected mayor of Chicago by a plurality of 13,121 over Mayor Dunne. The entire Republican ticket was successful except for city treasurer. The traction ordinances were approved by a majority of 33,126.

Albert E. Thornton, president of the Atlanta (Ga.) National bank, and well known throughout the south, died, aged 65.

The Arctic brotherhood has raised $5,000 to send the crack Nome (Alaska) basketball team on a tour of the United States.

John O'Keefe, 108 years old, died suddenly while repairing a fence at his home in Brooklyn.

Ginna Fischelto Caraggio and her six-year-old daughter were burned to death in a Milwaukee boarding house.

The island of St. Michael's, in the Azores, was violently shaken by earthquakes.

Capt. William Swift, who was in command of the battleship Connecticut when it grounded near Culebra on January 13, was found guilty of inattention and neglect of duty by the court martial which tried him at Norfolk and sentenced to suspension for nine months and the loss of three numbers.

Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, founder of Christian Science, through her counsel, put her entire estate in the hands of three trustees, to foil the relatives who began suit.

E. H. Harriman replying to the president's denial that he had appealed to Harriman for campaign funds, refused to withdraw the charge but admitted the fund to which he contributed was for New York.

J. J. Hill resigned as president of the Great Northern and will be chairman of the board of direction. T. W. Hill, his son, is now president.

Four hundred motormen and conductors of the Michigan United States Railway company of Kalamazoo and Battle Creek on the Battle Creek & Jackson and Michigan Traction Interurban lines, the latter about 75 miles long, voted to go on a strike.

Maj. H. W. Salmon, of Warsaw, Mo., convicted of illegal banking, was refused a new trial and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

The Irish Presbyterian church has agreed to invite Rev. William J. McCaughan, pastor of the Third Presbyterian church of Chicago, to become pastor of the May street congregation at Belfast.

William H. Proctor, the soap manufacturer who committed suicide in Cincinnati, left his entire estate of $10,000,000 to his five children.

Only four persons were killed by the earthquake at Bitlis, Armenia, but the survivors are suffering greatly.

A plot against the life of King Charles of Roumania was discovered in Bucharest.

Congressman Rainey, of Illinois, returning from the isthmus, declared there was graft in the commissary department, but that otherwise the work on the canal was progressing very well.

Stephen S. Sharpe, a pioneer railway builder, died at Kansas City, Kan., aged 71.

Mgr. Nocedal, whose nomination as archbishop of Valencia, Spain, aroused such opposition in political and social circles, is dead. He was formerly in the Philippines and went to Spain on the conclusion of the war.

The long drouth which has caused so much loss to wheat and corn crops of Spain was broken by a torrential rain which fell throughout the country.

Baltimore & Ohio west-bound passenger train No. 7 from Washington to Chicago was derailed at Dillon Falls, O., while rounding a curve. The dining car and two rear passenger coaches left the track.

The supervisors of McHenry county have offered a reward of $1,000 for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Deputy Game Warden Earle Eldredge, who was found dead in the woods near Richmond, Ill., February 26.

The Shamokin (Pa.) wagon works, an adjoining planing mill and seven small dwellings were destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

Prof. Belar, of Laibach observatory, says sun spots are indicative of further earthquake disturbances.

Miss Mabel Davidson, daughter of the governor of Wisconsin, was married to F. C. Imbusch, of Milwaukee.

A. B. Jacquith, a grain commission man of Omaha, Neb., killed himself.

Rendered insanely jealous at the sight of his sweetheart in company with another man, Roscoe James, son of the superintendent of the Oregon penitentiary, shot and killed Miss Grace N. Disney, of Warren, Ore., and then shot himself in the head. He will die.

George B. Boswell, aged 52, a millionaire, art connoisseur and retired business man, committed suicide in the East Liberty station of the Pennsylvania railroad, Pittsburg, by shooting himself.

Thrilling experiences in a storm at sea, in which four men lost their lives and the Italian steamship Industria fared badly, are told by two members of the crew who have arrived at Plymouth, England.

Two Kansas City men and their wives were killed when a train hit the carriage in which they were riding.

Mrs. Otto Britting of Millbrook, N. J., drowned herself and two little children.

A Russian student killed two policemen who tried to arrest him as he was entering a revolutionary meeting place in Moscow.

Mrs. W. H. Ogden, of Ripon, Wis., shot a justice of the peace in the chest because he fined her husband one dollar for theft.

William K. Niver, former mayor of Syracuse, N. Y., died, aged 72 years.

Mrs. Joseph Jack, of Trenton, N. J., is blind, with little prospect of regaining her sight, as the result of a violent attack of sneezing.

Bishop John C. Granberry of the Methodist Episcopal church south, died suddenly at his home in Ashland, Va. He was 76 years old and had been bishop since 1883.

Six trainmen were killed in a head-on collision between two freight trains on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas railroad six miles south of Fort Worth, Tex.

Four men are missing as the result of a collision in the North river, New York, when the tug John D. Dailey was run down and sunk by the ferryboat Musconetcong of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad company.

The Peterson planing mill, St. Louis, was almost totally destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of $50,000.

I. C. Towner, a resident of Elgin, Ill., for 50 years and one of that city's pioneer merchants, is dead.

Rev. Richard Hall, aged 90 years, died at his home in St. Paul, Minn., after an illness of about ten days. He was born in Ipswich, N. H., in 1817 and was one of the first Congregational missionaries in the territory of Minnesota.

F. A. Holbrook, promoter of the church and school furniture trust, pleaded guilty, at Chicago, to charges of violating the anti-trust law and of conspiracy in restraint of trade.

Mrs. Charlotte Graff, of Chicago, was killed with an ax by her husband after a quarrel.

The trial of Haywood, one of the officers of the Western Federation of Miners, for connection with the murder of former Gov. Steunenberg, was set for May 9 at Boise, Idaho.

Republicans elected their state ticket in Michigan by majorities of about 75,000.

Fire, believed to be incendiary, destroyed the plant of the West Kentucky Coal company at Sturgis, Ky., causing a loss of about $85,000.

King Edward and Queen Alexandra postponed their visit to Madrid until the autumn.

One thousand grooms employed in New York riding academies and livery stables struck for recognition of their union.

Abraham Ruef asked the supreme court of California to free him from the custody of Elisor Biggy and order him into the charge of the sheriff, whom Judge Dunne disqualified on the gound of personal interest.

The carpenters of Minneapolis and Vancouver and laundry workers of San Francisco went on strike.

One of the largest cold storage warehouses on the Isthmus of Panama, with its contents, was burned.

The Griffin law, which prohibits all games of chance, went into effect in Montana.

Don Carlos Taft, former professor of geology in the University of Illinois, died of apoplexy in Chicago.

A portion of the city of Havana, Cuba, was inundated from the sea and many lives were endangered.

The United States Steel corporation decided to build a big iron and steel plant in Duluth.

A band of Bulgarians attacked the old Servian towns of Rudnik and Topolcha, burning 30 houses, killing seven men and maltreating a number of women and children.

Former Congressman Galusha A. Grow died at his home in Glenwood, Pa., as a result of a general breakdown attributed to old age.

Fire in the Palazzo del Drago, Ambassador Griscom's house in Rome, did about $10,000 damage. Mr. Griscom was slightly burned.

Victor L. Berger announced the plans of the national executive board of the Socialist party for spreading socialism in 26 states of the union where interest is lukewarm. He said President Roosevelt had stolen many of the ideas of the socialists.

Chili's failure to send a minister to Washington is due to the failure of its plan to raise the Chilian representative to ambassadorial rank.

Druzsaninnikoff, an ex-policeman who was sentenced February 21 to a year's imprisonment for torturing Russian peasants during a punitive expedition, has been killed by peasant prisoners in the jail at Kursk.

Mrs. E. S. Loveland, a niece of the late Collis P. Huntington, was killed while operating a new automobile, at Oneonta, N. Y.

It is currently reported that J. Pierpont Morgan, of New York, has acquired for $1,200,000 the unique collection of Jules Van Den Poreboom, of Brussels, which comprises furniture, pictures, arms, brasses, ancient engravings and chimney pieces.

William B. Thayer, a member of the Emery, Bird Thayer Dry Goods company, conducting a department store at Kansas City, Mo., died, aged 55 years.

The dead body of Paul J. Weller, of Chicago, a clothing cutter, was found in a swamp near Johnstown, N. Y. There was a bullet hole in his head and a revolver lay beside his body.

Jim Williams (colored), charged with attacking Lillie Mizener (white), near Colbert, I. T., was lynched at Durant by a mob of a thousand people.

The city of Bitlis, Turkey, was wrecked by an earthquake.

H. E. Bowman, an insurance agent representing himself to be from Columbus, was found dead in a Delphos (O.) hotel.

San Francisco officials admitted they feared an attempt would be made to rescue Abraham Ruef by force. Elisor Biggy's guards were instructed in that event to shoot Ruef first and then attend to the rescuers.

The situation in Roumania appears to be quieting down, but large numbers of refugees still continue to make their way out of the troubled districts.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, March 30—The legislature is preparing to do its part toward counteracting the ruling of the state supreme court in upholding the proposed issue of $60,000,000 of additional stock by the Great Northern railroad. Today A. J. Rockna secured permission of the house to call out of the railroad committee a measure of his which had been sleeping there for some time. The bill provides that before any road shall issue any bonds or securities for construction or extension purposes, they shall first be passed upon by the railroad and warehouse commission. The bill is a measure drawn by the attorney general some time ago and introduced at his request to counteract the possible adverse decision of the court which came. The bill was placed under the head of general orders.

The bill to increase the salaries of district and supreme court judges, was recommended for passage by the committee of the whole, tho vigorously opposed by Representatives Philipps and Thayer.

St. Paul, April 1—The railroads today submitted their proposition for a compromise of all pending disagreements with the state, to the legislative conference committee and the railroad commission. The offer of settlement did not come up to expectations, and it took the committee less than five minutes to vote unanimously against recommending the legislature to accept the compromise. This means that the negotiations between the roads and the state which have been going on for so many weeks, are now all off, and that there will now be war to a finish in both legislative halls and courts. The offer which the conference committee will tomorrow submit to the legislature, provides for a 2½ cent fare maximum rate, with 2,000 mile books as now issued, a 500 mile family mileage book for $10. The expected offer of a 2 cent rate on all round trip tickets did not materialize, neither did the 2,000 mile book, good on all roads, to be sold for $40 instead of $50, with a rebate of $10 when used within a year. The offer relative to freight rates was also disappointing. The northern roads refused to grant any further concessions on grain, and the southern roads agreed to meet the cut made in grain last fall by the northern lines. The reduction offered on commodity rates was about 50 per cent of the 18 per cent cut ordered last fall by the state railroad and warehouse commission and now tied up in litigation.

Outside of the receiving of the compromise offer from the railroads by the conference committee, today was an uninteresting one in legislative circles. It was devoted almost entirely to the introduction of new bills, the attorney general having ruled that this is the last day new bills may be introduced. A perfect flood of measures appeared in both senate and house, and evening sessions were held to permit members delayed in drafting measures to "get aboard." As a whole the bills were of minor importance. The one class of bills which predominated were for state aid to counties in road and bridge work. There were a number of bills introduced which follow with slight variation along lines of measures already under consideration. There are now a total of 2,056 bills which have been introduced, and the great bulk of which are still pending. In the senate the measures number 882; in the house, 1,174. T. J. Brady of St. Paul introduced a bill to increase the governor's salary from $5,000 to $7,000 a year. Senator T. M. Pugh presented a bill which grants the rights of eminent domain to public service corporations. The senate game and fish committee introduced a measure revising the game and fish laws to agree with desires of Wisconsin relative to interstate waters, and also creating a series of rewards for those supplying evidence against illegal hunters of large game. J. B. Murphy introduced a bill in the house limiting the hours of work for female labor to eight a day, between 7 a. m. and 6 p. m. Senator McGowan introduced a bill establishing the specific gravity instead of the inefficient "flash" test for oils in Minnesota, and also extending the same test to gasoline.

The bill to increase generally the salaries of state officials was killed by the house in committee of the whole today by a vote of 40 against, to 32 for the measure.

St. Paul, April 2—The legislature did but two things today, but those two are numbered among the most important actions of the session. The first was the acceptance of the report of the conference committee appointed to transmit the offer of settlement by the railroads of all difficulties between these corporations and the state, and the passage of the two-cent per mile fare bill on adoption of the recommendation that the offer of the roads be rejected. The second important action was striking death to the tonnage tax bill in the house, as a result of the announcement that the United States Steel corporation has decided to establish an immense steel plant in the city of Duluth.

The two-cent fare bill as passed, provides a flat rate of 2 cents per mile for all distances as the maximum rate, permitting the roads at their discretion to make lower excursion rates. For children under 12 years, the rate is 1 cent per mile. Each passenger is allowed 150 pounds of baggage, except children under 12 who are allowed 75 pounds of baggage each. The penalty for violating the act is made a fine not to exceed $5,000, or imprisonment not to exceed five years. The vote on the bill in the senate, was 48 to 4. In the house the bill carried 105 to 4.

The death of the tonnage tax bill (5 cents per ton on all iron ore mined) was solely due to the announcement that the steel trust was going to begin manufacture of iron and steel in Minnesota. C. B. Miller, the eloquent young member of the house from Duluth, acted as spokesman for the Zenith City interest. He spoke for nearly an hour, and plead against immediate heavy taxation of an immense industry which had just decided to move to Minnesota. He stated that the erection of the plant at Duluth would mean an expenditure of at least $5,000,000 to $6,000,000, and on its start, as soon as ready for operation, would employ some 15,000 people. The establishment of the plant was a dream of the past years at Duluth finally brought into realization. The establishment of the tonnage tax, might reverse the decision of the steel interests to establish the plant in Minnesota. Would the legislature thus threaten the future of Duluth, even of Minnesota.

The legislature decided it would not, even in spite of a number of speeches on the other side of the question, and killed the tonnage tax bill, 51 for it, and 58 against it.

St. Paul, April 3—Reciprocal demurrage is now up to the governor for his signature. The house of representatives this afternoon concurred in the few amendments the senate had made to the bill by a vote of 85 ayes, 2 nays. John G. Lennon of Minneapolis explained that he voted against the measure because he believed that without being accompanied by a stringent anti-rebate law, it would be an aid instead of detriment to rebating. J. J. Opsahl of Bemidji stated that since the amendment giving the school fund half the penalties collected had been struck out of the measure, he was no longer in favor of it, and was the other member who voted against it.

The senate this afternoon had a special order of the permanent tax commission bill substituted by the tax committee for one which had been introduced by George P. Wilson of Minneapolis. The measure was finally passed by a vote of 42 to 17 against. Strong arguments were made in its favor by Senators Wilson, Sullivan, and others. Senator George R. Laybourn offered an amendment to cut down salaries of the three commissioners to $3,600 each, from $6,000 as in the bill. This failed, but another amendment fixing the salaries at $5,000, presented by Senator Wilson, prevailed. One other amendment of importance which prevailed, gives the commission all the powers formerly had by the state board of equalization.

The senate spent over an hour today debating the Sundberg anti-cigarette bill. The bill was strongly opposed by Senator Farrington. He called attention that it was not aimed at aiding the youth of the state, but that it prohibited men, one and all, from being able to secure or use cigarettes in Minnesota. He did not believe in cigarettes, he opposed them for boys particularly; but he did think the bill was too much of an infringement on individual rights. Senator Witherstine took the opposite view.

"Two years ago," he said, "I sent communications to the superintendents of the city schools, asking two questions. How many boys in your schools have failed to pass, and how many of such boys are cigarette fiends. The replies came that 1,700 failed, and that all of them used cigarettes."

The senate finally turned down a motion by Farrington to indefinitely postpone, and advanced the bill from general orders to the calendar on motion of its author, Senator Sundberg.

The house railroad committee met in executive session this evening. The Rockne bill, regulating stock and bond issues of railroads and aimed at controverting the recent decision of the supreme court against the state in the Great Northern $60,000,000 stock issue case, came very near getting a severe blow. The committee almost unanimously voted to recommend the bill for indefinite postponement, but reconsidered this action and decided to have the bill referred to the judiciary committee to look into its constitutional state of health.

Bonbon Receptacles.

These may be easily made from large goose eggs by puncturing the shells at the small end. Slice the top off about half an inch and turn out the yolks and whites. Glue the shell to green cardboard four inches square, on which print in yellow and silver an appropriate couplet. Paint the outside shell silver and decorate it with sprays of forget-me-nots. The inside may be tinted delicately with a coating of pale blue paint. Just before arranging the shells on the table fill them with assorted candies.

Awake to Needs of the Day.

Hungary spends $17,500,000 yearly on its technical and agricultural schools.

Failures Before Success.

The child creeps before it walks; the babe lisps and stutters before it talks. It is as impossible for a man to scale the heights of success at a single bound as it is for the young bird to leap into midair at the first attempt without passing successfully through several necessary stages of failure.—Exchange.

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"Finally I remembered that a friend had recommended Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to me so I commenced using them. I gained in strength rapidly while the baby throve also. When I expected my next child I started taking the pills again as a tonic and strengthener and had no such difficulty as before. I got up better and my strength came back much sooner.

"A year ago last winter I had an attack of rheumatism in the hands which went from one hand to the other. The joints swelled up and were so stiff I could not move them. The pain extended up through my arms and shoulders. I felt sick enough to go to bed but did not do so. This attack lasted for several months. I tried several remedies but finally came back to using the pills which had done me so much good before and found that they benefited me almost at once. I have not been troubled since."

All druggists sell Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, or they will be sent by mail post-paid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. Send for book of cures.

Best Violin Strings.

The best strings for violins are of Italian make and are from the intestines of spring lambs, killed in September. The process of drying and bleaching of the woods and strings by the hot Italian sun, rather than by the artificial method used in other countries, accounts in a great measure for the superior quality of both materials. This intense heat was also the reason for the slow distillation of the oils used by the Italian makers, which always remained at a high temperature, and the varnish, slowly soaking into the woods of the violins beneath the heat of those Italian summers, produced, in part, the mellowness of tone that gives to a Cremona instrument its value, after a lapse of 200 or more years.—March Circle.

Home of the Icebergs.

Almost all the icebergs seen in the north Atlantic during June are products of the coast of Labrador, formed from the ice fields that had filled the indentations of that coast the previous winter. July's icebergs come from further north in the vicinity of Baffin Land, those of August come from still further north, and though fewer in number than those of the earlier summer, are larger in individuality. From the coast of Labrador may be seen an endless procession of these ice mountains coming out of the north and taking their way majestically southward until they lose their being in the warmer waters and climate of the south Atlantic.—Maine Journal.

Tantalizing Man.

"I see by the paper," said Mrs. Blinks at the breakfast table, "that a delegation of women suffragettes is coming to this country."

Mr. Blinks said nothing.

"And they're going to invade Washington and make a speech to the president, and all."

Blinks still silent.

"I declare," snapped the lady, "You're the most tantalizing man in existence. There you sit like a statue, never saying a word to show that you don't know what you're talking about."

Keep your fears to yourself, but share your courage with others.—Stevens.

A FRIENDLY GROCER.

Dropped a Valuable Hint About Coffee.

"For about eight years," writes a Mich. woman, "I suffered from nervousness—part of the time down in bed with nervous prostration.

"Sometimes I would get numb and it would be almost impossible for me to speak for a spell. At others, I would have severe bilious attacks, and my heart would flutter painfully when I would walk fast or sweep.

"I have taken enough medicine to start a small drug store, without any benefit. One evening our grocer was asking husband how I was and he urged that I quit coffee and use Postum, so he brought home a pkg. and I made it according to directions and we were both delighted with it.

"So we quit coffee altogether and used only Postum. I began to get better in a month's time and look like another person, the color came back to my cheeks, I began to sleep well, my appetite was good and I commenced to take on flesh and become interested in everything about the house.

"Finally I was able to do all my own work without the least sign of my old trouble. I am so thankful for the little book, 'The Road to Wellville.' It has done me so much good. I haven't taken medicine of any kind for six months and don't need any.

"A friend of ours who did not like Postum as she made it, liked mine, and when she learned to boil it long enough, her's was as good as mine. It's easy if you follow directions."

Name given by Postum Company, Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

THE JAMESTOWN FAIR

SOMETHING OF BIG EXPOSITION SOON TO OPEN.

Great Naval Feature Will Be One of the Attractions—Many Points of Historic Interest in the Vicinity.

New York.—That the Jamestown exposition which will be formally opened by President Roosevelt on April [illegible], will astonish the country by its scope and magnitude is the opinion of [illegible] Sutton, chief of exploitation.

"The grounds, buildings and exhibits will be in complete readiness by the opening date," said Mr. Sutton, "and in this it will differ from all expositions that have preceded it. The visitor who comes on the opening day will know that he will see as much as he could at any time later. I have been connected with several world's fairs, but I consider this one remarkable in many ways.

"Its site on the shores of Hampton Roads makes possible the great naval feature, wherein it is unlike all former expositions, while the historic interest attaching to all of the surrounding country will continue it is ooe of the favorite trips for tourists.

"The grounds on Sewell's point have long had the finished apparance of a completed park, and to this end the natural beauties of the land lent themselves admirably to the art of the landscape designer. The garish appearance common to buildings covered with stoff is overcome by the use of brick as a veneer, and this comports with the style of architecture, that of the Georgian Renaissance, usually called the Colonial style, some of the finest examples of which ore found in the old mansions along the James river.

"The great attention drawn to the naval and military features of the exposition, because of their novelty, has somewhat obscured in the public mind the fact that this exposition is really an industrial one of more than usual interest, inasmuch as the exhibits are in a selected order illustrating man's progress in all of the crafts during a period of 300 years.

"The largest manufacturers have taken such an interest in the enterprise as to fill all of the space in the large exhibit palaces and cause an overflow into auxiliary buildings. Some of the exhibitors have erected costly structures for their own exclusive use, among these being the American and Baldwin Locomotive works.

"The States' Exhibits building will enable the various states to have, in addition, special exhibits showing their respective resources. The separate state buildings, designed for social purposes, are particularly beautiful in design and of permanent construction, as are indeed a large proportion of the exposition structures. The exposition site promises to become a very important and attractive suburb of growing Norfolk, from which it is reached by a pleasant trolley ride.

"Congress and conventions of varied character will fill every day of the exposition. The exposition will also be the center of interest for amateur sports, from foot-racing to yachting. Automobiling will play an important role, and in this connection 'good roads will receive special ottention and their making will be shown.

"It is curious that despite the fact that newspapers have explained from the first thot the exposition is on Sewell's point, many people think it is to be at Jamestown Island, the site of the original settlement, the establishment of which, 300 years ago the exposition is to commemorate. Only the ruins remain with several monuments to mark sites, but the patriotic societies have been restoring the old church, and the trip to the island, which is some 60 miles up the James river, will certainly be taken by a large part of the exposition visitors.

President Myers of the Jamestown Exposition.

"Old Point, with Fort Monroe, and Hampton, the oldest town of English origin in the country, and Newport News, with its great shipyards, are across Hampton Roads. On the Roads the battle of the Merrimac and Monitor will be reproduced by naval vessels. Yorktown, where Cornwallis surrendered, is but a pleasant boat trip distance, and many will take advantage of the opportunity to see the great Dismal Swamp, only 23 miles from Norfolk. The battlefields of Virginia and Richmond, the capital of the confederacy, will attract many more.

SILENCE AND MYSTERY THERE

Remarkable French Villa, Where Electricity Has Replaced Servants.

Enchanted House of Electricity.

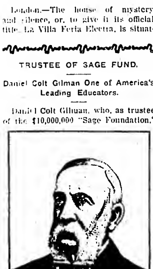
London.—The house of mystery and silence, or, to give it its official title, La Villa Feria Electra, is situated at Troyes and is owned by Mr. Georgia Knap. All the work usually done by servants, and much that is usually left undone, is performed by electric contrivance. The visitor to the villa finds that, when he rings, the door opens by itself, while a voice proceeding from a hidden gramophone tells him to allow the door to close.

Once inside the visitor is confronted by a mat that rubs and dries his boots. Press a button near the bed in your bedroom and a hot water bottle is heated—an arrangement that would suit Toddles. In the morning, curtains fly apart and shutters open in response to the pushing of a button; breakfost, papers and letters arrive at the table in the same mysterious way. An electric lift brings electrically cooked food through the center of the dining table. In the laundry electric washing machines do the washing. Everything in the house, indeed, is run by electricity, and there are even electric alarms for use against those who would break in and steal.

TRUSTEE OF SAGE FUND.

Daniel Colt Gilman One of America's Leading Educators.

Daniel Colt Gilman, who, as trustee of the $10,000,000 "Sage Foundation,"


DANIEL COIT GILMAN.
(Famous Educator Will Help to Distribute Big Sage Gift.)

will wield a powerful influence in the work of curing social evils in the poverty stricken districts in our large cities, succeeded Carl Schurz as head of the National Civil Service Reform league. He is one of tho foremost educators in America.

He was the president of the great University of California. He had previously spent two years as attache of the American legation in St. Petersburg and several years as professor at Yale. When the Johns Hopkins university was founded in Boltimore Prof. Gilman was called to preside over its destinies. He soon brought the institution into the front rank of American seats of learning. Prof. Gilman was the first president of the Carnegie Institute and has served on many important educational and charitable boards.

A Plea for the Indolent.

Men who fill unaccustomed positions exacting severe mental toll, are almost sure to be short-lived. Persons whose callings subject them to a heavy nervous strain ought occasionally to spend a day or two in bed. Even an afternoon nap is a tonic, and may do much to lessen the wear and teor of nervous, anxious days. One of the ablest statesmen of modern times, when once reproached in early life for indolence, retorted, "I am storing energy."—Success Magazine.

Too Free.

"Miss Prim was very angry about her admirer's taking out a marriage license without consulting her, wasn't she."

"Perfectly furious. She said as far as marrying her was concerned, it was a liberty, not license."—Baltimore American.

NEWS OF MINNESOTA.

J. J. Hill Retires.

St. Paul—Jomes J. Hill retired as president of the Great Northern Railway company at a special meeting of tho directors in St. Paul, retaining the chairmanship of the board of directors.

Louis W. Hill becomes president of the company and Frank H. McGuigan first vice-president, the other officers remaining the same.

The changes went into effect immediately.

"I don't retire," said Mr. Hill. "Instead of two men's work I shall now do one. The compooy's business has doubled in the last five or six years, which renders necessary tho increase of the operating staff."

Mr. Hill, as president of the company, has been chairman of the board of directors, and the organization is enlarged by the election of chairman.

Louis W. Hill, first vice-president, has practically been in charge of the departments of the road for about three years, but with his election to the presidency he becomes vested with more executive power, toking off part of the burden which has been resting on his father's shoulders.

Mr. McGuigan, formerly fourth vice-president of the Grand Trunk, with headquarters at Montreal, Can., is given direct charge of operating matters.

Louis W. Hill has been first vice-president of tho Great Northern for the last four years. His supervision over the various departments during that time makes him eminently qualified to assume the responsibilities of his new position. His active railroad career on the road covers a period of fourteen years, and besides his natural abilities he has had the advantage of a wide experience in railroad matters.

Suicide.

St. Peter—Rather than face trial for alleged irregularities in his office, G. A. Blomberg, Jr., formerly clerk of the court of Nicollet county, shot himself through the head. He is still alive, but cannot survive the night.

Blomberg's suicidal act followed a long series of difficulties which grew out of an investigation of his office. He was clerk of the court for 13 years, but was defeated for renomination at the primary election two years ago. Less than a year after he stepped out of office he was accused of falsifying his records and when his books were examined by a state official a shortage of several hundred dollars was discovered.

Blomberg returned this money to the county, but the grand jury at the June term of court returned four indictments against him.

He was arrested at Billings, Mont., and after being brought back to St. Peter was admitted to bail.

The cases against him would have come up at the term of court next month.

Blomberg went into a bedroom at his home, pushed the muzzle of a revolver into his right ear and fired a bullet into his brain.

A few minutes later he was found by his wife and when a doctor was called Blomberg made a statement to him and the doctor sent a message to Coroner Merritt.

Prize Steer.

St. Paul—Black Jack, the famous prize-winning Polled Angus steer, which created considerable comment at the state experiment station during the past year, is turned into meat, and was on exhibition at the Andrew Schoch Co., Seventh and Broadway.

Black Jack was sold to Swift & Co. March 21, exhibited at their yards for a few days and was admired by a party of legislators.

Black Jack was bred on the Woodlawn farm, at Creston, Ill., in December, 1904, and was purchased by the state agricultural college in December, 1905, and shortly afterwards began a career of prize winning, which ended this winter with his taking the highest honors at the International show.

He was slaughtered this week, and his dressed carcass weighed 1,222 lbs., a yield of prime meat of 68.45 per cent, and cost Mr. Schoch over $180.

Taxing Bachelors.

Warren—Mayor August Lundgren, who has just been elected for the fourth consecutive time, has undertaken to settle the bachelor question, so far as it concerns Warren, at any rate. At a recent council meeting a proposition was made to impose a tax upon all bachelors over twenty-five years of age. Mayor Lundgren, however, persuaded the members of the council, who were unanimously in favor of action of some kind, to allow him to try persuasive methods before using compulsion.

He has now issued a proclamation in which he offers to make presents of fine residence lots to the first five bachelors or spinsters who abandon the selfish state of celibacy for that of matrimony, to the profit and advancement of the city.

NEWS NOTES.

Brainerd—The next meeting of the Minnesota Educational Association will be held in St. Paul.

Minneapolis—Minneapolis flour will be sent to the suffering poor of China, 40,000 sacks having been ordered by the famine relief commission from the Washburn-Crosby Company of Minneapolis. The flour will be shipped free of charge over the Chicago and North-Western road and the Harriman lines to San Francisco. From there the United States government will send it to Shanghai on the government transport Buford.

Mankato—Joseph N. Rolger, a farmer of Stately township, Brown county, was obliged to pay a fine of $10 for sending first-class matter through the mails at fourth-class rates. Postoffice Inspector Morris ran the case down.

Margie—Fire completely destroyed the store of Daly & Hayden of this place, entailing a loss of $2,000; insurance, $900. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Delavan—The Cargill elevator at this place collapsed a day or so ago and 10,000 bushels of grain were scattered around. No one was injured. The elevator was erected in 1870.

TORTURE UP TO DATE.

He pulls his shoulders round in turn,
And twists and writhes in vain;
His face is pale; his eyelids burn
As if in frenzied pain.

No cry for mercy rends the air;
He dumbly bears his grief.
No help is nigh, and his despair
Is almost past belief.

His body shows no trace of blood;
He's not upon the rack. . . .
It's all because his collar stud
Is sliding down his back!
—Leslie Thomas, in Royal Magazine.

Consonance.

"We asked for bread," cried the poor, "and you hand us a stone."

It was the old song, but now, curiously enough, the rich acknowledged the justness of the implied rebuke.

"Ah, no doubt a lemon would be more in consonance with the spirit of the age," quoth they.

And indeed it was not to be gainsaid that the fashions in a manner affected these things.—Puck.

Dangerous Letters.

"I hear that you had a great deal of trouble with your typewriter," said the banker. "What was the cause?"

"The letters," replied the old broker.

"But couldn't you get an expert to fix them?"

"Oh, no. These were the letters she wrote to me when I was in the mountains and my wife found in my pockets."—Chicago Daily News.

Natural Query.

Bacon—The bee martin, a bird found in Mexico, has a trick of ruffling up the feathers on its head into a semblance of a flower. When a bee comes along to sip honey from the supposed flower it is snapped up by the bird.

Egbert—And does the bee martin ever have occasion to ejaculate "stung?"—Yonkers Statesman.

The Truant Angel.

Willie looked up into the sky and saw an airship for the first time. It was very high up and looked very small. After watching the wings on the machine flapping up and down, he said:

"Say, ma, look up into the sky! There's an angel ploying truant."—Judge.

Such Innocence!

Mrs. Stubb—Land's sakes, John, there must be a great many barber shops in Wall street!

Mr. Stubb—What causes you to think so, Maria?

Mrs. Stubb—Why, the papers say hundreds of men are trimmed there every day.—Chicago Daily News.

Great Originality.

"Judge Bunkum is a man of great originality, isn't he?"

"I never noticed it."

"In his speech on the trust question, the other day, he didn't refer to the Standard Oil company as 'this hydra-headed monster.'" — Chicago Record-Herald.

Exception.

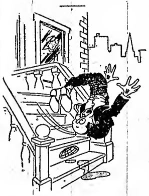
Wife (during the spat)—I don't believe you ever did a charitable act in your life.

Husband—I did one, at least, that I have lived to regret.

Wife—Indeed! What was it pray?

Husband—I saved you from dying an old maid.—Chicago Daily News.

THE GOLF CRAZE.



From the window she saw him coming up the steps.

"He comes!" she exclaimed joyfully.

There was a bit of ice on the top step. He struck it. Then he struck each of the other steps in succession.

"Heavens!" she cried, "He has foozled his approach."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Preferred Something Substantial.

"Jack told me he could live on my kisses forever."

"Are you going to let him?"

"I am just as soon as I see whether or not he can give something more substantial for me to live on."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Enemies Now.

Eva—There goes Belle. She was selling kisses at the church fair last night. She said it was for charity.

Edna—I don't doubt it. It certainly would be charity for anyone to kiss her.—Chicago Daily Newa.

The Prevailing Disease.

"He makes such big eyes at me."

"You mustn't let him, Maria. First thing you know, you'll be catching a bad case of exaggerated ego."—Baltimore American.

Horrible Thought.

She—Don't you feel well, dear?

He—My head feels heavy. Do you suppose those biscuits you made could have gone to my head?—Yonkers Statesman.

JUST HINTS OF ALL SORTS

Information of Fashion's Fancies Gleaned from Those Who Know the Art of Dress.

The stiff embroidered linen collar so oddly worn with all sorts of dressy toilettes is now being relegated to its natural place on the blouse. For the dressy occasions there are newer ones in fashionable favor of soft mull edged with high entre deux of fine tucks and lace with falling lace and exquisitely fine embroidered rabats. For swagger morning wear is the black silk stock—some are even wearing it with lingerie blouses as we bove been the linen collar. This also is finished with a white lace or a tiny black silk bow. It's awfully knowing looking.

A band of three-inch wide black velvet ribbon mokes a chorming neck finish. It is passed through several narrow gold, pearl-set bars that serve to keep it well in place, and then tied in a small bow in front.

Amber for the hair is the latest thing. All sorts of lovely shapes in knobs and balls are available in excellent imitation, if the reol is beyond one's purse; and for the first time the imitation is shown in truly exquisitely carved combs built high after the Spanish ones. Curvings, wonderful convolutions, and piercings, all after this Spanish pattern, are chic.

One of the most expensive items of our toilettes is the acquiring of the small and smart accessories. Just now, for instance, we are all on the lookout for something new in the way of belts. I've found it! A very wide supple one of white silk braid, the mesh loosely woven and unlined, and centered by a strip of open mesh of a different weave, through which is run a strip of white kid. Long clasps of white kid are at the back and two sides, quite ornate and touched by gold, and a long wider clasp is at the front. It's awfully nice with white blouses.

Little collar sets to be worn with the new tailored blouse—I mean shirt—are being exploited. They are ever so pretty! For those linen collars that are pierced in front with two eyelet-holes, there is a pair of links consisting of two jeweled balls connecting with tiny chains with cuff links to match. All the semi-precious stones, such as amethyst and coral, are used, the colorings to match the costume.

Tortoise shell has quite ousted silver from the toilet table. Of course it is frightfully expensive, but one may begin to collect it bit by bit. Gold being quite out of the question, except for a few, and silver having become so common from its small price, it is natural to turn to this lovely material. It won't be long, no doubt, before it is adroitly imitated, but so far it has not been for toilet articles, so that it has an air of taste and refinement that is most desirable. It so well bespeaks its intrinsic worth that it hardly needs a gold or silver monogram, but most of those that I have seen have had one. It was rather gilding the lily. Tiny jewels set in platinum are also seen on these shell pieces, which, of course, add to their cost, but enhance their beauty. Up to date, all the necessary pieces have not been made, but the largest pieces like brushes, mirrors, combs, boxes, etc., are seen.

It may sound like a truism to say that soap and water will clean anything. But, I mean, that one may dare to use it on the most delicate fabric with reckless confidence. A very elaborate crepe de chine blouse covered with Chinese embroidery was cleaned daringly the other day, with great success. It was dirty across the front and around the choker, and it was laid down on a marble and scrubbed, not too hard, of course, with a nail-brush wet with warm water and much soap. It was so dirty that it meant a trip to the expensive dry-cleaners before it could be worn again, so it was felt that it couldn't do it any harm. But after it had been rinsed off by dashing it lightly under the cold water faucet, and dried quickly on a hot radiator, it looked as fresh as possible. I should hesitate to immerse such a bodice entirely in water, but this method I gladly recommend.

Happy the girl who did not listen to voices that whispered of the short life in store for English eyelet embroidery, but who perfected herself in this most effective branch of needlework. Instead of falling behind in the procession, the eyelet work is more popular this season than it was last, and it is appearing in fabrics of every posible weight. The bit of embroidery gives distinction to a blouse, and the rapid needlewoman can outshine her sister who can afford imported frocks if she will bend her energies at once on the embroidering of summer raiment.

Quite as important as embroidery this season is the ability to insert lace. Some of the smartest summer trimmings show lace insets or medallions in point de Paris, German and French Val., Cluny or point de Venise, set into machine embroidery such as nainsook or Swiss.

Prudent Women Are Now Planning Summer Outfits

It is becoming more and more the custom to arrange for the summer outfit far in advance. After all, it is but a return to the old days when the prudent housewife planned the family wardrobe months ahead, employed the family seamstress and settled down to handwork. The oldtime village dressmaker, the friend of the family, is now rarely known, but there is no end of dressmakers and seamstresses who work by the day and who at the present moment are absorbed in making the simple gowns of muslin and wash materials that are included in every outfit.

All white costumes are always smart, but this year the striped ones are the fad. White with a hair line of black on collar and cuffs, is a favorite pattern, and there is an endless variety in the width of the stripe. In dark colors the hair line of a darker or lighter shade is far smarter than the shadow check or plaid of last year, and the colors are most charming.

There are not many long coats this season; the three-quarter length in the fitted cutaway design with rounded fronts is a favorable model, while the much shorter half-fitting pony coat is also popular.

White serge costumes are always effective, and this spring will be more elaborate than usual, for they are heavily braided, often two kinds of this trimming being used; the jackets are almost invariably short, the longest hip length, and while apparently loose define the lines of the figure quite sharply. White linen and all wash materials are made with the short coats also, and these last are extremely fanciful in effect, the plain linen and the embroidered also being made on the same lines. It is rather a fad just now to have a plain linen skirt, waist and jacket, the only decoration being on the jacket, a narrow fanciful binding on the lapels and the lower part of the sleeves. The different varieties of braid afford an excellent opportunity of using as varied an effect as a pretty and attractive fancy elects, but the braided revers are charming, and they are not difficult or tedious, nor do they require any especial cleverness.

Circular Veil for Picture Hat the Newest Thing

Truly the fashionable woman's veil gives her as much concern these days as any of the more important articles of her wardrobe. No longer will a piece of Brussels net, malines or other gauzy material do, purchased by the yard and tied over her face. Her veil must be made and nearly always trimmed, and in all cases is an expensive luxury. The circular veil for the large picture hat is the newest thing. It is fashioned somewhat like the old flare flounce that adorned skirts a few years ago and has its center cut out so as to fit better around the crown of the chapeau. Where the opening is thus formed there is usually a casing or else a narrow lace beading of the same color as the veil, through which baby ribbon of the same shade is run to tie it in the back. The bottom of the veil is edged with a narrow plisse of lace or a band or two of velvet of the same color as the veil. Any clever woman with a yard and a half of chiffon or lace can easily make one of these veils herself at a fraction of the cost of the ready made variety. The material should be folded in the middle and then folded in sections so as to simplify the process of cutting out the circle of the outer edge and the smaller one which fits around the crown. The depth of the veil when cut depends upon the size of the brim of the picture hat with which it is to be worn. This should be measured, and sufficient material allowed to enable the veil to fall below the chin.

FIRST DEGREE MURDER

James Wesley Convicted by Jury in the Dahl Case—Accomplice On Trial.

Bemidji, Minn., April 6. James Wesley has been convicted of murder in the first degree for the killing of N. O. Dahl on April 7, 1904.

In addition to the regular jail attendant, Wesley is being watched by a special guard on account of threats of suicide in case of conviction, which he made after his arrest.

Thursday morning court convened again for the trial of Paul Fournier, Wesley's alleged accomplice and the man who, according to the testimony given in Wesley's trial, actually fired the fatal shot.

County attorney Funkley did not say whether Fournier would be tried first for the murder of N. O. Dahl or that of the daughter, Aagot Dahl.

The verdict against Wesley gives general satisfaction here, and little doubt is felt that Fournier also will be convicted.

James Wesley is 30 years old. He always has been a common laborer, working as a lumberjack, and according to people who knew him has been industrious.

The killing of N. O. Dahl and his daughter Aagot was one of the most cold-blooded and brutal murders in the annals of crime in Northern Minnesota.

An almost helpless old man white haired and past 62 years of age, and a young women, 23 years old, sickly [illegible] and without suspicion as to danger of any kind, were the victim of the murderers who shed blood in the hope of obtaining a few paltry dollars.

Mr. Dahl and his daughter lived in shacks on their claims in Beltrami county.

They frequently came to Quiring postoffice until March 1904, when their mail remained uncalled for. After a few weeks suspicion was aroused and searching parties hunted for the two. Finally, on July 26 of that year, the badly decomposed body of Dahl was found under the roots of a tree.

Fournier and Wesley were suspected of the murder and were indicted by the grand jury. Fournier was arrested, but Wesley was not apprehended until a year later, but the evidence against the two was not strong enough to convict them, so they were released. No trace of Aagot Dahl was found until Aug. 17, 1904, when her skeleton was discovered under a pile of brush.

County Attorney Funkley has been working on the clues to the mystery ever since, and on Jan. 21 Wesley and Fournier were again indicted, the conviction of Wesley resulting.

Subscribe for the Gazette.

The Murray Cure

To be Incorporated and Enlarged by Mr. Murray's Family.

The announcement of the sudden death of [illegible] Murray, founder of the Murray Cure at Minneapolis, Fargo and Seattle, was a shock to many thousands of people who knew of the [illegible] of the Murray Cure

Mr. Murray's family, the widow two grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and corps of attendants and employes will remain the same.

For over seven years the Murray Cure has demonstrated that the drink habit can be cured. If you have a friend that needs the Murray treatment, send him at once to the Murray Cure Institute. If the drink habit has a hold on you that you cannot break without help, remember we can help you.

Call or write, Murray Cure Institute 1319 Nicollet Ave, Minneapolis, or 321 So. 13th St., Fargo, N. D.

CLASS PLAY POSTPONED.

The "Sweet Girl Graduates" Will Not Make Their Appearance Until April 19th.

The Class Play of '07 the "Sweet Girl Graduates" which was scheduled to appear at the "Met" tomorrow evening has been postponed to Friday, April 19th, just one week from the former date.

Owing to other duties the class has not been able to hold rehearsals necessary to bring the play up to the point desired, and with the adding of several features, which it will take some little time to perfect, it was deemed advisable to postpone the play to the date named.

A short sketch, composed of eight characters, is being arranged to be put on right after the main performance, and will add materially to the evenings entertainment.

The class will put in some hard work on the play from now on and everyone should turn out and help give them a good house on the evening of its' presentation.

Show Good Increase.

The receipts of the postoffice for the past year show a substantial increase in the business of the postal department of this city, over that of last year. The gross receipts for the year ending March 31st. 1907, amounting to $4,739.21, as against $3,809.81 for the year ending March 31st, 1906, or a gain of $929.40 over the amount of business transacted last year. The above figures which have just been given out by Postmistress Marshall, are exceedingly gratifying to the patrons of the office, as postal receipts are generally taken as a criterion from which to judge a city's progress, and the substantial increase noted shows that Red Lake Falls is steadily forging ahead.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1906, and the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1907, each of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John F. Campbell and Mary Campbell, his wife, Mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 9:20 a. m. in book 35 of mortgages on page 370 thereof.

And Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable.

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice.

And Whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20 100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely:- The Southeast Quarter, and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter, and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter all in section Twenty Four (24) in township one hundred fifty three (153) North of range forty four (44) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey three hundred twenty (320) acres, be the same more or less, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank,) Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota.
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Band Concert Free.

The management of the Red Lake Falls Band requests us to announce that there will be no admittance charge made for the April concert and dance which will be held on the 26th. Children, however, must be accompanied by their parents.

Manager Tracy is making special efforts to make this, the last indoor concert of the season, one of the best in the history of the organization, and from present indications will far surpass the expectations of the public, as several surprises are in store for all lovers of high class music. The social features of the evening are being arranged for with a view of giving all a chance to participate and those who fail to attend will miss a very enjoyable evening. You are invited to come.

March Apportionment.

Monday of this week County Auditor O'Brien received a check from State Auditor Iverson for Red Lake county's share of the March apportionment of the state school funds. The apportionment this year is made on a basis of $1.60 for each pupil. Red Lake county was credited with 3837 pupils who had attended school the required length of time, which made this county's share $6,139.20, which taken with the county fund of $1,725.65 makes a total of $7,865.85 to be divided among the different school districts. Of this fund Independent district No. 15, Red Lake Falls receives $1,033.20; Ind. dist. No. 18, Thief River Falls, $1,873.70; St. Hilaire, $528.90; Dist. No. 16, Plummer, $88.15; Dist. No. 1, Wylie, $51.50, while the balance, $4,280.40, is divided up among the other districts of the county.

Wanted: Person to travel in home territory; salary $3 50 per day and expenses. Address, J. A. Alexander, 125 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty-Five Dollars ($65.00) interest, which became due May 31, 1906, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Douglas Martin and Bessie Martin, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee,
bearing date the 31st day of May, A. D. 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of June, A. D., 1905, at 11:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 6 thereof,

And Whereas, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section one-(1) in township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-three (43) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey eighty (80) acres be the same more or less, in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated, March 21st, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minn.
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AGAIN ON THE MARKET

Lands Withdrawn Last Fall Can Now Be Filed Upon Almost As Heretofore.

Under date of April 3, Register Montague, of the Crookston U. S. Land Office, sent out the following notice:

Prior to November 10, 1906, certain lands included in ceded Chippewa and Red Lake lands in this district were open to settlement and entry. On that day an order was issued withdrawing such lands from settlement and entry. That order has been rescinded and all lands subject to entry prior to November 10, 1906, are now subject to entry, the only difference being that in the issuance of the receipt by this office the reservation will be made providing the lands may be subject to taxation for right-of-way and cost of drainage, to be paid before the issuance of the final receipt. All persons who had acquired preference right of way by reason of contest, or having the right allowed them to make an additional or an amended or a second entry, and who could not assert that right on account of the withdrawal of the lands will have thirty days from the date hereof as preference right within which to make such entry.

All applications for entry should be made in precisely the same form as required before November 10, 1906.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Crookston, Minn., Mar. 7, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Richmond Desotel of Terrebonne, Minn., has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz:

Homestead entry No. 22931, made March 21, 1902, for the SE¼NE¼ Section 21, Township 150 N., Range 43 W., and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of the U. S. Land Office, at Crookston, Minnesota, on April 17, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Harmidas Sauve, Arthur Archambault, Joseph St Martin and Louis Teroup, all of Terrebonne, Minn.

R. J. Montague, Register.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed, and delivered by L. A. Dautremont and Laura E. Dautremont, his wife, mortgagors, to Phil A. Kaufer, mortgagee, which mortgage bears date the 9th day of September, 1903, was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota on 12th day of September, 1903, at 3:30 o'clock p. m., in book 21 of mortgages on page 168, by the terms of which mortgage the following described premises were described in, mortgaged and conveyed to said mortgagee, to-wit: Lots nine (9), ten (10), and the north ten (10) feet of lot eleven (11), in block seven (7) in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the corrected plat thereof, being in Red Lake county, Minnesota, and was given to secure the payment of the sum of one thousand dollars with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent. per annum, payable annually, on the 9th day of September in each year, according to the conditions of one principal note; by failure to pay the $1000 falling due on the 9th day of September, 1904 and by failure to pay the taxes levied upon said real estate for the year 1905, and whereas, said mortgage, provided as one of its conditions that in case of failure to pay said note or any part of said interest when the same becomes due or to pay any taxes levied upon said realestate before the same becomes delinquent, the whole sum of money or indebtedness thereby secured shall thereupon become due and payable:

And Whereas, there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice on said principal indebtedness and interest thereon to the date hereof the sum of one thousand one hundred eighteen dollars, ($1118.00.)

And Whereas, because of said defaults and each of them the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative, and no action at law or in equity having been instituted to cover said mortgage indebtedness.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises above described which sale will be made by the sheriff of said county of Red Lake at the west front door of the court house in city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 13th day of April, 1907, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said indebtedness, the attorney's fees of $25.00 and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year thereafter, as provided by law.

Dated Feb. 26, 1907.

—Phil A. Kaufer, Mortgagee.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls.
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THE MEN'S SUPPER

It Was Finally Held Last Tuesday Evening and Was A Great Success.

The muchly advertised "Men's Supper"—for which the people have waited so long in expectancy—was given at the Presbyterian parlors Tuesday evening of this week and proved to be all that was figured on—and then some.

Early in the winter this feast was planned, but from time to time it was postponed—generally the reason being given that the newly created chefs wanted more time in which to practice the art of cooking in order that they might let the public down that much easier. (On the q. t. The Gazette has inside information to the effect that the real reason for the various postponements was the fact that up until a short time ago the women folks had persistently refused to do the cooking—and the old fellows were up against it.)

Last week the announcement was made that the supper would be given Tuesday night of this week, and naturally a large number of towns-people turned out to see what the men could do in the line of serving supper.

The parlors were arranged with four tables and from 5:30 until 8:30 the waiters were kept on the constant jump serving the many who wanted to eat.

The kitchen was also a scene of activity. With Prof. Chamberlain, Ed L. Healy, Chas. N. Bourdon, Sheriff Nelson, A. Cairns and several others dishing up the eatables and keeping the waiters supplied with full trays. The kitchen committee was well selected—and they all showed their adaptability for the work. The mere fact that several gallons of dish water was spilled on the floor and the rest of the boys were kept busy dodging chinaware, doesn't reflect the least discredit on Sheriff Nelson's ability as a prize dishwasher, but the amount of work to be done realty necessitated some rapid handling of the dishes. The waiting force, the reception committee and the affable cashier all conducted themselves with ease, and made the hungry populace happy with the many good things they had in store.

The local orchestra was there, and furnished sweet strains of melody while the feast was in progress and the guests of the occasion had a most enjoyable time. The affair netted the church a neat sum, and furnished all kinds of amusement.

Regarding the rumors that are being circulated as to how the men flunked and the women folks were obliged to do the cooking, The Gazette does beleive a word of it, and knows positively that Bob Bourdon split the wood for the cooking of one of the roasts; that Gus Kankel picked over two hand-fuls of beans; that Prof. Chamberlain labored "severeal" days and nights manufacturing the chili sauce (and produced a good number, by the way) that Frank Meizen, J.B. Armstrong, Chas. Bourdon, Harry Healy, L. C. Simons, Thomas Germo, Art Zaiser Frank Hunt, Dr. Argue and lots of others helped with the spring house cleaning while the women folks were cooking the edibles-all of which is creditable and shows that they were willing to bear their share of the work—and were receiving valuable lessons in the culinary art that will come in handy in the future.

The mens supper was a decided success—this much is self-evident—and the people will forget everything but the fact that they had a most enjoyable time and were well fed-and will trust that the first attempt be followed by others in the same line.

E. N. Cyr will open a grocery store on the vacant corner of Champagne avenue and third street. Mr. Cyr will erect a building there and will open up for business shortly with a full stok of staple goods on hand.

LAST INDOOR CONCERT

Concert Season of 06'-07 To Be Finished With Excellent Program Next Friday Evening.

What has been one of the most successful seasons in the history of the Red Lake Falls band organization will be brought to a fitting close at the Metropolitan opera house next Friday evening, April 26th, and commencing with May the band appears in open air concert work for the next several months.

The band boys and public have reason to feel satisfied at the result of the winter's work. Just after entering upon the indoor concert season the band was obliged to select a director from among its members and since then has had some difficulty in securing one up to the standard, and while ordinarily this change of leadership would have retarded the progress of the organization, in this instance the work has advanced more rapidly than ever before and today the band has a membership of about thirty and is in excellent condition. Manager Tracy has several good men on the string and will have a good director here in time to start the open air concert work.

This affair will be in the nature of a farewell reception to Messrs. L. P. Berthon and J. B. Armstrong who will appear for the last time in indoor recitals.

The concert for next Friday evening will consist of several choice numbers by the band, a cornet solo by C. Edmond Brunelle, which is extremely difficult, and other specialties.

The selections are all good and intended to make a fitting close to a highly successful season of work.

The program follows:

PART I.

March..........................Nirella
"Japanese Brigade"
Symphony No. 2..........Dalbey
Cornet Solo..................Masten
"Massa's in the Cold Ground."
C. Edmond Brunelle.
Waltz............................Strauss
'Artist's Life."
Selection......................Bellstedt
By Members of the Junior Band

PART II.

Grand Selection...........Wallace
"Maritana"
Little Kinkies...............Bendix
Selection.....................Luderas
"The Prince of Pilsen"
The Clown's Parade....Laurendeau

BOYCOTT A POSTMASTER.

Residents of Plummer Now Mailing Their Letters on the Train.

The residents of the village of Plummer have invented a new boycott, says the Thief River Falls News. For some time past the business men of this village have been in an open war against Charles W. Latta, the editor and proprietor of the Plummer Pioneer, and withdrew all of their patronage from the paper. As a result the Pioneer has appeared each week and altho it does not contain the advertisement of any business house in Plummer, it dishes up a few hot roasts for some of the residents of that place each week. Mr. Latta also happens to be the postmaster and has a little over three years more to serve before his term of office expires. His salary depends upon the number of stamps cancelled, and in order to deprive Mr. Latta of revenue he would otherwise secure from the cancelling of stamps, the people of that place make it a point to mail all their letters on the train, and are conducting a campaign to induce all others to do likewise. As a result the postmaster-editor is not making much money out of the office and the war goes on.

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CLASS PLAY OF '07

Will Be Given Tomorrow Evening at the Metropolitan Opera House.

Tomorrow (Friday) evening the high school class of '07 will present the original farce-comedy the "Sweet Girl Graduates" at the Metropolitan opera house in this city.

The play is from the pen of H. R. Woodman, who while reveling in reminiscenceces of old school days was inspired with the idea of bringing the sweet girl graduate before the footlights, and the picture drawn of the closing school days is so typical that his efforts have more than pleased the every audience to which the play has been presented.

The members of the class of '07 have been captivated by the spirit of the play and have entered into the rehearsals with a zeal and earnestnes that gives promise of the authors idea being brought out in every detail. All the characters of the cast have been putting in some hard work, and the talent displayed is very gratifying to those who have the play in charge. A full orchestra will be in attendance and all those who attend are assured of a first class evening's entertainment.

In the afternoon a matinee will be given for the benefit of the children at which an admission fee of ten cents will be charged. For the evening's performance the popular prices of 25c and 35c prevail. Everybody turn out and give them a packed house.

The cast of the play is as follows:

Miss Maude De Smythe, the Sweet Girl, Secretary of the Class of '07.
—Alice Ericson.
Mrs. DeSmythe, her mother, who is threatened with neverous prostration.
—Lucy Hunt.
Mr. De Smythe, her father, President of the R. I. P. Railroad.
—John Richards.
Mr. Jack Hamilton, her Beau. President of the Class of 1907.
Paul Brunelle.
Miss Matilda Hoppenhoer. her aunt. Who never graduated, thank Heaven.
Freda Ittner.
Miss Valeria Reynolds, her dearest friend.
Viola Longtin.
Madam Sateene, her dressmaker,
Ina Linnihan.
Miss Rantum, her elocution teacher, (late of the Boston school.)
—Edna Swanson.
Professor Grindem, Principal of the High School.
—Herbert Findeisen.
Mr. Chinese Bulbus, the Florist.
—Olaf Floan.
Katherine,................the maid.
-Lillian Zaiser.

Reserved seats are now on sale at Anderson's Jewelry store.

ASSESSORS WILL MEET.

Annual Meeting to be Held Next Thursday.

The annual meeting of the newly chosen assessors of Red Lake county will meet at Auditor O'Brien's office next Thursday. A chairman will be chosen at this meeting. The books for all the townships have been completed and are ready for distribution among the various assessors.

Following is the assessor for each township:

Black River—Axel Jacobson.
Red Lake Falls—Jules H. Lasha.
Lake Pleasant—M. Ducharme.
North—G. K. Haave.
River Falls—Jas. Gilbertson.
Terrebonne—Louis Perrault.
Silverton—T. H. Omlid.
Smiley—O. M. Pederson.
Wyandotte—Lars P. Brandrud.
Emardville—A. J. Hemstad.
Poplar River—John B. Hebert.
Clover Leaf—Jay Payne.
Kratka—John T. Gullingsrud.
Mayfield—Sever Maaren.
Garnes—Simon C. Sater.
Lambert—Max Perras.
Goodridge—Donough O'Brien.
Highlanding—P. C. Wold.
Deer Park—A. J. Lillo.
Numedal—Louis E. Olson.
Bray—Emil Larson.
Polk Center—C. K. Melin.
Louisville—J. F. Mathews.
Norden—Lars Lee.
Sanders—H. F. Anderson.
Equality—Andrew Anderson.
St. Hilaire—A. F. Ittner.
Plummer—Erick Iverson.
Thief River Falls—Ben Christenson.
Town 153-39—B. Henry Costello.

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

The case against Harry K. Thaw was given to the jury, and six hours after, not having reached an agreement, the jurors were locked up for the night. Jerome's closing address was a merciless flaying of Thaw and his wife. The judge's charge was considered unfavorable to the defendant.

Senator Foraker in a speech at Canton, O., declared his independence of criticism, defended his public course and denied any part in or knowledge of the alleged rich men's conspiracy to defeat President Roosevelt.

John Temple Graves, speaking at a banquet at Chattanooga in honor of W. J. Bryan, urged that Bryan nominate Roosevelt for president on the Democratic ticket.

Secretary Taft declared that Cuba was to be turned over to the Cubans as soon as possible, made recommendations as to the holding of elections and sailed for Porto Rico.

President L. W. Hill announced that the Great Northern would build a plant for the manufacture of cars in Superior, Wis.

Fifteen persons were burned to death in a fire that destroyed an apartment house in Lisbon, Portugal.

Congressman Longworth came out in favor of Taft for the presidential nomination.

The New York Herald, James Gordon Bennett, its proprietor, and its advertising manager were fined $31,000 for sending improper matter through the mails.

Seven hundred members of the union organized at Bisbee, Ariz., by the Western Federation of Miners, employed by companies which refused recognition of the union, went on strike.

A train bearing 340 political exiles left St. Petersburg for Siberia. This is the largest consignment of political prisoners sent to the far east for several months past.

Commander Eva Booth of the Salvation army became seriously ill at Canton, O.

The Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha railroad and H. M. Pearce, acting freight agent, were found guilty of granting rebates by a jury at Minneapolis.

Four trainmen were killed on the Southern Pacific in California by the explosion of two locomotives.

Mrs. Mary Bechtel, aged 84 years, and her son Charles, aged 42 years, were burned to death in their home in Philadelphia.

The Akron Printing and Paper company went into bankruptcy, with liabilities amounting to $30,000 and assets the same.

The crew of naval barge No. 1 which went adrift in a storm, were rescued by the steamer Professor Woermann.

Directors of the Provident Securities and Banking company of Boston are accused by the receivers of having squandered $200,000 of its money.

Annie Adair of Triumph, Ill., is dead from swallowing muriatic acid, which she mistook for a sleeping medicine.

Richard Croker is in exceedingly poor health, according to John Fox, a Tammany leader, who has just returned to New York from England.

With a bullet in her brain Mabel Guy, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Guy of Middleton, N. Y., walked a mile to Thrall hospital for treatment. She may recover.

The United Engineers' society opened its new home in New York for the erection of which Andrew Carnegie gave $1,500,000.

The Lincoln Savings and Trust company of Philadelphia was closed by the state commissioner of banking because its capital was impaired.

It is said that the death of the late Congressman Galusha A. Grow was hastened by a gang of New York swindlers, who levied blackmail upon him, using a woman as their willing tool.

One person was killed and about 15 injured in a wreck on the St. Johnsbury & Lake Champlain railroad near Hardwick, Vt.

Richard M. Waite, assistant to the president of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company, died at Denver.

Dr. Paul Bettix, professor of Greek and Latin in the Central Holiness University of Oskaloosa, Ia., is preaching a new crusade and branded his forehead with a cross.

State Senator David Campbell of Illinois was appointed postmaster of Chicago to succeed Mayor Fred Busse.

P. A. B. Widener asked permission of Philadelphia authorities to erect a $10,000,000 municipal art gallery on a site to be furnished by the city.

Gen. Lawrence S. Baker, who was a well-known confederate commander, died at Suffolk, Va.

Edgar Combe, son of the ex-premier of France, died of appendicitis.

Following his indictment on the charge of using the mails to defraud, returned by the federal grand jury, H. H. Tucker, Jr., of Cherryvale, Kan., secretary and promoter of the Uncle Sam Oil company, who was arrested in Kansas City, was arraigned in the United States district court at Topeka and held in $15,000 bail.

Secretary Taft planned a compromise between the conservatives and liberals in Cuba whereby the island should be turned over to the Cubans again July 4, 1908.

Dunbar hall at Phillips-Exeter academy, Exeter, N. H., was destroyed by fire and a number of students had narrow escapes.

Fire destroyed a building in Chicago occupied by Hollister Bros., printers, and others, the loss being about $310,000.

The answer of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, John D. Rockefeller, Henry H. Rogers and other individual defendants and about 40 of the defendant corporations to the government's ouster suit was filed at St. Louis. It consisted of a general denial of all the charges.

According to a decision reached by the interstate commerce commission E. H. Harriman will be made to appear in a United States circuit court in the state of New York in answer to proceedings to be instituted to compel him to reply to certain questions which he refused to answer when he was on the stand at the recent hearing by the commission in New York.

A sneak thief took $1,700 from the paying teller's cage in the State National bank, St. Louis, and escaped.

Broken-hearted, as he said, over losses following the recent slump in Wall street, Samuel B. Van Siclen, a New York curb broker, shot and killed himself.

Both branches of the Texas legislature passed a law absolutely prohibiting the operation of bucket-shops, cotton exchanges or any dealings in futures in Texas.

The Minnesota house of representatives with a rising vote, which the speaker announced was "nearly unanimous," passed concurrent resolutions indorsing President Roosevelt for a third term.

The Union of Russian People planned an attack on the Jews at Russian Easter time, April 28, and thousands of Jewish families left the country.

President Roosevelt ended a long contest by appointing Oscar P. Hundley United States judge for the Northern district of Alabama.

Commander Peary will start on another attempt to reach the pole in June.

The Memphis Jockey club was indicted for permitting betting at its track.

The Kalamazoo strike ended by the company's yielding to all the demands of the men except recognition of the union.

Dr. Simon Flexner, head of the Rockefeller institute, New York, has discovered a meningitis serum, but he declines to discuss it till he has experimented on human beings.

The freight steamer Sagamore, plying between Oyster Bay, L. I., and Port Chester, N. Y., went ashore on the rocks near the entrance of Port Chester harbor. The crew of ten was saved.

The Oji Paper company of Tokio ordered $1,000,000 worth of machinery from the General Electric company of New York.

The plant of the Amsterdam (N. Y.) Broom company, the largest independent brush and broom concern in the country, was completely destroyed by fire, causing a loss of $100,000. William Sullivan, fireman, was killed by a falling wall.

Mrs. T. H. Ismay, widow of the founder of the White Star Steamship line and mother of Joseph Bruce Ismay, president of the International Mercantile Marine company, died in London.

The discovery of a new counterfeit $10 (Buffalo) United States note is announced by the United States secret service. A new counterfeit $20 national bank note has also been discovered, on the First National bank of Hereford, Texas.

One of the large buildings in the League Island navy yard, Philadelphia, containing the saw mill, joiner shop and pattern shop, was almost entirely destroyed by fire. Officers at the yard estimated the loss at between $70,000 at $100,000.

Willie Sell, who has served 20 years for the murder of his father, mother, brother and sister in Kansas, was pardoned by Gov. Hoch on condition that he should not exhibit himself for the purpose of making money.

The plant of the Columbus Dispatch and an adjoining building were almost destroyed by fire.

D. H. Kochersperger, formerly treasurer of Cook count, Illinois, and prominent in Chicago politics, is dead.

The United States supreme court decided that the Isle of Pines is Cuban territory, not American.

The executive council of the National Civic federation decided on Chicago as the place, and May 28, 29, 30 and 31 as the date for holding the national conference on combinations and trusts.

Fire in Tyler, Tex., destroyed several of the best buildings, including the opera house.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Cox, of Cincinnati, were robbed of jewels valued at $35,000 in a New York hotel.

J. W. Arras, of the United States engineering corps, said Pittsburg was in danger of being devastated by a flood as was Johnstown.

The jury in the Smathers case decided that Smathers had not conspired to drug Lou Dillon and should retain the gold cup won by his horse, Major Delmar.

Puerto Cortez was taken by the Nicaraguans without a contest, the Honduran troops having returned to the plantations believing that the war was ended. American marines were posted in Ceiba to protect property and preserve order.

Secretary of War Taft conferred with conservative and liberal leaders of Cuba, advised that the national election be postponed until after the municipal and provincial elections, and intimated that American occupation would last at least another year.

The sentences of death imposed upon Mrs. Aggie Myers of Kansas City and Frank Hottman of Higginsville, Mo., who were convicted of having murdered the woman's husband, Clarence Myers, in 1904, were commuted by Gov. Folk to imprisonment for life.

Dr. Samuel S. Guy, a prominent dentist of Far Rockaway and for a number of years coroner of Queens Borough, was under arrest charged with the murder of his wife.

The directors of the State Bank of Goddard, Ksn., whose cashier, W. H. Dwight, committed suicide, announced that over $10,000 was missing from the vault of the bank. The directors decided to close up the affairs of the bank.

Safe blowers robbed a bank at Seminole, I. T., of $1,000 while confederates patrolled the street shooting at citizens.

N. D. Hildman, night operator in the Frisco station at Quapaw, I. T., was attacked by robbers, bound, gagged, and robbed. At Baxter, Kan., the robbers were captured after shooting the officer through the hand and in the body.

Albert Williams, the last survivor of the 16 delegates in the "Under the Oaks" convention at Jackson, Mich., where the first Republican state ticket was placed in nomination, died at Ionia, Mich, aged 90 years.

Mayor D. H. Leonard of Parkersburg, W. Va., died of the grip.

The Greek consul at Lowell, Mass., was arrested on a charge of conspiracy in connection with the importation of Greek laborers.

The czar of Russia made M. Plebno, a notorious anti-semite, a member of the council of empire.

A. H. Weir, ex-mayor of Lincoln, Neb., died suddenly.

A Southern Pacific passenger train was ditched at Browns, Nev., the engineer being killed and several passengers hurt.

George G. Benedict, editor-in-chief of the Burlington (Vt.) Free Press, died of old age.

Naval coal barge No. 1, adrift for several days, was picked up, but her crew of nine were not on board. It was thought a passing schooner took them off.

The king of Italy arrived at Athens on a visit to the king of Greece.

W. A. Brady leased the Auditorium theater in Chicago for ten years, at an annual rental of $100,000.

The Union Pacific officially announced the building of 100 miles of new double tracking in Wyoming, to be finished during this year at a cost of $3,000,000.

Col. Francis E. Lacey, retired officer of the United States army, died at Columbus, O. He served in the civil and Spanish-American wars.

Rev. John Johnson, Charleston, S. C., rector emeritus at Fort Sumter during the siege of the sixties and author of "The Defense of Fort Sumter," died at the age of 78 years.

Ten persons, two of whom were women, were rescued from death by life savers at the Nag's Head (N. C.) station when the four-masted schooner Louis Bossart was blown ashore.

A gasoline launch containing two men and two boys capsized in the Illinois river at Ottawa, Ill. All four were drowned.

Three men were instantly killed at Hillsville, Pa., by the explosion of a ton of powder at the plant of the Burton Powder company.

Robert Scholze, 63 years old, one of the leading business men of Chattanooga, Tenn., died as the result of injuries received in a runaway.

Because he had been urging that Enrique C. Creel, ambassador of Mexico to the United States, could not be elected the constitutional governor of the state of Chihuahua, Silesvtre Terrazas, editor of El Correo, a daily newspaper published in the city of Chihuahua, was put in jail.

Judge Josiah Turner, for 24 years judge of the Seventh judicial circuit in Michigan, died at his home in Owosso, aged 96 years.

The heaviest snow of the winter fell in Plainfield, Wis.

Mrs. Helen McNeill, of Denver, Col., was burned to death in Columbus, O.

Theodore D. Buhl, president of the Buhl Malleable Iron works of Detroit, president of the Detroit National bank, and also of the firm of Parke, Davis & Co., chemical and drug manufacturers, dropped dead on the street near the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York. Death was due to apoplexy.

A fire captain was killed and several firemen injured in a fire that partly destroyed the Metropolitan power house at One Hundred and Forty-sixth street and Lexington avenue, New York.

Suits to recover $40,000,000 from 14 fire insurance companies for violation of a state anti-trust law were begun by the prosecuting attorney of Arkansas.

John F. Stevens, retiring chief engineer of the Panama canal, sailed for the United States after being given a great farewell reception by the canal forces.

DEATH OF HARLAN P. HALL

THE VETERAN NEWSPAPER MAN DIES SUDDENLY OF HEART FAILURE.

His Life Has Been an Active One—Was Founder of The St. Paul Dispatch and Globe—Passed Away on the Anniversary of His Wedding.

St. Paul, April 10—Harlan P. Hall, who founded two newspapers in St. Paul and was identified in the early history of every other one of any importance in that city, died suddenly at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon while sitting in the office of Dr. George M. Coon in the Lowry arcade.

Mr. Hall, who was nearly 70 years of age, had been in very poor health for many months and regularly under treatment of Dr. Archibald McLaran. He called at the Lowry arcade yesterday to see Dr. McLaren, and finding him away, he sat down in Dr. Coon's office to await his return. Suddenly he became faint, and without saying a word, passed away.

Harlan P. Hall was born at Ravenna, Portage county, Obio, Aug. 27, 1838. His father was the publisher of a country newspaper, and in his father's office his newspaper career had its beginning. He was graduated from Ohio Wesleyan university in 1861, then took up the study of law, and was admitted to the bar in 1862. Health considerations brought him to Minnesota, where he arrived Oct. 6, 1862. His first daily newspaper experience was on Nov. 3, 1862, on the St. Paul Union, which was first issued on that date, and published by the late Frederick Driscoll. The editorial staff consisted of Mr. Driscoll and Mr. Hall.

HARLAN P. HALL.

In March, 1863, the Union was consolidated with the Press, and Mr. Hall continued with that paper until 1865, when, with the Davidsons, he purchased the St. Paul Pioneer. He continued with that paper until 1866, and then went into the printing business with David Ramaley. On Feb. 29, 1868, Mr. Hall launched the St. Paul Dispatch. In 1876 he sold the Dispatch, and Jan. 15, 1878, he issued the first number of the St. Paul Globe as a morning Democratic newspaper.

He conducted the Globe until February, 1885. Meanwhile he had been conducting a ready-print establishment, and he continued in this business until 1887. From then until 1893 he occupied various positions in the daily newspaper offices. Then for a time he was business manager of the Globe and later publisher of the Call. Mr. Hall founded St. Paul Trade, a periodical publication devoted to the jobbing and manufacturing interests of his city and it was only a few years ago that he retired from its management.

All his life Mr. Hall was active in the public affairs of St. Paul, and no man of his generation may be said to have spent more time or energy in that service of the public which brings no direct remuneration and but little reward in gratitude. He was prominent in nearly all of the commercial organizations of St. Paul and was one of the leading spirits in the Minnesota State Editorial association.

Mr. Hall was the founder of the Minnesota Editorial association and was a member of the executive committee. He went on every trip made by the association except the last two. He was the life of the party wherever he went. It was in his relationship with the association that he came to know the editor of every publication in the state, but he also had a wide acquaintance among other people throughout the state.

During the past year and a half he spent most of his time selling "H. P. Hall's Observations," which tells the political history of Minnesota. Few men in Minnesota knew more about state politics, while intimate association with the political leaders gave him splendid opportunities of knowing the inner workings.

Mr. Hall's surviving family consists of a son, Harlan W., who is now in Pasadena, and one daughter. There is also one brother, H. R. W. Hall of St. Paul, and a nephew, Smith B. Hall.

Mankato Schools.

Mankato—The Fairmont board of education has elected L. H. Pryor superintendent of schools. He is now at the head of the Breckenridge schools and will succeed Prof. P. P. Kennedy, who goes from Fairmont to St. Peter next year.

Prof. A. D. Griffin, for the last five years superintendent of schools at Kasota, has been elected to a similar position at Hawley. The Fulda school board has been unable to retain the services of its superintendent, Prof. Wenger.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, April 6—Senator Alderman of Brainerd won in a contest against the finance committee of the senate late today and secured a recommendation for passage from the senate committee of the whole for his bill to establish another state fish hatchery to be located at Deerwood. The bill came up before the committee of the whole with its appropriation clause struck off. Senator Alderman appealed to the senate that this was unfair; that the finance committee approved of the bill, by recommending it for passage, but might as well have killed it as to send it out with no money for the execution of its provisions. Senator Peterson of Moorhead, chairman of finance, opposed the bill. A lengthy debate followed with a final vote in favor of the measure and adding to it the clause carrying an appropriation of $6,000.

The anti-rebate fire insurance bill, indefinitely postponed two days ago, was revived today by its author, Senator McColl, who succeeded in getting a motion for reconsideration carried by one vote. The bill was then advanced to general orders and will be fought out by committee of the whole. Friends of the bill argue in its favor that it prohibits rebating. Opponents of the measure charge it is aimed at maintainance of insurance compact boards and rates.

The senate today passed the house bill for taxation of sleeping car companies, in a materially amended form. As received from the house it provided for a 4 per cent gross earnings tax. The senate tax committee amended the bill so the companies may have on the alternative of assessment and tax on an advaleram basis at their own option.

In the house today R. H. Jefferson and H. O. Bjorge, introduced a resolution directing the state railroad commission to reduce the rates charged for carrying iron ore on the Duluth, Mesaba & Northern road so as to allow such road "only a fair and just income on the money invested." The resolution laid over on notice of rebate by R. J. Wells.

St. Paul, April 8—The bill to prohibit capital punishment in the state of Minnesota was killed today in the house committee of the whole and the gallows will remain in duty.

The measure was introduced by F. B. Wright of Minneapolis, F. B. Phillips of St. Paul. In order to save the measure, Phillips offered an amendment, providing that when a person once convicted of murder takes life, the death punishment may be inflicted. There was a sentiment against the bill, however, which could not be overcome.

Said Burdette Thayer, "Under the law as it existed at one time the Younger brothers escaped the death penalty and later were pardoned. Now one is making a hero of himself by exhibiting at circuses in Missouri. He is coining the Northfield tragedy into gold. Would it not have been better if capital punishment had been inflicted in that case?"

The bill was killed by a vote of 47 against it, to 34 in its favor.

The house committee on judiciary has reported that the anti-discrimination bill, aimed at the practices of the Standard Oil company in this state, is constitutional. The same bill is now on general orders in the senate. The house today passed the senate bill of Senator O. G. Dale of Madison, authorizing cities or villages to prohibit bucket-shops or their branches within their corporate limits.

The senate spent nearly all today in consideration of the calendar. The most important bill passed was probably the E. H. Canfield measure, making an appropriation of $200,000 for each of the coming two years, for road and bridge improvements throughout the state. The bill was amended from its original form, so that the county commissioners of each county, instead of the state highway commission, will have charge of the expenditure of the fund.

The senate also passed the house bill prohibiting fraternities and secret societies in public schools and imposing a fine for violation of the rule. The high schools in the twin cities have been overrun with "frats" and they have been generally disapproved of by both teachers and parents.

In committee of the whole today, Senator Frank Clague of Lamberton, after an eloquent fight, succeeded in getting two important measures by himself, recommended for passage. One provides for abolition of the board of directors for the Faribault state school for deaf, dumb and blind; the other bill establishes a state board of visitors for state institutions.

St. Paul, April 9—The senate today passed the Clague registry tax on mortgages bill. There were 38 affirmative votes, and 14 against it. The bill was a special order for an hour, and was ably explained and defended by its author, Frank Clague of Lamberton. In view of the fact that all tax measures must originate in the lower house, the house bill which had already been passed, was the one under consideration, but was amended on motion of Senator Clague so as to become a duplicate of his senate file. There were several efforts to modify the bill, one being to cut down the tax from 50 cents per $100 to 25 cents, but this and all other amendments opposed by the senator from Redwood county were defeated. It is said the bill will raise a tax in Hennepin county of $140,000 a year, and in Ramsey county $100,000 a year.

This afternoon the Iowa distance tariff bill of Senator T. E. Cashman of Owatonna, was a special order in the upper house. One of the first things done was to pass an amendment by the author to strike from the bill the "ton per mile" requirement, leaving the bill to simply embody the distance tariff idea. Senator Cashman then advocated the bill at length, being followed by Senators Works, Witherstine, and Sageng. Senator Frank Clague opposed the bill. He warned the senate against too much railroad legislation on points already in the courts, and also said the "ton per mile" theory still remained in certain provisions of the bill. Senators Durment and Dunn of St. Paul also opposed the bill.

The house which a few weeks ago gave a body blow to the general proposition of local option, today turned down a report of the temperance committee for indefinite postponement of a bill by Elmer Adams of Fergus Falls for local option in small cities, and advanced the bill to general orders. The bill originally applied to all cities, but an amendment by the committee was retained making it applicable only to cities less than 10,000 inhabitants.

The house also passed the C. M. Bendixen bill requiring all kinds of corporations to pay fees for the filing of articles. At present purely manufacturing corporations pay a nominal fee, and others a fee based on capitalization. The Bendixen bill places them all on the same level.

The house committee on express and telegraph, reported the Sam Peterson bill regulating telegraph tolls for indefinite postponement, but the author succeeded in getting the committee turned down and the bill advanced to general orders. There were but 4 votes in opposition to the bill's advancement.

St. Paul, April 11—The house today adopted resolutions endorsing Roosevelt in placing Harriman in the "Ananias Club." The resolutions were offered by C. J. Swendsen of St. James. They recite that whereas the public press has teemed with "personal, infamous and virulent attacks made by E. H. Harriman and his crowd, casting slurs and insinuations on the veracity of our president" that the house of representatives "heartily commend the heroic efforts of the president to regulate the railroad traffic and express lawlessness."

The senate this afternoon devoted itself to considering election bills in special order. After considerable debate, Senator W. W. Dunn's bill providing for election by all political parties of delegates to county conventions which are held for the purpose of electing delegates to state conventions, was passed by a vote of 34 in its favor to 25 against. The other primary election bill under consideration, by Senator E. H. Canfield of Luverne, to authorize holding of conventions of political parties to recommend candidates for office, and providing for nomination of candidates for state offices by primary election was debated. The committee on elections presented a substitute bill in the form of a minority report. Final action was not taken on the Canfield bill. Senator McColl of St. Paul presented his measure, a copy of the Oregon law and providing for elections of United States senators by popular vote. A final vote on the bill was 26 in its favor, 28 against. This vote will probably be reconsidered at a later date. In explaining the measure Senator McColl said: "This has been referred to as a bill aimed at raising Gov. J. A. Johnson to the senate of the United States. This is a mistaken impression. Long before this bill, if passed, goes into effect, we expect our esteemed executive will be called to serve the people of this state and nation in a higher capacity than that of United States senator."

The house today passed a resolution asking the attorney general to report on all suits pending with railroads, and urging speed in consumating such actions.

Both houses spent much time today advancing bills along routine lines. Among bills of some note disposed of today, might be mentioned the anti-cigarette bill of Senator Sundberg, which failed to get enough votes for passage in the upper house.

St. Paul—Stanford Newel, former United States minister to The Hague, died Saturday evening at his residence after an illness of several months. Asthma, pleurisy and the result of a fall in which he fractured a rib, were the causes of his death.

The existence of life in other worlds has been more generally admitted by scientific men than by the average individual. It is, however, interesting to note that Dr. A. Kirschmann, professor of philosophy in the University of Toronto, has expressed himself very strongly regarding his belief that life exists in other planets. He even contends that on other bodies where conditions of temperature, of carbon, nitrogen, weather, etc., are different from our own we have no good reason to conclude that conditions may not exist to permit intelligent life comparable to our own.

Beards as a Sign of Mourning.

In ancient Rome men only grew beards as a sign of mourning. In Egypt all went clean shaven, but in Assyria only the slaves and peasants shaved.

Trees in Suburban Roads.

The planting of rows of trees in suburban roads began in 1875. In France the custom came into vogue during the Revolutionary eras—1770 and 1848—and were known as "Trees of Liberty." They were cut down in 1850, when riots ensued.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Dan Patch.

[illegible] Dan Patch, 1:55, on the [illegible] State Fair [illegible] track in [illegible] the state [illegible] the greatest of all [illegible] engaged again for the [illegible] fair. He will appear on [illegible] day of [illegible] Sept. 2, the opening [illegible] of the fair and is to go against his own world's record of 1:55 [illegible] made at the Minnesota [illegible] September. This was the fastest mile ever made by a harness [illegible] under any conditions, but Mr. [illegible] and Mr. Hersey, Dan's trainer and driver, are both confident that [illegible] beat the 1906 mark this season. The famous horse was never in better condition than now and looks [illegible] for something better than ever [illegible] he gets to work on the track.

[illegible] fact that Dan Patch has [illegible] the Minnesota State Fair track without lowering his Minnesota record. He has gone against [illegible] this track five times with the following results:

[illegible] August [illegible]........Time 2:0[illegible]
[illegible] September 4........Time 1:59½
[illegible] September [illegible]........Time 1:57¼
[illegible] September [illegible]........Time 1:56½
[illegible] September [illegible]........Time 1:55

[illegible] gave to the Minnesota State Fair track the honor [illegible] record for the fastest [illegible] by a harness horse.

Suicide.

[illegible]—A woman who registered [illegible] as "B. Ellis," committed suicide by taking poison at An[illegible] the Rainy Lake road. [illegible] reached Virginia on the Great [illegible] road, registered at the hotel [illegible] stayed over night and next [illegible] took a Rainy Lake train to An[illegible]. Here she alighted and walking a mile down the track, drank [illegible] her dead body being found in [illegible] afternoon. She gave no residence [illegible] registering at the hotel and nothing was found in her clothing to indicate her identity. She was well [illegible] and fairly good looking. At [illegible] she left her pocketbook containing [illegible] in money and a [illegible].

[illegible] last week. [illegible] insanity and [illegible] Have [illegible]

[illegible] also [illegible] The [illegible] out [illegible] and [illegible] she [illegible] with [illegible]

Gold Mine.

[illegible] on the [illegible] shows [illegible] condition of the [illegible] sent out. The [illegible] of gold were found [illegible] farm [illegible] years ago when a [illegible] well was sunk. The well driller [illegible] the soil brought out was different [illegible] and found anywhere else, and [illegible] that gold ore was in it. [illegible] has since been interested [illegible] Western copper and gold [illegible] from his investigations [illegible] sure he had gold ore [illegible] farm. Recently he did [illegible] sinking a six-foot [illegible] down about twelve feet. Some [illegible] he had assayed [illegible] it to contain gold that would [illegible] about $4 to the ton. Since that [illegible] has been sunk more than 30 [illegible] the [illegible] of the ore [illegible]

Mad Dogs.

[illegible] south and [illegible] number [illegible]

[illegible] that several [illegible] in Beauford [illegible] and which [illegible] thought to have been suffering from [illegible] the [illegible] village council [illegible] that all canines within [illegible] must be tied up or [illegible]. The village marshal is instructed to shoot all unmuzzled dogs running at large.

[illegible] week four cattle on C. S. Wis[illegible] farm in Ma[illegible] township died [illegible] strange disease, and the state [illegible] Dr. Becker, was summoned to examine the herd. He gave [illegible] opinion that the cattle had [illegible] Mr. Wishert will have one [illegible] the cattle [illegible] to determine the [illegible]

NEWS NOTES.

[illegible] Charles A. [illegible] is [illegible] returning home in [illegible] a telegram announcing the [illegible] illness of his brother.

[illegible]—The bankers of the First [illegible] district will meet in this [illegible] Tuesday, June 11, and plans [illegible] convention are almost com[illegible]

[illegible] Some of the local capitalists are working on a plan to develop the peat bogs near this city. It [illegible] known fact that there is any [illegible] peat in the vicinity of [illegible]. Peat can be found in every [illegible] where wire grass bogs exist. In [illegible] of course, the peat is only [illegible] inches thick, but in most places [illegible] enough to make it a paying [illegible]

[illegible] Game and Fish Warden P. H. [illegible] of this city was called [illegible] to investigate a case of [illegible] of the game laws and his [illegible] resulted in the arrest of Harry F. [illegible] that [illegible] the charge of [illegible] Tuem pleaded guilty [illegible]

[illegible] Francis Hughes, a 4-year-old [illegible] twelve-pound [illegible] in a brook [illegible]

Minneapolis—Minnesota is third in the number of immigrants brought West by the railways.

Hamline—Dan Patch will be the opening day attraction at the Minnesota state fair.

Hamline—One of the biggest box factories in the country is to be established in Midway district.

St. Paul—The Ramsey county grand jury has recommended that all saloons be closed in St. Paul on Sunday.

Washington—An additional carrier has been authorized for the city division of the Little Falls postoffice.

St. Paul—Oscar Larson, 1035 Burns avenue, is probably fatally hurt in a runaway accident.

St. Paul—Mr. and Mrs. George Esch are overcome by coal gas and are taken to St. Joseph's hospital in a serious condition.

Minneapolis—John Kolb's attorney announces to the pardon board that the "real" Columbia Heights murderers are in prison.

Washington—Edwin S. Johnson was appointed postmaster at Franklin, Renville county, Minnesota, vice C. M. Johnson, resigned.

Minneapolis—The commissioner's report shows that the insurance companies made a big profit on Minnesota business last year.

Spooner—Spooner tax payers are highly pleased over the financial condition of Spooner, as it does not owe one dollar and has no bonds outstanding.

Minneapolis—Nine divorce decrees have been signed and handed in by Judge Simpson, as a part of the result of the work of the first week in hearing divorce actions.

Minneapolis—Slugged into insensibility, robbed of all his money and left for dead in a boxcar by his own pal, was the fate of Fred Koehler, a lumberjack from Wisconsin.

Minneapolis—The receiving home of the Minnesota Children's Home society on Commonwealth avenue is in quarantine on account of scarlet fever and diphtheria among the children.

Owatonna—The largest mass meeting ever held in this city was called to endorse the project of the so-called "Dan Patch Air Line," the proposed new electric railway from Minneapolis.

St. Paul—Art Hathaway, George Scharfeilli, R. Jensen and Jack Wiener were arrested by Patrolmen Garvin and Mazalis at the Windsor theater on a charge of scattering Japanese snuff in the theater.

Winthrop—Game Warden P. H. Jordan of Mankato has completed an inspection trip in this vicinity, and as a result Henry F. Tuem pleaded guilty to the charge of shooting ducks out of season and paid a fine of $10 and costs.

St. Paul—E. L. Tuttle, twenty years old, was arrested on the complaint of T. P. Cleary, chief detective of the Chicago Great Western Railway company. Tuttle, it is alleged, took clothing from the construction camps of the railway company.

Minneapolis—F. L. Washburn, state entomologist, has a supply of cecropia cocoons for nature study. These cocoons will be mailed free of charge as long as the supply lasts to teachers of public schools who wish them for natural history or other class work. Address the state entomologist, St. Anthony Park.

Winona—After assaulting several neighbors in the hope that by killing them she could rid her stock of the witches which she believed were possessed by them, Lena Turnow, a spinster of the town of Norton, was brought before the probate court, declared insane and was sent to the asylum at Rochester.

Faribault—A pupil who is deaf, dumb and blind has been admitted to the state school for the deaf and dumb in this city. The little girl's name is Vera Gammon, and good progress is being made in her education. She has learned to spell on her fingers a large number of words and can use the corresponding signs of many.

Winona—Andrew Troppman is in a critical condition, blood poisoning being feared, from the bite of an infuriated Arabian stallion by which he was attacked. The animal is owned by W. G. McCutcheon, and Troppman was hitching it up. The animal had been acting ugly and suddenly lunged at him and seized his arm in its teeth.

Moorhead—The twelve-year-old son of Arne Ostrum, a farmer living in Morken township, was terribly injured by a savage hog, which attacked him in his father's barnyard. The brute caught the boy by the fleshy part of the leg, above the knee, and ripped the flesh from the bone. The result of the injury is in doubt.

Minneapolis—Two people narrowly escaped drowning in St. Louis bay, Lake Minnetonka, and were saved in the nick of time by W. D. Sammis, 1325 Harmon place, who came to their assistance in a boat. Both were unconscious for some time after the rescue, but medical assistance was summoned and it is said that they will recover.

South St. Paul—Premiums to the amount of $5,000 will be given by the northwestern livestock show, which will be held here the latter part of the year. The committee on premiums consists of Professor Andrew Boss of the state agricultural school; Professor J. J. Ferguson, Chicago, and E. W. Randall, secretary of the Minnesota State Agricultural Society.

North Branch—Christian Gillette, a farmer, was attacked by a bull, which charged him several times and would have killed him if he had not succeeded in getting hold of a sharp instrument and putting out both of its eyes.

Duluth—The Canadian Northern railroad has refused to receive further shipments of settlers' effects owing to the congested condition of traffic on the road west from the Minnesota boundary.

Mankato—Fred Helm of St. Peter trapped an otter in the Minnesota river last week, the fur from which brought him nearly $20.

FOR THE BUSINESS WOMAN

A Few Things She Should Always Keep in Mind—Poor Sense of Justice Is to Be Regretted—Sending Money Through the Mails.

BY KATHERINE LOUISE SMITH.

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An uneven balancing of money affairs is unfortunately more common among women than among men. This is not due to lack of the instinct of justice, but to want of training. We have all been the recipients of gifts that we have involuntarily exclaimed on receiving: "Oh, I wish she had not sent it," simply because we knew the donor was violating the instinct of justice. Many a grocer's wife has received a present and heard her husband exclaim on seeing it: "If that same woman would pay me what she owes me it would be a trifle better." Such cases are common. They come from a warped sense of justice induced often by lack of business system. This is one reason why it is desirable to keep books, to keep a bank account and to pay by means of checks.

If it is desirable to pay a bill in another town several ways may be adopted. Money can be sent by check or bank draft. The former should be made payable to "order." Such a check is perfectly safe in any letter as it cannot be drawn by any person save the correct party. Money can also be sent by express or telegraph companies. Both these methods are rapid but expensive and as a rule are employed in emergencies.

Another way is to send a money order. These are issued for any amount for one cent to $100. The rate varies in this country according to the amount, from 3 to 30 cents. They are not payable the day of issue, but if lost a duplicate will be made out. In order to get this duplicate it is necessary to preserve the stub handed the payer by the postmaster who issues the order.

These orders are safe, economical and can be obtained at 36,000 money order offices in the United States. As a handy reference it is well to note the following information regarding fees which is furnished by the post office:

Three cents to 30 cents for orders payable in the United States and her island possessions (Porto Rico, Hawaii, Guam and the Philippine islands), the United States postal agency at Shanghai, in Canada, Cuba, Newfoundland and in Barbados, Grenada, St. Lucia and St. Vincent (West Indies).

Eight cents to 50 cents for international orders payable in Austria, Bahamas, Belgium, Bermuda, Bolivia, British Guiana, Chili, Costa Rica, Denmark, Egypt, Hungary, Jamaica, Japan, Leeward islands, Liberia, Luxemburg, Mexico, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Peru, Sweden, Switzerland, Transvaal and Trinidad.

Ten cents to one dollar for international orders payable in Apia (Samoa), Cape Colony, France, Germany, Great Britain, Greece, Honduras, Hongkong, Italy, New South Wales, Portugal, Queensland, Russia, Salvador, South Australia, Tasmania and Victoria.

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Often in sending letters or packages with valuable contents, it is well to have them registered if the mails are employed. This ensures the parcel against loss for its value up to $25. So conveniently is this arranged that while parcels may be registered in any post office or post office station, city and rural carriers are also authorized to register moderate sized letters and parcels and to give a receipt for the same. The addressee is always asked to sign a receipt on delivery of parcel and this is returned by the post office to the sender. The fee for registry is eight cents, in addition to postage, which is either foreign or domestic rate.

Uncle Sam is a sure and safe deliverer and his mail goes to every post office in the world. If it is desirable to have a letter reach its destination as soon as possible it is well to affix a special delivery stamp, in addition to the regular postage. Perhaps the letter will reach its destination on Sunday where there is no mail delivery. The special stamp insures its delivery at once within the limit of the city delivery, and within one mile of any other United States post office.

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"How will I know which window to approach, in depositing money in a bank, and can you give me a suggestion that will help in counting my money in the bank?"—A Depositor.

The departments at a bank are always plainly marked, and the words "Receiving Teller" and "Paying Teller" show exactly where to go to deposit and receive money. Many persons imagine that banking hours are short and that business on that account is easy. The contrary is the case, for often bookkeepers spend hours rectifying mistakes. For this reason, and because her own time should be valuable, the considerate woman will count her money before leaving home, will have checks and bills separated for depositing and will keep deposit slips at home so that she can enter her money on the slip and have it ready to be handed in immediately on reaching the bank. It is always best to call early at a bank, for there is an accumulation of business near the closing hours.

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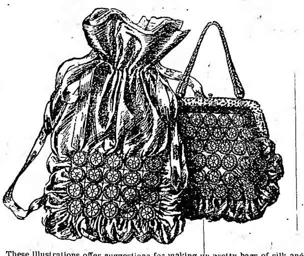
"You state that most banks have deposit slips that are handed in with the money. Of what value are they? My bank is a small one and does not use them. Could I make one out and hand in?"—Business Woman.

Yes, you can make a slip out, affixing your name, the date and the amount of checks, bills and silver that you deposit. Here is an instance of the value of a deposit slip. A well-known woman on a certain day, deposited a sum in checks and money in her bank. Unfortunately she was careless enough to leave her bank book at home, and when she obtained it later, after the monthly "write-up," no record of this transaction appeared. She at once notified the bank and a search revealed the fact that they had her deposit slip properly made out but had credited the money to another party of the same surname. The mistake was rectified at once with profuse apologies, but it serves as an instance to show how mistakes can happen even in the best banks, and how depositors should be particular to use the slips and, when possible, have the entry made at once on the pass book.

"What is meant by indorsing a check 'in blank?'"—Mrs. A. L. M.

A check indorsed "in blank" is one which bears on its back the name of the person to whom it is made out. In such a case the holder can write above the name of the indorser the words "Pay to the order of (herself)." The check cannot then be drawn by any one but the proper person. To illustrate: Mary L. Brown has a check which was given her by Dorothy Condit, whose name appears on the face and back of the check. She is afraid she may lose it, in which case anyone can draw it. So she writes over Dorothy Condit's signature on the back, "Pay to the order of Mary L. Brown." She then knows that no one can draw the check unless she signs her name beneath that of Dorothy Condit. In case Mary L. Brown wishes to turn the check over to some one, says Alice Sanborn, she writes under the other indorsements: "Pay to the order of Alice Sandborn," and signs her name, Mary L. Brown.

Two Pretty Designs for Bags of Silk and Rings



These illustrations offer suggestions for making up pretty bags of silk and rings covered with crochet. Small brass or celluloid rings are worked over in double crochet. The spaces are then filled in with spun-stitches such as are worked in lace. They should be in finer silk. The number of rings that are joined must, of course, be regulated by the size of the bag required.

Our first design is arranged so that the silk is gathered up to form a puff outside the rings at sides and lower edge. The top is drawn up by ribbon threaded through rings sewn inside about two inches from the upper edge.

The other has the silk put plainly under the rings with a puffing at the lower edge; the top is sewn into a gilt clasp mount with silk cord handle. The lining of this bag should only be carried to the edge of the plain part; it will thus make the puff set better, and make this inside more convenient.

IS THE OLDEST NEWSBOY

ORASMUS PAGE, OF JOLIET, ILL., 99 YEARS OF AGE.

Still Active Despite His Handicap of Deafness and Loss of One Leg—A Familiar Figure of Railroad Depot.

Joliet, Ill.—Ninety-nine years old, handicapped by deafness and the loss of one leg, Orasmus Page of this city has the distinction of being the oldest newsboy in the world. For 14 years, summer and winter, the patriarch has been at his place at the Chicago and Alton depot from early morning until the middle of the forenoon supplying his patrons with the morning papers. Grandfather Page, as he is popularly known, has no sympathy with the Osler theory, and, although he celebrated his ninety-ninth birthday last month, has no idea of retiring in favor of any member of the younger generation.

Two blocks from the station in a modest but comfortable little cottage lives this centenarian newsboy with his wife Mary, who is 22 years younger than her husband and rheumatic, but continues in spite of her 77 years to do the housework for the family, which includes a grandson who is living with the old couple. They have been married sixty years and have five grown children, 14 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Orasmus Page comes from a family noted for longevity. His mother died at 78 and his father's death resulted from an accident when he was 86. His grandfather lived to be 102 years and nine months old and the grandmother reached the great age of 105 years.

Mr. Page has been self-supporting from the time he was ten years old, when he went to work on a farm as chore boy in New York state, where he was born Feb. 11, 1808. During his long life he has been engaged in a wide range of occupations. He has toiled as a section hand on a railroad, run a coal office, worked at house moving, driven a team, and it was while running a threshing machine that he lost his leg. A little log cabin in Franklin county, Ohio, was the first home of the couple, and subsequently they moved to western Indiana the journey being made by team. Twenty years ago they moved to Braidwood, Ill., and a little later to Joliet.

Despite his great age, Mr. Page displays a remarkable degree of vigor. He arises at four o'clock in the morning and is down at the station looking after his papers long before the town is astir. Until ten o'clock his familiar figure, which unconsciously reminds one of an old sea salt, is to be seen around the depot, unless his supply of papers runs short before that time, which is often the case, for he has a good patronage. Then he goes home to breakfast and returns to his original occupation of doing chores. He wields an ax as handily as a youth, and there is never a lack of kindling on hand beside the stove. In the afternoon he sits down for a rest and a smoke in the cozy armchair near the stove, while Mrs. Page, who is a great newspaper reader, devotes herself to the news of the day, a discussion of which usually leads to a reminiscent chat between the old couple.

Neither of the pair ever attended a theater, but they once witnessed an amateur performance of "Bluebeard" in a school where one of their daughters was a teacher. Contented, happy and independent, Mr. Page has no special advice to give with regard to the problem of good health and attaining old age. He believes in the simple life and out-of-door work, plenty of rest and sleep and plain, substantial food. He always has been fond of tobacco, but has given all other forms of stimulant a wide berth.

ORASMUS PAGE.
(Oldest Newsboy in the World.)

MEXICAN AMBASSADRESS RICH.

Senora Creel Also an Accomplished Artist and Musician.

Washington.—One of the richest women in the world is Senora Angela Creel, wife of the new Mexican ambassador to Washington. Yet her receptions are marked by elegance and good taste, rather than a desire to parade. She is one of the least pretentious of the grande dames in the foreign corps.

Ordinarily she is gowned in simple texture, and her manner is very retiring. But on occasion she can put on the most costly garments and jewels ever seen at the capital.

Senora Creel is the daughter of Gen. Miguel Francesco de Terrajaf, governor of Chihuahua. He is a self-made man, having worked up from a laborer earning 20 cents a day. He now owns almost the whole of Chihuahua. "What he doesn't own his son-in-law, Senor Creel, does," the Mexicans say.

Senor Creel maintains at San Rosario, in the southern part of Chihuahua, one of the most magnificent establishments on this continent. The luxury of the Vanderbilt, Rockefeller or Gould estates is meager compared with it. On the Creel estate are two good-sized towns, almost three counties and vast mining and industrial plants. The retainers would make a good-sized army.

Senora Creel, who shares this vast wealth, is a linguist, musician and artist. She is aiding in the literary and artistic developments of her country.

SENORA ANGELA CREEL.
(Wife of New Mexican Ambassador, Who Is Both Rich and Accomplished.)

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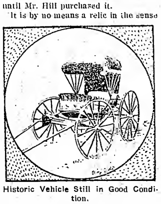
A PEDIGREED FOUR-WHEELER.

Carriage in Which Member of Washington's Cabinet Rode.

Boston.—The private carriage of Maj. Gen. Henry Knox, of Thomaston, who was first secretary of war under Washington, is in the possession of Frank B. Hills, first selectman of Thomaston, Me. Not only is it one of the most historic vehicles in the United States, but it is also probably the oldest able-bodied private carriage in existence on the continent.

In spite of its 125 years, a quaint, substantial vehicle it is. Gen. Knox probably had it made in Boston, for there were no carriage builders in Thomaston in those early days, and, as Gen. Knox operated a packet line of small sailing vessels between Boston and Thomaston, it would have been easy for him to have the carriage brought to Thomaston. Many thousands of miles has this vehicle rolled since the day it left the maker's hands. Gen. Knox used it to drive over his vast estate in Maine, and when he died on Oct. 25, 1806, it went among the possessions of his estate which were sold. The father of Alden Gay, of Thomaston, bought the vehicle, and it remained in use with the Gay family until Mr. Hill purchased it.

It is by no means a relic in the sense of something that has become useless. The historic carriage is in good condition to this day, and Mr. Hill occasionally takes a ride in it. Not only does it run easily, but it is a decidedly comfortable carriage. To use an old expression, Gen. Knox's carriage was "built upon honor"—that is to say, the whole body and wheels and axles are of the best. The whiffletree is of iron, and there is a step on either shaft to enter the carriage. Its upholstering is of the finest material, for in the old colonial days the carriages of the gentry were elaborate affairs. The dasher is covered with whole calfskin, it has a "boot," and is fitted with most of the conveniences which are used in the carriages of to-day.



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THE 2-CENT FARE MOVEMENT.

The popular movement for a maximum passenger fare of 2 cents a mile swept over the country at the beginning of this year and was followed by the introduction of bills with that object in view in no less than eighteen of the state legislatures have resulted in the passage of the measures by eight of these states and in prompt signatures by the executives in each instance. Three states have the matter still under consideration by their assemblies. One—Kansas—refused to take any action. Two—Wisconsin and North Dakota—compromised on the 2½ cent rate.

The states that enacted 2-cent fare laws are, practically in the order in which they acted, Mississippi, Arkansas, Nebraska, Missouri, Iowa, Indiana, Minnesota and Pennsylvania. In Mississippi, the railroads have already taken legal action to stop the putting of the law into effect. In Arkansas, Missouri and Nebraska, the systems have adopted retaliatory tactics and have either materially reduced their service or are planning to do so. In Indiana, where the electric lines are extensive, as in Ohio, the pioneer in the 2 cent fare scheme, the steam roads are apparently resigned. In Pensylvania President McCrea of the Pennsylvania system and Baer of the Reading declare vehemently that they will be forced to use cheaper equipment. In Iowa and Minnesota, in which states efforts to compromise on 2½ cents failed, there have been hints of "2-cent service for 2-cent fares," but this has not come from the master-minds of any of the roads.

In Michigan, where the measure to reduce rates in the lower peninsula to 2 cent on lines earning over $1,200 a mile per year seemed in danger of being killed, Governor Warner himself took such action as will undoubtedly secure the passage of the bill by both houses, one of which—the senate—has already taken action. One house of the Illinois legislature has passed a 2-cent act and the other is almost certain to do so. New York which has 2 cents for long distances on the trunk lines is likely to make the maximum the same on all roads.

The railroads generally contend that they will have to put on cheaper trains with cheaper equipments, will have to countermand orders for costly new coaches and will also be compelled to abandon their limited service with cars of the highest and most expensive type. The advocates of the reduced rates contend, on the contrary, that cheaper fares will soon result in such increase in travel as will yield the roads greater revenues than ever and, so far as weight of precedent is concerned, they have the better of this argument. The railroads must also give credit for the goodly increase in revenue due to the cutting off of all free transportation.

In some cases, there is talk of retaliation, if the railroads shall install cheaper equipment and economize on train service. It is sincerely to be hoped, however, that talk of this kind will subside and the railroads be left in peace to work out the problems which are already sufficiently complicated.—Duluth Herald.

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J. A. DUFFY, Cashier

Red Lake Falls Minnesota

Lightinng rod agents are getting busy in North Dakota. It is said that the farmers are buying them with hope that they will ward off the possibility of being struck by another blizzard.

St. Cloud Journal Press:—"Whom the gods would kill they first make mad." The "fat boys" are about mad enough at President Roosevelt for killing. Here's hoping they succeed in making enough of a fight to induce Roosevelt to run for a second term.

The preliminary reports of the Nebraska railroads for March indicates increased earnings under the operation of the two cents passenger rate which went into effect March 1st. The officials of the roads are reticent and refuse to give exact totals, but it is evident that the 2 cent passenger rate is no detriment to the roads, if it was, the railroad officials would not be so close mouthed.

There are now nearly eight million more people in continental United States than there were six years ago. This estimate is based upon figures compiled by the census bureau in a special report issued last week. According to its estimates the population of continental United States in 1906 was 83,941,510 an increase over 7,946,935. The population of the United States inclusive of Alaska and Insular possessions in 1906 was 93,182,240. The growth in population in continental Uuited States from 1905 to 1909 was 1,337,315. Computed on the basis of estimated density the population of continental United States in 1906 was twenty-eight persons per square mile, compared with twenty-six in 1900.

A janitor in a neighboring school threw up his job the other day. When asked what was the trouble, he said, "I'm honest and I won't stand being slurred. If I find a pencil or a handkerchief 'bout the school I hang it up. Every little while the teacher or some one that is too cowardly to face me, gives me a slur." "in what way?" asked the officer. "Why, a little while ago I saw written on the board, find the common multiple.' Well I looked from cellar to garret, and I wouldn't know the blamed thing if I met it on the street. What made me quit my job? Last night in big writin' on the blackboard, it said 'find the greatest common divisor., Well I says to myself' both of them darn things are lost now, and I'll be blamed for swipin' 'em, so I'll quit.'

Stand By The Home Creamery.

There is a movement on foot to concentrate the creamery business, now flourishing in every county of the state, in big cities, and as an inducement alluring offers are being made to the farmers by the promoters of the scheme to get them to send their cream to the cities instead of patronizing their home co-operative creameries. If the farmers are wise, they will stand by their own institutions. The city speculators do not care a rap for the welfare of the farmers and go into the venture for what there is in it. It is very probable that in the beginning they will pay a trifle more for the cream than the country creamery, but should they succeed in crowding the latter out of business, which of course will be their aim, a different tune will be heard. We may then look for Standard Oil methods and with no remedy at hand to conteract it. Every business man and farmer knows how the big oil company crushes competition. Whenever an independant concern attempted to sell its oil in a town in competition with Rockerfeller the latter sold his oil at and below cost until the other fellow gave up, and then raised the price a point or two above the former price to make up for the lost sustained in driving a competitor out of business.

Stand by your own creamery. If it needs improvments, get them. Have everything up to date, including the buttermaker. You then will command the highest market price obtainable and need not fear that the butter trust which is now being formed, will take all the profits and let you assume all the trouble and responsibility. After the country creameries are once driven out of business it will be an easy matter for the city speculators to dictate the price, quality and conditions. It will be a good deal like a commission house business—the producer the risk and the city man takes the rest.

GREAT NORTHERN

Makes a Noise Like Commencing Work on Roseau Branch.

Roseau Times: About two months ago the Times stated upon semi-official authority that work would commence on the Roseau extension of the Great Northern before the frost was out of the ground. This was no prediction, but a statement made upon the word of an official who was in a position to know what he was talking about, and it appears now that his statement is about to be verified. Word comes from Greenbush to the effect that about all the material needed for the bridge work between that point and Warroad has been unloaded, and a construction man in Greenbush stated that the work of laying steel would be completed to Roseau not later than May 15. It is to be hoped that this will prove true and the building of the road no longer delayed. The entire matter is up to the construction-department and there does not appear to be any other work to interfere with the completion of the Roseau branch from Greenbush to Warroad by June 1st.

Send us the news.

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Changed the Name.

Some time ago the name of Oslo was changed according to reports received from that town to Soo City. The Oslo Tribune however, still comes out under that name and whether the change will stick or not seems to be a question. Citizens of that city are registering from Soo City. The change is said to have been the result of a desire on the part of Thief River Falls to change to the same name. Thief Riverites do not like their name because of its length and the implication, but Oslo thought that Soo City was a better name than Oslo so slipped in ahead of Thief River Falls. Oslo is on the Red river just west of Warren.

High School State Pupils Exam

Rural and ungraded schools desiring to secure the state high school board examinations should make known the same to the county superintendent at once. In thus notifying the superintendent it is necessary to state the subjects in which examinations are to be taken and the number of sets of questions desired in each subject.

No questions can be ordered after a requisition for same has been made to the state board. Teachers desiring the examinations should report without delay. The examinations will take place the last week of May or the first week in June.

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The Local Field---

Class Play
"Sweet Girl Graduates"
Friday Evening April 19th.

Everybody turn out and give them a big house.

J. B. Armstrong was an over Sunday visitor at Fargo.

A. Cairns was an over night visitor at Crookston Wednesday.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Mrs. Joe Cyr is reported very ill with rheumatism this week.

Joseph Sally was an over Sunday visitor with friends at Theif River.

Miss Ida Tandberg visited with friends at Thief River tne first of the week.

L. O. Thompson, of Grand Forks spent a few days in the city the fore part of the week.

Miss Mary Lamb spent Saturday at St. Hilaire as the guest of Miss Mable Hannay.

Judge Knight returned Tuesday from Thief River where he had been visiting for a few days.

The Foresters held a qance at their hall last evening. The music was furnished by Friends Orchestra.

Mrs. P. W. Roark of Kelliher, arrived in the city last week for a two weeks visit with friends and relatives.

J. E. Leighton deputy manager of the M. B. A. lodge of this disrict was in the city this week organizing a class.

Howard R. Jones of Crookston to Alma I. Remington, of St. Hilaire was the only marriage license issued this week.

Robert Regan went to Greenbush where he has a lucrative position offered him that of assistant in the freight house.

Gus. Anderson, an uncle of S. A. Swanson, arrived in the city from Badger, Roseau County, last Tuesday. He left for Duluth last evening.

When you have glasses fitted take no chances; but have your eyes examined by a Specialist whose ability is unquestioned, Dr. Spafford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

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"Sweet Girl Graduates," April 19th.

Joe Ducharme of Badger is on the sick list this week.

F. A. Grady transacted business at Crookston Tuesday night.

Go to the Merehants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 pereent.

Z. A. Cadieux of Crookston visited with relatives here last Saturday.

Matt Skala transacted business at Crookston the fore part of the week.

Mrs. A. L. Brunelle left Saturday for a week's visit with friends at Crookston.

If your lamp chimney smokes go to Spillanes, The Right Store and get some Ruby Oil.

Miss Aliee Coughlin spent last Friday as a guest of Miss Ada Foote at East Grand Forks.

There will be no services at St. Mary's church Sunday owing to the absence of Father Ambrose.

E. E. Fletcher went to Grand Forks yesterday morning to visit his sons, Dr. F. F. and Abner for a few days.

Nap Marleau and son departed yesterday for Spokane, Wash., where they will take up their residence for the summer.

J. W. Westphal came up from Minneapolis on Wedensday to attend to some business matters, returning the same day.

Albert Guerin and Adalore Guilmette returned to this city Tuesday after having spent the winter in the lumber woods.

The Ladies aid soceity of the Presbyterian church will meet at the church parlors at 3 o'clock next Wednesday afternoon for a business meeting.

Jos. Sally has a brand new wagon for his dray line. The workmanship was done by Ens. Normandeau and is a creditable piece of work for any wagon manufacturer.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher. of Grand Forks, will be at Dr. Wilkinson's office in Red Lake Falls, from April 27th to 29th inclusive. Anyone having dental work should see him at that time.

When you need a pill, take a pill and be sure It's an Early Riser. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are safe, sure, satisfactory pills. The pills with a reputation. They do not gripe or sicken. They are sold here by all druggists.

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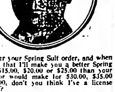

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Write me today and tell me about the kind of Spring suit you have on your mind, and by return mail I'll send you samples of my spring fabrics, also self-measurement blank. Don't be afraid to ask questions. I want to be of service to you any way I can.

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Write me today and let me save you a bunch of money.

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I AM RIGHT WITH THE GOODS.

Suit Made to Order, Scotch Goods, Worth $30 and $35

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Suits Made to Order, English Goods, Worth $35 to $40

$20 AND $25

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$30 AND $35

Write for Samples Today,

HARRY MITCHELL,
310 Nicollet Ave., Minneapolis, Minn.

Macaroni seed wheat for sale.—L. C. Simons.

E. L. Healy transacted bussiness at Terrehonne yesterday.

F. A. Farley was an over night visitor at Crookston Tuesday.

A. L. Reichert went down to the Twin Cities Tuesday on business.

State Libarian King attended to business matters in the eity a few days this week.

There will be a business meeting of the Royal Neighbors at 7:30 P. M. on Friday evening.

The finest line of eandies and confectionery in the eity ean always be found at Freund's.

Miss Ida Miller departed this morning for Hillsboro, N. D., ber home, where she was called.

Miss Mamie Regan returned home Saturday from a week's visit with friends at Crookston.

Supt. McAnulty is spending the week visiting schools in the northeastern part of the county.

Tom Pouliot arrived in the city last Friday from Grand Rapids and will visit among relatives for a short time.

The Big Store is advertising a discount sale of spring coats in todays Gazette. It will pay you to look over the ad.

Editor Dudley of the Gazette went to Little Falls Tuesday evening where he was called by the serious illness of his father.

Mrs. A. P. Toupin returned this morning from a two weeks visit with her daughter. Mrs. H. N. Johnson, at Park River, N. D.

Sheriff Nelson went to Thief River yesterday, from whieb place he will go out on the reservation to attend to some business matters.

I have taken off a bateh and will now sell or trade my "Old Trusty" incubator, 110 egg size, as I have no further use for it this year.—Fred L. Farley. 2w

Miss Lerain Longtin departs tomorrow for Rugby N. D. where she will resume her school duties, concluding a two weeks visit with friends and relatives here.

Miss Dollie Matthies, who who was forced to give up her work at the Normal for a time on aeeount of illness, returned to Moorhead Monday where she will resume her studies.

Contractors Linnihan & Gray shipped a bunch of horses to Glenwood yesterday to be used on contraets which they have secured on the new Glenwood-Duluth extention of the Soo.

A. P. Toupin and J. R. Pouliot left Monday for a several days business trip to Duluth. Mr. Pouliot has several positions in sight at that place and will probably take up his residence in the Zenith City.

St. Hilaire is to have an electric light plant and a telephone exehange. That Commereial Club is surely getting to the front and gives evidence of making St. Hilaire a modern little eity in every respeet.

Frank Jeffers came home Saturday for a week's sojourn among a host of friends. Frank reports everything in his line as progressing satisfaetory, but has considerable diffieulty in refraining from telling 'em to "Vote for Jeffers". when he enters a new town to solicit business.

Joe Harren received a handsome new Boston baritone last week, which is one of the finest Instruments made. The instrument which made a hundred dollar bill look like the proverbal 30-cents, is a beauty and will he a valuable addition to the band's fine equipment.

A. Mr. Hanson arrived in the city last Tuesdav and on Wednesday was taken out to Terrebonne by landman Healy witb a view of purehasing a farm. The gentlemau was favorably impressed with the eountry and wben he departed for home on Wednesday expressed a desire of returning.

Use Kennedy's Laxative Cough Syrup. Children like its pleasant taste, and motbers give it hearty endorsement. Contains no opiates, but drives out the cold tbrougb tbe bowels. Made in strict eonformity to Pure Food and Drugs Law. Recommended and sold by all druggists.

With tbe passage of the 2-cent fare bill, which goes into effeet May 1st., there is considerable interest evinced in what the ehange in fare will be to different points in this vicinity. Under the new rate the fare to Crookston will be redueed from 97cent to 64 cents a reduetion of about 65 eents for the round trip. The trip to St. Hilaire ean be made for 21 cents instead of 31 cents, and to Thief River for 36 cents in place of 53 eents under the old rate. The fare to Minneapolis at present is $8.51. Taken on a mileage basis of 284 miles, under the new rate the fare would be redueed to $5.68, or a saving of $5.66 for the round trip, which would equal a fare and a third under the old 3-cent rate.

The happiest man on this earth is the common every day ebap who makes his own living, pays bis own bills, but doesn't strive to get a corner on the loeal output and is a slave neither of ambition or society. he loves "there is no place like home." The loved wife never has to sit up at night to poultiee his conseience, for he beleives in the doetrine of live and let live. The plain man is happy because he is satisfied and does not spend the best part of his life in day dreams. scbemes and yearning for things four sizes too large for him.—Ex.

Discount Sale of
--Spring Coats--

We have just opened a lot of Cloaks that have been used as samples, not soiled in any way. perfectly clean. We offer them at a big reduction.
No duplicates furnished at same price.

$20.00 satin lined long coats, silk velvet collars, medium weight, all wool cloth, sale price...............

$15.00

$ 8.00 long coats, satin lined, all wool goods, all wool material, made in the inimitable Palmer style. Palmer made and the Palmer fit, $12.50-

$13.50

These goods should be seen to be appreciated.

If you can't afford a ready made coat, get some of our long coat material and with the aid of a Butterick Pattern you can make yourself a dandy coat for $4 00 to

$5.00

Our line of Shoes

is the most complete line shown in . . . the city . . .

We show St. Cecilia shoes in turns, welts, blucher and lace, kid, patent leather and gun metal, all

$3.50

We show a regular $3.00 shoe for

$2.50

You can't beat it elsewhere for $3

Get your grass and garden seeds from us---we sell Northrup King's sterling grass seeds, clover, timothy, corn, etc.

Everybody says it pays to trade at . .

The Big Store

Big in Size but little in prices

THEO. LaBISSONIERE, Proprietor.

The pure food department reeently had samples of tobacca examined and analized and the faet was revealed that the trust is preparing all kinds of stuff for the innocent to put in their pipes und smoke. The kinds known as English Curve Cut and his God and his fellowman, thinks Lucky Strike contain 40 per cent of tobacco and the balanee was common brown paper cut fine. Bull Durham contained not a particle of tobacco but was made of finely ehopped straw paper soaked in the juice of tobaceo stems and refuse. Dukes Mixture was only ten per cent tobaeco and the rest brown paper. When a man thinks be is suffering from nicotine poisoning, it may be nothing but the taste of straw smoke creosote in his mouth.

White Wyandottes are the best general purpose fowl. Have the size and are great winter layers. Eggs from extra fine stoek $1.00 per setting.—Fred L. Farley. 27 30

Fosston, McIntosh and Fertile have completed arrangements to hold a field meet at McIntosh during the last week of school. There will be twelve events, eaeh school being represented by two students in eaeh event, first place to count five points and second to count three points, the school seeuring the largest number being judged victors. Following is the list of events: Running high jump, Running broad jump, Pole vault, 100 yd. dash. 220 yd. dash, 440 yd. dash. Putting the shot 16lb., Throwing the hammer' 16lb., 1 mile relay raee, Hurdle raee, Tug of war, 6 on a side.

This is the Time of the Year

When you begin to think about a new coat of paint for the house, you want a paint that will not only brighten and beautify the home, but will withstand sudden changes in the weather without cracking and pealing---a paint that will last. There is but one brand of paint that we can guarantee to last---

Heath & Milligan's Ready-Mixed Paints
The Best Prepared Paint Made

A full line of these famous paints always on hand. SEE OUR SAMPLES.

We have have received a large shipment of

Barb Wire,
Small Farm Implements
Building Material, Etc.

We make a specialty of always being ready to furnish figures on hardware supplies for buildings and contract work where hardware is used, and it will pay you to call and get prices before purchasing.

SPORTING GOODS...

Our line of sporting goods is the largest to be found in the city and we take a special pride keeping our stock complete and up-to-date. We have everything you want in

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We would be pleased to have you call at any time and look over these goods, they are for your inspection whether you wish to buy or not.

New Hardware Store G. A. KANKEL Red Lake Falls, Minn.

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON, AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XXV.—Continued.

[illegible] a love story, again that [illegible] moving love of one man for [illegible] woman, that seemed as sweet as [illegible] novel to her. But there was [illegible] between the houses in the play, [illegible] young lover had to make a [illegible] see his beloved, climbing a [illegible] wall into her garden, climbing to [illegible] balcony by a scarf she flung [illegible] to him. To the young woman [illegible] Amalon, these lovers' voices [illegible] with a strange compulsion, so [illegible] they played with her heart be[illegible] them. She was in turn the [illegible] pleading in a voice that touched [illegible] heart-string from low to high; [illegible] he was the woman, soft and [illegible] hesitating in moments of de[illegible] doubt, yet almost fearful of her [illegible] to resist, half-wishing to be [illegible], half-frightened lest she [illegible]

[illegible] she followed the heart-[illegible] tragedy to its close, suffer[illegible] the grief of each lover, [illegible] death for each, and feeling [illegible] desolated when the end came, [illegible] when the dull curtain shut her [illegible] to her own little world, where [illegible] was no love like that, and be[illegible] the little bent man she went out [illegible] the night.

[illegible] next morning had come a [illegible] delight, an invitation to a ball [illegible] Brigham. Most of the day was [illegible] in one of the shops, choosing [illegible] of wondrous beauty, and hav[illegible] fitted to her. When she looked [illegible] the little cracked mirror that [illegible] she saw a strange new face and [illegible], and, when she entered the ball[illegible] she felt that others noted the [illegible] strangeness, for many looked at [illegible] till she felt her cheeks burn. [illegible] Brigham arose from a sofa, [illegible] he had been sitting with his [illegible] wife and his last, and came gal[illegible] toward her. Brigham, whom [illegible] knew to be the most favored of [illegible] on earth and the absolute ruler of [illegible] the realm about her,—an affable, [illegible] dignified gentleman [illegible], who took her hand warmly in [illegible] his own, looked her over with his [illegible] blue eyes, and welcomed her [illegible] Zion in words of a fatherly gentle[illegible]. Later, when he had danced with [illegible] of his wives, Brigham came to [illegible] with her, light of foot and full [illegible] for the measure as any youth.

[illegible]thers danced with her, but during [illegible] she kept finding herself back be[illegible] the magic square that framed the [illegible] where a man loved but one woman. She remembered that Brig[illegible] had sat with four of his wives in one of the boxes, enthusiastically [illegible] that portrayal of a single [illegible]. As the picture came back to [illegible] now, there seemed to have been [illegible] incongruous in this spec[illegible]. She observed the seamed and [illegible] features of his earliest wife, [illegible] kept to the sofa during the even[illegible] beside the better favored Amelia, [illegible] the good man had last married, [illegible] she thought of his score or so of [illegible] between them.

[illegible] she knew that what she had [illegible] the night before had been the [illegible], that she could love no man who did not love her alone. She tried to [illegible] the lover in the play going from balcony to balcony, sighing the [illegible] impassioned love-tale to woman after woman, or to imagine him with many wives at home, to whom would [illegible] taken the news of his death in the [illegible] of his last. So she thought of [illegible] play and not of the ball, stepping the dances absently, and, when it was all over, she fell asleep, rejoicing that, before their death, the two dear lovers had been sealed for time and eternity, so that they could awaken together in the Kingdom.

They went home the next day, driving down the valley that rolled in billows of green between the broken ridges of the Wasatch and the Oquirrh. It was no longer of the Kingdom she thought, nor of Brigham and his wives; only of a clean-limbed youth in doublet and hose, a plumed [illegible], and a silken cloak, who, in a voice that brought the tears back of her eyes, told of his undying love for one woman—and of the soft, tender woman in the moonlight, who had trusted him and let herself go to him in life and in death.

The world had not ended. She thought that, in truth, it could not have ended yet; for had she not a life to live?

CHAPTER XXVI.

The Lion of the Lord Sends an Order.

They reached home in very different states of mind. The girl was eager for the solitude of her favorite nook in the canyon, where she could dream in peace of the wonderland she had glimpsed; but the little bent man was stirred by dread and chafed with forebodings. To him, as well as to the girl, the change in the first city of Zion had been a thing to wonder at. But what had thrilled her with a dazed delight brought pain to him. Zion was no longer held inviolate.

And now the truth was much clearer to him. Not only had the Lord deferred His coming, but He had set His hand again to scatter Israel for its sin. Instead of letting them stay alone in their mountain retreat until the beginning of His reign on earth, He had brought the Gentiles upon them in overwhelming numbers. Where once a thousand miles of wilderness lay between them and Gentile wickedness, they were now hemmed about with it, and even it polluted the streets of the holy city itself.

One morning, a few weeks after he had reached home from the north, he received a call from Seth Wright.

"Here's a letter Brother Brigham wanted me to be sure and give you," said this good man. "He said he didn't know you was allowing to start back so soon, or he'd have seen you in person."

He took the letter and glanced at the superscription, written in Brigham's rather unformed but plain and very decided-looking hand.

"So you've been north, Brother Seth? What do you think of Israel there?"

The views of the Wild Ram of the Mountains partook in certain ways of his own discouragement.

"Zion has run to seed, Brother Rae; the rank weeds of Babylon is a-goin' to choke it out, root and branch! We ain't got no chance to live a pure and Godly life any longer, with railroads coming in, and Gentiles with their fancy contraptions. It weakens the spirit, and it plays the very bob with the women. Soon as they git up there now, and see them new styles from St. Looey or Chicago, they git downright daft. No more homespun for 'em, no more valley tan, no more parched corn for coffee, nor beet molasses nor unbolted flour. Oh, I know what I'm talkin' about. That reminds me, you had Prudence up to Conference, and I guess you don't know what that letter's about."

"Why, no; do you?"

"Well, Brother Brigham only let a word or two drop, but plain enough; he don't have to use many. He was a little mite afraid some one down here would cut in ahead of him."

Joel Rae had torn open the big blue envelope in a sudden fear, and now he read in Brigham's well-known script:

> "Dear Bro. Joel:
>
> "I was ancus to see more of your daughter, and would of kept her hear at my house if you had not hurried off. I will let you seal her to me when I come to Pine valle next, late this summer or after Oct. conference. If anything happens and I am to bisy will have you bring her hear. Tell her of this and what it will mean to her in the Lord's kingdom and do not let her company with gentiles or with any of the young brethren around there that might put Notions into her head. Try to due right and never faint in well doing, keep the faith of the gospel and I pray the Lord to bless you.
>
> "BRIGHAM YOUNG."

The shrewd old face of the Bishop had wrinkled into a smile of quiet observation as the other read the letter. In relating the incident to the Entablature of Truth subsequently, he said of Joel Rae at the moment he looked up from this letter: "He'll never be whiter when he's dead! I see in a minute that the old man had him on the bark."

"You know what's in this, Brother Seth—you know that Brigham wants Prudence?" Joel Rae had asked, looking up from the letter, upon which both his hands had closed tightly.

"Well, I told you he dropped a word or two, jest by way of keeping off the Princes of Israel down here."

"I must go to Salt Lake at once and talk to him."

"Take her along; likely he'll marry her right off."

"But I can't—I couldn't—Brother Seth, I wish her not to marry him."

The Bishop stared blankly at him, his amazement freezing upon his lips, almost, the words he uttered.

"Not — want — her — to marry — Brother Brigham Young, Prophet, Seer, and Relevator, President of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in all the world!"

"But he wouldn't be so hard—taking her away from me—"

Something in the tones of this appeal seemed to touch even the heart of the Wild Ram of the Mountains, though it told of a suffering he could not understand.

"Brigham is very sot in his ways," he said, after a little, with a curious soft kindness in his voice,—"in fact, a sotter man I never knew!"

He drove off, leaving the other staring at the letter now crumpled in his hand. He also said, in his subsequent narrative to the Entablature of Truth: "You know I've always took Brother Rae for jest a natural born not, a shy little cuss that could be whiffed around by anything and everything, but when I drove off he had a plumb ornery fighting look in them deep-set eyes of his, and blame me if I didn't some way feel sorry for him.—he's that warped up, like an old water-soaked sycamore plank that gits laid out in the sun."

But this look of belligerence had quickly passed from the face of Joel Rae when the first heat of his resentment had cooled.

After that he merely suffered, torn by his reverence for Brigham, who represented on earth no less a power than the first person of the Trinity, and by the love for this child who held him to a past made beautiful by his love for her mother,—by a thousand youthful dreams and fancies and wayward hopes that he had kept fresh through all the years; torn between Brigham, whose word was as the word of God, and Prudence who was the living flower of her dead mother and all his dead hopes.

He Lifted His Broad Brimmed Hat to Her In a Gracious Sweep.

Presently he saw Prudence coming across the fields in the late afternoon from the road that led to the canyon. He watched her jealously until she drew near, then called her to him. In a few words he told her very gravely the honor that was to be done her.

When she fully understood, he noted that her mind seemed to attain an unusual clearness, her speech a new conciseness; that she was displaying a force of will he had never before suspected.

Her reply, in effect, was that she would not marry Brigham Young if all the angels in heaven came to entreat her; that the thought was not a pretty one; and that the matter might be considered settled at that very moment. "It's too silly to talk about," she concluded.

Almost fearfully he looked at her, yielding a little to her spirit of rebellion, yet trying not to yield; trying not to rejoice in the amused flash of her dark eyes and the decision of her tones. But then, as he looked, and as she still faced him, radiant in her confidence, he felt himself going with her—plunging into the tempting wave of apostasy.

CHAPTER XXVII.

A New Face in the Dream.

Prudence had to be alone to dream her dreams of a love that should be always single. Brigham's letter, far from disturbing these, had brought them a zest hitherto lacking. Neither the sacrilege of refusing him, its worldly unwisdom, nor its possible harm to the little bent man of sorrows, had as yet become apparent to her. Each day, when such duties as were hers in the house had been performed, she walked out to be alone,—always to Box canyon, that green-sided cleft in the mountain, with the brook lashing itself to a white fury over the boulders at the bottom. She would go up out of the hot valley into its cool freshness and it pleasant wood smells, and there, in the softened blue light of a pine-hung glade, she would rest, and let her fancy build what heaven-reaching towers it would. On some brown bed of pine-needles, or on a friendly gray boulder close by the water-side, where she could give her eyes to its flow and foam, and her ears to its music,—music like the muffled tinkling of little silver bells in the distance,—she would let herself go out to her dream with the joyous, reckless abandon of falling water.

It was commonly a dream of a youth in doublet and hose, a plumed cap, and a cloak of purple satin, who came in the moonlight to the balcony of his love, and sighed his passion in tones so moving that she thought an angel must have yielded—as did the girl in the balcony who had let down the scarf to him. She already knew how that girl's heart must have fluttered at the moment,—how she must have felt that the hands were mad, wicked, uncontrollable hands, no longer her own.

There was one place in the dream that she managed not without some ingenuity. It had to be made plain that the lover under the window did not come from a long, six-doored house, with a wife behind each door; that this girl, pale in the moonlight, with quickening heart and rebellious hands on the scarf, and arms that should open to him, was to be not only his first wife but his last; that he was never even to consider so much as the possibility of another, but was to cleave unto her, and to love her with a single heart for all the days of her life and his own.

There were various ways of bringing this circumstance forward. Usually she had Brigham march on at the head of his great family and counsel the youth to take more wives, in order that he should be exalted in the Kingdom. Whereupon the young man would fold his love in his arms and speak words of scorn, in the same thrilling manner that he spoke his other words, for any exaltation which they two could not share alone. Brigham, at the head of his wives, would then slink off, much abashed.

She had come naturally to see her own face as the face of this happily loved girl in the dream. She knew no face for the youth. There was none in Amalon; not Jarom Tanner, six feet three, who became a helpless grinning child in her presence; nor Moroni Peterson, who became a solemn and ghastly imbecile; nor Ammaron Wright, son of the Bishop, who had opened the dance of the Young People's Auxiliary with prayer, and later tried to kiss her in a dark corner of the room. So the face of the other person in her dream remained of an unknown heavenly beauty.

"There was a young lady came a-tripping along,
And at each side a servant-O,
And in each hand a glass of wine
To drink with the Gypsy Davy-O.

"And will you fancy me, my dear,
And will you be my Honey-O?
I swear by the sword that hangs by my side
You shall never want for money-O.

"Oh, yes, I will fancy you, kind sir,
And I will be your Honey-O,
If you swear by the sword that hangs by your side
I shall never want for money-O."

The singer seemed to be making his way slowly. Far up the trail, she had one fleeting glimpse of a man on a horse, and then he was hid again in the twilight of the pines. But the music came nearer:—

"Then she put on her high-heeled shoes,
All made of Spanish leather-O,
And she put on her bonnie, bonnie brown,
And they rode off together-O.

"Soon after that, her lord came home
Inquiring for his lady-O,
When some of the servants made this reply,
She's a-gone with the Gypsy-O.

"Then saddle me my milk-white steed,
For the black is not so speedy-O.
And I'll ride all night and I'll ride all day
Till I overtake my lady-O."

She stood transfixed, something within her responding to the hidden singer, as she had once heard a closed piano sound to a voice that sang near it. Soon she could get broken glimpses of him as he wound down the trail, now turning around the end of a fallen tree, then passing behind a giant spruce, now leaning far back while the horse felt a way cautiously down some sharp little declivity. The impression was confused,—a glint of red, of blue, of the brown of the horse, a figure swaying loosely to the horse's movements, and then he was out of sight again around the big rock that had once fallen from high up on the side of the canyon; but now, when he came from behind that, he would be squarely in front of her. This recalled and alarmed her. She began to pick a way over the boulders and across the trail that lay between her and the edge of the pines, hearing another verse of the song almost at her ear:—

"He rode all night and he rode all day,
Till he came to the far deep water—,
Then he stopped and a tear came a-trickling down his cheek,
For there he saw his lady-O."

Before she could reach a shelter in the pines, while she was poised for the last step that would take her out of the trail, he was out from behind the rock, before her, almost upon her, reining his horse back upon its haunches,—then in another instant lifting off his broad-brimmed hat to her in a gracious sweep. It was the first time she had seen this simple office performed outside of the theater.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

CARE OF THE SICK ROOM.

Above All Things the Walls Should Be Kept Dry.

When the bedroom becomes a sick room there is an added reason why extreme precautions should be used to keep the room in a thoroughly sanitary condition.

Above all things, the bedroom should never be damp. It should be nice and dry, always warm and comfortable in winter, cool and airy in summer, and bright and sunny some parts of the day.

If there is any suspicion of dampness in a bedroom it is probably due, if there is wallpaper on the wall, to the absorption of water by the paper which frequently acts as a blotting paper and holds quantities of water in it.

The use of wallpaper on walls is to be deplored; it means disease, ill health and unhappiness. It is frequently the cause of lung trouble, not only because of its dampness but also because of its power to retain infection of many kinds.

The desired method of treating a bedroom wall is to tint it for the alabastined wall is a perfect wall. It never flakes off, chips or peels. It absorbs moisture and expels it, it opens the pores of the plaster and makes a room livable and breathable.

The floor in the bedroom should have light, cleanable, dainty rugs that can be easily shaken and a floor that is thoroughly oiled or varnished, that will not absorb moisture. The cracks in the floor should be thoroughly filled and covered. Woodwork in the bedroom should be attended to carefully, window sills should be thoroughly varnished or waxed, and the window casings kept in perfect order. The doors should be wiped off frequently as also should be all the standing woodwork in the bedroom, as the presence of dust on woodwork is a menace to health as well as an evidence of poor housekeeping.

WOMEN IN NEW FIELDS.

British Smart Society Takes to "Hopping"—Woman Veterinary.

Work in the hop fields is the latest "rest cure" fad for London's smart set, and the luxurious society "hoppers" claim that a week's hopping is far better and more pleasant than a rest at any well-known health resort.

The tents of these well-to-do pickers are expensively furnished, and easy chairs, soft beds and up-to-date camping outfits are among their hopping appliances.

In Berlin there is a woman veterinary surgeon who is an official inspector of animals. She rides through the streets on the lookout for animals suffering from any disablement, and before reporting a horse as unfit for work, she examines its injuries and whenever possible applies remedies to alleviate its pain. She carries a leather case filled with bandages and other surgical appliances.

TIRED BACKS.

The kidneys have a great work to do in keeping the blood pure. When they get out of order it causes backache, headaches, dizziness, languor and distressing urinary troubles. Keep the kidneys well and all these sufferings will be saved you. Mrs. S. A. Moore, proprietor of a restaurant at Waterville, Mo., says: "Before using Doan's Kidney Pills I suffered everything from kidney troubles for a year and a half. I had pain in the back and head, and almost continuous in the loins and felt weary all the time. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills brought great relief, and I kept on taking them until in a short time I was cured. I think Doan's Kidney Pills are wonderful."

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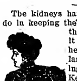

Disliked the Word "Death."

"Decease" is now a regular form of word for death. But it began as a gentle euphemism, "decessus" (departure) seeming much less harsh to the Romans than "mors." All languages abound in euphemisms of the kind, which go back to a superstitious reluctance to mention death plainly, that gradually passed into a kindly desire to soften the idea. "Passed away," "departed," "gone," "expire" (breathe out), "no more," "demise," and even "the late" are expressions of this nature. Most striking of all is the Roman euphemism for "he is dead"—"vixit," he has lived.

Could Not Afford Title.

Many times did the German emperor press the title of prince upon Herr Von Bulow before the latter would accept. The statesman wanted the title, but could not afford to live up to it. Of this the kaiser knew nothing, of course. At length, about 18 months ago, a relative of Von Bulow died, leaving him $1,350,000. A few days later he showed the kaiser a legal notification of his good fortune. The monarch grunted. "So that was the reason—my prince," he said, laying stress on the title. "Why did you not say so before?"

Wander Fever.

Have you never felt the longing that it were possible to step quietly off your accustomed path in life and strike out into fresh fields and pastures new? There are few of us so contented as never to be troubled with such a wish.

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HONEST MEDICINE

TRY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR STOMACH TROUBLE.

Convincing Evidence Supported by a Guarantee That Must Convince The Most Skeptical.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a doctor's prescription, used by an eminent practitioner, and for nearly a generation known as a reliable household remedy throughout the United States. Needless to say, no advertised medicine could retain popular favor for so long a period without having great merit and it is the invaluable curative properties of the pills that have made them a standard remedy in every civilized country in the world. Added to this is the absolute guarantee that the pills contain no harmful drug, opiate, narcotic or stimulant. A recent evidence of their efficacy is found in the statement of Mrs. N. B. Whitley, of Boxley, Ark., who says:

"I had suffered for a good many years from stomach trouble. For a long time I was subject to bad spells of faintness and lack of breath accompanied by an indescribable feeling that seemed to start in my stomach. Whenever I was a little run-down or over-tired, these spells would come on. They occurred frequently but did not last very long.

"I was confined to my bed for ten weeks one time and the doctor pronounced my trouble chronic inflammation of the stomach and bowels. Since that time I have been subject to the fainting spells and at other times to fluttering of the heart and a feeling as though I was smothering. My general health was very bad and I was weak and trembling.

"I had seen Dr. Williams' Pink Pills mentioned in the newspapers and decided to try them. When I began taking the pills I was so run-down in strength that I could hardly do any housework. Now I could walk ten miles if necessary. Both my husband and myself think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills the best medicine made and we always recommend the pills to our friends."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new blood and give strength and tone to every part of the body. They have cured serious disorders of the blood and nerves, such as rheumatism, sciatica, anæmia, nervousness, headaches, partial paralysis, locomotor ataxia, St. Vitus' dance and many forms of weakness in either sex. They are sold by all druggists or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Sheep Raising in Australia.

The greatest industry of Australia is sheep raising, mainly for the sake of the wool, but also in part, of course, for the meat. Australia now ranks second among the great sheep-raising countries, Argentina being first with 92,000,000 sheep, Australia second with 72,000,000, and Russia third with 70,000,000. Only a few years ago Australia was first, possessing no less than 106,260,000 head of sheep. That was in 1891. Prolonged droughts were the cause of the destruction of many millions of Australian sheep, but since 1902 there has been an annual gain. Yet these sheep were not indigenous to Australia. They were first introduced in 1797, being of the Spanish merino species.

Garfield Tea, the Mild Laxative, is a pure, practical household remedy; good for young and old. To be taken for constipation, indigestion, sick-headache, colds and diseases arising from impure blood. It clears the complexion.

There are numerous toll gates on the road to success.

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No one will question the superior appearance of well-painted property. The question that the property-owner asks is: "Is the appearance worth the cost?"

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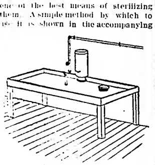
Steam is the Most Thorough Ageney in the Process.

Where steam can be employed, its application to dairy utensils forms one of the best means of sterilizing them. A simple method by which to use it is shown in the accompanying



Milk Can Steamer.

cut, taken from Farm and Home. The table is about two feet high and three feet square. Covered with galvanized iron, the outer edge of the top is highest and the center, where the drip is located, lowest. Preferably this should be connected with a sewer or a good drain, but may be caught in a pail. Near the drip is also the steam jet which, with the valve for operating it conveniently at hand, makes it very simple to steam out a 10-quart can by setting it over the jet and turning on the steam. Likewise separator bowls, small churns, butter workers, and, in fact, almost anything movable in or about a creamery can be sterilized at a minimum of labor.

TUBERCLE BACILLI IN BUTTER.

Not as Apt to Be Present in Butter Made from Sour Cream.

It has been assumed that butter as well as milk contains tubercle bacilli at times and is therefore a source of danger. But little is as yet known about what happens to the bacilli in cream and in butter, but here and there are going on investigations that have in them much of interest. It is possible that in butter are found other forms of bacterial life that are more powerful than the disease germs and are able to destroy them. This seems to be indicated from experiments that have been made at various times, though we must not assume that the matter is as yet settled. In Germany some experimenters added some tubercle bacilli to sweet cream and made butter of it. After ten days the butter was examined and the bacilli found to be alive. It was examined 15 days after being made and the tubercle bacilli were found to be dead. It is possible that the increase of ferments in the butter resulted in the destruction of the disease germs. This was further indicated by the results of placing some of the bacilli in sour cream and making butter out of that. The germs were found to be alive after seven days, but dead after ten days. This is an encouraging feature of the examination. We may conclude from it, says Farmers' Review, that if there is danger of tubercle bacilli being present in milk that is to produce the cream for butter, it is better for the butter to be made from sour cream than from sweet cream. It was quite evident that the lactic acid ferments are enemies of the disease germs.

Raising Heifers.

Heifers intended for the dairy should have foods rich in ash, to make bone, and rich in protein, to make muscle and blood. Don't allow them to form the "fat habit" by giving too much starchy food, such as corn. Once a heifer has formed the "fat habit" it is very difficult to prevent her putting the increase on her back instead of into the pail, when she has been in milk for six months.

Pasteurization.

Pasteurization is not yet perfected by any means. It destroys the lactic acid bacteria, but not the spores of bacteria. In consequence, while the milk may not be sour two days after its receipt, it may have a putrid smell due to the butyric or putrefactive bacteria. The only milk fit for human food is clean raw milk kept continuously at low temperature.

The Rusty Can.

How about that rusty can problem, is it troubling you? There ere thousands of cans being used in the older districts which ought to receive tbe hatchet treatment. Wouldn't it be a good plan for our inspectors to devote more attention to condemning rusty cans?

The Cooperative Creamery.

How about the cooperative creamery company which sends out a cream-gathering wagon into another's territory, and then howls about the central plant invading its territory? Reminds us of the old story about living in a glass house.

The Paying Cow.

In producing milk we get no returns from the food consumed unless the question of support is first satisfied. Therefore keep the cows which do not use the food nutrients for making beef, and tben feed them all they will eat.

PROPER MANNER OF READING.

Writer Sees Much Harm in Multiplicity of Books.

It seems to me that with tbe multiplication of books we are losing all sense of literature. Leisure and three books, e Bible, a Shakespeare, a Walt Whitman, might make e man truly wise if the seeds of wisdom wera in him. I do not know even a wise man whose instinct for wisdom would not be deadened by tbe frequentation of the Encyclopaedia Britannica. Books should be taken in doses no bigger than music or pictures; they are even harder to digest. Tbera is more drunkenness in a book thnn in all tbe vineyerds of France. A book may remake a man's soul. Books should ba treated with reverence or east out as dirt. They aro in danger of passing out of tbe servics of the temple into tbe "parcel delivery" of the grocer.

Nothing is gained by reading a book unless you give to tbat book mors than it brings to you. All tbese people who read with their eyes only are fatally wasting their time. A book read superficially makes the reader more superficial, and to read for "information" is to gnaw at the bones of meat.—Arthur Symonds in London Saturday Review.

SARSAPARILLA TIME.

Make Your Own Sarsaparilla or Spring Blood Medicine.

Mix one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shaka well in a bottle and take one teaspoonful after meals and again at bedtime. Any good druggist can supply these ingredients.

This is said to be a splendid Spring Blood Tonic and system renovator because of its gentle action in restoring the Kidneys to normal activity, forcing them to filter from the blood all impure matter and acids, destroying micro-organisms wbich produce ill health and sour blood.

Everyone should take sometbing to cleanse the blood at this time of year, and the above simple prescription is the most highly indorsed of the hundreds of home remedies generally used.

Mix this yourself, then you will know what you are taking.

GRIT SAVED HIS LEG.

Ranchman Rode Far After Most Serious Injury.

Jack Farland, a ranchman living et the base of Pike's Peak, and whosa post office is Midland, in this county, yesterday suffered a broken leg by being caught between a borse wbicb be was riding and a timber wagon wbicb be was attempting to pass while en route to tbis city, says tbe Crippla Creek Times. Farland displayed tbe greatest of pluck by riding on to Victor after suffering tha injury, although ha said upon arriving hers that he felt several times that he must giva up. Knowing, bowever, what difficulty would attend any attempt to dismount, and how well nigb impossible it would be for him to remount in tha event that be succeeded in getting safely off bis borse, the ranchman gritted his teeth and kept on. After having his leg set by a surgeon of tbis city, Farland collapsed and it was late in tba afternoon before he was abio to proceed bomeward in a carriage, the accident baving happened early in tbe morning.

Great German Socialist.

Herr Bebel, tho leader of the German socialists, wbo has been so much in evidence of late, is a wbeelwrigbt by trade. Altbough entirely self-educated, be is ona of tbe finest orators and debaters in the fatberland end, distasteful as his views may be to tbe reichstag, whenever he addresses tbe assembly ho is certain of having a large end ettentive audience. In such esteem is he beld by tba socialists tbat millions will obey his will without tbinking whether they ara doing right or wrong. Herr Bebel neither drinks nor smokes, and besides being a celebrity in the political world bas gained soma fame as a writer.

Peers' Queer Privilege.

Two Britisb peers, Lord Forester and Lord Kinsale, enjoy tbe curious privilege of being allowed to wear tbeir hats in the presenca of tbeir sovereign. This quaint rigbt, granted centuries ago, is only exercised on rara and entirely formal occasions.

FIND OUT

The Kind of Food That Will Keep You Well.

The true way is to find out what is best to eat and drink, and then cultivate a tasta for tbosa things instead of poisoning ourselves with improper, indigestible food, etc.

A conservative Mass. woman writes: 'I bava used Grape-Nuts 5 years for tha young and for tha aged; in sickness and in health; at first following directions carefully, later in n variety of ways as my taste nnd judgment suggested.

"But its most special, personal benefit has been a substituta for meat, and served dry with cream wben rheumatic troubles mado it important for me to giva up the 'coffee habit.'

"Served in this way witb the addition of a cup of hot water and a little fruit it has been used at my morning meal for six months, during wbich timo my bealth bas much improved, nerves hava grown steadier, and n gradual decrease in my comfort." Name given by Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich. Read tha little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

WOMAN HAS FINE RECORD.

Keeper of Lighthouse, She Has Saved Eighteen Lives.

Ida Lewis recently celebrated her fiftieth year as keeper of the Lime Island lighthousa in the harbor of Newport, R. I. As e girl and woman Ida Lewis has lived a remarkable life. Her bravery and skill in handling e boat are well known and her fame is secura es tbe great woman life saver in the world, for sbe has tbe credit of having saved no less than 18 lives, most of her rescues baving been effected in tha face of extreme danger and in winter. As keeper of tha Lime Island lighthouse, to wbich post she was appointed in recognition of her bravery and record as a life saver on the death of her father, Miss Lewis has shown herself as careful and efficient es a man could be. Sba is one of the few women in such a position.

SLEEP BROKEN BY ITCHING.

Eczema Covered Whole Body for a Year—No Relief Until Cuticura Remedies Prove a Success.

"For a year I have had what they call eczema. I had an itching all over my body, and when I would retire for tbe nigbt it would keep me awake balf the nigbt, and the more I would scratch, the more it would itch. I tried all kinds of remedies, but could get no relief.

"I used one cake of Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura, and two vials of Cuticura Resolvent Pills, wbich cost me a dollar and twenty-five cents in all, and am very glad I tried them, for I was completely cured. Walter W. Paglusch, 207 N. Robey St., Cbicago, Ill., Oct. 8 aud 16, 1906."

Curious Maps.

Maps for military and general field use are produced by Dr. O. H. F. Vollbebr, of Halensee, Berlin, es microscopic transparencies, each about one and one-half incb by two incbes in size. These form slides for tbe micro-photoscope, a special instrument having a hand-mirror-sbaped frame, to which is attacbed a slide-holder, with a movable lens over it. Tba lens slides in two directions, about 70 square miles being shown in each position.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy tbe sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it tbrough the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage tbey will do is ten fold to tbe good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of tbe system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get tbe genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cbeney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Read Slowly.

Tha New York Medical Journal wisely remarks: "Tbe colon bacillus is usually ranked in the saprophytic group of bacteria ratber tban placed among tbe organisms distinctly pathogenic for man; but we know tbat it is far from being devoid of virulence, and tbat it is capabla under certain conditions of gaining increased powers of invading tbe organism and of manifesting very definite pathogenic effects."

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Cow hides are worth 10c to 11c per lb., horse hides $2 to $4 each, sheep pelts 50c to $1.50, as to size. Furs are very bigh, especially Mink and Muskrat. To get all they are worth ship to the old reliable N. W. HIDE & FUR CO., Minneapolis, Minn.

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Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous, and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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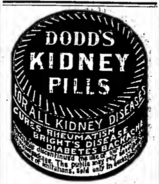

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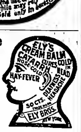

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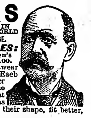

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To be Incorporated and Enlarged by Mr. Murray's Family.

The announcement of the sudden death of Edwin Murray, founder of the Murray Cure at Minneapolis, Fargo and Seattle, was a shock to many thousands of people who knew of the good work of the Murray Cure

Mr. Murray's family, the widow, [illegible] grown sons and a daughter, will continue to conduct the Institute at Minneapolis. One of the sons has begun the study of medicine to fit himself as a drink cure specialist. In the meantime the house physicians and corps of attendants and employes will remain the same.

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Physician and Surgeon

Graduate of McGill University, Montreal.
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DR. J. C. WILKINSON

Physician and Surgeon

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J. E. [illegible] D. M. D.

DENTIST

[illegible] Block. Office hours [illegible]

[illegible] Wednesday

[illegible]

GERVAIS [illegible]

Attorney at Law

[illegible]

RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

Last Mountain Valley Lands

We own thousands of acres of Choice Selected Land in this district, which is right in the Great Wheat Plains of Saskatchewan. [illegible] Government which give an [illegible] of wheat to the acre for 1906. [illegible] of this part of Western [illegible] about the competition of [illegible] timber for fuel and fencing. [illegible] new souvenir book, entitled "The Lake and the Land of the Last Mountain Valley." Also 20th Century Atlas of [illegible] with souvenir book. Write to-day, [illegible] matter, etc., on request.

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TEXAS LANDS We own 200,000 acres of land in the PANHANDLE, and VAN HORNE VALLEY, Texas, one of the most fertile valleys in the state. The Southern Pacific Railroad passes through the Van Horne Valley lands and the proposed line of the Santa Fe will run directly through [illegible]. These lands are exceptionally well located for retail purposes. They were carefully selected, and, having purchased them some time ago, [illegible] you prices and terms that are right.

LAND AGENTS, ATTENTION!—Secure control of [illegible] acres of this land, which you can do by making [illegible] payment down, and realize a profit of [illegible]. Own your own lands. Don't sell on commission. TEXAS COLONIZATION CO., 603-5 Pioneer Press Bldg. St. Paul, Minn.

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OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Of The Board of Conuty Commissioners of Red Lake County.

Red Lake Falls, Minn.,
March 19th, 1907.

Pursuant to call, the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, met at the office of the county auditor, at the court house, at ten o'clock a. m.

Present, Commissioners Lindquist, Aubol, Shaw, Pigeon and Demann.

Minutes of the meeting of February 26th and 27th, 1907, read and approved.

On motion duly carried the application for correction and abatement of taxes of Conrad Lajambe was granted, subject to the approval of the state auditor.

On motion duly carried the application for correction and abatement of taxes of Octave Morisette was granted, subject to the approval of the state auditor.

On motion duly carried an auctioneer's license was granted to Daniel Patterson.

On motion duly carried the petition of W. H. Quist et al for organizing township 151, range 39, was granted and the following order was made:

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake } ss.

Upon receiving a petition of a majority of the male resident freeholders who are legal voters of Congressional Township number 154, north, of range number 39 west, in said county, asking that the same be organized as a new town under the township organization law, to be named "Reimer," we, the county commissioners of said county, did, on the 19th day of March, A. D., 1907, proceed to fix and determine the boundaries of such new town, and to name the same "Reiner" in accordance with said petition, and designate Reiner postoffice as the place for holding the first town meeting in such town, to be held on Saturday, the sixth day of April, A. D., 1907.

The boundaries of said town of Reiner as fixed and established by us are as follows: Beginning at the north corner of southeast quarter of section 12 in township number 154, north of range number 39, west in said county, thence west on the quarter line to the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 7, said township and range, thence south on the township line to the southwest corner of the southwest quarter of section 31, said township and range thence east on the township line to the southeast corner of the southeast quarter of section 36, said township and range, thence north along the township line to place of beginning.

By order of the board of county commissioners.

—C. A. Lindquist,
(Seal) Chairman, Board of County Commissioners, Red Lake county, Minn.
Attest: John B. O'Brien,
County Auditor and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

Motion made by Commissioner Shaw and seconded by Commissioner Aubol that the employment of additional attorneys by the board was ill advised and unnecessary, and that we recind the resolution passed at the last meeting, appointing F. A. Grady and Chas. E. Boughton as attorneys for this board.

Commissioners voting aye are Shaw and Aubol.

Commissioners voting nay are Demann, Pigeon and Lindquist.

On motion duly carried the following resolution was adopted and made a part of the record:

March 19, 1907.

We, Chas. E. Boughton and F. A. Grady, having been employed by the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, to cause the judgement entered against said Board in Mandamus Proceedings in District Court April 12th, 1906, to be re-opened, vacated, and set aside and to interpose and answer therein and litigate said action, do hereby agree that there will be no charges for attorneys' fees against said board of Red Lake county for such services, and no expenses or costs of said action to be paid by said county.

Chas. E. Bougnton,
F. A. Grady.

On motion duly carried a recess was taken until one o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by the chairman at one o'clock p. m. All members present.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Fred Zaser, building ice breakers at Louisville bridge	$ 275 00
A Swanson, drawing grand jurors one day and mileage	3 20
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., lighting court house and jail month of February and repairing same	14 10
C W Johnson, fees on county ditch No 21	5 [illegible]
C W Johnson, filing returns of births and deaths making certificates & docketing same	83 90
D Linnihan, office rent, fuel and light for several years 1904 and 1905 at $90 per year	180 00
C W Johnson, clerk fees, delinquent tax proceedings	233 80
William [illegible], taking care of James Nelson insane two days	4 00
[illegible], postage stamps for county treasurer's office	6 93
Joseph Pigeon, mileage att'g meeting county board	3 20
Mileage for letting contract and inspecting ice breakers at Louisville bridge	8 80
Wm C L Demann, mileage for letting contract and inspecting ice breakers at Louisville bridge	6 80
C A Lindquist, mileage for letting contract and inspecting ice breakers at Louisville bridge	11 20
Ed A Aubol, mileage att'g meeting county board	3 00
Wm C L Demann, mileage att'g meeting of county board	1 00
Daniel Shaw, mileage att'g meeting of county board	4 00
C A Lindquist, mileage att'g meeting of county board	3 60
V M Higginbotham, premium on $500 Ins. policy, Co. jail	5 00
Don B Welch, taking care of James Nelson insane two days	4 00
Lewis A Nelson, board and care of Charles Claus, prisoner	6 31
one day drawing grand jurors and mileage	3 20
Summoning petit jurors, March term of Court 07	50 35
Summoning grand jurors, March term of Court 07	49 35
John B O'Brien, postage stamps and express Co auditors office	2 60
Miller-Davis Ptg Co. supply for Co. offices	28 65
J K Wood, engineer's fees and expenses Co. ditch No 28	6 00
J K Wood, engineer's fees and expenses Co ditch No 28 and Rocksbury-North ditch No. 1	23 10
Fred Zaser, service as viewer one day and board on Co ditch No 28	4 00
George D Barnard & Co., supplies for county offices	5 50
Free Press Ptg Co. supplies for Co. offices	4 50
Brown, Treacy, Sperry & Co.	
One mortgage record book	22 00
One folio record book	14 00

On motion duly carried, the board adjourned sine die.

C. A. Lindquist,
Chairman Board of County Commissioners.
Attest:
John B. O'Brien
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

INDUSTRIAL CONTEST

A Contest Similar to The One of Last Year Will Be Held In December.

The State Grain Growing contest promoted in 1906 by Prof. D. D. Mayne will be continued under the general supervision of the Farmers' Club of Minnesota. Contests in cooking, sewing, and in growing fruit and vegetables will be added to the three grains, used last year. This makes the name, "Grain Growing Contest" inadequate, and the name, "Minnesota Boys and Girls Industrial Contest," has been chosen instead.

There is almost no limit to the good results which may be expected from this work. Not alone is the educational feature of the contest important, but the practical and economic results which will certainly follow where the plan is successfully carried out, should and will interest every public spirited citizen.

The plan of the county contest is very similar to that followed in many of the counties before the state contest was started; that is, the contest is under the supervision of the county superintendent of schools. Where the County Farmers' Clubs are organized the members will co-operate with the county superintendent in every possible way to help make the contest a success.

Any boy or girl in Minnesota, under eighteen years of age, or any public school student, is eligible to enter this contest. All that is necessary to enter the contest is to send your name to the county superintendent of your county and state in which of the classes you wish to compete.

The county superintendent or members of the Farmers' Club, or both, will solicit from the business men and other citizens of each county reasonable prizes for the various exhibits made. This will insure substantial prizes for several of the best exhibits in each class. The winners of the first three prizes in each class in the county contest may compete in the state contest.

The county contests should all be held before the first of December if possible. It is planned to hold the state contest at St. Paul December 19-20-21.

LAND GOES UP.

Raises the Price on Certain Classes of Isolated Tracts.

The general land office has issued a circular under date of April 8, which will be of interest to those parties who intend to purchase what is known as "isolated tracts" at auction, when ordered into the market by the government. Heretofore the minimum price at which all lands could be sold was $1.25 an acre. Under the circular of April 8, 1907, disconnected or isolated tracts which are offered for sale, when located within railroad limits—forty miles or less from the railroads limits—will be sold for not less than $2.50 per acre—or as much more as competitive bidding will bring. If the land is outside the railroad limit the minimum price will be the same as heretofore. This decision affects all sales to be made hereafter lying along the Northern Pacific railroad.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1906, and the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1907, each of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John F. Campbell and Mary Campbell, his wife, Mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 9:20 a. m. in book 35 of mortgages on page 370 thereof,

And Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20 100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely:- The Southeast Quarter, and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter, and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter all in section Twenty Four (24) in township one hundred fifty three (153) North of range forty four (44) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey three hundred twenty (320) acres, be the same more or less, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank,)
Wm. J. Brown, Mortgagee.
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota. m28-m9

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty-Five Dollars ($65.00) interest, which became due May 31, 1906, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Douglas Martin and Bessie Martin, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee,
bearing date the 31st day of May, A. D. 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of June, A. D., 1905, at 11:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 6 thereof.

And Whereas, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section one (1) in township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-three (43) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey eighty (80) acres be the same more or less, in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated, March 21st, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank)
Wm. J. Brown, Mortgagee.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
Warren, Minn. mar21-m 2

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250,000 ACRES LAND

To Be Opened July First — New Homes for 15,000 Families in Northern Minnesota.

Upward of a quarter of a million acres of agricultural lands in northern Minnesota will be opened to homestead settlement July 1, next, under the provisions of the Nelson act of 1889, which provided for adjusting lands in ceded Indian reservation, as amended by the Morris act in 1902, which provided for disposing of the timber, classification of lands and establishment of a forest reserve.

The official statement issued Monday by Land Commissioner Ballinger and approved by James R. Garfield, secretary, sets forth pursuant to the provisions of section 6 of the act of Jan. 14, 1889, 229,297.41 acres, being a portion of the ceded lands in the Chippewa, Red Lake, White Earth, Deer Creek and Fon du Lac Indian reservations, state of Minnesota, and classed as "agricultural lands" within the meaning of said act, as amended by the act of June 27, 1902, will be opened to settlement and entry under provisions of the homestead law, with certain modifications which are specified in the instructions to register and receiver at Cass Lake, Crookston and Duluth, on and after 9 o'clock a. m., central time, July 1, 1907. The lands to be opened will be subject to entry at Cass Lake, Crookston and Duluth as follows:

"By act of February 9, 1903, the provisions of general townsite laws were extended to the ceded Indian lands within the state of Minnesota. Printed lists of the lands to be opened to settlement and entry, and copies of the laws and instructions governing the disposal of said lands may be obtained upon application to registers and receivers at Cass Lake, Crookston and Duluth. A prior right to enter lands will not be secured by settling on the lands before date of opening."

The land above described will furnish homes of 160 acres each to about 1,500 families and it is expected that there will be a big rush for them.

Special attention is called by the department to the strict rule that "squatters" and "sooners" will not be allowed any prior rights, and it will in no way help a prospective settler to locate on land prior to July 1.

In Cass Lake land district—portions of township 145 north, range 25 west; townships 145 and 146 north, range 26 west; township 143 north, ranges 31 and 32 west; township 115 north, range 32 west, in Chippewa of the Mississippi reservation; portions of township 149 north, ranges 33 and 35 west; township 118 north, ranges 31 and 35 west, in the Red Lake reservation; township 62 north, range 25 west, in Deer Creek reservation.

In the Crookston land district—portions of townships 159 and 160 north, ranges 31 to 38, both inclusive; township 163 north, range 36 west, in Red Lake reservation; township 145 north, range 37 west, in the White Earth Indian reservation.

In the Duluth land district—portions of townships 18 north, ranges 18 and 19 west; township 49 north, range 19 west, in the Fond du Lac reservation.

Minnesota Historical Society

Five Hundred Dollars Reward

We, the undersigned, hereby agree to pay a reward of five hundred dollars, (500.00) to any person or persons who shall furnish information which shall result in the arrest and conviction for theft, of the person or persons who stole the county seat removal petition from the court house at Red Lake Falls, if the same has been stolen.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minn.. April 9th, 1807.

John A. Duffy
Wm. Findeisen
Theo. LaBissoniere
F. A. Grady
L. A. Kaufer
Chas. E. Boughton
Theo. Garceau
Arthur P. Toupin
W. A. Schreiter
N. M. Watson

FANS WILL ORGANIZE

Baseball Meeting to be Held at the City Hall Saturday Evening.

Baseball fans of the city have been lively of late and are getting material into line which promises the making of a fast team with which to meet the valley stickers when the season fully opens up. There will undoubtedly be several applicants for the different positions on the team and the tryout gives promise of some fast practice during the next week or two. Although there are quite a number anxious to make the different position on the team, the desire to bring out a fast bunch this season predominates and all the players can be counted on to give way to the best material and join in helping to make the team a pennant winner.

A meeting has been called to convene at the city hall on Satuaday evening at eight o'clock for the purpose of perfecting an organization and discussing ways and means for raising funds and procuring paraphernalia.

As the team is expected to take a prominent part in furnishing entertainment during the firemen's tournament this year, every business man in the city should turn out and help boost the team along.

Dan't forget the date or place of meeting. Saturday evening at eight o'clock at the city hall. Everybody turn out.

Editor Carr of Middle River was an east bound passenger for Crookston on Monday.

Howard Blaisdell, buttermaker at the creamery here last year, and who left here last fall for his home in the southern part of the state writes from Ledgerwood, N. D., that he has purchased an interest in a creamery there and is doing nicely.

FINAL INDOOR RECITAL

Last Band Concert of the Season Tomorrow Evening at the Opera House.

The final indoor concert of the Red Lake Falls concert will be given tomorrow night at the opera house and no admission will be charged,

One of the special features worthy of mention is the cornet solo, "Massa's in the Cold Cold Ground," with triple tongue variations by C. Edmund Brunelle. This will be rendered with band accompaniment and is a very difficult selection,

At this last indoor concert of the season there should be a record attendance, and every friend of the Red Lake Falls band, which is recognized as the best organization of its kind in the state should make it a point to be present and have all thier friends there as well. The program is as follows:

PART I.

March....................Nirella
"Japanese Brigade"
Symphunny No. 2..........Dalbey
Cornet Solo..............Masten
"Massa's in the Cold Ground."
C. Edmond Brunelle.
Waltz....................Strauss
"Artist's Life."
Selection................Bellstedt
By Members of the Junior Band

PART II.

Grand Selection..........Wallace
"Maritana"
Little Kinkies...........Bendix
Selection................Luderas
"The Prince of Pilsen"
The Clown's Parade....Laurendeau

RED LAKE GETS $2450

Fat Piece of the Road and Bridge Fund Comes to Red Lake County.

The road and bridge fund of $400-000 known as the "pork barrel" as passed in the form of a bill reported from the Road and Bridge committee gives Red Lake county $2450.

Otter Tail gets the largest amount $4800 and St. Louis county comes next with $4,300. The smallest amount goes to Cook, $500. The apportionment for the northern counties is as follows:

Aitkin $2500, Beltrami $2425, Cass $2500, Clay $2500, Clearwater $2000, Kittson $2500, Koochiching $1000, Mahnomen $1000, Marshall $2500, Norman $2,350, Otter Tail $4800, Polk $3500, Roseau $2550, St. Louis $4300.

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AN ART EXHIBITION

Will be Given at the High School Building, Monday May 29.

An exhibition of pictures with a talk on their uses in the school and home will be given next Monday afternoon and evening, at the high school building in this city, for the purpose of raising funds for the purchase of pictures for the walls of the public schools.

This collection of pictures is of great interest. It consists of the entire line of the Collier Artist's Proofs that were on exhibit with so much interest at the Minneapolis public library.

The collection contains the large size originals by Gibson, Remington, Smith, Frost, Smedley and others who are paid large salaries to paint and draw exclusively for Collier's Weekly. The best of the Elson Art Co.'s Carbon Photographs, 30x40 inches in size, steel engravings and photogravures. The entire line of the Tabor-Prang Art company.

No city or town should be indifferent to the culture and refinement of its people. It is a part of school work to inculcate these qualities in the children in whatever means at its disposal, and it is generally recognized that pictures is one of the most important of these means. All the best schools are beautified by the best pictures as well as the best homes.

The price of admission will be 10 and 15 cents, and the entire proceeds of this exhibit will be devoted to beautifying our public schools.

HATHAWAY ON PAROLE

Ed. Hathaway, Who Was Connected With the Soo Robbery Is Free.

Ed. Hathaway, one of the men convicted last summer of robbery of the Soo's box car at Thief River Falls, has been paroled by the state board of pardons. He is now free and will not need to return to the state institution if he properly behaves himself.

Hathaway, after being arrested on the charge, broke jail in this city and gave the officers a merry time before he was recaptured. Had it not been for this break he would have been let off with less than the year's sentence imposed by the court.

The board of pardons was of the opinion that the young man was led astray, rather than of a vicious nature, and he was for this reason released on parole.

The finest line of candles and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

MEET IS PROBABLE

Minnesota City High Schools May Get Together In Latter Part of May.

There is a possibility that a Minnesota high school track meet will be held in Grand Forks shortly after the North Dakota track meet, which will be held May 17 and 18.

The matter has been taken up with the athletic officials of the university and the proposition is looked upon very favorably. For some time past the high schools of East Grand Forks, Crookston, Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls and Warren have been discussing the matter of holding a meet. Crookston was looked upon as the place for holding such a meet, but the high school of that city has announced that it would be impossible for them to take care of the meet. Following this announcement, several of the schools asked the university of North Dakota to take up the matter.

The various cities are enthusiastic over the proposition, and all would send big delegations to the meet. The high schools would have the use of the university track and field, and at the same time there would be no expense to the university. The meet, if it is held, will be pulled off in the latter part of May.

Mark Keeley and bride arrived in the city this morning after a honeymoon trip to Duluth, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Chicago and other points. For the present they will occupy apartments at the Palace hotel and will later go to housekeeping. Conductor Keeley will return to his run on the G. N. out of this city in a few days. His bride,-formerly Miss Margaret Balfour of Euclid will be given a warm welcome to Crookston.—Journal. Mr. Keeley will be remembered by many of our townspeople, having spent last summer here as conductor on the work train.

TOMORROW ARBOR DAY

Governor Johnson Has Set Aside Friday, April 26, as Arbor and Bird Day.

Governor Johnson has appointed Friday, Apil 26, as Arbor and Bird day for 1907. His proclamation is as follows:

"When, following the law and custom of our state, I hereby proclaim Friday, April 26 as Arbor and Bird day for 1907, private pleasure collaborates with official duty.

"The place and purpose of the tree in history, its dignity and worth are they not set forth in the chronicles of christendom that all the world may read, from its first mention in the first chapter in the first book into the last Revelation of the world unseen, where in the midst of street was there a tree of life and the leaves of the tree were for the healing of nations?"

"Throughout all the time man has been the tree's sincere worshiper.

In his boyhood he sought its green heights; in his youth he walked beneath its whispering branches; in his old age he sat content in its sympathetic shade; after life's fitful fever, he sleeps well—at the foot of it. The influence of this life long companionship is deep and visible.

"Quite apart from the indirect force in the mass as a factor of climate, we have daily testimony of its powers to mold in character of the Norseman, auster, independant, strong as his native pine; the Briton ruggy, honest, outspreading as his much-sung oak; the German, true forester and forest-lover that he is, full of sentiment as his linden, musical as his fir, sturdy as his beeches. Out of a state peopled by such races what may we not hope for? Surely, the rights of the forest will be reverenced; surely the forest will make royal return!

"Let the day of this proclamation be observed far and wide among us, in deed and in spirit, in school, home and mart. Let the highways be embelished; make crooked paths stright, rough places smooth. Let consecration of aim unite with concentration of efforts toward making of Minnesota one vast landscape garden, where the working of nature is cunningly aided, not held in thral by man; where song sparrow may sing in the hedgerows, while meadow lark and bobolink trill their sweetness from the topmost bough, and none shall make them afraid.

CHEESE FACTORY OPENS.

Lambort Factory Opens Under New Management.

H. O. Parenteau, who for awhile this last winter, clerked for Everett Southmayd, of McIntosh, has purchased an interest in the Lambert cheese factory, which will hereafter be operated under the firm name of Robidoux & Parenteau. The Lambert cheese factory has for many years back been a successful business proposition and has established a first class reputation for its product, the demand for which is continually on the increase. This season's operations were started on April 9th with 1,500 pounds of milk, but its receipts have already increased to 2,800 pounds and are still rapidly increasing.

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

[illegible] Jerome said the statement of Mrs. Holman, mother of Evelyn Nesbit, that she gave him no [illegible] in the Thaw case, is true.

At the national convention of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Washington $29,800 was raised for the national home of the organization to be erected in that city.

Charges made by the "next friends" of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy are denied by the defendants at Concord, N. H., and the prosecutors are said to have loaned their names to "evil-minded persons, who, it is alleged, are the real persecutors.

The national arbitration and peace congress closed at New York with two banquets and the decoration of Andrew Carnegie with the cross of the Legion of Honor.

A verdict of acquittal in the case against Julius Kahn, formerly president of the Cash Buyers' Union First National Cooperative society was ordered by Federal Judge Anderson at Chicago.

Parts of Spain and Turkey were visited by earthquake.

The new French tariff decree is believed to be a retaliatory measure for the failure of the American senate to act on pending reciprocity treaties.

The new Ontario town of Latchford, nine miles from the famous cobalt silver mining camp, was practically destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $150,000.

Secretary Taft evaded answering Porto Rica's demand for citizenship in a speech in Porto Rico. He said Roosevelt is favorable and hints Speaker Cannon is all powerful.

Dr. Aked, the new pastor of Rockefeller's church, arrived from England, and in a strenuous interview declared a policy independent of wealthy parishioners.

The Illinois supreme court decided that it did not have original jurisdiction in the Illinois Central tax suit and a new suit probably will be brought in the Sangamon county circuit court.

The first ballot of both houses of the Wisconsin legislature in joint session for United States senator to succeed John C. Spooner, was taken at Madison with no choice.

It is said that President Roosevelt will make personal investigation of E. H. Harriman's record in pooling railway properties. The result will determine the question of prosecution.

John P. Dunning, well known in newspaper circles throughout the country, died in a hospital at Philadelphia of a tumor on the brain. He was 44 years of age.

Fire in Kroeger Bros.' big department store at Milwaukee, Wis., caused damage which will not exceed $75,000.

John Gundersen was arrested at St. Paul, Minn., on a charge of having held up Fred Zimmerman, the clerk in the Northern Express company's office, and robbed the safe of a package containing $25,000.

The will of the late George J. Schlenck of Belvidere, Ill., provides a bequest for the establishment of a perpetual trust fund, part of the income of which will go to the Salvation Army to aid its work "among the lowly and outcast in places of drunkenness and squalor." Mr. Schlenck was a brewer.

While attempting to extinguish a fire in an outhouse Mrs. Johanna Frenzel, aged 70 years, was burned to death at Dubuque, Ia.

In an attempt to escape from the state penitentiary at Raleigh, N. C., C. L. Scruggs was killed by the guard. Jack Williams and Dodd Wilson were recaptured.

President Hunter, of the Rough Rider association, stated that the Rough Rider reunion would not be held in Arizona this year as planned, owing to the inability of President Roosevelt to attend.

Investment of D. A. R. funds in railway bonds, causing a loss to the society, caused a row in annual congress.

Presidents Roosevelt and Diaz sent congratulations to engineering clubs on dedication of building given by Andrew Carnegie in New York.

The new cathedral of St. John the Baptist and St. Finbar at Charleston, S. C., was consecrated by Cardinal Gibbons.

Clay Thomas is locked up at Beattyville, Ky., for the murder of Jesse Abner, the killing being a result of the Hargis-Cockrell feud.

The Honduran forces who have been besieged in Amapala by the Nicaraguans capitulated unconditionally to the enemy. President Bonilla took refuge on board the American cruiser Chicago, and he will not be permitted to disembark on Central American soil. The war is considered over.

Owing to the difficulty in establishing communication with the cities situated in the region of the greatest devastation wrought by the recent earthquake details are coming slowly, but each succeeding report magnifies instead of diminishes the extent of the disaster. The list of known dead now totals 50, and of the injured approximates 300.

Mrs. Charles J. Holman, of Pittsburg, mother of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw, issued a long statement in her own defense, in which she declares she would have killed Stanford White herself had she known the truth.

President Roosevelt offered to arrange peace in Central America with President Diaz' aid.

Democrats elected O'Connor mayor of Peoria. Prohibitionist comes second and Republican third.

President Roosevelt will make personal investigation of Harriman's record in pooling railway properties; result will determine question of prosecution.

Secretary Wilson declared pure food law was being misused by some big manufacturers; declared use of government's guarantee for advertising must stop.

Gunners of battleship Illinois may win navy pennant for marksmanship on their record of 92 per cent.

Seventeen West Point cadets must face trial because they allowed girls to wear their uniform overcoats.

Bingham police bill giving power to reorganize city force was signed by Gov. Hughes, of New York.

Bad year of business caused the directors of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation, Charles M. Schwab, president, to pass the quarterly dividend on preferred stock.

Arkansas house passed the senate bill repealing that portion of the anti-trust law which prohibits the old-line fire insurance companies from doing business in the state, and the bill will go to the governor.

Chicago women took the lead in the New York peace congress, Miss Jane Addams and Mrs. Ellen Henrotin receiving ovations when they delivered speeches. College presidents and labor leaders joined in the movement.

Secretary Taft on his return to the country on Monday, will open his fight on Senator Foraker, and the struggle which ensues, it is expected, will be the hottest pre-convention campaign since the days of Blaine. Political leaders at Washington foresee the defeat of Foraker.

Alexander Troup, member of the Democratic national committee, introduced a resolution at the meeting of the National Publicity Law association in New York calling on the chairmen and treasurers of both the big political parties to publish a list of contributions in the last presidential campaign.

Hope was expressed by the Democrats of Brooklyn at a banquet commemorating the anniversary of the birthday of Thomas Jefferson, that W. J. Bryan, present at the function, will lead the party again.

Perry L. Hedrick, chief sanitary inspector of the Chicago health department, was arrested on charges of soliciting and accepting a bribe, and was suspended by Health Commissioner W. A. Evans.

Funeral services for James H. Eckels were held in Chicago.

The North Atlantic fleet, comprising 14 battleships and three cruisers under the command of Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, anchored in Hampton Roads ready to receive the fleets of foreign powers which will attend the opening of the Jamestown exposition.

Col. S. B. Rohrbaugh, one of the wealthiest citizens of Ottawa, Kan., died at Excelsior Springs, Mo.

Thaw's counsel announced that his defense in the second trial would again be legal insanity at the time of the killing of White.

Hopelessly divided—seven for a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree and five for acquittal on the ground of insanity—the jury which since the 23d of last January had been trying Harry K. Thaw, reported after 47 hours and eight minutes of deliberation, that it could not possibly agree upon a verdict and were discharged. Thaw was remanded to jail to await his second trial, which is not likely to begin before autumn.

The Dearborn Park pool-room at Clark Station, Ind., was raided by police from Hammond, Ind.

The steamer Louis Pahlow was wrecked near Sturgeon Bay, Wis., and the Delta was anchored in a perilous position. The crews were rescued.

Submarine boats of the Holland and Simon Lake types are to race under water for the government contract for new submarine war ships, equal to a prize of $4,000,000.

Michael Burke, 14 years old, a pupil in the public schools at Tolono, Ill., has been awarded $1,800 damages against his teacher, Miss Annie Kelley, for injuries resulting from a whipping.

The Great Northern Oriental limited was wrecked at Bartlett, S. D., and five persons were killed.

The medical building of McGill university, Montreal, Que., was burned, the loss being $500,000.

Police of Winnipeg, Manitoba, raided the offices of the Canadian Stock Grain company and arrested every one in them on charges of running and frequenting a bucket shop.

James H. Eckels, president of the Commercial National bank of Chicago and one of Chicago's leading citizens, was found dead in bed. Death was due to heart disease. Mr. Eckels was comptroller of the currency during Grover Cleveland's second administration.

Train wreckers derailed a train at Cheneyville, La., and three men were killed.

The national arbitration and peace conference opened in Carnegie hall, New York, with Andrew Carnegie presiding and many prominent foreigners and Americans present as speakers and guests.

One of the last acts of the Tennessee house before sine die adjournment was the adoption of a resolution declaring William J. Bryan the logical candidate for the Democratic party for president in 1908.

Capt. Carnot, son of the former president of France, has given $20,000 to the French academy to be added to the Carnot fund for widows of workmen who have been left with families.

Liebler & Co., theatrical managers, announced they had received a Marconigram telling of the disappearance of Percy Janis, the actor and brother of Elsie Janis, from the steamship Minneapolis, on which he was sailing for London.

Fire destroyed the principal business section of the town of Hastings, Ont. Loss, $80,000.

Dispatches from St. Petersburg, Tokio and Peking show that the evacuation of Manchuria by the Russians and Japanese, as agreed to under the Portsmouth treaty, and the repossession of that vast domain by China, has been accomplished under the terms of the agreement between Russia and Japan fixing April 15 as the limit of time for the actual transfer.

The trustees of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy have asked an immediate hearing of the suit begun by Mrs. Eddy's relatives, and denied that they are agents of the original defendants.

Cuba has decided to send three delegates to The Hague conference.

Fire destroyed the Second Reformed church, Hackensack, N. J. At recent services it was announced that the last dollar of the congregation's indebtedness had been paid.

The northern part of Montana is badly flooded by high water in Milk river. Glasgow is completely isolated. Many hundred cattle have been drowned.

The entire business portion of Benedict, Neb., was destroyed by fire. The bank, hotel and all the stores in the town were burned.

Five thousand union carpenters in Philadelphia are to go on strike for higher wages on May 1. Five hundred union painters have also voted to enforce their demands for an increase of one cent an hour.

In consequence of the attitude of the authorities of the Jassy district, Roumania, 2,000 petitions have been presented to the Jewish assistance committee asking for means to enable them to emigrate to America.

George W. Roosevelt, American consul general at Brussels and a cousin of the president, died suddenly.

Chief of Police John Adams of Newark, N. J., shot and killed himself in Branch Brook park.

Woodson S. Morris, 77 years old, has been sentenced at Newkirk, O. T., to 99 years in prison for murder.

Twelve jurors in the United States district court at Chicago found the Standard Oil company of Indiana guilty of accepting illegal rates from the Chicago & Alton railroad, as charged in 1,462 counts of the indictment. Should the verdict stand Judge Landis can impose aggregate fines of $29,240,000, or $20,000 on each count. If only the minimum penalty $1,000 on each count be assessed, the total would reach $1,462,000, the largest fine ever entered against a person or corporation in the history of federal courts.

The police of Paris issued an expulsion order under the prevention of gambling law against George Sutton, the American billiard player, who recently ran a billiard school there.

The Ripley building, one of the largest and most important structures at Baker University, Kan., was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $60,000; insurance, $15,000.

Policemen George M. Sechler and Alfred Sellech and Charles Vincenzo were shot and mortally wounded in New York by Salvatore Gavornale in a running fight.

George Shambacher, a wealthy real estate dealer of New York, was shot and mortally wounded while in the dining-room of his home; presumably by a burglar.

James Addison Quarles, D. D. LL. D., for the past 21 years professor of moral philosophy at Washington and Lee university, died at Lexington, Va. He was 70 years old.

After being out for 36 hours, the jury in the case of former State Senator Covington, of Arkansas, charged with accepting a bribe, reported a disagreement and was discharged.

David Billington, a professional swimmer, at Sydney, N. S. W., swam three-quarters of a mile in 17 minutes 36 2-5 seconds, thereby creating a new world's record.

The town of Westwego, La., was practically destroyed by fire.

Seven new cardinals were created by Pope Pius X. at a secret consistory.

Robert H. Crowe, of Pittsburg, who shot himself while in a theater, died of his wound.

Mrs. William Norris, of Denver, Col., committed suicide in Berea, O., because of domestic trouble and illness.

William T. Steed, of London, told an audience at the Pittsburg Carnegie Institute about his peace pilgrimage plan and was showered with money to help pay the expenses.

Dr. Samuel S. Guy, former coroner of Queens county, New York, was held to await the action of the grand jury following a coroner's inquest into the death of his wife, who was shot and killed on the night of April 8.

Wildwood, the suburban residence of C. D. Garnett, vice president of the Garnett, Allen & Grubb Paper company of St. Louis, was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, April 15—This was a day of small things with the Minnesota legislature. There was considerable business accomplished of a routine nature, advancement and passage of bills. In the senate, the Paully non-partisan judiciary bill passed by a vote of 33 yeas, 21 nays. An effort was made to exempt probate judges but failed. The bill to establish a commission of ten members to have charge of the extension of the capitol grounds passed with but ten votes in the negative. The bill had the original $500,000 appropriation cut out, and it is left to the discretion of the finance committee in drawing the general appropriation bill as to how much will be allowed for this purpose. The bill to provide for reorganization of the state guard on lines like the regular army and following the terms of the Dick federal bill, passed on motion of Senator Hardy, chairman of the committee on military affairs. One of the important changes made by the bill is to extend the term of office of the adjutant general from 2 to 6 years. The bill to create a state board of immigration to advertise and bring settlers to the state, was passed by a vote of 33 to 20. Senator Thorpe of Willmar was anxious to have the original appropriation of $25,000 retained in the bill but this was striken out and the matter left for the finance committee to include in the general appropriation bill.

Senator Ole O. Sageng of Otter Tail, attempted to have three measures passed, but only landed a home run with one. The one the senate consented to pass for him is to exempt successful primary election candidates from having to pay any additional election fees to get on the general election ballot. The bills that fell by the wayside called for a non-partisan county superintendent of schools, and the last one for publication of the session laws in pamphlet form instead of as newspaper supplements.

The senate also passed the Wright bill providing pensions of $15 a month for citizen-soldiers of the Indian troubles of 1862. Two members of senate, George P. Wilson of Minneapolis and George Pugh of Duluth, come under the provisions of the bill and were excused from voting. Another bill passed by the upper house was the Alderman measure establishing a new state fish hatchery at Dearwood in Crow Wing county.

In the house, the entire day was occupied with consideration of bills in committee of the whole and advancing of certain of these measures to the calendar.

The governor today exercises his veto power for the first time, in refusing to approve of a bill to permit insurance journals under certain conditions to publish legal statements of insurance companies. It is understood the governor has consented to give his approval to the introduction of a bill which will legalize the publication of annual statements of insurance companies in all the papers throughout the state, and that such a bill will be introduced in a day or two with the hope that country paper influence will aid in its passage under suspension of the rules.

St. Paul, April 16—After a strenuous day, the house passed the anti-pass bill. The bill bears the name of H. G. Hicks of Minneapolis, but after the enacting clause, the bill is in entirety an amendment by the committee on railroads, and is to go into effect Dec. 31, 1908. An amendment offered by A. J. Rockne was talked on which prohibits use of passes by any one who is connected with any political organization, or candidate for office, or who holds an office under the constitution or statute. This is to prevent such persons securing passes under the allegation that they are employes in any way of a railroad. There were 103 votes in favor of the bill, and but 3 against it. The three were representatives Saugstad, Opsahl and Wold. The bill was debated at length. John G. Lennon of Minneapolis opposed the measure. Judge Hicks indorsed it, but admitted he believed the bill had faults. The bill is remarkable for its long list of exemptions. It permits passes to be given to physicians, attorneys and bona fide employes of any road, and dependent members of their families; representatives of railroad labor organizations, children under seven, ministers of the gospel, secretaries of the Y. M. C. A. and persons engaged in charitable work, indigent, destitute and homeless persons, inmates of soldiers homes, custom inspectors, immigration inspectors, witnesses, and caretakers of shipments. It further provides a one trip pass may be issued for discharged employes good for thirty days following such discharge.

A number of important bills in addition to the anti-pass measure in the house were passed today. In the senate these included the V. B. Seward bill to establish an additional sub-experiment station and agricultural school in Lyon, Lincoln or Yellow Medicine county, to be definitely located by the state university regents. The house bill for the establishment of a state farm for inebriates under control of the state board of control. The Frank Clague bill, restricting the maximum number of senate members to 63, and house members 121. The Peuly bills establishing a state printing plant in the basement of the old capitol and appropriating $30,000 therefore; and an appropriation of $150,000 for printing expenses the next two years.

In the house, bills passed included the Saugstad bill providing primary election for nomination of state officers. The Senator Thorpe bill creating a state immigration bureau. The H. W. Libbey bill transforming the state labor bureau into a department of labor, industries, and commerce. A number of "joke" bills were also acted on amid much humor and bantering. The first of these was the Alvin Rowe bill giving a reward of $50 for arrest and conviction of chicken thieves. A. J. Rockne called attention to the bill affording a fine means for a man to get a big price for his chickens, but the house laughingly passed the measure. Another was J. R. Randall's bill to compel muzzling of dogs from May 1 to Sept. 1 in the three large cities of the state. John Lennon suggested the name "Legislative delegations" be inserted for the word "dogs" in the bill, but the suggestion was not adopted.

St. Paul, April 17—Gov. John A. Johnson had his salary raised by the senate today from $5,000 a year to $7,000. The senate did the kindly deed by passing the house bill providing for this increase. The measure is now up to his excellency for signature or if he does not sign it it will become a law any how in three days. The bill secured 47 affirmative votes, and but 2 against it, Senators Anderson and Wright. Senator Wright warned the senate that this was a great session for making salary increases, and that to pass this bill was simply making campaign matter for the democrats two years from now but his fellow members couldn't hear him. Senator Clegue offered amendments to the bill to raise the salaries of the state auditor, treasurer and secretary of state to $4,200, but withdrew the amendments on objection by Senator J. F. Calhoun of Minneapolis.

This was the event of the day in the senate. In the house it was the killing of the state fair bill. The bill provided for issuance of certificates of indebtedness to the amount of $250,000 for new fair buildings, the certificates to be eventually paid off through profits of the fair. The bill was introduced some time ago by Morse of Slayton, following the defeat of the $1,000,000 exposition bill. The Morse bill secured but 38 affirmative votes, and 68 against it. The state fair management will now not get a cent outside of whatever sum may be alloted to it by the appropriations committee in the general omnibus bill. Such an allowance will simply be for general expenses and will permit of no new buildings or enlargements. The house took a recess before voting on the bill to hear an explanation of the needs of the fair grounds from E. W. Randall, fair secretary. His appeal for aid, however, fell on deaf ears.

In the senate, bills passed today include S. F. 315, Durment, to prohibit discrimination and rebating by life insurance companies; H. F. 753, Rockne, to compel railroads to file plats of all new lines with the railroad commission; S. F. 844, McGowan, to provide for stricter inspection of oils; S. F. 271, Gunn, to give authority to the railroad commission to order installation of safety appliances; and the Tighe house bill for a wide-open tax amendment.

Bills passed today by the house include, S. F. 292, Schaller, regulating practice of veterinary surgery and dentistry; H. F. 1183, Saugsted forbidding use of spirituous liquors at polling places; S. F. 849, fish committee, regulating fishing in inter-state waters, a bill drawn after consultation with Wisconsin authorities and pertaining especially to fishing in Lake Pepin.

The appropriations committee of the house, and finance committee of the senate, are now meeting every afternoon and evening arranging appropriations for the omnibus bill. The appropriations asked are something mountain-like, and the committees are doing their best to cut them down. It is the desire to keep the appropriations so they may be met by less than a 3 mill tax. Senator Peterson, chairman of finance in the upper house, wants to keep the total down to a basis of 1½ mills.

Petrified in Grave.

St. Cloud.—The body of Mrs. J. J. Salfinger, buried in the Melrose cemetery in 1900, was exhumed and buried in another lot. The men making the disinterment, finding the box and casket decayed, expected to find nothing but the skeleton to remove, when, to their surprise, they found a well-preserved body. Upon touching it they discovered it had turned to stone. The body was of an ashy gray color, as rigid as rock and nearly as heavy.

Discovery Endangered World.

In the time of Louis XV. of France, a chemist named Depre gave an exhibit on a canal at Versailles of a kind of fire so rapid and devouring that it could not be quenched, water only giving it fresh activity. Louis forbade that the invention should be made public, and the inventor died soon after, carrying the secret with him to the grave.

Always Exaggerate.

We are never so happy or so unhappy as we suppose.—La Rochefoucauld.

Little One's Prayer.

Mary always gets a little piece of candy every day to keep her from being naughty. One day she was naughty, and she did not get her candy. That night when she was going to bed she said her prayers as follows: "Our Father, who art in heaven, please give me my daily candy."

The World's Classification.

Don't call a man a fool because he disagrees with you. A wiser one than either of you may insist upon putting you both in the same class.—John A. Howland.

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"I grew very despairing, could not bear to have people meet me and my friends remarked on my condition. About the middle of December a friend told me one day that he had tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and found them reliable. I commenced taking them and at the end of two weeks the change for the better was remarked by friends. I continued using the pills until I was thoroughly recovered. I regard them as a fine remedy and make this statement voluntarily in gratitude for the benefit I received from them."

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

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CHAPTER XXVII—Continued.

She looked up at him, embarrassed, and stepped back across the narrow trail, her head down again, so that he was free to pass. But instead of passing she became aware that he had dismounted.

When she looked up, he was busily engaged in adjusting something about his saddle, with an expression of deepest concern in his blue eyes. His hat was on the ground and his yellow hair glistened where the band had pressed it about his head.

"It's that latigo strap," he remarked, in a tone of some annoyance. "I've had to fix it every five miles since I left Kanab!" Then looking up at her with a friendly smile: "Dandy most stepped on you, I reckon."

The amazement of it was that, after her first flurry at the sound of his voice and his half-seen movements up the trail, it should now seem all so commonplace.

"Oh, no, I was well out of his way."

She started again to cross the trail, stepping quickly, with her eyes down, but again his voice came, less deliberate this time, and with words in something less than intelligible sequence.

"Excuse me, Miss—but—now how many miles to—what's the name of the nearest settlement—I suppose you live hereabouts?"

"What did you say?"

"I say is there any place where I could get to stop a day or so in Amalon?"

"Oh—I didn't understand—I think so. At least, my father sometimes—[illegible] Elder Wardle, he often [illegible] travellers."

"You say your father—"

"Not always—I don't know. I'm [illegible] he looked doubtful.

"Well, all right! I'll ask him,—if you'll show me his place."

"It's the first place on the left after you leave the canyon—with the big [illegible] orchard—I'm not going home [illegible]."

He stroked the muzzle of the horse. "Oh, I'm in no hurry. I'm just looking over the country a little. Your father's name is—"

"Ask for Elder Rae—or one of his wives will say if they can keep you over night."

She caught something new in his glance and felt the blood in her face.

"I must go now—you can find your way—I must go."

"Well, if you must go,"—he picked up his hat,—"but I'll see you again. You'll be coming home this evening, I reckon."

"The first house on the left," she answered, and stepped once more across the trail and into the edge of the pines.

When she knew he must be gone, she came out again to her nook beside the stream where, a moment before, her dream had filled her. But now, though nothing had happened beyond the riding by of a strange youth, the dream no longer sufficed. In place of the moonlit balcony was the figure of this young stranger swaying with his horse down between the hollowed shoulders of the Pine mountains and reining up suddenly to sweep his broad hat low in front of her. She was surprised by the clearness with which she could recall the details of his appearance,—a boyish-looking fellow, with wide-open blue eyes and a sunbrowned face under his yellow hair, the smallest of moustaches, and a smile of such winning good-humor that it had seemed to force her own lips apart in answer.

The picture of him stayed in her mind, the sturdy young figure,—rather loose-jointed but with an easy grace of movement,—and the engaging naturalness of his manner. But after all nothing had happened save the passing of a stranger, and she must go alone back to her dream. Yet now the dream might change; a strange youth might come riding out of the east, sitting a sorrel horse with a star and a white hind ankle, a long rangy neck and strong quarters; and he—the youth—would wear a broad, gray hat, with a band of silver filigree, a scarlet kerchief at his throat, a scarlet sash at his waist, and yellow dogskin "chapps."

Still, she thought, he could hardly have a place in the dream. The real youth of the dream had been of an unearthly beauty, with a rose-leaf complexion and lustrous curls massed above a brow of marble. The stranger had not been of an unearthly beauty. To be sure, he was very good to look at, with his wide-open blue eyes and his yellow hair, and he had appeared uncommonly fresh and clean about the mouth when he smiled at her. But she could not picture him sighing the right words of love under a balcony in the moonlight. He had looked to be too intensely business-like.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

The Gentile Invasion.

When she came across the fields late in the afternoon, the strange youth's horse was picketed where the bunch-grass grew high, and the young man himself talked with her father by the corral bars. She had never realized how old her father was, how weak, and small, and bent, until she saw him beside this erect young fellow. Her heart went out to the older man with a new sympathy as she saw his feebleness so sharply in relief against the well-blooded, hard-muscled vigor of the younger. When she would have passed them, her father called to her.

"Prudence, this is Mr. Ruel Follett. He will stay with us to-night."

The sombrero was off again and she felt the blue eyes seeking hers, though she could not look up from the ground when she had given her little bow. She heard him say:

"I already met your daughter, sir, at the mouth of the canyon."

She went on toward the house, hearing them resume their talk, the stranger saying, "That horse can sure carry all the weight you want to put on him and step away good; he'll do it right at both ends, too—Dandy will—and he's got a mighty tasty lope."

At supper and afterwards Mr. Follett talked freely of himself, or seemed to. He was from the high plains and the short-grass country, wherever that might be—to the east and south she gathered. He had grown up in that country, working for his father, who had been an overland freighter, until the day the railroad tracks were joined at Promontory. He, himself, had watched the gold and silver spikes driven into the tie of California mahogany two years before; and then, though they still kept a few wagon-trains moving to the mining camps north and south of the railroad, they had looked for other occupations.

He Paused to Take One of the Long Revolvers from Its Holster, Laying It Across His Lap.

Now their attention was chiefly devoted to mines and cattle. There were great times ahead in the latter business. His father remembered when they had killed cattle for their hides and tallow, leaving the meat to the coyotes; but now, each spring, a dozen men like himself, under a herd boss, would drive 5,000 head to Leavenworth, putting them through ten or 12 miles a day over the Abilina trail, keeping them fat and getting good prices for them. There was plenty of room for the business. "Over yonder across the hills," as Mr. Follett put it, there was a herding ground 400 miles wide east and west, and a thousand miles north and south, covered with buffalo grass, especially toward the north, that made good stock feed the year round. He, himself, had, in winter, followed a herd that drifted from Montana to Texas; and in summer he had twice ranged from Corpus Christi to Deadwood.

Down in the Panhandle they were getting control of a ranch that would cover 5,000 square miles, and some day they would have every one of its 3,000,000 acres enclosed with a stout wire fence. It would be a big ranch, bigger than the whole state of Connecticut—bigger than Delaware and Rhode Island "lumped together," he had been told. Here they would have the "C lazy C" brand on probably a hundred and fifty thousand head of cattle. He thought the business would settle down to this conservative basis with the loose ends of it pulled together; with closer attention paid to branding, for one thing; branding the calves, so they would no longer have to rope a full-grown steer, and tie it with a scarf such as he wore about his waist.

But they were also working some placer claims up around Helena, and developing a quartz prospect over at Carson City. And the freighting was by no means "played out." He, himself, had driven a six-mule team with one line over the Santa Fe trail, and might have to do it again. The resources of the west were not exhausted, whatever they might say. A man with a head on him would be able to make a good living there for some years to come.

Both father and daughter found him an agreeable young man in spite of his being an alien from the Commonwealth of Israel. He remained with them three days looking over the country about Amalon, talking with its people and making himself at least not an object of suspicion and aversion, as the casual Gentile was apt to be. Prudence found herself usually at ease with him; he was so wholly likable and unassuming. Yet at times he seemed strangely mature and reserved to her, so that she was just a little awed.

He told her in their evenings many wonder-tales of that outside world where the wicked Gentiles lived; of populous cities on the western edge of it, and of vast throngs that crowded the interior clear over to the Atlantic ocean. She had never realized before what a small handful of people the Lord had set His hand to save, and what vast numbers He had made with hearts that should be hardened to the glorious articles of the new covenant.

When he left he told them he was making a little trip through the settlements to the north, possibly as far as Cedar City. He did not know how long he would be gone, but if nothing prevented he might be back that way. He shook hands with them both at parting, and though he spoke so vaguely about a return, his eyes seemed to tell Prudence that he would like very much to come. He had talked freely about everything but the precise nature of his errand in the valley.

In her walks to the canyon she thought much of him when he had gone. She could not put his face into the dream because he was too real and immanent. He and the dream would not blend, even though she had decided that his fresh-cheeked, clear-eyed face, with its clean smile and the yellow hair above it was almost better to look at than the face of the youth in the play. It was not so impalpable; it satisfied. So she mused about them alternately, the dream and the Gentile—taking perhaps a warmer interest in the latter for his aliveness, for the grasp of his hand at parting, which she, with astonishment, had felt her own hand cordially returning.

For two weeks they heard nothing of the wandering Gentile, and Prudence had begun to wonder if she would ever see him again; also to wonder why an uncertainty in the matter should seem to be of importance.

But one evening early in June they saw him walking up in the dusk, the light sombrero, the scarlet kerchief against the blue woollen shirt, the holster with its heavy Colt's revolver at either hip, the easy moving figure, and the strong, yet boyish face.

He greeted them pleasantly, though, the girl thought, with some restraint. She could not hear it in his words, but she felt it in his manner, something suppressed and deeply hidden. They asked where his horse was and he replied with a curious air of embarrassment:—

"Well, you see, I may be obliged to stop around here a quite some while, so I put up with this man Wardle—not wanting to impose upon you all—and thanking you very kindly, and not wishing to intrude—so I just came to say 'howdy' to you."

They expressed regret that he had not returned to them, Joel Rae urging him to reconsider; but he declined politely, showing a desire to talk of other things.

Then he spoke of adventures with the Indians while freighting over the Santa Fe trail, and of what a fine man his father, Ezra Calkins, was. It was the first time he had mentioned the name and her ear caught it at once.

"Your father's name is Calkins?"

"Yes—I'm only an adopted son."

Unconsciously she had been letting her voice fall low, making their chat more confidential. She awoke to this now and to the fact that he had done the same, by noting that he raised his voice at this time with a casual glance past her to where her father sat.

"Yes—you see my own father and mother were killed when I was eight years old, and the people that murdered them tried to kill me too, but I was a spry little tike and give them the slip. It was a bad country, and I like to have died, only there was a band of Navajos out trading ponies, and one morning, after I'd been alone all night, they picked me up and took care of me. I was pretty near gone, what with being scared and everything, but they nursed me careful. They took me away off to the south and kept me about a year, and then one time they took me with them when they worked up north on a buffalo hunt. It was at Walnut creek on the big bend of the Arkansas that they met Ezra Calkins coming along with one of his trains and he bought me of those Navajos. I remember he gave 50 silver dollars for me to the chief. Well, when I told him all that I could remember about myself—of course the people that did the killing scared a good deal of it out of me—he took me to Kansas City where he lived, and went to law and made me his son, because he'd lost a boy about my age. And so that's how we have different names, he telling me I'd ought to keep mine instead of taking his."

She was excited by the tale, which he had told almost in one breath, and now she was eager to question, looking over to see if her father would not also be interested; but the latter gave no sign.

"You poor little boy, among those wretched Indians! But why were your father and mother killed? Did the Indians do it?"

"No, not Indians that did it—and I never did know why they killed them—they that did do it."

"But how queer! Don't you know who it was?"

Before answering, he paused to take one of the long revolvers from its holster, laying it across his lap, his right hand still grasping it.

"It was tiring my leg where it was," he explained. "I'll just rest myself by holding it here. I've practiced a good smart bit with these pistols against the time when I'd meet some of them that did it—that killed my father and mother and lots of others, and little children, too."

"How terrible! And it wasn't Indians?"

"No—I told you that already—it wasn't Indians."

"Don't you know who it was?"

"Oh, yes, I know all of them I want to know. The fact is, up there at Cedar City I met some people that got confidential with me one day, and told me a lot of their names. There was Mr. Barney Carter and Mr. Sam Woods, and they talked right freely about some folks. I found out what I was wanting to know, being that they were drinking men."

He had moved slightly as he spoke and she glanced at the revolver still held along his knee.

"Isn't that dangerous—seems to me it's pointed almost toward father."

"Oh, not a bit dangerous, and it rests me to hold it there. You see it was hereabouts this thing happened. In fact, I came down here looking for a big man, and a little girl that I remembered, whose father and mother were killed at the same time mine was. This little girl was about three or four, I reckon, and she was taken by one of the murderers. He seemed like an awful big man to me. By the way, that's mean whisky your Bishop sells on the sly up at Cedar City. Why, it's worse than Taos lightning. Well, this Barney Carter and Mr. Sam Woods, they would drink it all right, but they said one drink made a man ugly and two made him so downright bad that he'd just as lief tear his wife's best bonnet to pieces as not. But they seemed to like me pretty well, and they drank a lot of this whisky that the Bishop sold me, and then they got talking pretty freely about old times. I gathered that this man that took the little girl is a pretty big man around here. Of course I wasn't expecting anything like that; I thought naturally he'd be a low-down sort to have been mixed up in a thing like that."

He spoke his next words very slowly, with little pauses.

"But I found out what his name was—it was—"

He stopped, for there had been an indistinct sound from where her father sat, now in the gloom of the evening. She called to him:

"Did you speak, father?"

There was no reply or movement from the figure in the chair, and Follett resumed:

"I guess he was just asleep and dreaming about something. Well, anyway—I—I found out afterwards by telling it before him, that Mr. Barney Carter and his drunken friend had given me his name right, though I could hardly believe it before."

"What an awful, awful thing! What wickedness there is in the world!"

"Oh, a tolerable lot," he assented.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Looking Forward.

"Have you any watches with water-proof cases?" asked the young man.

"No," replied the jeweler. "What is your object in wanting a waterproof watch?"

"Oh, I may have occasion to soak it occasionally," answered the young man.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Attempted Train Wrecking.

Owatonna.—Because he was angry at a Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad section foreman, Julius Yuse, a resident of this city, took revenge by placing a railroad tie across the main tracks a short distance north of this city. The early morning northbound passenger, a through train from Chicago and heavily loaded, struck the tie, but was not derailed. The pilot of the engine struck the timber and tore a large hole in it, after which it was twisted in such a manner that, instead of lying across the tracks, it passed under the engine, and thus, bumping from side to side, the timber was carried for several hundred feet.

The striking of the tie was reported to the section foreman and from him to headquarters. Two detectives were detailed on the case and arrested Yuse. He at first denied the act, but when taken before Judge Johnson in the municipal court he pleaded guilty to the charge and was held to the June term of the district court.

To Make Turpentine.

Brainerd.—A. L. Hoffman and a number of associated business men will go into the manufacture of turpentine from pine stumps in the near future. Mr. Hoffman has visited Hinkley and has investigated the industry from every phase and he and his associates are satisfied that there will be a good thing not only for themselves but in addition prove of immense advantage to the country in that it will permit the farmers not only to clear their land without expense, but to get good pay for the clearing. It is the intention of the gentlemen to install the central refinery in Brainerd and to put in groups of retorts wherever they can contract for a sufficient number of stumps. It is expected that the enterprise will ultimately represent an investment of $100,000.

Doe Balks Pursuers.

Duluth.—After knocking out one of its pursuers with a blow on the solar plexus, a young doe which made its appearance in the western part of West Duluth, made its escape to the woods unharmed.

The appearance of the animal caused much excitement, and a crowd of men and boys started in pursuit. Near the Asbury church the animal became entangled in a wire fence. Lee McNulty who was one of the foremost of the pusuers put out his hand to grasp the animal when it butted him in the solar plexus, knocking him insensible. Its effort to put McNulty out enabled the deer to free itself from the meshes of the wire, and it soon out-footed its pursuers.

Many Were Hurt.

St. Paul.—The accident report of the labor commissioner for March shows the number of injuries to be the heaviest in six months, the number being 102, while the nearest approach to this record was 101 in October, 1906.

While the March list of accidents is a long one, most of the injuries sustained were of a minor nature, only two fatal injuries being reported. The rest were small cuts, burns, bruises, and so on, and as usual the large percentage of accidents occurred in the railroad shops.

Woman Found Dead.

St. Paul.—Lying head first in a bog, a woman identified as Mrs. O'Donnell was found by one of the employees of a trunk factory, Kentucky and Fenton streets, on the West Side.

Mrs. O'Donnell had been living in a small shanty in the rear of the trunk factory and it is supposed that while returning home late at night she stumbled and fell into the bog holes, many of which are to be found on the West side. Her head and shoulders had been covered and she died from suffocation.

Will Inspect Cadets.

Minneapolis.—Annual inspection of the university cadets by a regular army officer will occur this year at the university on Friday, May 10. Capt. Shelton, of the Eleventh United States Infantry, now detailed to general staff duty, will conduct the inspection, which will last all day. On the next day the cadets will tender a complimentary review to President Northrop.

NEWS NOTES.

Grand Meadow.—An enthusiastic meeting was held in this village to listen to the remarks of William Peyton Mason, secretary and general manager of the "Dan Patch Air Line," relative to the route in their vicinity. About 200 farmers were present.

Faribault.—Bert Ellis was seriously injured while assisting in moving a house in this city. Something had stopped the rollers and Mr. Ellis crawled under the house to investigate and fix the roller, when the house slipped from the roller and fell to the ground, crushing him severely. A heavy beam partly protected him from a fatal accident.

Minneapolis.—The forestry commission has purchased nine pounds of white pine seed and two pounds of pitch pine seed which will be planted in the nursery at the Pillsbury reserve. The seed cost $11 and will yield 200,000 trees, about eighty years being required to bring the trees to a marketable growth, which is a diameter of from twelve to fifteen inches breast high.

Alden.—An unknown man was run over and probably fatally injured by a Milwaukee freight train here. The man, who was about forty-five years old, had been about the village for several days. Both legs were cut off below the knees and although he is still alive, there is small hope for his recovery.

Preston.—Dr. G. A. Love was elected mayor by a majority of 70 over his opponent, Dr. J. S. Phillips. This will be Dr. Love's fifth consecutive term.

Adrian.—Joseph O'Hearn, of Ellsworth, attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a razor, but will recover. He had been drinking heavily.

Shooting Scrape.

Hibbing—A shooting affair which narrowly missed being a murder took place here when Joe Conkovitch, 26 years old, is alleged to have fired a shot which wounded a man whose name could not be learned, and who is now in the hospital seriously wounded.

The shooting is said to have been the result of an altercation which took place between Conkovitch and the stranger, in which the former got the worst of it and took refuge in flight. He secured a revolver, and returning, is alleged to have fired point blank at the stranger. The bullet struck him in the forehead, but instead of piercing his skull, glanced off after making a serious wound.

Conkovitch is under arrest. He denies the shooting.

Gets $18,000 for Arm.

St. Paul—A verdict of $18,000, the largest amount ever awarded in Minnesota, it is said, for the loss of an arm, was given by a district court jury to George E. Stiles in his suit against the Northern Pacific railway and Walter Henricks. He sued for $30,000.

Stiles, a brakeman employed by the Northern Pacific, was on a freight train last September that "broke in two" at Detroit, Minn. He went between the separated cars to adjust the air brake apparatus. He had signaled Engineer Henricks not to move the main part of the train until the adjustment had been made. But the engineer backed up too quickly and Stiles' right arm was so severely crushed that it had to be amputated.

Earth Swallows Team.

Winona—Clark G. Corey, who lives in Wiscoy Valley, a dozen miles from this city, lost a valuable team of work horses in a peculiar manner this week, the earth literally opening up and swallowing them. Mr. Corey's hired man was at work in the field with a three-horse team, when suddenly the animals broke through into a hidden sink hole, dropping into a deep cavity. The top horse was pulled out alive, but the other two were dead before they could be rescued. In the early days when the land was first being broken sink holes were found frequently, but now it is very seldom that one is discovered, especially in an old field such as this was.

Found Dead.

Rochester—The infant child of Mrs. Elizabeth Campbell was found dead in its bed. The child had not been ill and apparently had been in the best of health. It had been put to bed in the afternoon for its regular nap. Later, when a caller arrived, and wanted to see the child, the mother went to the bedroom and to her horror found that her baby was dead. The coroner was notified and Dr. F. R. Mosse made a careful examination, but could find no cause for the sudden demise, but it is thought it was due to a hemorrhage.

NEWS NOTES.

Mankato—Stray dogs drove a valuable flock of sheep into the Le Sueur river on George Blaisdell's farm, and most of them were drowned.

Mankato.—Mankato barbers met and agreed to raise the price of shaves from 10 to 15 cents after May 1. It was decided to leave the price of hair cuts alone for the present, until the patrons of the shops get used to the higher price of shaves.

Ross—Section men working on the North-Western road near here uncovered a lot of papers which proved to be those stolen from August Donder some time ago when his safe was blown open at Janesville. The papers were found to be all right, but the money was gone.

St. Hilaire—At a meeting of the council of this village it was decided to award a franchise to G. W. Hooper of Crookston for a local telephone system. He has made a deposit as an evidence of good faith and expects to have the system in working order by August 1.

Minneapolis—Enrollment at the university has passed the coveted 4,000 mark for the first time in the history of the institution. Registrar Pierce announced that the enrollment at present is 4,126. To this number a few more may be added when complete returns from some of the departments are secured.

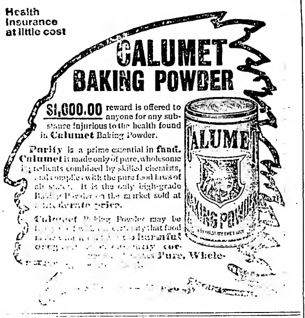
Hinckley—On a wire from a North Dakota sheriff last night, Deputy Marshal Webster arrested Frank Pierce, aged 19, living with his parents here. Pierce recently returned from North Dakota, accompanied by a half-breed boy and when arrested confessed to stealing two horses and selling them. He is in jail awaiting the arrival of the North Dakota sheriff. The half-breed is also in jail.

Crookston.—Fire destroyed the general store of W. H. Cone at Russia, a small town fifteen miles south of this city. There is no fire protection at Russia and the store and all the contents were destroyed. Mr. Cone occupied the upper story as a residence.

Washington.—The receipts of the St. Paul postoffice for the last month aggregated $87,268, which was an increase of 12 per cent over the previous month.

St. Paul—George Knuaff, 18 years of age, living with his parents at Concord and Page street, shot off his right heel while hunting muskrats near McCarron's lake. He says he was carrying the shotgun with the barrel pointed behind, and that the trigger got in his coat pocket. The shot tore the back off the shoe and the entire heel.

St. Peter.—While in session in this city the board of directors of Gustavus Adolphus college for the twelfth time re-elected Dr. J. P. Uhler as vice president of the institution. Dr. Uhler is completing his twenty-fifth year as a member of the faculty.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A LATE SPRING.

No Seeding Done Yet--Work Will Hurry When Commenced.

April 25th and very little seeding done means a late spring, and if a good crop, a late harvest. During the last ten days no work in the fields could be done and before that time very little had been accomplished. The season is much later than usual. A day or two of sunshine will put the fields in fine conditions, however. When conditions are right the farmers will "make the dirt fly" and seeding will be done in short order.

Few of the lakes are free from ice at this time, but it would hardly be a safe proposition to attempt to cross them even on foot. The snow is gone and all that is needed is sunshine and a little warmth to set everything at work.

This should be a good fruit year as the weather has been uniformly cold that no buds have been started on the trees. The need now is continuous warm weather without cold, rainy weather or frost during the time trees are in blossom.

WHEN A GIRL GRADUATES

The Following Article in the Delineator Will Be Appropriate.

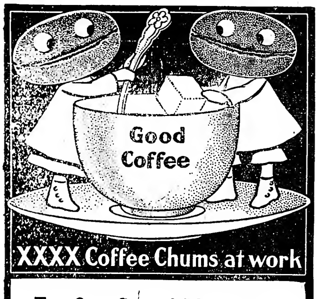
Not so very long ago graduation came but once in a girl's lifetime. Today no less than four distinct and separate graduations mark the upward steps in her education; and as each of these is honored by a public reception given at the school, graduation gowns are required by grils of all ages. This new arrangement makes the wee girlie graduating from the primary into the grammar school quite as important a personage, for the time being, as she who graduates into or out of high school or college.

The thin, brilliant-luster Japanese silks are coming into vogue for children's best frocks, and are being accepted even by old-fashioned mothers who "do not approve of silks for the children." This material is dressy yet inexpensive, since it requires less trimming than washable material.

Girls at the age when they graduate from the grammar school are apt to be awkward—we may as well admit it—and their successful gowning requires careful study.

Graduation gowns as a rule, are pure white: occasionally, however, one sees in the girdle, or in a scarf or a shoulder knot, an expression of the class colors. The materials may be simple or elaborate, ranging from a dainty dimity to chiffon, crepe de Chine or shimmering gauze.

One graduation gown alone no longer meets the requirements of the college graduate. The many festivities crowed into Commencement week demand several gowns of varied character, chiefly in all white.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Notaries Be Careful.

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The court holds that no notary has the legal right to certify to a signature unless the party so signing is personally known to him to be the one whose name is signed. Acknowledgements may no longer be taken over the telephone; nor will it be safe to certify to an instrument with the notariul seal and take the fee without personal knowledge of the other party. A notary public in this state is required to give a bond of $2,000, and according to this decision by the court said bond is not a mere matter to form but implies a real liability.

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Miss Clara Zaiser who has been quite ill for about two weeks past is considerably improved at this writing. The first of the week it was thought that it would be necessary to perform an operation for appendicitis, but after a consultation of physicians it was decided that it would not be necessary at this time.

F. A. Mizen left Wednesday evening for an extended trip through the west and south. Mr. Mizen will travel via the Northern Pacific to Portland, thence down the coast to San Francisco and Southern California, then east as far as New Orleans He expects to be gone about a month and will undoubtedly have a delighful trip.

On Saturday, April 5th, officers were elected in the recently organized town town of Reiner, in the Eleven Towns. The officials elected are: Supervisors, T. G. Helle, chairman; L. L. Rosseland, Ellef Aakre; town clerk, Michael T. Torgerson; treasurer, Reinhart Johnsrud; assessor, Anders L. Kjos; justice of the peace, Martin Anderson, Anton Knudson; constables, John M. Anderson, Torjus Halvorson.

The Class Play of '07, the "Sweet Girl Graduates, was played before a packed house at the Metropolitan opera house last Friday evening. The play was well staged and the members of the caste carried their lines with credit to themselves and to the satisfaction of all who witnessed their first attempt before the footlights. The receipts of the evening were about $100. which after all outstanding accounts were paid left them about $70 net, which will be used in meeting graduating expenses. After the play a social dance was given.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere attended the installation ceremonies of Knights of Columbus at Crookston Monday. The exercises were great. Fully 400 visiting knights were there from outside lodges, coming from the large cities in Minnesota, Wisconsin and North Dakota. The new chapter starts out with a big membership, After the organization a big reception was tendered the visiting knights and an elaborate banquet was served them by the Catholic ladies of Crookston.

What does the average farmer think of $2,500 gross being produced off six acres North Dakuta land? That's what Hauser Bros. did in 1905 und again in 1906. The Hauser Bros. raise pickles. They raised among other things six acres of cucumbers. The gross sale of the six acres came to $2,500. The land lies three miles west of Fargo between a lake and Sheyenne river. No irrigation and no drainage. The cost of the entire production and picking was less than $500. These men raised an acre of cabbage worth $500. They sold 150 bushels of tomatoes off a small patch, and received an average of 75 cents per bushel. Last year they set out 500 plum trees and will plant more this year. Still the lands on which such crops grow are listed at less than $100 per acre.—Fargo Forum.

Upon the complaint of Ole Homme, County Attorney Germo last week instructed Judge Bishop to issue a warrant for the arrest of Frank Zavoral and Joseph Varlicky, two settlers living out in the new town of Star near Erie postoffice. It appears that a few weeks ago while enroute from Thief River Falls to their claims, Zavoral and Varlicky stopped at the home of Homme which resulted in some trouble. Mr. Zavoral is an old Thief River Falls resident and Varlicky is his brother-in-law. Those who know the circumstances of the case say that a mistake was made in having a warrant issued for their arrest. The warrant has been in the hands of Sheriff Nelson for several days, but as yet no attempt has been made to have it served owing to the bad condition of the roads in that section.—Thief River Falls News.

Merchants State Bank Idea.

You will, I believe, agree with me when I say that wheat growing is no longer profitable in this section.

If not wheat-- what then?

Corn, clover, cows, creameries and a good bunch of hogs to turn your skim milk into money.

There are a few farmers in this neighborhood who are now making money out of cows and hogs.

Most of the farmers in this neighborhood can at once, if they will, own a sufficient number of high grade cows and hogs to place themselves in this money making positon.

There are very few, if any, farmers here who cannot, if they manage right, within a few years time work themselves into this money making position.

This bank has more than eight hundred thousand dollars loaned out for itself and its clients in the Condties of Red Lake and Polk, and therefore it is vitally interested in the devlopment of this section and in the financial welfare of its farmers.

We are here to do our share towards bringing about the change from unprofitable wheat growing to the unquestionable more profitable dairy farming and hog raising. We are always glad to make loans to farmers, whose credit standing warrants it, for the purchase of high grade dairy cows, cream separators, hogs, and for necessary feed.

If the people of this neighborhood will take hold of this proposition with the vigor and determination which a matter of such great bearing upon their prosperity deserves, they can bring about a wonderfull change for the better within the next five years. Not alone a change to much more profitable farming, but also the naturally following increase in land values—an increase of probably fifty to one hundred per cent.

Think it over. Come in and talk it over.

Merchants State Bank
of Red Lake Falls
J. A. Duffy, Cashier.

BRAY.

The weather has been very good for the last week comparing it with what we are used to.

Iver Johnson transacted business at St. Hilaire Wednesday and Thursday.

C. P. Swanson made a trip to Numedal, last Thursday.

Alfred Johnson was at St. Hilaire Tuesday.

A. S. Wilson of St. Hilaire was around during the week buying cattle from the farmers.

A. E. Anderson drove to St. Hilaire Monday.

Among the Braytes who were in St. Hilaire Friday were Alfred Olson, Mike Ault and Henry Hanson.

Loyd and Willie Crown left for Thief River Falls Monday where they will work in the saw mill during the summer.

Pale, Thin, Nervous?

Then your blood must be in a very bad condition. You certainly know what to take, then take it—Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you doubt, then consult your doctor. We know what he will say about this grand old family medicine.

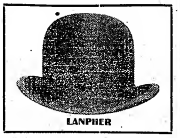
This is the first question your doctor would ask: "Are your bowels regular?" He knows that daily action of the bowels is absolutely essential to recovery. Keep your liver active and your bowels regular by taking laxative doses of Ayer's Pills.

Made by J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.
Also manufacturers of
Ayer's
HAIR VIGOR.
AGUE CURE.
CHERRY PECTORAL.

We have no secrets! We publish the formulas of all our medicines.

$500 In Prizes Given Away

By
Lanpher-Skinner & Co.
Makers of



LANPHER HATS

The makers of the ever popular Lanpher Hats are offering some substantial cash prizes to those who can guess the nearest to the number of Lanpher Hats that will be sold during the spring season of 1907. It will cost you nothing to make a guess and may bring you a good sized cash prize. Try it. Call at Garceau & Zaiser's store and they will tell you all about it.

Bargains in Spring and Summer Dress Goods

THE BUSY STORE

GARCEAU & ZAISER

Harry Mitchell's
EDITORIAL.

I want to make your spring suit. I want to show you that for $15.00, $20.00 and $25.00 I can make you a better suit than you can get at your local tailors for $30.00, $35.00 and $40.00.

My Spring goods have now arrived, and they are the most beautiful fabrics I ever saw.

Write me today for samples and tell me about the kind of clothes you are thinking of getting. By return mail I'll send you a bunch to select from, also self-measurement blanks.

Remember, I have the largest tailoring establishment in the world, that I absolutely guarantee perfect fit and satisfaction or refund your money; and I pay all express charges, so your clothes cost you no more than if you got them right here in Minneapolis.

Yours truly,
HARRY MITCHELL,
310 Nicollet Ave Minneapolis, Minn.

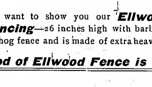
We make farm loans at the lowest possible rate of interest. Funds on hand at all times.---First State Bank, Red Lake Falls.

HOG FENCING

Do You Need
Any Hog Fencing

If you do we want to show you our ***Ellwood-Diamond Mesh Fencing***—26 inches high with barb bottom. This is the standard hog fence and is made of extra heavy galvanized wire.

Every Rod of Ellwood Fence is Guaranteed.

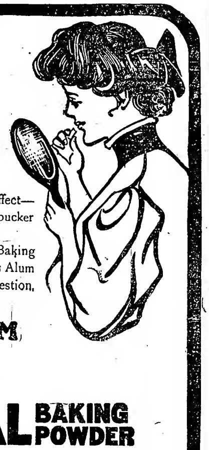


We have other styles of Hog and Field Fencing, also a complete stock of Poultry Netting in the following widths: 2 ft., 2½ ft., 3 ft., 4 ft., 5 ft., 6 ft. We have Barb Wire, both black and galvanized, in genuine Glidden and Waukegan patterns, which we are selling at very low prices.

Hunt Hardware Co.

General Hardware

Red Lake Falls - - - - Minnesota



IF YOU
TOUCH
your tongue to
ALUM

and look in the glass—you will see the effect—You can't help puckering—it makes you pucker to think of tasting it.

By the use of so called cheap Baking Powders you take this puckering, injurious Alum right into your system—you injure digestion, and ruin your stomach.

AVOID ALUM

Say plainly—

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

Royal is made from pure, refined Grape Cream of Tartar—Costs more than Alum but you have the profit of quality, the profit of good health.

Frank Jeffers attended to business matters at Thief River Tuesday.

Norman Sebrelter returned Saturday from the cities after a two weeks sojourn.

Don't forget the baseball meeting Saturday evening at the city hall at eight o'clock-

Joseph Brohman, a prominent Lambert farmer, transacted business in the city Tuesday.

Auditor O'Brien is busy with the assessors of the county today, who have assembled to receive their books and instructions.

Wm. Clancy, who has been the stenographer for the Northern Minnesota Milling Co. for the past two months, left Monday for Minneapolis, where he will look up a new position.

Fred Zaiser returned home Tuesday from central Minnesota where he has been looking up contract work on the Glenwood-Duluth extension of the Soo.

Gene Bray of Crookston visited friends in the city Friday last.

Arthur Guilmette has accepted a position as clerk in G. A. Kankel's hardware store.

Mrs. Joseph Miller visited with her sister, Mrs. Nap Miller at St. Hilaire last Thursday.

Miss Mamie Regan returned this morning from a visit with friends at Argyle and Crookston.

Miss Lerain Longton departed last Friday for Maddock, N. D., where she will teach a term of school for the summer season.

D. P. O'Nell spent Saturday night in the city while enroute with his teams to his Norman county farms where he will put things in order for the spring seeding.

Ernest Richard, Tom Lonson, Willis Aekre, and Willie Prichard of the Upper Falls came down last Friday evening to take in the class play "Sweet Girl Graduates."

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCaffrey of Crookston visited with friends here last Friday.

If your lamp chimney smokes go to Spillanes; The Right Store and get some Ruby Oil.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall went to the cities Tuesday night to visit her son, Drew, and other relatives.

Master Carpenter, E. A. Mills of the Great Northern spent Wednesday in the city looking after work in his line for the company.

Mrs. Ed. Bray entertained her sisters Mrs. G. B. Morin and Mrs. Brosseau, of Crookston on Tuesday of this week. Mr. Brosseau accompanied the ladies on their trip to this city.

White Wyandottes are the best general purpose fowl. Have the size and are great winter layers. Eggs from extra fine stock $1.00 per setting.—Fred L. Farley. 27-30

The Local Field---

Band
Concert
Tomorrow night.
The last of the season.

Baseball meeting Saturday evening.

Sam E. Hunt spent Sunday in the city.

County Attorney Germo was in Thief River Falls Monday.

Dentist Argue was up to St. Hilaire Wednesday on professional business.

Oscar Carlson and Arnold Finrow of Plummer were county seat visitors yesterday.

Remember the art exhibition at the High school next Monday afternoon and evening.

C. J. Knox, of Thief River, was a business visitor in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. J. S. Hamilton and Prof. John Bursk are conducting a series of revival meetings at Bemidji.

By the time the winter will have relinquished its hold on the spring season, the good old summer time will be with us.

Fred Richards came in from Dorothy last Friday to witness the "Sweet Girl Graduates," and visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson, of Park River, N. D., is expected in the city next week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Tonpin and family.

A. H. Cowles from Great Bend N. D. arrived in the city the first of the week and will substitute for Agent Mizen of the N. P., while he is enjoying his vacation.

Mrs. Selvan Hall arrived in the city Tuesday from Cass Lake and will visit for a time at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Croupe. She was joined by Mr. Hall yesterday.

T. R. Press:—Mrs. W. B. Fuller and son, Herman, left on Tuesday for Belleville, Ontario, going by way of Chicago and Toronto. They will be absent visiting relatives for a number of weeks.

Joseph Baril, who has been spending the past month in this vicinity, leaves today for his home at Crossfield, Alberta. Mr. Baril is shipping a carload of horses which he will disposed of at that point.

Are you good at guessing? If you are there is a chance to win a big cash prize by making a guess on the number of Lanpher hats that will be sold this spring. Read Gareeau & Zaiser's ad.

Jim Connoughty, who has been braking on the Crookston-Duluth line the past winter, arrived home Thursday, and will assist with the spring work on the farm, after which he will resume his duties with the G. N.

John A. Pokezwinski arrived in the city from Perham Saturday and will work as bartender in the Ed Bray saloon. Mr. Pokezwinski is also a first-class baseball pitcher, having done considerable "heaving" for some of the fast amateur teams in Dakota and will be a welcome addition to the twirling staff of the city.

A. J. Lillo was in from Rhoda Wednesday.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

H. H. Zaiser transacted business at Crookston over Wednesday night.

Oscar Carlson and Arnold Finrow were up from Plummer Wednesday.

J. B. Armstrong and L. P. Berthon made a business trip to Crookston last evening.

Banker C. L. Hansen, of St. Hilaire returned Tuesday from a business trip to the Twin Cities.

Pat Sullivan was in the city the first of the week looking for men to work on the river this summer,

Dr. Dunlap came up from Crookston Tuesday to be present at a consultation of physicians in the case of Miss Clara Zaiser.

Eugene Besse of Grand Forks arrived here Saturday enroute to his farm in Louisville township, where he will look after the spring work.

Miss Mayme Linnihan returned home Friday from Crookston, after visiting for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lytle at Crookston.

The Big Store calls your attention to their big line of men and boys' clothing bought direct from the House of Kuppenheimer, the home of style and quality.

When you need a pill, take a pill, and be sure it's an Early Riser. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are safe, sure, satisfactory pills. The pills with a reputation. They do not gripe or sicken. They are sold here by all druggist-

When you have glasses fitted take no chances; but have your eyes examined by a Specialist whose ability is unquestioned, Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

Iver Kana of Fertile, arrived here Monday to take a position as tinner in G. A. Kankel's hardware store. Mr. Kana comes recommended as a first-class tinner and will no doubt give the patrons of the Kankel store entire satisfaction.

Music for the Antlers club dance on Friday evening was furnished by the Red Lake Falls orchestra. Our sister town on the south may well be proud of this musical organization for it is the equal of many a professional orchestra,—Thief River Press.

Ervey Lachance, a resident of this city five years ago but now of North Yakima, Washington, dropped in on his many friends here Monday. Mr. Lachance has been around the world since leaving here, having visited Japan, the Philippines, the Siberian coast and many other points of interest.

The star route from this city to Lambert via. Terrebonne and Brooks has been discontinued and the patrons at present along the route are served direct from the different postoffices along the route. The goverment is now advertising for bids to supply the Lambert postoffice from Brooks.

Supt. McAnulty was a Dugdale caller Monday.

County Surveyor Wood was in the city the fore part of the week.

C. F. Gray leaves today for Canada where he will spend the summer.

Atty. Farley left Wednesday evening for St. Paul on professional business.

Mrs. Con Short came in from Lillo Tuesday to do some shopping in the city.

Father Roi of Lambert spent several days in the city this week visiting with friends.

Attorney Chas. E. Boughton transacted legal business at Warren the first of the week.

H. Hennemuth went to St. Hilaire Wednesday to look after some repair work on the Red Lake Falls elevator at that place.

D. D. Daly, general agent for the St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Co. was in the city Tuesday looking after business for his company.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher, of Grand Forks, will be at Dr. Wilkinson's office in Red Lake Falls, from April 27th to 29th inclusive. Anyone having dental work should see him at that time.

L. A. Lovenstein, representing Ederheimer, Stein & Co. of Chicago, makers of young men and boys fashionable clothes, spent several days in the city this week calling on the trade.

O. Noel Sr and wife left last evening for North Yakima, Wash., where they expect to put in the most of the coming year and if they find the climatic conditions agreeable will probably locate at that place.

Tim Hastings, one of Crookston's prominent horsemen, was in the city Saturday interviewing old friends and at the same time keeping a weather eye open for anything in the line of fancy steppers.

Report of Examining Committee of the Merchants State Bank

At close of business, April 16th, 1607,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

We, the undersigned members of the Examining Committee of Merchants State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., do hereby certify that we have made a thorough examination of the condition of the above named bank, and are of the opinion that the assets of the bank are not carried on the books thereof in excess of their actual value. Items considered of less than book value are enumerated below:

All notes and securities found to be of full par value and amount claimed as booked and cash on hand and in bank, found as carried on books.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Red Lake } ss.

We, the subscribers, Examining Committee, for the within named bank, do solemnly swear that the statement herein made is true to the best of our knowledge and belief, and that every item of the assets of said bank, not stated herein, is of book value.

—Samuel Gibeau,
—L. A. Kaufer,
—Chas. N. Bourdon,
Examining Committee.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 18th day of April, 1907.

—J. A. Duffy,
Notary Public, Red Lake Co.

MENS & BOYS CLOTHING

THERE is a Greek anecdote of a humble cobbler pointing out to a great sculptor a serious mistake he had made in the sandal of an otherwise perfect statue. This goes to show that the reputation of those who do something, artists or merchants, is safe only when their work is so perfect and so reliable and so exact that those who scrutinize it closely find it right. The clothing and all the other merchandise we sell is made on this basis. In getting clothes with style and fit like

Kuppenheimer's
-for men-
Eduheimer, Stein's
-for boys-

we do not forget the material. We only buy those that have wearing qualities. Our stock is complete and would compare favorably with stocks in much larger cities.

Boys
$1.50 to $6.50

Young Men's
$5.00 to 25.00

Men's
$5.00 to 25.00

Cravenettes
$15.00 to $22.50

We show all wool Men's Suits at
$9.00
in blue serges and fancy cassimeres. We respectfully solicit your inspection.

Everybody says it pays to trade at . .

The Big Store

Big in Size but little in prices

THEO. LaBISSONIERE, Proprietor.

This is the Time of the Year

When you begin to think about a new coat of paint for the house, you want a paint that will not only brighten and beautify the home, but will withstand sudden changes in the weather without cracking and pealing---a paint that will last. There is but one brand of paint that we can guarantee to last---

Heath & Milligan's Ready-Mixed Paints
The Best Prepared Paint Made

A full line of these famous paints always on hand. SEE OUR SAMPLES.

We have have received a large shipment of

Barb Wire,
Small Farm Implements
Building Material, Etc.

We make a specialty of always being ready to furnish figures on hardware supplies for buildings and contract work where hardware is used, and it will pay you to call and get prices before purchasing.

SPORTING GOODS...

Our line of sporting goods is the largest to be found in the city and we take a special pride keeping our stock complete and up-to-date. We have everything you want in

Fishing Tackle, Base-ball Goods, Guns and Amunition, Etc.

We would be pleased to have you call at any time and look over these goods, they are for your inspection whether you wish to buy or not.

New Hardware Store G. A. KANKEL Red Lake Falls, Minn.

KEEP PERSONAL ACCOUNTS

Strict Record of Receipts and Expenses Invaluable to Women—How to Accomplish This Should Be Part of Every Young Girl's Education.

By KATHERINE LOUISE SMITH.
(Copyright, [illegible], by Joseph B. Bowles.)

No matter what their financial standing, all women need business training of a fundamental nature. To make expenses and receipts balance ought to be part of every girl's education, but too often this is sadly neglected. The young girl is not taught to keep track of her allowance and the married woman uses her husband's money just as she did her father's or her own, with no systematic record of where it goes to.

There are many reasons for this. Until of late, the business faculty has been cultivated in men and the opposite tendency encouraged in women. Women have not handled money. They have not been taught to make out checks, to lend money with proper security, to know the routine of a bank, to understand even the simplest commercial usages that men understand because they have grown up among them.

We may regret when a woman loses her all, when she lends money without security, when she is swayed by feelings of emotion to lend large sums to this or that man because "he is so good to his wife," or "leads in prayer meeting," and when she does not know a check from a draft. We may regret, but the chances are we will shrug our shoulders and say: "But that is just like a woman. What can you expect?" But the question is, would not a man with no business training do the same in her place? When a woman understands commercial uses that are common, every-day facts in the business world, and some part of this world she cannot escape, no matter how secluded her life, her liability to failure will decrease 75 per cent.

Women are not naturally stupid about money affairs. As a matter of fact, when they understand business they are more accurate about handling money than men. Witness the counting of money in our large mints. This is all done by women, and in the treasury department at Washington, not a single man is employed to count money by hand. Four hundred women are engaged for this purpose, and they are selected because they do it accurately and swiftly.

That women know little of business usage cannot be denied. It makes little difference whether a woman is earning her living or attending to household affairs and accounts. Whether she is the producer of money or the distributor who manipulates the money that the breadwinner supplies, it is her obligation to get the worth of every dollar she handles and to learn enough of the business world to protect her own money and any entrusted to her. With the average person, no degree of success can be attained without rightly regulated economy, the proper distribution of funds for expenses and a knowledge of what becomes of money.

Business will not conduct itself successfully, either in the great wide world or the seclusion of home and no matter what the life work or social status, familiarity of business forms is a wise protection against financial embarrassment. Many a woman has made a fiasco of supporting herself and has made home life miserable after marriage because she did not understand the financial problem. Fortunate is the girl who has enough knowledge of business forms to give her assurance and the wife who is familiar with her husband's business affairs. The former will know enough to keep any surplus money she may accrue and the latter will not only be a help to her husband while he is living, but will understand how to attend to what is left at his death, and to face the world in a competent manner.

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The necessity of some means of support appeals forcibly to most women. Formerly, women accepted the anomalous position of dependent as a part of their inheritance, because they were women. To-day most women realize that it is well to be equipped for the battle of life, to have some means of support, even if not called upon to use it. Women are learning that there is far more comfort in being independent and earning one's bread and butter than in playing the role of the dependent relative or companion. On the other hand, all the college education in the land cannot make a success of a woman unless she understands that having earned money, it is to be judiciously invested. A salary of several thousand dollars a year or of $500 are equally insufficient if the recipient lives beyond her means or is so ignorant of business forms that she loses it in wild-cat schemes. In other words, insolvency faces anyone who is unacquainted with business forms and usages.

Nothing is dying a surer death than the thought that a woman is incapable of understanding business. With most women the sin of extravagance is committed through ignorance, and this ignorance is the result of the general attitude toward her. The married man who has the honesty and good faith to talk over expenditures and his probable income usually finds that his wife is as willing to make sacrifices as himself. Many a woman regrets lack of confidence on her husband's part, as regards these matters, and no man can blame his family for extravagance if he cannot be frank enough to consult with them concerning the bills to be met, such as rent, light, heat, clothing and incidentals.

In general, business is no respecter of persons. Certain principles are as fixed with the woman as with the man. Honesty is essential to success. So is the thought that time is valuable. It is always advantageous to keep personal accounts and a strict record of receipts and expenses. This is desirable, not alone because it guards against living beyond one's means, but because the bookkeeping encourages the habit of saving. This keeping of personal accounts need not be a complicated matter. Separate pages for debit and credit can form the basis on which the accounts are kept and ingenuity will supply some simple additions. Accounts should be footed up weekly, so that at the end of the month a complete statement confronts one. No matter how trivial the purchase the amount should be put down, for continual failure to record small expenditures will in the end make balancing accounts an impossibility.

On general principles, bills are to be avoided, and it is better to pay cash or to go without. There are several reasons for this. Many of the trials of merchants are induced by the failure of persons to pay bills. Another reason is that many people, men as well as women, will if they can get trusted, purchase with an idea of where the funds are to come from to settle the account. There are reasons enough without the added ones that bills accumulate so that the amount always looks twice as large when presented, and that unpaid bills are a discouragement to the breadwinner.

The payment of a bill calls for a receipt. This is given by the party paid and is in reality a written acknowledgment for money or other value received. It should be kept, for it may be valuable to both parties later in case of dispute or mistake, and it prevents the payment of a bill twice. A written receipt on a blank slip of paper will do, but it is better to use the blank receipt with stubs which can be obtained at any stationer's. Do not hesitate about asking for a receipt. People who understand business will expect to give one. If the matter is overlooked none but an ignorant person will resent being asked for one. A common form is:

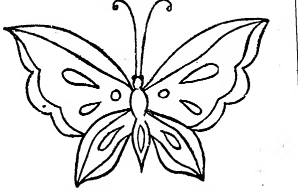
Chicago, Ill., Nov. 11, 1905.
Received from Mrs. Mary R. Thompson, twenty dollars ($20), in full payment of account, dated, Nov. 2, 1905.
$20.00. WILLIAMS & BOWEN.

And the corresponding stub, which is kept by the person receiving the money, reads:

To—Mrs. Mary R. Thompson.
Date—Nov. 11, 1905.
For—Acct. Nov. 2, 1905.
Amount—$20.

When a third party collects the bill he must be authorized to do so and his name must be added. The transaction should be entered into the account book under the heading "Bills Paid." The terms bookkeeping, receipts, balance, etc., may sound formidable to feminine ears, but in reality these are simple processes which can be mastered by anyone who knows how to add, subtract and multiply, and the record of expenditures may prevent difficulties at the time the entry is made and later.

In Shadow Embroidery



This butterfly can be used in a number of ways. For collars, waists or in French and eyelet embroidery also.

THOUGHT HIM A LUNATIC.

Man's Queer Jumble of Words Warranted the Inference.

Prof. William Lyon Phelps of Yale recently told this story at New Haven's chamber of commerce banquet: A hard drinker was told by his doctor that he could be cured if every time he felt that he must have a drink he would immediately take something to eat instead.

The man followed the advice and was cured, but the habit of asking for food had become so fixed with him that once he was nearly locked up as a lunatic. He was stopping at a hotel and, hearing a great commotion in the room next to his, he peeped over the transom to see what the matter was. He saw, and rushed madly down to the office and shouted to the clerk: "The man in 153 has shot himself! Ham and egg sandwich, please!"—Lippincott's.

SPLENDID APRIL TONIC.

Easily Prepared at Home and Harmless to Use.

This is known as "Blood-Cleaning Time," especially among the older folks, who always take something during this month to clean the blood of impurities and build it up.

The following is the recipe as given by a well-known authority, and anyone can prepare it at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion one-half ounce, Compound Kargon one ounce, Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla three ounces.

Get these simple ingredients from any good pharmacy and mix by shaking well in a bottle. The dose is one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Everybody should take something to help the blood, which becomes impoverished and almost sour after the winter season, especially those who are subject to Rheumatism, Catarrh, Kidney and Bladder trouble.

It is said that one week's use of this mixture will clear the skin of sores, pimples or boils.

This is sound, healthy advice, which will be appreciated by many readers.

HAD NERVE, BUT NO MONEY.

Unlucky Man's Modest Request for Pecuniary Assistance.

Raymond Hitchcock, the comedian, while in New Orleans a few months ago, took the opportunity of going to the races. During the afternoon he cashed several tickets, the result of good guesses. He was feeling happy after the last race, and started for the automobile which was to convey him back to his hotel. As he was about to climb into the machine he felt a hand on his arm, and a man shouted in his ear:

"Hello, Hitchcock, how are you? Hear you put a crimp in the bookies to-day."

Hitchcock blushed and shook hands sheepishly, not recognizing the man, and not wishing to show it.

"Say, I want to speak to you confidentially," said the stranger.

"All right; what is it?" asked the comedian.

"Well, I am up against some hard luck to-day. They cleaned me and I want to get home. Now, don't let any one of these people see you, but slip me enough for car fare, will you?"

"Sure," said Hitchcock, placing his hand in his pocket. Then he paused and queried: "Where do you live?"

"Vancouver," was the answer.

Hitchcock took a flying leap for his machine, and unless the visitors at New Orleans are more gullible, the impecunious one is still looking for car fare.—Harper's Weekly.

ROMANTIC DEVONSHIRE.

The Land Made Famous by Philpotts' Novels.

Philpotts has made us familiar with romantic Devonshire, in his fascinating novels, "The River," "Children of the Mist," etc. The characters are very human; the people there drink coffee with the same results as elsewhere. A writer at Rock House, Orchard Hill, Bideford, North Devon, states:

"For 30 years I drank coffee for breakfast and dinner but some 5 years ago I found that it was producing indigestion and heart-burn, and was making me restless at night. These symptoms were followed by brain fag and a sluggish mental condition.

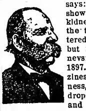
"When I realized this, I made up my mind to quit drinking coffee and having read of Postum, I concluded to try it. I had it carefully made, according to directions, and found to my agreeable surprise at the end of a week, that I no longer suffered from either indigestion, heart-burn, or brain fag, and that I could drink it at night and secure restful and refreshing sleep.

"Since that time we have entirely discontinued the use of the old kind of coffee, growing fonder and fonder of Postum as time goes on. My digestive organs certainly do their work much better now than before, a result due to Postum Food Coffee, I am satisfied.

"As a table beverage we find (for all the members of my family use it) that when properly made it is most refreshing and agreeable, of delicious flavor and aroma. Vigilance is, however, necessary to secure this, for unless the servants are watched they are likely to neglect the thorough boiling which it must have in order to extract the goodness from the cereal." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

A TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

How a Veteran Was Saved the Amputation of a Limb.



B. Frank Doremus, veteran, of Roosevelt avenue, Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I had been showing symptoms of kidney trouble from the time I was mustered out of the army, but in all my life I never suffered as in 1897. Headaches, dizziness and sleeplessness, first, and then dropsy. I was weak and helpless, having run down from 180 to 125 pounds. I was having terrible pain in the kidneys, and the secretions passed almost involuntarily. My left leg swelled until it was 34 inches around, and the doctor tapped it night and morning until I could no longer stand it, and then he advised amputation. I refused, and began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The swelling subsided gradually, the urine became natural, and all my pains and aches disappeared. I have been well now for nine years since using Doan's Kidney Pills.

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Patent Office Is Behind.

The United States patent office is months behind in its work.

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People seldom improve when they have no other model but themselves to copy.—Goldsmith.

It Cures While You Walk.
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Nobody does anything well which he cannot help doing; work is only done well when it is done with a will.

Hides, Furs, Pelts.
Cow hides are worth 10c to 11c per lb., horse hides $2 to $4 each, sheep pelts 50c to $1.50, as to size. Furs are very high, especially Mink and Muskrat. To get all they are worth ship to the old reliable N. W. HIDE & FUR CO., Minneapolis, Minn.

Energy will do anything that can be done in this world; and no talents, no circumstances, no opportunities will make a man without it.—Goethe.

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To gain the full confidence of the Well-Informed of the world and the approval of the most eminent physicians, it is essential that the component parts be known to and approved by them, and, therefore, the California Fig Syrup Company has published for many years past in its advertisements and upon every package a full statement thereof. The perfect purity and uniformity of product which they demand in a laxative remedy of an ethical character are assured by the California Fig Syrup Company's original method of manufacture, known to the Company only.
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Every bottle is sold under the general guarantee of the Company, filed with the Secretary of Agriculture, at Washington, D. C., the remedy is not adulterated or misbranded within the meaning of the Food and Drugs Act, June 30th, 1906.
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A SWINE STORY.

One Farmer's Hogs That Made a Great Profit.

The Irish cottager who says that the pig "pays the rint" tells a no more patent truth than is contained in the statements made by Theo. Louis, John Cownie, and other great hog growers, that hog growing is one of the most surely profitable of all branches of farming. Many people seem to think, however, that hogs pay well only in the "corn belt." This I know to be a mistake, writes a correspondent of Farming. My farm is not in the corn belt: on the contrary it is in one of the old states, and we never make any great surplus of corn. Nevertheless, I can make hogs pay well even when prices are down to four or five cents. When up to six cents, profits are a 100 per cent. or more.

The Shelter That Housed 36 Hogs.

Corn is great feed for hogs; for fattening there is nothing better, but it is not wise to depend on corn, except where it makes big yields every year. I cannot do this and here is my method of making cheap pork, and getting good profits: I have three fields well fenced, adjoining each other. They have from eight to ten acres in each, and in each there is a good supply of running water. My hogs, in the latitude of Washington city, spend ten months of the year in these fields. At this writing there is in No. 1 a crop of late cowpeas on half and clover and orchard grass on the rest; in No. 2 there were oats and Canada field peas which have been eaten off; in No. 3 there are only early cowpeas. The hogs ran in No. 1 in spring and early summer, then in No. 2 till they ate the oats and peas, and now they are in No. 3 and will remain till the peas are gone. Then they will spend a large part of the winter in No. 1 on the late cowpeas. There is no kind of forage better adapted to making pork than these.

Last fall I bought among a lot of hogs some half-bred Jersey and "razor-back" sows that had together 36 pigs. I fed the pigs two tons of tankage at a cost of $76, and $20 worth of corn, and let them run in good weather in a potato field that had been dug. They rooted up and ate all the potatoes that had been left. As soon as the clover and grass got up enough in the spring in pasture No. 1, I turned in the pigs. They stayed there till they were six months old and weighed 200 pounds each and the market price was $6.10. This made them average a little more than $12 a head. The money cost of these pigs when sold had been only $4.75 each, showing a gain of $7.90 a head.

FINE HOLSTEIN RECORD.

What a Nebraska Cow Has Done in Twelve-Month Test.

A three-year-old cow owned by the Nebraska Agricultural college was given a 12 months' official test with the result below. Every pound of milk was weighed and tested for butter fat. The cow was milked three times a day for the first six months of lactation and all the feed given her was weighed. The results obtained were especially interesting.

In 365 days this cow produced 18,573 pounds of milk of an average test of 3.34 per cent. butter fat. This amounted to 620 pounds of butter fat for the year, which estimated as butter amounts to 734 pounds. At 25 cents per pound this butter would be worth $181, making a total value of products $228. The value of the milk solids, not fats, at 3 cents per pound would be $47.

The whole cost of the feed for this cow was $71. If the 9,000 quarts of milk had been sold for 4 cents per quart, the income would have been $360, or a net profit over the cost of feed of nearly $290, but as the milk was actually sold for 6 cents per quart, the net profit over the cost of feed was nearly $470. For net profit, this cow stands close to the record, in fact, above any cows that we have ever heard of. Can there be any better argument for quality in a dairy cow?

What Might Be.

H. A. Hopper of the Illinois College of Agriculture has been testing the cows of that state for the last two years. He makes the statement that if all the cows in the state were as good as the best herd he has tested, they would add to the revenue of the farmers of Illinois over $60,000,000 annually. All this loss traces back to the mistaken judgment of the Illinois farmer concerning cows. If he would commence to make a study of cows, their breeds and types, he could correct that judgment.

LEARNING ABOUT HORSES.

Tendency on the Farm Is More Intelligent Breeding.

Many of the young men brought up on the farms are learning more about horses to-day than they ever knew before. They are doing this in the agricultural colleges, where they may take a long course of instruction or a short one. As a result it is certain that we will have better horse breeding in the near future than we have had at the present time. Hitherto the knowledge of the horse in all his bearings has not been extensive among the rank and file of the owners of such animals. Otherwise we would not have seen the aimless breeding that has taken place and which has kept down the per capita value of our horses. This study of the horse is being stimulated by the laws that are being passed by the various states requiring stallions to be registered. The state of Wisconsin is doing more to spread the knowledge of good horse breeding than any other, but there are indications that some of the other states are not far behind, says Farmers' Review. The laws passed have compelled the authorities to make an investigation into the conditions existing in the breeding of horses, and the data accumulated are proving very valuable in instructing those that are most interested in this study. From every agricultural college is going out an influence for better horses on the farms.

CARE OF A CALVING COW.

What Can Be Done to Carry the Cow Safely Over the Period.

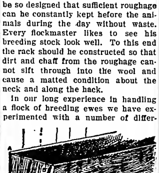
If a cow is a very heavy milker, and in high condition, it would be well to give her light feed for about a week before freshening, to thin the blood a little, as a preventive of milk fever. Keep close watch of her and put her in a box stall at night, so that when she does calve she may have her freedom. After calving give her a warm mash of bran, with a handful of salt scattered on top. Let the calf suck, and then strip her out and put her back in her stall, says a writer in Rural New Yorker. See that she cleans. Do not give her any cold water until after she has cleaned. Work her slowly on to her feed. I do not like to milk a heifer before calving. Let the calf suck once and if the heifer takes kindly to her milker and gives down her milk freely, she is just as well off back in her stall, but if she holds up her milk and wants her calf, let her have it; milk her at the same time of the calf sucking, until she takes kindly to her milker.

INDOOR ROUGHAGE RACK.

Handy Device Which Will Save Feed and Be Convenient for Sheep.

In designing a rack for indoor feeding of sheep, and especially a breeding flock, there are several things to be taken into consideration. In the first place it is desirable that the rack be constructed to take up the least amount of space possible. It should be so designed that sufficient roughage can be constantly kept before the animals during the day without waste. Every flockmaster likes to see his breeding stock look well. To this end the rack should be constructed so that dirt and chaff from the roughage cannot sift through into the wool and cause a matted condition about the neck and along the back.

In our long experience in handling a flock of breeding ewes we have experimented with a number of different designs of sheep racks, hoping to get a good combination of all the desirable qualities of a good sheep rack. About four years ago, writes the correspondent of Prairie Farmer, I constructed one the plan of the design herewith illustrated and find it answers the purpose better than anything yet found.



Indoor Roughage Rack for Sheep.

The rack can be constructed against the wall or away, so that the sheep may feed from both sides. As we have our racks constructed around the outer walls of our sheep barn the one here illustrated is designed for that purpose.

In constructing the rack we first place 2x4s at an angle of about 20 degrees to the base of the siding, leaving a space at the top for feeding of about 20 inches. The rack was then boarded at the ends and faced, as shown in cut. The distance from the floor to E is 18 inches. From E to top of slats is eight inches. At E a trough was constructed for the feeding of grain. Small cleats were toe-nailed in two inches apart. With this small place to get the roughage through the sheep waste very little hay. Grain can be conveniently fed in the trough without difficulty.

Unwise Breeding.

The breeder who pays more attention to shape and color than he does to practical points has something still to learn about the science of poultry raising. It is meat and eggs, not the feathers, that the buying public wants.

ANOTHER WESTERN CANADA RECORD.

The Way in Which a Swan River Farmer Became Wealthy.

Swan River, Manitoba, Nov. 21, 1906.

Two weeks ago we gave an account of the prosperity of a farmer in Western Canada, and this week we reproduce another.

"I have been asked regarding this year's work on my farm, and I herewith willingly submit the following statement:

"Three years ago I purchased an improved farm of 186 acres on Section 9, Township 36, Range 27 west of the First Meridian—two miles from the town of Swan River.

I plowed and cropped 122½ acres of land during this year (1906), 80 acres in wheat, 30 acres in oats, and 12½ acres in barley.

"The cost of putting in and taking off this crop this season is as follows:

Cash paid for blue stone	$ 1.50
Cash paid for binder twine	39.00
Cash paid for hired help	125.00
Cash paid for threshing	175.00
Total	$ 340.00

"Receipts for the year as follows—

80 acres of wheat (yielded 30 bushels per acre)—Total	2,400 bu.
30 acres of oats (yielded 46 bushels per acre)—Total	1,200 "
1 stack of oats in sheaf	200 "
12½ acres barley (48 bu. per acre)	600 "
Crop potatoes	300 "
Hay, tons	15

Sold.

1,168 bu. wheat at 62c	$ 724.16
1,232 bu. wheat in granary at 62c	763.84
300 bu. barley at 35c	105.00
300 bu. barley in granary at 35c	105.00
1,200 bu. oats in granary at 25c	300.00
100 bu. potatoes at 30c	30.00
200 bu. potatoes in root house at 30c	60.00
1 stack of oats in sheaf for feed	50.00
15 tons of hay at $3.00	45.00
Garden roots and vegetables	30.00
Total	$2,213.00
Cost of above, besides my own labor	340.50
Balance	$1,872.50

I have in all, 125 acres ready for crop next year, including 10 acres cleared and broken this season.

Total Assets.

186 acres land, with house, stable and outbuildings, etc.	$5,000.00
Implements	500.00
4 head of horses, and harness	800.00
15 head of cattle	375.00
20 pigs	200.00
Receipts of this season's crop	1,872.00
Total	$8,747.50
Liabilities are	1,000.00
Total assets	$7,747.50

I have made the above amount by farming in Manitoba. I think it has paid. This is my standing to-day. I am a single man, a Canadian, and 26 years of age.

For particulars how to secure low railway rates to the free homesteads of Western Canada apply to any Canadian Government agent.

Prize for the Unmarried.

The latest novelty in bazar attractions is that introduced by the Springside Wesleyan chapel, Rawtenstall, England. A wedding cake was cut up, and in one section was concealed a marriage certificate. It was announced that the bachelor or spinster securing the "chunk" containing the document had the opportunity offered to be married free of cost within the next 12 months by the Rev. J. Bennetts.

For constipation, biliousness, liver disturbances, and diseases resulting from impure blood, take Nature's remedy, Garfield Tea. It is made wholly of health-giving herbs.

Queer Names of Jurymen.

Among those drawn for jury service for the April term of court in Franklin county are: Mr. Button, Mr. Hasty, Mr. Curl, Mr. Lord, Mr. Dyer, Mr. Cook and Mr. Pear.—Kansas City Star.

We Want Your Cream.

Write to-day for tags and prices. North Star Creamery Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Japan Exports Much Copper.

Japan exported last year over $11,000,000 worth of refined copper.

Town Belle Criticised.

A town belle got off the train at a small town between Atchison and Topeka last night, says Ed Howe. She shook hands with her left hand, wore a larger hat than the girls who met her, wore pretty loud clothes, chewed gum and when she hit the cinder platform of her home town a lot of people grinned at her and said: "Hello, there!" This town belle was not bad looking, but she couldn't keep her mouth closed even when she was not talking.—Kansas City Journal.

BABY WASTED TO SKELETON.

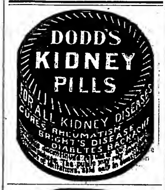
In Torments with Terrible Sores on Face and Body—Tore at Flesh —Cured by Cuticura.

"My little son, when about a year and a half old began to have sores come out on his face. They began to come on his arms, then on other parts of his body, and then one came on his chest, worse than the others. At the end of about a year and a half of suffering he grew so bad I had to tie his hands in cloths at night to keep him from scratching the sores and tearing the flesh. He got to be a mere skeleton and was hardly able to walk. I sent to the drug store and got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment, and at the end of about two months the sores were all well. He has never had any sores of any kind since, and only for the Cuticura Remedies my precious child would have died from these terrible sores. I used only one cake of Soap and about three boxes of Ointment. Mrs. Egbert Sheldon, R. F. D. No. 1, Woodville, Conn., April 22, 1905."

Some people climb to the top for the purpose of looking down on their neighbors.

For Prices on Poultry,
either live or dressed, write R. E. Cobb, St. Paul, Minn.

Lots of folks do a thing twice in order to get it done once.



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Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

BACKACHE AND DESPONDENCY

MISS LENA NAGEL

Are both symptoms of organic derangement, and nature's warning to women of a trouble which will sooner or later declare itself.

How often do we hear women say, "It seems as though my back would break." Yet they continue to drag along and suffer with aches in the small of the back, pain low down in the side, dragging sensations, nervousness and no ambition.

They do not realize that the back is the main-spring of woman's organism and quickly indicates by aching a diseased condition of the feminine organs or kidneys, and that aches and pains will continue until the cause is removed.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

made from native roots and herbs has been for many years the **most successful remedy** in such cases. No other medicine has such a record of cures of feminine ills.

Miss Lena Nagel, of 117 Morgan St., Buffalo, N. Y., writes:— "I was completely worn out and on the verge of nervous prostration. My back ached all the time. I had dreadful periods of pain, was subject to fits of crying and extreme nervousness, and was always weak and tired. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cures Female Complaints, such as Backache, Falling and Displacements, and all Organic Diseases. Dissolves and expels Tumors at an early stage. It strengthens and tones the Stomach. Cures Headache and Indigestion and invigorates the whole feminine system.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free.

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But two short months remain before the tournament time, and the firemen will be as busy as bees from this time henceforth. It is planned to hold the firemen's races and ball games on the Buse property in the west part of town, and a fine track will be made for the racing. The committee in charge of the grounds plan on commencing next week to fence in the ground and begin the work of breaking the track. A woven wire fence will be built around the grounds, and everything will be arranged in first class shape. Work on the grandstand will also be commenced shortly.

There is a whole lot of work ahead of the various committees from now on, which must be attended to as fast as possible and the boys should be given all the aid possible by the citizens.

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ESTATE OF ANDREW R. PETERSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew R. Peterson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Mathilda Krane, August R. Peterson and Claus Peterson, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of May, 1907, at 9 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of April, 1907.

(Seal) —N. W. TARRANT.
J. K. [illegible] Probate Judge.

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And Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditiona thereof, the mortgagee or holder of said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely:- The Southeast Quarter, and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter, and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter all in section Twenty Four (24) in township one hundred fifty three (153) North of range forty four (44) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey three hundred twenty (320) acres, be the same more or less, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank,)
Mortgagee.
Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota. m28-m9

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty-Five Dollars ($65.00) interest, which became due May 31, 1906, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Douglas Martin and Bessie Martin, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uitbuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee, bearing date the 31st day of May, A. D. 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of June, A. D., 1905, at 11:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 6 thereof,

And Whereas, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section one (1) in township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-three (43) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey eighty (80) acres be the same more or less, in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated, March 21st, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank)
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INDIANS CELEBRATION

39th Anniversary of Settlement of Reservation Will Be Observed.

There will be "heap big time" at White Earth Agency village on the 11th of June next, celebrating with appropriate ceremony the 39th anniversary of the settlement of this fertile and beautiful region by the Chippewas. This anniversary celebration has been an event in the history of the reservation each year, but this year all previous attempts in this direction will be put into the shade. The passage of the law under which restrictions upon title have been removed has placed many of the reservation people in affluence. An appropriation of $1000 was made by congress to enable the reservation people to conduct their celebration with becoming dignity in recognition of the presence of Vice President Fairbanks and other distinguished visitors.

Congressman Halvor Steenerson has been requested to be present at the celebration and has been asked to make a speech. He has accepted and is looking forward to the event with pleasant anticipation. This morning the congressman received a letter from Vice President Fairbanks who said that if no other engagements interfered he would be present.

The committe in charge of the arrangements consists of the venerable head chief, Me-sha-ke-ge-shig, president, who is the sole surviving member of the body of hereditary chiefs who signed the treaty under which settlement on White Earth reservation was made: B. L. Fairbanks, vice president; C. H. Beaulieu, secretary and B. L. Fairbanks, treasurer.

Let Us Clean Up.

Every spring brings with it that ne'er forgotten custom of the good housewife—house - cleaning time, and as well the spring time always brings to mind the fact that the city should come in for its cleaning up time—the removal of all the rubbish that is almost sure to accumulate in the streets and alleys during the long winter months. With the coming of the warm weather it is decidedly necessary for the health of every community that considerable cleaning up of both public and private property be done.

Red Lake Falls should take special pride this year in cleaning up every portion of the city and keeping it clean and attractive during the entire year, for many visitors will be within our gates, and the appearance of our city should co-incide with the beauty of the glens and glades around us. Here where the Clearwater joins with the waters of the Red in the onward rush to the Hudson bay, nature has endowed us with one of the beauty spots of the earth, and we should leave no blemish to mar its beauty.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

SEEDING UNDER WAY

Ground In Excellent Condition and Fine Weather Prevails—Outlook Bright.

The work of seeding was brought to a sudden halt last Friday by the snow storm which was general throughout the northwest. From three to four inches of snow fell in this section, while to the south of us in the neighborhood of the Twin Cities the biggest snowstorm on record for 16 years for this time of the year is reported by the weather bureau at Minneapolis, the fall of snow measuring 12.6 inches at that point.

However, on Monday nearly all traces of the recent snow storm had disappeared, and the farmers lost no time in getting into the fields. The ground is in fine condition and the weather could not be better for seeding operations. The farmers are rushing the work and if the present conditions continue nearly all of the small grain crops will be in by the next ten days. The cold weather has retarded seeding somewhat, although some grain was put in this spring almost as early as a year ago. The first seeding done in this vicinity was on the 20th of April.

While we have had a late spring, with the ground in its present condition prospects for a big crop in this vicinity were never better at this time of the year.

GET OUT AND ROOT

Baseball Organization Perfected Last Saturday Evening for the Coming Season.

A number of baseball enthusiasts met at the city hall last Saturday evening, and perfected the organization of a ball team; J. J. Padden being elected manager and E. G. Buse captain for the season. Ways and means were discussed as to the methods of raising funds for equipment, etc., which was finally left over to be decided later.

On Monday the boys got together and ordered new suits for the entire team. The suits will be black with maroon trimmings and were selected with a view of matching the band and running team suits which are also black, the band suits especially being the object of much favorable comment.

The line-up of the team has not been perfected as yet, and it will take some practice work before this will be definitely decided on, however, every one who is at all interested in baseball is invited to turn out to the practice stunts, and if you can't play the game you can at least brush up your "rooting" proclivities and when the season opens in earnest be ready to help win the game.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

PETITION NUMBER TWO

Started In Circulation On Wednesday of This Week by Thief River Falls.

On Wednesday of this week the people of Thief River Falls started the circulation of the second petition for the removal of the county seat from Red Lake Falls to Thief River Falls.

After two years of fruitless fighting, which has put the taxpayers of the county to great expense, Thief River realized that the original petition would never pass inspection, and so devised a clever method for its disposal—by having it stolen—thereby to make way for a new petition and an additional series of expense accounts to saddle upon the taxpayers of the county.

The methods of securing the first petition were so questionable that even Thief River, with their hardened graft fattened county seat committee healers, did not dare to let the petition be brought to a final hearing for fear of the exposure of those square dealing (?) methods with which they have been endeavoring to hoodwink the people of the county for the past two years.

In their zeal to secure signatures to the first petition the Thief Riverites forgot the fact that Red Lake county did not cover all of northern Minnesota and often wandered across its boundary lines, and, with the aid of a liberal application of "Red Eye" and a few sheckels, secured the signatures of any wayfarer who by chance crossed their path. Bearing in mind the advise of the rustic Hoisier, of "git a plenty, while yer gettiug," Thief River never stopped to enquire whether a man was from Texas or Arizona as long as he could be induced to sign his name. Had the old petition been allowed to come up for hearing this is one of Thief River's square deal (?) methods that would have been brought to light, but the discovery of these methods was undoubtedly one of the principal reasons why Thief River caused the petition to disappear.

The fight put up by the up-river burg during the past two years has not been of a nature that would readily induce the taxpayers to enter upon another campaign of the same nature, as the people of the county have learned that the contest, if continued, will not only undoubtedly last for years, but will continue to roll up the burden of expense on the taxpayer.

Withey Promoted.

Steve Withey, one of the most popular conductors on the Great Northern system, has received a promotion which he deserves and which will be highly pleasing to his friends. He will hereafter have entire charge of the work trains at the Bagley gravel pit and began his new duties on Monday last. For several years he has been the passenger conductor on the Greenbush line and his run on that line was taken last week by Conductor Remshart, who heretofore has had the run between Crookston and St. Vincent, and later by "Dad" Clark who had charge of the work train here last summer.

Need No Special Stamp.

Postoffice department officials are looking forward with interest to the putting into effect of the law permitting the transmission of letters and packages for special delivery where the necessary 10 cents postage is attached, in addition to the ordinary postage. The law will become effective July 1st, next, and is intended to do away with the usual special delivery stamp. It is believed at the department that a considerable increase in business will result from the new system of special delivery and that the public will appreciate the saving of trouble in not being required to purchase the familiar blue stamp so long in use.

RALPH IS REAPPOINTED

State Drainage Board Re-Appoints Mr. Ralph As State Engineer.

At a meeting of the state drainage board which consists of the governor, the auditor and the state treasurer, held in St. Paul on Saturday George A. Ralph, of Crookston was reappointed as state engineer for a term of two more years. Mr. Ralph will hereafter be provided with an office in the state capitol and will spend his time there hereafter when not out over the state on drainage matters. The question of an increase in salary for Mr. Ralph was discussed at the meeting and while there was no definite action taken at that time it was the unanimous opinion of the board that Mr. Ralph should receive a larger compensation and it is understood that he will receive an increase of $1,200 per year which will make his salary $3,000 per year. In return for this increase in salary he will be expected to devote his entire time to the work of drainage for the state.

Under the new drainage law the commission will have available $100-000 for state drainage, and it is expected to result this year alone in the placing of drainage contracts that will aggregate $2,000,000. Of the first named amount, $50,000 is for county drainage. For every dollar in aid given by the state the counties must contribute an equal amount. This, with assessments to be levied against benefitted property, Mr. Ralph thinks, will make available about $300,000 a year for drainage work. In several counties drainage contracts involving over $100,000 for each county have already been placed.

State ditches under the new law, are to be paid for out of assessments on abutting and improved swamp lands. Heretofore private corporations holding large wet tracts on speculations, have gained much by state ditches indirectly draining their lands as well as state acreage. The present law assesses costs to private property for immediate payment where such property is bettered, and where state lands are drained, the assessments are added to the price at which the lands are to be eventually sold. Thus the state drainage appropriation to a certain extent, is but a revolving fund, to be used temporarily for immediate expenses of new ditches.

The swamp lands when drained, are the richest and most fertile agricultural lands to be found. State authorities believe this will increase in value from $5 to at least $50 per acre when prepared for agricultural purposes. The swamp land soils have been analyzed under state direction, and declared to be the most ideal for general agriculture of any soils in the state.

Of the 1,000,000 acres of state swamp lands which can be benefitted by drainage, Red Lake county contains 202,240 acres. Itasca has the most, containing 1,590,600 acres, Polk county has 174,000, Beltrami has 1,451,520, St. Louis has 1,192,160, Marshall has 158,240, Norman has 100,000, Roseau has 533,680, Kittson has 184,000, Clay has 230,000. Almost every county in the state has some.

Emardville Loses Fight.

Plummer Pioneer: Yesterday the supreme court handed down a decision in the case of E. Pederson vs. the town of Emardville sustaining the decision of the district court and verdict of the jury in the case.

It will be remembered that Pederson sued the township of Emardville to recover for the board of one Samson Helland, a pauper, and that a verdict was awarded to him in the municipal court at Thief River Falls and later in the district court at Red Lake Falls.

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WILL OPEN JULY FIRST

Official Notice of the Opening of Lands by the Government Is Received.

The Crookston land office received official notice Friday morning from Washington of the opening of the lands in this state which were mentioned in the dispatches some days ago.

Following are the number of acres which will be thrown open in each district: Duluth, 2,666.87 acres; Cass Lake, 6,687.29; and Crookston 219,943.25 acres. It will be seen from this that the land in the Crookston district to be thrown open is much more extensive than that in the other two districts. The land to be thrown open in the Crookston district is out almost directly east of Greenbush. It is in the southeast corner of Roseau county and the northwest corner of Beltrami. The conditions under which this land may be taken is the same as that under the other homestead laws. $1.25 per acre must be paid for the land and homestead entry and duties must be performed on it before title is granted by the government, It is also subject to the drainage tax. These lands will be opened July 1st at 9 o'clock a. m. in the Crookston land office. The officials state that they do not expect to get any schedules or lists of lands for at least three or four weeks.

OLD RESIDENT DEAD

Antoine Lizotte, An Old Resident of This County Passed Away Sunday.

Autone Lizotte, aged 56 years, passed away at his home on Polk street in Crookston Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock, death being due to blood poisoning. Mr. Lizotte was wounded severely in the leg forty years ago and the wound has bothered ever since. Lately the wound broke out and it rapidly grew worse causing his death. He has been a resident of Crookston for the past few months only, going there from Louisville, where he owned a farm. He came to Louisville 27 years ago from Canada. He is survived by his wife and eight children, five of whom are married. The children are Joseph who is married and lives at Louisville, Mrs. Mary Bochens who lives at Louisville, Mrs. Amie Brosseau of Crookston, Mrs. Ida Brunelle of Blackduck and Mrs. Laura Mattiau of Grand Forks. Emery, William and Bertha were living at home with their parents. The funeral was held from St. Anne's church Monday forenoon at 9 o'clock, Father Sevigny officiating.

Anthony Paradis has secured a position as stenographer for the Northern Minnesota Milling Co., and on Monday assumed the duties of his new position.

ASSESSORS MEETING

Held at the Auditors Office Last Thursday Afternoon, April 25.

The Red Lake county assessors met at the county auditor's office Thursday of last week to talk over the year's assessments and receive their books and instructions. At the meeting Auditor O'Brien acted as chairman, and S. S. Haislet as secretary.

Real estate will not be assessed this year, except where lands have been proved up and patents issued since June 1st, 1906.

The following maximum valuations of personal property were agreed upon:

Horses, one year old, $10; two years old, $16; three years old, $30; stallions, fine bred mares and race horses, discretion of assessors.

Cattle, one year old, $4; two years old, $7; cows, $10; working oxen, $15; all other cattle, three years old or over, 40 per cent of valuation. Sheep of all ages, $1; hogs of all ages, $2.

Vehicles, 40 per cent of valuation. Sewing and knitting machines, watches, clocks, melodeons, organs, etc., 40 per cent. Household goods, wearing apparel and office furniture, 40 per cent. Farm tools, implements, machinery, threshing machines and engines, 50 per cent. Gold and silver plate, plated ware, diamonds and jewelry 40 per cent. Goods and merchandise, wholesale and retail 50 per cent. Dogs over six months old, $5 to $25 value, 40 per cent.

Concert Best of the Season.

The final indoor concert of the Red Lake Falls Concert band given last Friday evening proved to be all and more than was expected of it by the music loving people of the city. The program consisted of ten of the most popular numbers that the band has put on this season. The cornet solo rendered by Clement Brunelle was handled in a manner befitting a professional and showed that Mr. Brunelle has made remarkable progress in the comparatively short time that he has given his attention to that instrument. After the program Leland E. Healy spoke in a reminiscent mood of the history of the band from the time of its inception down to the present day. At the close of his remarks, Messrs. Armstrong and Berthou, the guests of the evening, were each presented with a handsome embossed fob locket, as a token of remembrance from the band boys. On one side of the locket were embossed the initials of the recipient and on the opposite side the engraving "From the Red Lake Falls Concert Band." "Jim and Paul" responded in a few brief remarks which were greeted with an outburst of applause from the many friends who regret to have them depart from our midst.

After the concert a social dance was given which was greatly enjoyed by all.

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

Franklin Stevens Ross, of Oil City, Pa., was shot and killed a few hours before the time set for his wedding, by Miss Belle Stroup, his former sweetheart, who then committed suicide.

A treaty of peace was signed at Amapala by the representatives of Nicaragua and Salvador. Another revolution in Honduras in favor of Manuel Bonilla was started.

The fishing letter Searchlight of Harbor Beach, Mich., was believed to have sunk in Lake Huron with her crew of six men.

Gov. Cummins, of Iowa, in a letter to an editor said he thought it was President Roosevelt's duty to yield to the popular demand and run for the presidency again.

Fire in Allegheny, Pa., destroyed the plant of the Zoeller Packing company, the loss being about $500,000.

Ed Tace, safe blower, who was held in Peoria, Ill., on the charge of blowing the school board safe and destroying the N. C. Dougherty script, escaped from the St. Francis hospital.

Sherwood hall, a frame dormitory connected with Park college, Parkville, Mo., and a one-story frame building used as a dining hall were destroyed by fire. The dormitory was occupied by 30 girls.

A three-story brick building, occupied as a pattern shop and storehouse at the navy yard at Kittery, Me., was ruined by fire.

Spectators at the sportsmen's show in Duquesne gardens, Pittsburg, were thrown into a panic by the bursting of a huge tank containing 100,000 gallons of water.

Theodore Schmitt, one of the best known architects in Ohio, was thrown from an automobile in Cleveland and probably fatally injured.

Three thousand people in mass meeting at Albuquerque united in a protest against the resignation of Gov. H. J. Hagerman of New Mexico, which was requested by President Roosevelt.

Former Gov. Jennings of Florida and President Lincoln Hulley, of Stetson university at DeLand, came to blows in a Tallahassee hotel lobby over a movement in the legislature to secure an amendment in the university's charter to prevent the board of trustees perpetuating itself.

Wolfram C. Fuchs, an X-ray expert of international reputation and one of the original exponents of its use in this country, died at his residence in Chicago of carcinoma, induced by burns received two years ago during his scientific researches.

One man was killed, two seriously burned and the American Insulating Material Manufacturing company's plant damaged to the extent of $25,000 by an explosion of a large blast furnace at Alexandria, Ind.

Capt. N. T. Smith, the veteran treasurer of the Southern Pacific Railway company, died at his home at San Carlos, San Mateo county, Cal. Pneumonia, combined with paralysis, caused death.

Gifts to Kemper hall, Kenosha, Wis., to the amount of $25,000 were announced to clear away outstanding debts of the school and to provide for improvements during the coming summer.

Jasper Maxwell and Mrs. Maude Maxwell were drowned in the Big Sandy river, Kentucky, while fording the stream on horseback. They were married only three days.

New York harbor firemen had a hard fight with a fire which destroyed the freight steamer Pioneer, causing a loss of $75,000.

The pulp mill of the Lake Superior corporation located in the Canadian Soo, across the river from Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., burned. The loss is $100,000.

The drought conditions in Cuba are growing worse and the Santiago water supply is cut off.

Antonio Infante died near Santiago, aged 150. He was born 19 years before the American revolution began.

It has been discovered that the fortune left by John Porterfield, the Allegheny banker, is nearer $1,000,000 than $175,000, as he supposed.

Several thousand skilled workmen who had been discharged from the arsenal at Woolwich, England, marched to London and protested to the premier and war secretary.

Samuel Conkle was arrested at Chester, W. Va., charged with selling tickets of a Mexican lottery.

Secretary of War Taft and party returned to Washington from their Caribbean trip.

William T. Davidge, an actor who tried to kill Miss Rosalie D. Wilbert, a trained nurse when she refused to marry him, was sentenced in New York to one year in jail.

Frank H. Butler, a deckhand on the steamer John P. Wilson, was arrested, charged with the murder of little Horace Marvin of Dover, Del.

The Kansas supreme court appointed Judge S. H. Allen, G. H. Whitcomb and Judge T. F. Garver, all of Topeka, receivers for the property in Kansas, said to be worth $250,000, of nine foreign brewing companies.

The chief of the political prison at Odessa was killed by four terrorists, one of whom committed suicide and another was captured.

The British steamer Thornhill was burned at sea, the crew reaching Barbadoes safely.

Pittsburg was alarmed by another virulent outbreak of cerebro-spinal meningitis.

In a letter addressed to Honore Jaxon of Chicago, chairman of the "Cook county Moyer-Haywood conference," President Roosevelt replied to the criticisms of his recent letter in which he referred to Moyer and Haywood, officials of the Western Federation of Miners. He turned the tables on his critics by deploring their attempts to influence the course of justice, and reiterated his condemnation of such bad citizens as Moyer and Haywood, Debs and Harriman.

Charles C. King, former president of the First National bank of Scotland, S. D., alleged wrecker of the institution and accused of having embezzled $21,000, was arrested in Chicago.

Miss Anne T. Jeanes, an aged Quakeress of Philadelphia, gave $1,000,000 for the establishment of a fund for rudimentary schools for southern negroes, and named Booker T. Washington and Hollis Burke Frissell as trustees.

The joint assembly of Rhode Island adjourned without breaking the deadlock in the contest for United States senator, after 81 ballots had been taken.

James Bartlett Hammond, inventor of the typewriter bearing his name and president of the Hammond Typewriter company, was committed to the psychopathic ward at Bellevue hospital, New York, his mind having been wrecked by drugs and liquor.

Dr. John Watson (Ian MacLaren), who arrived at Mt. Pleasant, Ia., to address the students of Wesleyan university, was taken seriously ill with tonsilitis and was removed to a hospital.

Mrs. Charles F. Crisp, widow of Speaker Crisp of the national house of representatives, died at her home, in Americus, Ga., aged 59.

Mrs. Lawson Sheldon, mother of George L. Sheldon, of Nebraska, died at her home at Nehawka.

The Indianapolis Frog & Switch company, a large manufacturing concern owned by Vice President Fairbanks, was destroyed by fire, the loss being $350,000.

The carbarns of the Cincinnati, Georgetown & Portsmouth railroad, in Cincinnati, were totally destroyed by fire, the loss being $80,000, fully covered by insurance.

Miss Lora Bryant, the Ypsilanti (Mich.) normal school student whose mysterious disappearance caused a sensation in the Wolverine state, was found at Helena, Mont., unable to explain her departure from Ypsilanti.

Unless demands for an eight-hour day and a minimum wage scale of $3.75 a day are granted by the first of May, a strike of all iron molders along the Pacific coast is expected. About 2,500 men are affected.

Frederick W. Gardner, justice of the peace, and a wealthy resident of Ridgewood, N. J., killed himself with a pistol. Mrs. Gardner followed her husband to the door of an apartment occupied by a young woman. When Gardner saw his wife he killed himself.

The Port Blakeley Mill company's lumber mill at Port Blakeley, Wash., one of the largest in the world, was destroyed by fire. The loss is $400,000.

John Hathaway, an aged farmer living near Danville, Ill., found his empty money chest in the woods near his home. It had held $4,500, the savings of a lifetime.

John Gheres, aged 92 years, died at his home in Mahantonga, Pa. He is survived by a widow, 11 children, 100 grandchildren and 76 great-grandchildren.

The collector of customs at Manila has asked that suit be brought against the Standard Oil company for $19,216 contested duties.

A letter received in London from an official of standing at Peking states that the Chinese revolt is growing more serious, and that the promises of granting reforms have not been kept by the court.

Two sailors stole a tugboat worth $20,000 in New York harbor and were chased by other tugs up the East river for several miles before they were captured.

Fire in the arsenal at Toulon, France, destroyed five large buildings, badly damaged several others, ruined many workmen's cottages and injured 30 persons.

All iron molders on the Pacific coast are expected to strike May 1.

The business portion of Alderson, I. T., was destroyed by fire.

The body of Peter J. Kennedy, a well-known theatrical manager who disappeared in December last, was found in the water off South Brooklyn.

The grand jury at Toledo, O., returned 245 indictments against prominent citizens and concerns engaged in the building trades, for conspiring in restraint of trade.

William January, who was sent to the penitentiary at Leavenworth 12 years ago for robbing a post office and escaped three years later, was arrested in Chicago. He had married and become a prosperous business man.

Four men were burned to death in a fire that destroyed a big livery stable in New York.

The wooden lumber barge Arcadia was lost in a storm on Lake Michigan with her crew of 14.

O. M. Dennett, a New York broker, was arrested on the charge of receiving some of the bonds said to have been stolen from the Trust Company of America by William O. Douglass.

Judge John Edmund Wentworth Addison, who was prosecutor in the Mrs. Maybrick case, is dead in London.

Benedict Gimbel, the Philadelphia merchant who attempted suicide after being arrested in New York, died of his wounds.

In an opinion by Chief Justice Fuller, the supreme court of the United States dismissed the case of Frederick Seymour, alias "Lord Barrington," under sentence of death in St. Louis, for the murder of James P. McCann in June, 1903, thus affirming the decision of the supreme court of Missouri and sustaining the verdict of guilty returned by the trial court.

A portion of the bonds alleged to have been taken from the Trust company of America, of New York, by William C. Douglass, who is under arrest on a charge of larceny, were recovered in an apartment in the Manhattan club.

Enrico Alfano, alleged leader in Italy of the secret and criminal Camorra society of Naples, who was arrested in New York during a police raid on the east side, was turned over to the immigration authorities, by whom he will be deported to Italy.

A band of Servians defeated a band of Bulgarians at Isver, near Uskub, killing and beheading ten of their opponents.

Rev. Dr. William W. Lord, one of the oldest clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal church in this country, and the minister and friend of Jefferson Davis, died at the hotel Clendeaning in New York.

J. G. Lowdon and O. W. Steffens, charged with having misappropriated the funds of a national bank, were found guilty in the federal court at Abilene, Tex., and their punishment fixed at five years in the penitentiary.

Indictments against the Utah Fuel company and six of its employes were returned at Salt Lake City by the United States grand jury. The fraudulent acquisition of title to government coal lands is the offense charged.

An effort will be made to secure one or both of the national conventions of the two great parties for Denver in 1908.

Joseph B. Moore, aged 47, former circuit judge for Lawrence county, Minn., committed suicide by shooting himself through the brain. Despondency over ill health is supposed to have been the cause.

Two children are dead and a third is dying as the result of a fire which burned the house of Charles Bredwell, in the mining town of Mystic, Ia.

Fire partly destroyed the Giles building, 296-300 Wabash avenue, Chicago, and badly frightened the guests of the Auditorium hotel and the Hotel Rensu and the occupants of the Fine Arts building.

A Minnesota senate committee valued the railroad property in that state at $215,000,000 and said the roads earned 18 per cent. on that basis.

The entire plant of the Seacoast Canning company, leased to the American Can company of New York, at North Lubec, Me., was burned. The loss is estimated at $200,000.

The volcano Puyehue in the province of Valdivia, Chili, is yet in active eruption, and new craters have opened. The losses in the neighboring country are enormous, and the inhabitants are panic-stricken. Showers of hot ashes are falling and there are continued earthquake shocks accompanied by subterranean explosions. Earth shocks were felt in the island of Luzon, Philippines; in Charleston, S. C., and in Algeria. On the Atlantic there was an extraordinary storm, presumably caused by seismic disturbances.

It is reported authoritatively in Rome that Mgr. Kennedy, an American, will be made a cardinal to succeed Mgr. Merry del Val.

Capt. Piccono, the commander of the Navigazione Italia line steamer Sirio, which struck on the rocks of Hormigas island, Spain, last August, as a result of which 300 persons were drowned, died at Genoa of a broken heart.

An agreement was signed by the executive committee of the mine owners and the officers of Miners' union No. 220, Goldfield district, which terminated the great lockout and labor struggle of the past seven weeks.

M. Pak Yong Wha, chief of the board of auditors of the imperial Korean household, was assassinated at Seoul.

Twenty-five persons are believed to have been drowned by the foundering of the river steamer Archangelsk while she was crossing the Neva near St. Petersburg. The boat, which was unseaworthy and manned by incompetents, struck an ice floe.

Rev. Leroy A. Belt, D. D., aged 71, ex-president of the Ohio Northern university and prominent in the Methodist church, died at his home in Kenton, O., of heart disease.

Thinking he had killed his son, whom he had floored in a quarrel, William Robinson, of Stamping Ground, Ky., blew out his brains, dying instantly.

James Gilbert, a son of William Gilbert, a wealthy tobacco man of Murray, Ky., committed suicide aboard a train en route from Memphis by swallowing a half ounce of bromidia.

The Methodist Episcopal church of Menominee, Mich., was destroyed by fire. A high wind spread the flames to the Baptist church and the residences of Dr. Phillips, and they were damaged.

MINNESOTA LEGISLATURE

St. Paul, April 20—A reflection of the recent meeting of the North Star Press association in St. Paul was seen today in the unusual action of the senate in suspending the rules three days before the close of the session to advance a new bill over all pending legislation. The bill was introduced at the request of the governor and by Senator Sullivan of Stillwater, and related to the publication of the annual statement of insurance companies in newspapers for greater publicity. The present law calls for such statements to be published in each of the three most populous counties. The new bill says one publication must be in one of the three most populous counties while the other two required may be in legal papers in any county in the state. The bill passed with but 5 votes against it in spite of vigorous protests from Senator George R. Laybourn of Duluth. It is understood the influence of the Home Print Association, the organization of weekly papers, has endorsed the bill as well as the North Star association.

One of the features of today's session was the introduction of the session road and bridge bill, by Senator Frank Clague of Lamberton. This bill merely "cuts the pie" of $400,000 already appropriated in a general bill for the purpose by Senator Canfield.

The Knutson house committee which for a long time past has been investigating ore lands with a special reference to the J. J. Hill deal, has reported to the house. The report reviews the testimony of James J. Hill and Louis W. Hill and shows that the Lake Superior company, which held the extensive ore lands, was in fact a subsidiary company to the Great Northern and was organized because the Great Northern could not, under its charter, hold and work the mineral lands.

The report is signed by Knute Knutson, Burdette Thayer, W. H. Putman, Adam J. Wood and Clarence B. Miller.

St. Paul, April 22—The big legislative events today were the introduction in the house of the omnibus appropriation bill, and the tax levy bill.

The appropriation bill came from the house committee on appropriations in the morning, and its consideration by the house was not completed until shortly before midnight. The bill as introduced, carried an aggregate appropriation of $11,500,000. The total amounts added to the bill during the day were $74,800, while items aggregating $37,900 were cut out, thus leaving a net increase of $36,900. The only large item cut out was an appropriation of $25,000 for a light and power plant for the state fair at Hamline. The state fair appropriations were made a special feature of attack. Every item was contested, the onslaught being led by A. J. Rockne.

The tax levy bill was advanced to the calendar and will be considered tomorrow. It fixes the tax rate at 1.5 mills, which will raise $1,500,000 a year. It is believed by many that the bill will have to be amended to make the rate at least 1.7 mills. The state levy last year was only 1.2 mills.

The senate today passed the road and bridge appropriation on motion of Senator Frank Clague and with practically no opposition. The bill provides $200,000 a year for the next two years, the division of the funds being according to a bill passed yesterday and previously explained.

Two important bills are still pending in conference committees. One is the anti-pass bill, the other the measure creating a state tax commission. It is probable the committees will report on compromises tomorrow.

St. Paul April 23—The legislature remained in session morning, afternoon and night, this being the last date for the passage of bills, and final adjournment will take place tomorrow before noon. The house adjourned at ten minutes to twelve after breaking loose from all restraint. Bills were passed on roll calls, but it is safe to say few knew what they were voting about. Paper wads, small books, bundles of printed bills, sailed through the air and were thrown from one end of the great chamber to the other. The floor was literally covered with spent ammunition. The senate was more sedate and attended strictly to business, though good humor prevailed. The upper body remained in session until considerably after midnight, pushing the clock back for convenience sake and to prove the old saying of "what's the constitution between friends."

Most important action of the day was the passage of the omnibus appropriation bill. The senate spent most of the day considering the measure as it came from the house, and ended by adding $94,000 to various items. During the evening the house ratified the senate amendments without further change. This leaves the total appropriation carried by the bill, $11,630,000. It was thought wise because of the size of the aggregate appropriation, to increase the tax levy, and accordingly the tax levy bill was changed so as to make the rate 1.7 mills.

A very important measure enacted today by both houses, was the conference committee tax bill. It provides for three commissioners at $4,500 each, and permits the state board of equalization to exist in an advisory capacity until 1909. It is said former senator Samuel Lord of Kasson will be one of the commissioners.

Another measure worthy of special mention which was enacted today on report of a conference committee, was the anti-pass bill. In its revamped form, it prohibits not only passes, but franks and special privileges of all sorts from public service corporations to favored ones.

The house today passed the drainage bills which had been amended by the senate. These bills mean much for northern Minnesota. One is relative to a judicial ditch system, one for a county system, one for a state system, and another relative to assessments of costs, private land abutting to be charged for private benefits, state land to have the assessment added to the selling price of the land. An important bill for the city interests which had its final passage in the house was the so-called Mueller law, a copy of the Mueller law of Illinois to permit municipalities to absorb properties of public service corporations by issuance of bonds.

By a bare majority the Sundberg senate bill for state hail insurance passed the house in the shuffle tonight. It secured the necessary 60 votes, with 42 registered against it. It provides for a constitutional amendment which must be submitted to a vote of the people, to permit of an optional acreage tax to be charged against farmers who want state hail insurance.

The sleeping car tax bill came out from conference committee today and was passed by both houses. It provides for a 6 per cent gross earnings tax, or an advalorem tax, at option of the company taxed.

Gov. J. A. Johnson today sent the legislature his second veto. It was against the Wright bill for a wide-open system of pensions for those who fought in the Indian uprisings of 1862.

An important senate bill which passed the house in tonight's hurry, was the one reorganizing the state militia on terms of the federal law, and increasing the term of the adjutant general, the head of the state militia, from 2 to 6 years.

St. Paul, April 23—The legislative session came to a conclusion today. There were pleasantries in both houses, and presentations of gifts to presiding officers and others. In the senate, Senator Albert Schaller voiced the sentiments of his fellow members in eulogizing the presiding officer, Lieut. Gov. A. O. Eberhart of Mankato, and ending by presenting him with a magnificent chest of silver which occupied a place in the aisle in front of the senate. Senator Schaller said he had attended many sessions as a member, but never had one proved as pleasant as this one. He also spoke in the highest terms of the presiding officers fairness as well as ability. Lieut. Gov. Eberhart responded feelingly, and in his remarks took occasion to thank the newspaper men of the senate and the employes for efficient work.

Senator J. F. Calhoun made a brief speech in which he presented Samuels A. Langum of Preston with a cream and sugar silver service. By a rising vote on motion of Senator Schaller, the senate gave expression to a desire that Mr. Langum continue as secretary of the body two years hence.

Following adjournment the senate employes met in a committee room and presented Lieut. Gov. Eberhart with a handsome traveling bag, Sergeant of Arms Ege of Minneapolis with a gold watch, and Mr. Langum with a riding saddle.

In the house, W. A. Nolan of Grand Meadow acted as gift spokesman, and gave Speaker Lawrence A. Johnson a gold watch. He also presented in the name of the house, a gold ring to each of the desk force, A. E. Johnson, John T. Jones, Archie Vernon, and Oscar Arneson. Mr. Jones in the name of the desk force, handed Speaker Johnson with a Knights Templar charm.

One important action before adjournment, was the passage of a resolution by John G. Lennon of Minneapolis, calling on the the authorities of the state to increase the assessed valuation of the iron mine properties in the state to $225,000,000. The resolution went through by an overwhelming majority.

St. Paul—The Norwegians are planning to hold a big celebration in the Auditorium on May 17, the Norwegian Fourth of July. Addresses will be given by William Jennings Bryan, Senator Knute Nelson and Governor Johnson. In addition to the addresses there will be music.

Discovery Endangered World.

In the time of Louis XV. of France, a chemist named Depre gave an exhibit on a canal at Versailles of a kind of fire so rapid and devouring that it could not be quenched, water only giving it fresh activity. Louis forbade that the invention should be made public, and the inventor died soon after, carrying the secret with him to the grave.

Always Exaggerate.

We are never so happy or so unhappy as we suppose.—La Rochefoucauld.

Little One's Prayer.

Mary always gets a little piece of candy every day to keep her from being naughty. One day she was naughty, and she did not get her candy. That night when she was going to bed she said her prayers as follows: "Our Father, who art in heaven, please give me my daily candy."

The World's Classification.

Don't call a man a fool because he disagrees with you. A wiser one then either of you may insist upon putting you both in the same class.—John A. Howland.

The Evolution of Household Remedies.

The modern patent medicine business is the natural outgrowth of the old-time household remedies.

In the early history of this country, EVERY FAMILY HAD ITS HOME-MADE MEDICINES. Herb teas, bitters, laxatives and tonics, were to be found in almost every house, compounded by the housewife, sometimes assisted by the apothecary or the family doctor. Such remedies as picra, which was aloes and quassia, dissolved in apple brandy. Sometimes a hop tonic, made of whiskey, hops and bitter barks. A score or more of popular, home-made remedies were thus compounded, the formulae for which were passed along from house to house, sometimes written, sometimes verbally communicated.

The patent medicine business is a natural outgrowth from this wholesome, old-time custom. In the beginning, some enterprising doctor, impressed by the usefulness of one of these home-made remedies, would take it up, improve it in many ways, manufacture it on a large scale, advertise it mainly through almanacs for the home, and thus it would become used over a large area. LATTERLY THE HOUSEHOLD REMEDY BUSINESS TOOK A MORE EXACT AND SCIENTIFIC FORM.

Peruna was originally one of these old-time remedies. It was used by the Mennonites, of Pennsylvania, before it was offered to the public for sale. Dr. Hartman, THE ORIGINAL COMPOUNDER OF PERUNA, is of Mennonite origin. First, he prescribed it for his neighbors and his patients. The sale of it increased, and at last he established a manufactory and furnished it to the general drug trade.

Peruna is useful in a great many climatic ailments, such as coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, and catarrhal diseases generally. THOUSANDS OF FAMILIES HAVE LEARNED THE USE OF PERUNA and its value in the treatment of these ailments. They have learned to trust and believe in Dr. Hartman's judgment, and to rely on his remedy, Peruna.

AGE TOLD BY THE PULSE.

From Birth to Death the Beats Have a Steady Decrease.

How old are you? Ask your pulse. The human pulse has a wide range, even in perfectly healthy persons. The female pulse always beats faster than the male, and from birth to death the pulse beats steadily decrease. It has been said by great authorities that the age and sex of a person could be ascertained by the rate of the pulse alone. Babies at birth have a pulse beat of 160 times a minute in case of a girl and 150 in the case of boys. At the age of four or five the pulse beats will have fallen respectively to 110 and 100. Maidens' and youths' pulses average 95 and 90. Mature men and women average 80 and 75. Elderly men and women have an average of 60 and 50. An old woman's pulse rarely, if ever, sinks below 50, but among men a pulse beat below 50 is quite common. There are, however, great variations consistent with health. Napoleon's pulse is said to have beaten only 44 times a minute.

Great Stunt by Geronimo.

In a single day Geronimo, when in his prime, ran 40 miles on foot, rode 500 miles on one stretch, as fast as he could change horses, and so completely wore out the column which finally captured him that three sets of officers were needed to finish the chess, and not more than one-third of the troopers who started were in at the finish, says a writer in Outing.

Wrinkled and crafty and cruel is his swarthy face to-day, but the fire of his infernal energy has died and he is no more than a relic of the Geronimo of whom Gen. Miles said after their first meeting:

"He rode into our camp and dismounted, a prisoner. He was one of the brightest, most resolute, determined men I ever met, with the sharpest, clearest dark eye. Every movement showed power and energy."

Out of His Line.

A man living in the country far from any physician was taken suddenly ill. His family, in great alarm, not knowing what to do, sent for a neighbor, who had a reputation for doctoring cows.

"Can't you give father something to help him?" asked one of the sons.

"Wa-al, I don't know nothin' about doctorin' people."

"You know more than we do, for you can doctor cows. Now what do you give them when they are sick?"

"Wa-al," I allers give Epsom salts. You might try it on him."

"How much shall we give him?" inquired the son.

"Wa-al, I give cows just a pound. Your father is a quarter as big as a cow—give him a quarter of a pound."

No Offense.

First Stranger (on train)—Do you ever quarrel with your wife?

Second Stranger—Never.

First Stranger—Have any trouble with the hired girl?

Second Stranger—Not me.

First Stranger—Don't your children worry you at times?

Second Stranger—No, indeed.

First Stranger—Say, I don't like to call you a liar, but—

Second Stranger—Oh, that's all right. I'm a bachelor.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

A Fatal Bridge.

St. Paul—With the head crushed and both arms and both legs shattered to splinters, the body of an unidentified man was found lying on the railroad tracks beneath the south end of the high bridge at St. Paul. From the clothes it is apparent that the dead man was a laborer, and all circumstances surrounding his death indicate suicide.

The high bridge which stretches across the river above the upper flats, seems to possess a peculiar fascination for those unfortunates who grow to think that life is not worth while. During the bridge's existence thirteen people have jumped or fallen from its dizzy heights. Three men, two who fell from the railing of the bridge, and one who sought to end his life, lived to tell the story, but the other ten met death either in the rushing waters of the river or on the hard ground along the banks.

At its highest point the high bridge crosses the river at a height of 150 feet, and a fall from any section of it is almost certain death. For a person wishing to end his life it is excellently adapted, for it is an easy matter to climb the five-foot iron railing and jump into the river. Twelve victims of the bridge have been men and the seventh a woman, who was the second on the list of suicides.

Loses 31 of His Herd.

Mankato—W. W. P. McConnell, former state dairy and food inspector, during the past winter having charge of a farmers' institute corps, had his fine dairy herd of Jersey cows on his famous Minneopa stock farm tested for tuberculosis. The test made by Dr. Whitcomb, an expert of the state sanitary and live stock board, of which Mr. McConnell is a member, and of approximately 100 animals, mostly pure bred, 31 were condemned and have been shipped to South St. Paul stock yards, where they will be slaughtered. The test was made as the result of the recent slaughter of five or six head from the herd at the local packing house and the condemning of all but one by Dr. [illegible] Pell, the government inspector. The loss is a heavy one to Mr. McConnell, but he was determined to purify his herd. For five or six years he has been supplying the milk to a creamery, having discontinued his milk route, but other milk men occasionally got supplies of him when they were short. When the milk route was in operation it supplied some of the best trade in the city.

St. Paul Man Run Over.

[illegible]—William Mattoke, a brakeman on an extra freight train on the [illegible] road, while assisting in making a flying switch in the yards in [illegible] city, was struck by a stationary car and thrown under a moving car to which he had been clinging. Conductor Peterson, noticing the accident, ran to the prostrate and unconscious man and pulled him part way from under the track before the wheels ran over him. Mattoke's right leg was crushed and had to be amputated at the knee, the bones of his left foot were broken, and he was badly cut and bruised. He is now in a local hospital with chances favorable to recovery. He resides with his parents in St. Paul and is a single man about thirty years old. But for Peterson's prompt assistance he would have been instantly killed.

Starves Cows to Death.

Le Sueur—Charles A. Roche, a prosperous farmer of Ottawa, in this county, was brought here before Municipal Judge Felix A. Borer on complaint made by State Agent John A. Moak of the state humane society, charging Roche with cruelty to animals in that he was neglecting to feed his cows properly and was starving them to death. Roche pleaded guilty to the charge, and, it appearing that two cows were already dead and the others were skeletons, Judge Borer imposed a fine of $30 and costs, which Roche immediately paid. Max Dietel of the local board, lodged the complaint with Agent Moak.

Record for Institutes.

Mankato—W. W. P. McConnell of this city, who has completed his winter and spring work as the head of a corps of state institute conductors, assisted in holding 69 institutes in a territory extending diagonally across the state from the Red River valley to Southeastern Minnesota. The total attendance at the institutes was about 40,000, or an average of 572 at each institute, which is larger than ever before.

NEWS NOTES.

Redwood Falls—United States Senator Moses E. Clapp of St. Paul will deliver an address here on Memorial day.

Minneapolis—Raising his glass with a cheery, "Well, good by, boys," Ernest Bennett drank carbolic acid in the cabin of W. P. Randall, 1729 Second street north, and died half an hour later at the city hospital.

Breckenridge—Fire which started in the old wing of the hospital here did damage estimated at $7,000 before it finally was extinguished. Fortunately there were no patients in this part of the building and there was no one injured.

Royalton—The eight year old daughter of Victor Sawdy is dead as the result of burns. The child and a companion had started a fire in an old tin pail. The girl's mother bade her extinguish the fire, but in doing so the child's clothing took fire.

Mankato—The village council of Vernon Center has awarded a contract to install a water works system in the village, including engine, pump, boiler and tank, for about $5,000.

Mankato—Ralph O. Olson of Allen has purchased the Citizens' bank at Keister and will make it a state bank. Mr. Olson already is engaged in the banking business at Alden.

Royal Arcanum.

St. Paul—Officers of the Royal Arcanum for the Grand Council of Minnesota were elected at the seventeenth annual session. Delegates to the number of sixty were present from Royal Arcanum lodges throughout the state.

The officers for the ensuing year are: Grand regent, Charles T. Boener, of Minneapolis; grand vice-regent, George H. Grant, of Stillwater; grand orator, Frank L. Gregory, of St. Paul; past grand regent, William H. Barber, of Minneapolis; grand secretary, George T. Hughes, of Duluth; grand treasurer, Robert D. Cone, of Minneapolis; grand chaplain, M. J. Mullin, of Duluth; grand guide, Julius E. Fitch, of Albert Lea; grand warden, Daniel W. Drake, of Dover; grand sentry, J. C. McSteen, of St. James; representatives to the supreme council, Robert A. Walker of St. Paul and Frank L. Palmer of Minneapolis; alternates, James Craig of Merriam Park and Edward J. Davenport of Minneapolis.

B. Frank Pay was re-elected a grand trustee for a term of three years. J. W. Natirass of St. Paul was elected to fill the one-year term of C. T. Boener, made grand regent, and B. F. Smith of Minneapolis will fill out the two-year term of M. J. Mullin, elected grand chaplain.

Suicide by Drowning.

Minneapolis—Despondency caused J. F. Gartner to make all arrangements for his own funeral and then take his own life in Lake of the Isles, where his dead body was found by workmen.

The body was found shortly before noon by men engaged on boulevard work, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth street, and was at once removed to the county morgue, where it was positively identified as that of Gartner.

Gartner, who was about 70 years old, went to Hume & Davis, undertakers, a week ago and arranged for his funeral. He told where he was to be buried and selected his casket, saying that he would probably die in a few days. Accustomed to queer requests, the undertakers paid little attention to the matter.

Gartner lived with his daughter, Mrs. Charles Lampe, at 4 Grove place, and was superintending the erection of a dwelling for his son-in-law, W. C. Leber, at Lake of the Isles. He did not appear at the house as usual a week ago and the police were asked to search for him.

Injury by Saw Fatal.

Hallock—Arvid Dahlin is dead from blood poisoning, which was caused by an injury which he received while he was running a slab saw at Williams. He attempted to remove some of the sawdust lying inside the saw, his hand coming in contact with the blade and was nearly severed from his arm. He was taken to Beaudette for treatment and later to a hospital at Winnipeg, where he died. His body has been brought here for burial.

NEWS NOTES.

St. Paul—Central conference of English Evangelical Lutheran churches meets here.

St. Paul—Railway officials say the ruling of the interstate commerce commission on the 100-trip tickets will not be tested in the courts.

Winona—None of the men hurt in the quarry accident at La Moille were fatally injured. The report that three of the bosses were hurt was incorrect.

Mankato—The Blacksmiths' Horseshoers' and Wagonmakers' Association held another meeting in this city, attended by over 100 representatives of those industries, and took in 44 new members.

Little Falls—A big judicial ditch, designed to straighten the course of the Leaf river in Wadena and Otter Tail counties, has been ordered constructed, and dredges will be put at work at once.

Tower—Arthur Johnson, a young man employed as a brakeman on the Tower Lumber company's logging road, was instantly killed near Lake Vermillion. He was coupling cars when one of the logs on a car became loosened and fell upon him, crushing him to death.

Elmore—The large Mud Creek ditch, which is to start south of this town, soon will be commenced. The contract for the excavation of the ditch proper has been let at $66,428.28, and work will begin as soon as the contractor can get the machinery to the place. The job will be completed by Dec. 1, 1908.

Mankato—In spite of the ruling of the county attorney, sustained by the attorney general, that license cannot be legally granted at Dunnell, Martin county, two applications for saloon licenses have been made and will be heard by the council, which is said to be favorable to license. The vote on license was a tie at the election.

Faribault—While the cadets of Shattuck school were at drill during the evening a sneak thief entered one of the rooms in Phelps' cottage and stole articles to the amount of $100 or more. A valuable diamond set scarf pin, some money and other articles are missing. No arrest has yet been made.

Owatonna—Great preparations are being made for the opening of the new city and fire hall here. The third floor is finished off for an auditorium and dance hall and it is here that the festivities commemorating the occasion will be held.

Rochester—After hunting all night in a cold rain a party of 50 citizens and policemen found the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bay of this city. The little girl wandered into the country in the afternoon and became lost.

Minneapolis—Lawrence A. McIvor dies of heart failure while in St. Paul on business.

FLAG THAT MADE SONG

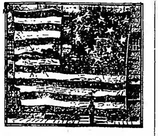
STORY OF ORIGINAL OF "THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER."

Mrs. Hunter, Granddaughter of Commander of Fort McHenry, Gives Her Version—Relic Now in New York City.

New York.—Mrs. Georgiene L. F. G. A. A. Hunter, granddaughter of the Col. George Armistead who commanded Fort McHenry when the British bombarded it during the war of 1812, and when Francis Scott Key wrote "The Star-Spangled Banner," told a reporter the other day what she knew about the history of the original flag.

This, she says, was the private property of her grandfather, Col. Armistead, and has descended to her only brother, Eben Appleton, of this city.

When the fort was being bombarded Key went to the British frigate Minden, one of the bombarding fleet, under a flag of truce. On his way back to Baltimore the next morning he saw the starry flag still flying over the fort. The sight inspired him to write the national ode.



Flag That Inspired "The Star Spangled Banner."

Mrs. Hunter had a picture of the original flag, which shows it to have been an unusually large garrison flag, about 30 feet by 40. It has 15 stripes, as all the national flags had at that time, one stripe for each state.

The stars are well pointed, being 15 in number, except that one has been shot away by a shell. Aside from this rent and another at one corner, also made by a shell, the flag is in excellent condition.

Mrs. Hunter differs with her sister, Mrs. George Livingston Baker, of 6 Westervelt avenue, New Brighton, Staten island, somewhat as to details in the history of the flag.

Some surprise has been expressed at different times that the flag is not now and has not always been in the possession of the national government. Mrs. Baxer explained this by saying that the flag was presented to Col. Armistead by the government after the fight. Mrs. Hunter says that the flag was the private property of Col. Armistead, having been presented to him by a committee of 50 Baltimore citizens a few days before the conflict. When he saw the British fleet approaching he threw it to the breeze.

"Col. Armistead was a brilliant officer," she said. "He was graduated at West Point as a second lieutenant in 1799, became a captain in 1806, major in 1813, brevet lieutenant colonel in 1814. After his defense of the fort on Sept. 12, 1814, he was made a colonel.

"There was never any doubt but that the flag belonged to him. My mother was born in the fort some time before the death of the colonel, which occurred on April 25, 1818. She was named for him, Georgiana. Her marriage to William Stuart Appleton of the Boston family has already been told.

"I remember playing under the flag as a girl. Its history since the fight is one mainly of the occasions when it was exhibited. The last of these was at the sesquicentennial celebration of the city of Baltimore in 1880.

"It was also exhibited at the Centennial exposition at Philadelphia in 1876, and I think at some celebration connected with the Old South Church in about 1875, under the auspices of Commodore Preble. But I forget the raising of the flag at Fort McHenry in 1825 in honor of the visit of Gen. Lafayette.

"The disposition of the flag at my brother's death is problematical. He may leave it to Peabody Institute in Baltimore or to a museum in Washington."

Neither Mrs. Hunter nor her brother nor her sister is connected with any Revolutionary society, although they all take interest in patriotic affairs. Eben Appleton, the owner of the flag, lives in Manhattan borough and is well to do.

IS SMALLEST PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Conducted Solely for Children of Alleged Outlaw.

Madison.—Wisconsin claims to be conducting the smallest public school on the American continent. A single family provides the pupils, six in number, and to give these children an education the state pays a teacher $40 a month. The family is that of John F. Dietz, who has a national reputation as the "Outlaw of Cameron Dam," the man who is fighting an entire state, and its courts, and who is still unsubdued after three years of defiance of the authorities. G. F. Graham is the teacher of this strange school, which is conducted in the Dietz home, the only house for miles around Cameron Dam, the spot in the woods of northern Wisconsin for whose possession the battle began which has made Dietz an outlaw.

Dietz, who was formerly sheriff of Sawyer county, whose officers he is now defying, claims to have the right to collect from the Chippewa River Lumber company a fee for every log which passes through the dam. To enforce his right he drew all the water from the mill pond above the dam, and left timber valued at $20,000 on the banks to rot. The company refused to give in, and sent men to try to dislodge him. He beat off the company's men. Then the courts were appealed to. A party sent to attack him was fired upon and one man slightly wounded. This stopped trouble for a time, until a year ago, when a new sheriff, the first having resigned rather than make another raid, took a party of six Milwaukee men into the wilderness, 50 miles from the county seat. Clarence Dietz, son of the homesteader, was wounded, and one of the raiding party was severely wounded. The others escaped. Since then, however, Dietz has been unable to get into a civilized community without the danger of arrest, so has remained in the wilderness. On the other hand, the officers have tried to starve him out, but he remains steadfast, and during the winter a load of about 2,000 pounds of provisions, collected by admirers of his contest against a corporation, was smuggled past the deputies to his home in the woods.

But while a prisoner in the wilderness, Dietz can still claim the right from the state to educate his children, so Teacher Graham spends school hours every day teaching various members of the family of six children and the rest of the time is free to wander about the woods, hunting and fishing. He is almost in the forest primeval, and wild game is plenty at their very door.

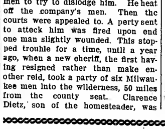
Dietz's family consists of the following, as shown in the accompanying picture, reading from left to right: Stanley, Helen, Leslie, John, Jr., Clarence and Elmyra. Clarence is shown still wearing the bandage which dressed the wound he received in the last battle with the sheriff's posse.

The Dietz Children and Home.

CRADLE OF A PRESIDENT.

Historic Relic Used by John Quincy Adams.

Boston.—The cradle bed of John Quincy Adams has historic interest for all Americans. It is preserved in the museum in Boston and is of the type common at the time Adams was born. It has a wooden box, with rockers and hood of the same material, guiltless of decoration of any sort.



Once Rocked a Future President.

Speaking of cradles, one is reminded that it is said that Francis d'Assisi invented the cradle for the purpose of making plain to the people of his time who could not read the picture of the Nativity. The manger-like cradle used then containing the Christ child gave the ignorant folk an excellent idea of the conditions in Bethlehem on that wonderful Christmas night.

A Home Loving Bird.

Direct evidence of the return of the same individual bird of a migrating species to a particular spot season after season is not easily obtainable, but N. C. Beers believes that he has such evidence concerning a chipping sparrow at Lakewood, N. J. A few years ago he heard a little bird concealed in the top of a maple uttering a peculiar song which he could not recognize. The next season he heard the same peculiar song in a tree but a few yards from the original point. This time he identified the bird, which seemed to have learned a song of its own. The third year he did not visit Lakewood at the proper season to meet his little friend, but the fourth year he heard and saw it again near the same spot. It appeared always to make its summer home in the trees on an area not more than two acres in extent.—Youth's Companion.

Turkish Wealth Wasted.

The aggregate of wealth buried with Turkey's sultans would pay Russia's national debt.

HINTS OF ALL SORTS

Costume Accessories Suggested by Parisian Leaders of Fashion—Newest Blouses.

It is very Parisian to have at least one of those simple little blouse dresses of lightweight cloth, the waist lined or unlined according to your avoirdupois; the drop skirt made separate, to be worn over a pretty light-colored petticoat.

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Kilted skirts, smooth circular skirts and those having a very slight fullness at the waist are popular.

All of the blouses are made with a becoming little white tucker. It is wise to provide one's self with two or three of these, because you can then be always sure of a fresh one. Tuckers, of course, must fasten in the back, so they are made quite separate from the waist. A good way to insure their smoothness is an arrangement of tapes, attached to each corner of the yoke, lying around the waist.

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Blouses themselves fasten in the front, however. Prettily arranged collars finish the neck. Sometimes a shaped fold forms the collar, crossing ingeniously in front, the ends finally tucking away, fichu-like, into the girdle.

Sleeves fell flat from the shoulders and cuffs receive particular attention. Plaitings always give a graceful effect, and whether these or a flat cuff are used a charming touch is given by adding a tiny bit of white to repeat the tucker. Sometimes it is a little inside plaiting of white muslin, or, in the case of cuffs, an outer cuff of embroidery is tacked on.

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Though narrower girdles are seen on many of the new gowns proper in the blouse waists, the wider girdles still obtain—they do wonders in the way of neatness when there is no lining.

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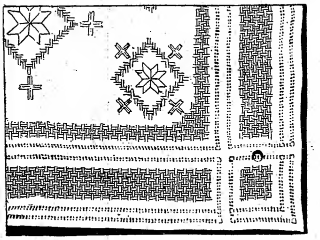
A wonderfully lovely boa that can do duty all summer is made of tulle fastened into many little ruffles for the collar part, each extending about an inch beyond the other and outlined with a row of half-inch velvet. Long ends of the tulle are cut in points and finished like the ruffles. A pretty touch is given by a flower that catches one end in place, while on the opposite side there is a bunch of foliage or a bow of wide velvet ribbon. These boas are charming in light blue, pink or gray.

Pretty Bedspread Pattern

We give the reproduction of a most ingeniously devised pattern for a bedspread, which was amongst the prize work in a recent competition. Oso-silkie thread is used for the embroidery, the background material being an art canvas of medium texture, in a soft tone of cream. The stars are worked solid, as shown in the illustration, the filling being in white, with an outline of pale emerald green; the effect is exceedingly handsome and very quickly produced. What gives the design its special characteristic, however, is the heavy border of basket or strap work stitch, this being also in white marked out with green, with the stitches set very closely together so as entirely to cover the canvas. The border is about six inches in depth. Had it been worked upon the quilt itself the work would necessarily have been so heavy as to be very fatiguing to do. The expedient was therefore resorted to of working the border in four separate panels, two for the sides and one for the head and foot respectively, and joining them to the center with an entredeux of drawn thread work. The result as regards the finish and general effect is excellent. This plan necessitated, of course, separate squares for the corners and the basket work is continued in these and cleverly mitred. If a rather stronger color note is desirable than is actually given by the work itself, a lining of silk or sateen in the desired shade can easily be added.



HAIR OF BROWN GOLD

That Is to Be the Fashionable Color for the Coming Season—New Headdress.

The fashionable color for hair this coming season is to be the pure gold brown, beloved of youthful poets, writes a correspondent in Paris.

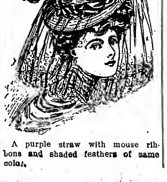
It is always difficult to trace directly back to the actual personage who starts a new fashion; fashions very often seem to start themselves. In the affair of gold brown hair it is possible that we have to thank two famous beauties—one a true Parisienne and the other a Parisienne from New York city. Both of these lovely women have hair of a delicious shade of brown gold, absolutely and entirely natural and difficult beyond words to imitate. On the other hand, it may well be that some autocratic Parisian coiffeur has, under the rose, given this new mode a push forward. There is no color so difficult to imitate as pure gold brown and the attempt to imitate it is very costly and elaborate business.

For the last two years the coiffeurs of Paris have been complaining bitterly of "bad times," etc.; they have found their hands more or less idle since artificial undulations began to go out of fashion and—coiffeurs are quite human.

Many things can be done at home by amateur hands, but hair tinting, except with henna, is not one of them. To tint the hair with henna is a horribly dirty piece of work, but it can be done at home with the help of a clever maid or obliging sister. On the other hand, it is impossible for an amateur to make her hair gold brown otherwise than by the use of peroxide; and peroxide can only be used in small quantities and with the greatest care, for it quickly gives a glittering, unpleasant tone of color which is clearly artificial by daylight.

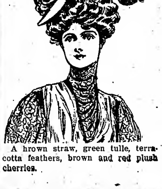
Apropos the hair on the head of a pretty woman—the fashion in the matter of hair-dressing is slowly but surely changing—the low natural-looking headdress is coming in again. We have for some little time back been swaying in this direction; picture hats and dresses have dominated picture headdresses, and more and more it has ceased to be correct to dress the hair stiffly and in artificial undulations, and every effort is made to produce a natural effect.

HAT IN PURPLE STRAW.



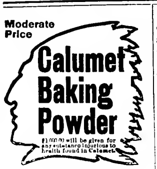
A purple straw with mouse ribbons and shaded feathers of same color.

MUCH LIKED IN LONDON.



A brown straw, green tulle, terra-cotta feathers, brown and red plush cherries.

Moderate Price



Calumet Baking Powder

$1000.00 will be given for any substance injurious to health found in Calumet.

Red Lake Falls Gazette

By DUDLEY & CREGLOW.

[illegible] Thursday evening, and [illegible] matter in the post [illegible] Falls.

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[illegible] boost the Firemen's Tournament.

[illegible] recorded that it was the Great Northern railroad that was the [illegible] state to acquiesce in the [illegible] passenger fare bill and the commodity freight rates bill. Every other railroad in the state must follow suit. In other words the Great Northern Railway company has forced the railroads doing business in Minnesota to accept the two-cent fare rate and ten per cent reduction on freight rates without litigation.

Dairying is the best line of farming because it best maintains the fertility of the soil, gives constant and steady employment and produces the best type of manhood. On the dairy farm we find better homes, better social and political conditions and better and higher development of mankind. The opportunities to the present day dairyman are many. The business affords great opportunity for improvements in increasing soil fertility, in securing better farm equipment and in breeding and selection of the working herd. The salvation of the country depends on agriculture and the foundation of all agriculture is the soil. Dairying is greatest wealth producing industry in the country and is needed everywhere, as everywhere there is a constant demand for dairy products.

Wednesday, May 1st, the two-cent passenger bill went into effect, and with its becoming a law the public will be compelled to buy one-way tickets at the two-cent rate. The railroads of Minnesota have decided to refuse all tourist rates, charity rates, clergymen's rates, mileage tickets and reductions of all kinds for all trips between points within the state. The orders issued by the passenger departments of the railroads are for the sale of one way passenger tickets only, and practically every form of reduced rates ever known in the state is cut out. This includes homeseekers' rates for points within the state, party excursion rates and all of the standing excursion rates which apply to merchants' excursions and other concessions of long standing. The roads will refuse to sell mileage for use in Minnesota, and as a result traveling men and all other persons who use the railroads continuously will be compelled to buy one way passenger tickets, at a flat rate of two cents.

The orders of the railroads to their ticket agents, conductors and baggagemen include the following:

All existing passenger fares between points in Minnesota are cancelled April 30th.

Children between 5 and 12 years of age are carried at half rate tickets.

No other reductions between points in Minnesota will be granted and no reduction will be made to clergymen or for charity or to inmates of soldiers' homes.

Clergymen's certificates will not be honored for half rate tickets for trips between Minnesota points.

Homeseekers' rates, party excursion rates, certificate plan, excursion ticket rates, organized party rates will be withdrawn for passage between points entirely within the state.

No mileage tickets will be sold in Minnesota after April 30. Mileage tickets sold previous to May 1 will be honored in Minnesota the same as before, but not on the basis of the money value of the mileage coupon. The mileage books will be honored as though sold at flat rate of 2-cents a mile.

Mileage tickets sold in other states after April 30 will not be good and are not to be honored locally between stations in Minnesota, but may be honored for continuous passage for interstate trips.

Send us the news.

Plummer Pioneer: On next Wednesday the new petition for the removal of the county seat will be started out among the defenseless people of Red Lake county and the only way the average voter can dodge it is to get out of the country for the next sixty days. It is a question if the nesessary number of signatures can be obtained at this time as the people are pretty well tired of the way the last one was handled. About the only thing the average man can see in signing is that it will furnish a bunch of attorneys with a good paying job for a few years to come, and then, if it turns out like it did before the people will be called upon to pay their bills.

BRAY.

Some of the farmers around here have started in with the spring work, but the snowstorm of last Friday stopped it.

Swan Scholin transacted business at St. Hilaire Monday.

A large crowd was in attendance at an auction held last Thursday at the home of the Schumacher Bros. in the northern part of the township. John Schumacher sold out his share of the property as he expects to leave for his old home in Iowa in the near future. His brother, William, expects to stay on the farm.

Richard Larson drove to St. Hilaire on Monday.

Mamie Akerlund came home from Red Lake Falls Saturday for a few days stay.

Badger

Mrs. B. Laurent spent a few days of last week with relatives at Terrebonne.

Miss Josephine Vaudrin is seriously ill with an attack of lagripee. Her many friends will wish her an early recovery.

Owing to the cold weather of last week, Badger's hustlers were obliged to postpone their farm work for a few days.

Donna Laurent and wife were guests at the M. Quesnell home Saturday evening.

Master Harvey Lachance who arrived last week from North Yakima, Wash., called on a few Badger friends last Friday. Harvey was enroute to Poplar River where he expected to meet relatives.

Joseph Fournier of Terrebonne crossed the northern limits of Badger last Saturday on his way to Red Lake Falls.

A number of young and old folks gathered at the D. Lachance home Sunday and spent the evening most pleasantly. "Francois and Baptiste" were among those gathered there and certainly did their duty bravely.

Just at this time the mail order houses are active in flooding the country with big, handsomely gotten up spring catalogs, quoting attractive prices on staple articles and making all sorts of big sounding claims for your cash. They do not offer to exchange their goods for the farmer's eggs, poultry, butter or other produce. The don't trust a penny's worth, but make you pay cash before you get the goods and the freight besides. If anything is wrong with the goods or they do not suit, they will not exchange them for you. They pay no taxes into your town or county treasury, with which our schools are maintained, roads, bridges and sidewalks built. They do not contribute to our churches, charitable institutions, nor to our poor.

Clerk of Court's Notice of Pendency of Petition.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Polk. } ss.

Whereas the petition of J. B. Wichterman and others, bearing date of January——1907, praying for the establishment of a public drainage ditch along the route proposed therein has been filed in my office.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given of the pendency of said petition, and that the same will be heard and determined before the Hon. William Watts, a judge of the District Court of the 14th Judicial District in Minnesota, at his Chambers at the court house in the city of Crookston in said county on Saturday, the 25th day of May, A. D., 1907 at 10 o'clock a. m.

A true copy of said petition is as follows, to-wit:

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Judge of the District Court, of 14th Judicial District, State of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the towns of Gully, Chester, in Polk Co., and town of Lambert, in County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility.'

A general description of the proposed starting point and terminus of said ditch is as follows: Commencing at a point at the quarter corner between sections 23 and 24, township 150, N. Range 39, W. and running due west following the quarter line thru the center of sections 23, 22, 21, 20 and 19 in said township 150 N. Range 39, W. thence due west following the quarter line thru the center of sections 24, 23, 22, 21 and 20 in Township 150, N. Range 40, W. until it reaches the quarter corner between sections 20 and 19 of said township 150, N. Range 40, W. thence in a northwesterly direction across the N. E. ¼ of section 19, said township and range, until it reaches the quarter corner between sections 19 and 18 of said township and range, thence in a northwesterly direction across the west half of section 18 and said township and range, entering Red Lake County ditch known as Lambert ditch No. 1. near the corner common to sections 7 and 18, T. 150, N. Range 40, W. and sections 12 and 13, T. 150 N. Range 41 W. thence following down this said Lambert ditch No. 1, to a point in said ditch where said ditch has sufficient capacity to properly carry such waters as may be brought in by said proposed ditch taking its outlet therein.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such public ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred Thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated this 30th day of April, A. D. 1907.
—W. A. LANCTOT,
Clerk of the District Court,
14th Judicial District, Polk
m2 County, Minnesota.

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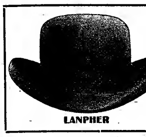

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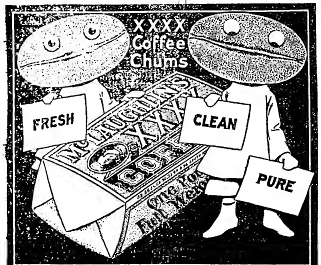

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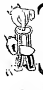

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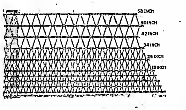

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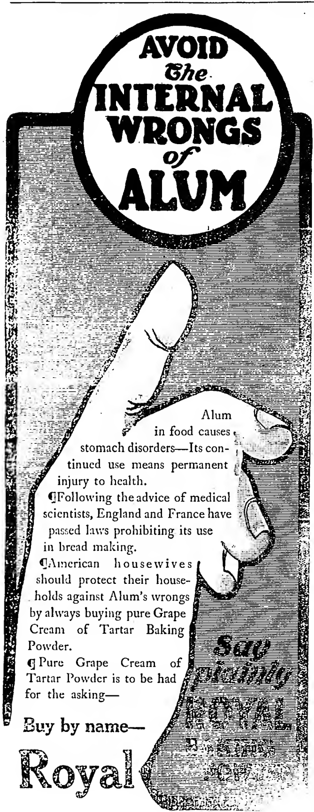
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Helmuth Zaiser went over to Grand Forks last evening on a business trip.

F. L. Farley returned Saturday from a business trip to the Twin Cities.

L. P. Berthon left Monday for a week's business trip to the Twin Cities and Chicago.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J, Dufault, of Gentilly, on Sunday, April 28th.

Ernest Buse returned Friday from a two weeks trip to Red Wing and other points in the southern part of the state.

The firemen have added a new hose cart to their equipment. The cart was purchased of the Waterous Engine Co., of St. Paul, and was received Monday.

Tho following marriage licenses have been issued by Clerk of Court Johnson during the past few days: Halvor K. Homme and Thone Knutson of Highlanding; and John Gullingsrup and Marie O. Nord, of Kratka.

The Pereheron stallion, Fred, weight 1700, will stand the season at Guerin Bros. barn. We also have a high grade Jack which will serve at our barn during the season. Anyone wishing horses castrated should give us a call. 31-4 —Guerin Bros.

When a man in search of a home or business location goes to a town and finds everybody full of hope and enthusiasm over the prospects of the place' he, too soon becomes imbued with the same spirit, drives down his stakes and goes to work with equal interest.

S. Hall left Tuesday for Crookston where he has a position at the Wallace drug store in that city. Mr. Hall is an experienced pharmacist and will be a valuable addition to the Wallace clerical force. Mrs. Hall will remain in this city for a few weeks visit.

Frank Jeffers was a St. Hilaire caller Friday.

Father Ambrose was the guest of Father Adolph of Thief River Falls Monday.

P. B. Gaass has been quite ill during the past week, but at this writing is improving rapidly.

Mrs. C. O. Kankel returned Monday from a fortnight's visit with friends at Fertile and Crookston.

Sheriff Nelson went up to Thief River yesterday to transaet business in connection with his office.

The season is late, better go to Spillane's, The Right Store, and get some quick growing garden and flower seeds.

Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with relatives at New Ulm, Tracy and other points in the southern part of the state.

J. B. Armstrong left last evening for an extended business trip to the Twin Cities, Milwaukee and Chicago. Jim & Paul are both away this week and the store is in charge of Al Pouliot.

When you have glasses fitted take no chances; but have your eyes examined by a Specialist whose ability is unquestioned, Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, May 7. At Grand View Hotel.

Ralph Green, the popular Equality township farmer, spent several days in the city last week looking after business matters. Mr. Green says that he will not put in a very large aerage of wheat this y ar as be believes that diversified farming is the only salvation of the farmer in this country, which he has already demonstrated to be a fact and his example could be followed with profit by many others in this section. Mr. Green was accompanied homo by his daughter, Miss Louis, who will teach a term of school in that neighborhood this summer.

John Doyea was a Thief River visitor Saturday.

County Attorney Germo made a business trip to Crookston on Friday of last week.

Fresh fancy cookies, a big stock just received at Freund's. Call in and see them.

Chas. Bourdon went over to Waubun Wednesday to look after business in the banking line at that place.

H. W. Ollig of Winthrop, came up from that place Wednesday to look after his extensive farming interests in this vicinity.

Pat Sullivan was an over Sunday visitor with friends in this city, and left on Monday to go up the river to bring down the first drive of the season.

County Surveyor Wood came down from Thief River Monday and has been finishing bis work on the Duffy ditch east of town so that the contractor can begin operations at once.

W. G. Smith, proprietor of the Lakeside Hotel at Maple Lake, has leased the building and fixtures to Phil Darcey, proprietos of the Antlers Hotel at Grand Forks, and the latter will run the hotel this summer.

Frank Brouillet left Monday for a few days visit with his parents at Hamilton, N. D. Mr. Brouillet may visit Rochester, before he returns, to have an operation performed for a growth on his nether lip which has been troubling him for some time past.

The condition of Miss Clara Zaiser who has been quite ill for some time past, is such that it was finally decided that an operation would be necessary, and Drs. Dunlap and Smith of Crookston were ealled today and will probably perform an operation this afternoon.

There will be a large class initiation on next Monday, May 6, at the M. B. A. hall and all members are specially requested to be present. The secret work will be given by District Deputy Leighton and a dance social will follow for members only. Members will bring their lunch and insure the success of the occasion by coming to the meeting.

Chas. E. Patterson, of St. Paul, spent several days in this vicinity this week looking over land and will probably invest in a good sized chunk of Red Lake county soil.' Years ago Mr. Patterson and Ed. L. Healy were in business together at Marshall, Minn. Mr. Patterson is now one of the proprietors of the Auto Transfer Line which does business in and between St. Paul and Minneapolis.

The fishing season opened yesterday and already the members of the finny tribe are being lured from the depths of their favorite pools. Several fine catches have been reported, and in a few days the nimrods will all be reveling in the delights of the fisherman. One enthusiastic angler reports that he has two quarts of fine old Pickwick bait laid up for his first expedition. We have been camping on his trail for three days but haven't been able to locate the bait.

Here is a receipt of a Minnesota man for killing weeds along the highway: "Take 20 cents worth of white clover, 10 cents worth of timothy and 20 cents worth of blue grass seed, mix thoroughly and sow on both sides of the road." This fifty cents worth of seed will be enough for a mile of road. Now our farmers could not spend fifty cents to better advantage, and this paper would like to see it tried this year.

The New Jersey experiment station recently experimented feeding milk cows with cow pea hay; and found that with the cow pea ration milk was made at the cost of 39.8 per 100 pounds, while the cost on a grain ration was 60 5 cents. On the grain ration the cows produced 8.3 per cent. more milk and 15.2 per cent. more buteer, but comparison of the price of feeds showed a large balance in favor of the cow pea ration. Why not plan to sow a few acres to cow peas next season?

On Wednesday afternoon Mesdames Sivertson, Hunt, Simons and Argue were hostesses at a charming May Day Festival given to about sixty guests at the Odd Fellows hall. The hall was tastily and beautifully decorated in accordance with the old English custom of decorating for the May Day Festival which had become almost obsolete, but has been revived and is becoming decidedly popular again in social circles. Floral and bird contests constituted two of the principal features of amusement, being both unique and instructively entertaining. The first prize in the floral contest, a beautiful fern, was captured by Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere, while Mrs. Ovide Emard's knowledge of the feathered tribe enabled her to carry of the honors in bird contest, which consisted of a dainty box of bon bons a la duck. Verses and quotations from poems were used to represent the names of the different birds, while rheubus words were used for the flowers. A dainty luncheon was serve and the guests all look back upon the occasion as one of the most delightful of the season.

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Potatoes must be sound, free from scab. no sprouts on and not too many small ones. We will not be too particular, but we want good potatoes. Will take some in before Monday, but will have to hold sacks until we load up. This will probably be the only car shipped out of here this season. So we advise you to sell now whilst your potatoes are sound and have the weight.

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CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Supt. McAnulty is busy visiting the rural schools throughout the county.

A baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kankel on Tuesday, April 30th.

Mrs. Marschand was the guest of Thief River friends the first of the week.

Frank Jeffers returned to Minneapolis Monday, where he will resume bis work on the road for the Miller-Davis Printing Co.

Hereafter grass on state lands will be sold at public auction and that not sold at auction will be disposed of by the county auditor at private sale.

Judge of Probate Tarrant went up to Thief River yesterday to attend to business matters and visit with his numerous friends at that place.

Wanted: Gentleman or lady to travel for mercantile house of $250,000 00 capital. If desiraole the home may be used as headquarters. Weekly salary of $1,092.00 per year and expenses. Address J. A. Alexander, 125 Plymouth Place, Chicago, Ill.

Local tennis enthusiasts are looking for recruits for the court and if a sufficient number can be interested a tennis club will be organized and suitable gronnds secured on which to play during the coming summer. Tennis is one of the finest outdoor games played, and being one in which the ladies can join there should be no difficulty in getting a club started in this city.

The band boys got together Sunday and Photographer Reichel took an excelient picture of the entire band in uniform. There were twenty-seven members represented with Dr. J. E. Argue doing the honors of drum major. The proof brings out every member clearly and the picture when finished promises to be one that will be highly prized by supporters of the organization. Several cuts will be made from the photo and will be used for advertising purposes.

Oscar Carlson and Alad Morisette were over from Plummer Tuesday.

F. E. Hunt spent several days looking after business matters at Brooks last week.

Mrs. P. W. Roark returned to her home at Kellher the first of the week after having spent some time visiting with relatives in this city.

St. Hilaire Spectator: E. M. Hoff concluded a deal this week whereby he becomes the owner of a large farm in Wa sb conntv, N. D., near Adams, and C. A. Jeglum and Arne Thompson, of Adams, become the owners of Mr. Hoff's entire stock of general merchandise. The store is closed this week to take an invoice and it is the intention of the owners to open for business next Monday. C. A. Jeglum, the head of the new firm, is here taking the invoice, but will not remain. He is the cashier of the 1st National Bank of Adams. Mr. Jeglum informs us that it is their intention to close out the stock here and that A Johnson, assistant cashier of the State Bank of Edinburg, N. D., will have charge of the store as manager. Mr Hoff has not yet decided what he will do, but will for the present remain here.

Thief River Press: Patrolman Geo. Jarman has received a letter from Warden Wolfer of the Minnesota state prison, asking for additional information as to the circumstances that lead to the conviction of Charley Erickson, one of the Soo box car burglars, who was in April, 1906, sentenced to two years in the penitentiaty. Erickson has asked the pardon board for his parole. It is more than likely that Erickson will be parolled. Hathaway, of the same gang, was released some two weeks ago and Hagen has completed his sentence. so there seems to be a sentiment among the prison authorities to deal leniently with the young men, who, while reckless and unthinking, were not really vicious They have undoubtedly learned a lesson and no harm will result from setting all at liberty.

Notice of Dissolution.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between George Dupont of Terrebonne, Minn., and O. Bossonneau of Brooks, Minn., doing business under the firm name of Dupont & Bossonneau has been this day dissolved.

Geo. Dupont will continue the business at the old stand.

Dated at Terrebonne, Minn., this 19th day of April, 1907.

—Geo. Dupont,
—O. Bossonneau.

Miss Clara Johnson came over from Wylie, Friday, for a few days visit with her brother, C. W. Johnson.

Harry Mitchell's
EDITORIAL.

I want to make your spring suit. I want to show you that for $15.00, $20.00 and $25.00 I can make you a better suit than you can get at your local tailors for $30.00, $35.00 and $40.00.

My Spring goods have now arrived, and they are the most beautiful fabrics I ever saw.

Write me today for samples and tell me about the kind of clothes you are thinking of getting. By return mail I'll send you a bunch to select from, also self-measurement blanks.

Remember, I have the largest tailoring establishment in the world, that I absolutely guarantee perfect fit and satisfaction or refund your money; and I pay all express charges, so your clothes cost you no more than if you got them right here in Minneapolis.

Yours truly,
HARRY MITCHELL,
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This is the Time of the Year

When you begin to think about a new coat of paint for the house, you want a paint that will not only brighten and beautify the home, but will withstand sudden changes in the weather without cracking and pealing---a paint that will last. There is but one brand of paint that we can guarantee to last---

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A full line of these famous paints always on hand. SEE OUR SAMPLES.

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We make a specialty of always being ready to furnish figures on hardware supplies for buildings and contract work where hardware is used, and it will pay you to call and get prices before purchasing.

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Our line of sporting goods is the largest to be found in the city and we take a special pride keeping our stock complete and up-to-date. We have everything you want in

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We would be pleased to have you call at any time and look over these goods, they are for your inspection whether you wish to buy or not.

New Hardware Store G. A. KANKEL Red Lake Falls, Minn.

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XXVIII.—Continued.

He had been all animation and eagerness in the telling of the story, but had now become curiously silent and listless; so that, although she was eager with many questions about what he had said, she did not ask them, waiting to see if he would not talk again. But instead of talking, he stayed silent and presently began to fidget in his chair. At last he said, "If you'll excuse us, Miss Prudence, your pa and I have got a little business matter to talk over to-night. I guess we can go down here by the corral and do it."

But she arose quickly and bade him good night. "I hope I shall see you tomorrow," she said.

She bent over to kiss her father as she went in, and when she had done so, warned him that he must not sit in the night air.

"Why your face is actually wet with a cold sweat. You ought to come in at once."

"After a very little, dear. Go to bed now—and always be a good girl!"

"And you've grown so hoarse sitting here."

"In a little while,—always be a good girl!"

She went in with a parting admonition. "Remember your cough—good night!"

When she had gone neither man stirred for the space of a minute. The little man, huddled in his seat, had not changed his position; he still sat with his chair tilted back against the house, his chin on his breast.

The other had remained standing where the girl left him, the revolver in his hand. After the minute of silence he crossed over and stood in front of the seated man.

"Come," he said, gruffly, "where do you want to go?"

CHAPTER XXIX.

How the Avenger Bungled His Vengeance.

At last he stood up, slowly, unsteadily, grasping Follett by the arm for support. He spoke almost in a whisper.

"Come back here first—to talk—then I'll go with you."

He entered the house, the young man following close, suspicious, narrowly watchful.

"No fooling, now,—feel the end of that gun in your back?" The other made no reply. Inside the door he took a candle from the box against the wall and lighted it.

"Don't think I'm trying anything—come here."

They went on, the little bent man ahead holding the candle well up. His room was at the far end of the long house. When they reached it, he closed the door and fixed the candle on the table in some of its own grease. Then he pointed Follett to the one stool in the little cell-like room, and threw himself face down on the bed.

Follett, still standing, waited for him to speak. After a moment's silence he grew impatient.

"Come, come! What would you be saying if you were talking? I can't wait here all night."

But the little man on the bed was still silent, nor did he stir, and after another wait Follett broke out again.

"If you want to talk, talk, I tell you. If you don't want to, I can say all I have to say, quick."

Then the other turned himself over on the bed and half sat up, leaning on his elbow.

"I'm sorry to keep you waiting, but you see I'm so weak"—the strained little smile came to his face—"and tremble so, there's so much to think of—do you hear those women scream—there! did you hear that?—but of course not. Now—wait just a moment—have you come to kill me?"

"You and those two other hellions—the two that took me and that boy out that night to bury us."

"Did you think of the consequences?"

"I reckon you'd be called paid for, any time any one come gunning for you. I didn't think there'd be any consequences."

"Hereafter, I mean; to your soul. What a pity you didn't wait a little longer! Those other two are already punished."

"Don't lie to me now?"

The little smile lighted his face again.

"I have a load of sin on me—but I don't think I ever did lie to any one—I guess I never was tempted—"

"Oh, you've acted lies enough."

"You're right—that's so. But I'm telling you truth now—those two men had both been in the Meadows that day and it killed them. One went crazy and ran off into the desert. They found his bones. The other shot himself a few years ago. Those of us that live are already in hell—"

He sat up, now animated for the moment.

"—In hell right here. I tell you. I'd have welcomed you, or any other man that would kill me, any time this 15 years. I'd have gone out to meet you. Do you think I like to hear the women scream? Do you think I'm not crazed myself by this thing—right back of me here, now—crawling, bleeding, breathing on me—trying to come here in front where I must see it? Don't you see God has known how to punish me worse than you could, just by keeping me alive and sane? Oh, man! you don't know how I've longed for that bullet of yours, right here through the temples where the cries sound worst. I didn't dare to do it myself—I was afraid I'd make my punishment worse if I tried to shirk; but I used to hope you would come as you said you would. I wonder I didn't know you at once."

He put his hands to his head and fell back again on the pillow, with a little moan.

"Well, it ain't strange I didn't know you. I was looking for a big man. You seemed as big as a house to me that day. I forgot that I'd grown up and you might be small. When those fellows got tight up there and let on like it was you that some folks hinted had took a child and kept it out of that muss, I couldn't hardly believe it; and everybody seeming to regard you so highly. And I couldn't believe this big girl was little Prue Girnway that I remembered. It seemed like you two would have to be a great big man and a little bit of a baby girl with yellow hair; and now I find you're—say, Mister, honestly, you're such a poor, brokedown, little coot it seems a'most like a shame to put a bullet through you, in spite of all your doings!"

The little man sat up again, with new animation in his eyes,—the same eager boyishness that he had somehow kept through all his years.

"Don't!" he exclaimed, earnestly. "Let me beg you, don't kill me! For your own sake—not for mine. I'm a poor, meatless husk. I'll die soon at best, and I'm already in a hell you can't make any hotter. Let me do you this service; let me persuade you not to kill me. Have you ever killed a man?"

"No, not yet; I've allowed to a couple of times, but it's never come just that way."

"You ought to thank God. Don't ever. You'll be in hell as sure as you do,—a hell right here that you must carry inside of you forever—that even God can't take out of you."

Follett slowly put the revolver into its holster and sat down on the low stool.

"I don't know anything about all this hell-talk, but I see I can't kill you—you're such a poor, miserable cuss. And I thought you were a big, strong man, handy with a gun and all that, and like as not I'd have to make a quick draw on you when the time come. And now look at you! Why, Mister, I'm doggoned if I ain't almost sorry for you! You sure have been getting your deservance good and plenty. Say, what in God's name did you all do such a hellish thing for, anyway?"

"We had been persecuted, hunted, and driven, our Prophet murdered, our women and children butchered, and another army was on the way."

"Well, that was because you were such an ornery lot, always setting yourself up against the government wherever you went, and acting scandalous—"

"We did as the Lord directed us—"

"Oh, shucks!"

"And then we thought the time had come to stand up for our rights; that the Lord meant us to be free and independent."

"Secesh, eh?" Follett was amused. "You handful of Mormons—Uncle Sam could have licked you with both hands tied behind him. Why, you crazy fool, he'd have spit on you and drowned every last one of you, old Brigham Young and all. Fighting the United States! A few dozen women-butchers going to do what the whole South couldn't! Well, I am danged."

He mused over it, and for awhile neither spoke.

"And the nearest you ever got to it was cutting up a lot of women and children after you'd cheated the men into giving up their guns!"

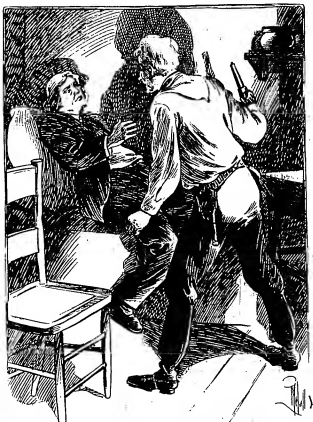
The other groaned.

"There now, that's right—don't you see that hurts worse than killing?"

"But I certainly wish I could have got those other two that took us off into the sage-brush that night. I didn't guess what for, but the first thing I knew the other boy was scratching, and kicking, and hollering, and like to have wriggled away, so the cuss that was with me ran up to help. Then I heard little John making a kind of a squeally noise in his throat like he was being choked, and that was all I wanted. I legged it into the sage-brush. I heard them swearing and coming after me, and ran harder, and, what saved me, I tripped and fell down and hurt myself, so I lay still and they lost track of me. I was scared, I promise you that; but after they got off a ways I worked in the other direction by spells till I got to a little wady, and by sunup they weren't in sight any longer. When I saw the Indians coming along I wasn't a bit scared. I knew they weren't Mormons."

"I used to pray that you might come back and kill me."

"I used to wish I would grow faster so I could. I was always laying out to do it."



"Oh Man, How I've Longed for That Bullet of Yours!"

"But see how I've been punished. Look at me—I'm 50. I ought to be in my prime. See how I've been burnt out."

"But look here, Mister, what about this girl? Do you think you've been doing right by keeping her here?"

"No, no! it was a wrong as great as the other."

"Why, they're even passing remarks about her mother, those that don't know where you got her,—saying it was some one you never married, because the book shows your first wife was this one-handed woman here."

"I know, I know it. I meant to let her go back at first, but she took hold of me, and her father and mother were both dead."

"She's got a grandfather and grandmother, alive and hearty, back at Springfield."

"She is all that has kept me alive these last years."

"She's got to go back to her people now. She'll want to bad enough when she knows about this."

"About this? Surely you won't tell her—"

"Look here now, why not? What do you expect?"

"But she loves me—she does—and she's all I've got. Man, man! don't pile it all on me just at the last."

He was off the bed and on his knees before Follett.

"Don't put it all on me. I've rounded up my back to the rest of it, but keep this off; please, please don't. Let her always think I'm not bad. Give me that one thing out of all the world."

He tried to reach the young man's hand, but was pushed roughly away.

"Don't do that—get up—stop, I tell you. That ain't any way to do. There now! Lie down again. What do you want? I'm not going to leave that girl with you nor with your infernal Church. You understand that."

"Yes, yes, I know it. It was right that you should be the one to come and take her away. The Lord's vengeance was well thought out. Oh, how much more He can make us suffer than you could with your clumsy killings! She must go, but wait—not yet—not yet. Oh, my God! I couldn't stand it to see her go. It would cut into my heart and leave me to bleed to death. No, no, no—don't! Please don't! Don't pile it all on me at the last. The end has come anyway. Don't do that—don't, don't!"

"There, there, be still now." There was a rough sort of soothing in Follett's voice, and they were both silent a moment. Then the young man went on:

"But what do you expect? Suppose everything was left to you, Mister. Come now, you're trying to talk fair. Suppose I leave it to you—only you know you can't keep her."

"Yes, it can't be, but let her stay a little while; let me se her a few times more; let me know she doesn't think I'm bad; and promise never to tell her all of it. Let her always think I was a good man. Do you promise me that. I'd do it for you, Follett. It won't hurt you. Let her think I was a good man."

"How long do you want her to stay here?—a week, ten days?"

"It will kill me when she goes!"

"Oh, well, two weeks?"

"That's good of you; you're kinder at your age than I was—I shall die when she goes."

"Well, I wouldn't want to live if I were you."

"Just a little longer, knowing that she cares for me. I've never been free to have the love of a woman the way you will some day, though I've hungered and sickened for it—for a woman who would understand and be close. But this girl has been the soul of it some way. See here, Follett, let her stay this summer, or until I'm dead. That can't be a long time. I've felt the end coming for a year now. Let her stay, believing in me. Let me know to the last that I'm the only man who has been in her heart, who has won her confidence and her love. Oh, I mean fair. You stay with us yourself and watch. Come—but look there, look, man!"

"Well,—what?"

"That candle is going out,—we'll be in the dark"—he grasped the other's arm—"in the dark, and now I'm afraid again. Don't leave me here! It would be an awful death to die. Here's that thing now on the bed behind me. It's trying to get around in front where I'll have to see it—get another candle. No—don't leave me,—this one will go out while you're gone." All his strength went into the grip on Follett's arm. The candle was sputtering in its pool of grease.

"There, it's gone—now don't, don't leave me. It's trying to crawl over me—I smell the blood—"

"Well—lie down there—it serves you right. There—stop it—I'll stay with you."

Until dawn Follett sat by the bunk, submitting his arm to the other's frenzied grip. From time to time he somewhat awkwardly uttered little words that were meant to be soothing, as he would have done to a frightened child.

When morning brought the gray light into the little room, the haunted man fell into a doze, and Follett, gently unclasping the hands from his arm, arose and went softly out. He was cramped from sitting still so long, and chilled, and his arm hurt where the other had gripped it. He pulled back the blue woollen sleeve and saw above his wrist livid marks where the nails had sunk into his flesh.

Then out of the room back of him came a sharp cry, as from one who had awakened from a dream of terror. He stepped to the door again and looked in.

"There now—don't be scared any more. The daylight has come; it's all right—all right—go to sleep now—"

He stood listening until the man he had come to kill was again quiet. Then he went outside and over to the creek back of the willows to bathe in the fresh running water.

CHAPTER XXX.

Rual Follett's Way of Business.

By the time the women were stirring that morning, Follett galloped up on his horse. Prudence saw him from the doorway as he turned in from the main road, sitting his saddle with apparent carelessness, his arms loose from the shoulders, shifting lightly with the horse's motion, as one who had made the center of gravity his slave. It was a style of riding that would have made a scandal in any riding school; but it seemed to be well calculated for the quick halts, sudden swerves, and acute angles affected by the yearling steer in his moments of excitement.

He dismounted, glowing from his bath in the icy water of the creek and from the headlong gallop up from Bell Wardle's corral.

"Good morning, Miss Prudence."

"Good morning, Mr. Follett. Will you take breakfast with us directly?"

"Yes, and it can't be too directly for me. I'm wolfish. Miss Prudence, your pa and me had some talk last night, and I'm going to bunk in with you all for awhile, till I get some business fixed up."

She smiled with unaffected gladness, and he noticed that her fresh morning color was like that of the little wild roses he had lately brushed the dew from along the creek.

"We shall be glad to have you."

"It's right kind of you; I'm proud to hear you say so." He had taken off the saddle with its gay colored Navajo blanket, and the bridle of plaited rawhide with its conchos and its silver bit. Now he rubbed the back of his horse where the saddle had been, ending with a slap that sent the beast off with head down and glad heels in the air.

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ZEAL WITHOUT COMMON SENSE.

Striking Example Related by the Late Dr. Field.

A Presbyterian clergyman was praising the late Dr. Henry Martin Field of Stockbridge, who for 44 years edited the Evangelist.

"Dr. Field did so much good," he said, "because he went about his work diplomatically, sensibly reasonably. I once heard him declare that reformers failed often because the moment they started a reform they dropped common sense. Common sense was swallowed up in zeal. He said that a nerve cure faddist once entered a shop and leading the proprietor to one side whispered mysteriously: 'Ah, my friend, you can do the race untold good if you will only take the agency for our anti-tea preparation. It is warranted to cure in a week the most confirmed and nerve-racked tea tippler. Never again—'

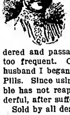
"But the dealer laughed and drew away. 'You have made a mistake,' he said. 'I can't take such an agency as that. Don't you see that this is a teashop?'

"'Oh, no mistake,' said the reformer eagerly. 'It is because you run a teashop that I have sought you out. You come into constant contact with the very people we are trying to reach.'"

A MISSOURI WOMAN

Tells a Story of Awful Suffering and Wonderful Relief.

Mrs. J. D. Johnson, of 603 West Hickman St., Columbia, Mo., says: "Following an operation two years ago, dropsy set in, and my left side was so swollen the doctor said he would have to tap out the water. There was constant pain and a gurgling sensation around my heart, and I could not raise my arm above my head. The kidney action was disordered and passages of the secretions too frequent. On the advice of my husband I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. Since using two boxes my trouble has not reappeared. This is wonderful, after suffering two years."



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HOW CLASSIC WAS WRITTEN.

Bret Harte's Great Poem Result of an Inspiration.

The war correspondent, Frederic Villiers, has recorded a talk with Bret Harte apropos of the poem, "Dickens in Camp:" "We all felt his loss most keenly in the States," said Harte:

"On hearing of his death (I) sat down about three in the afternoon to write an editorial on the great author. I wrote one and then tore it up. Then another, after much pains, was written. This did not please me, so I tore it up. I wrote yet another and threw it into the waste paper basket; it would not do. It was getting late, and I was now keeping the paper waiting for press. I was drumming on my desk, absolutely without another thought in my head; I had run dry. Suddenly I mechanically began to write and the result was the thing you seem to like so much. Well, Mr. Villiers, you are not far out. I like it, too."

BLOOD GETS SOUR.

Gives Advice and Tells of Simple Home Mixture.

At this time of year, says a well-known authority, the Kidneys become weak, clogged and inactive, failing to filter out the poisons and acids, which sour the blood, causing not only facial and bodily eruptions, but the worst forms of Rheumatism, Nervous and Stomach troubles, Backache and painful, annoying Urinary afflictions.

It is worth anyone's time now to get from some good prescription pharmacy the following ingredients: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after your meals and at bedtime.

This simple home-made mixture will force the Kidneys to normal, healthy action, so they will filter and strain all uric acid and poisonous waste matter from the blood, and expel this in the urine, at the same time restoring the "full blood count"—that is, 95 per cent. red blood corpuscles—which is absolutely indispensable to perfect health.

Little One's Prayer.

Mary always gets a little piece of candy every day to keep her from being naughty. One day she was naughty, and she did not get her candy. That night when she was going to bed she said her prayers as follows: "Our Father, who art in heaven, please give me my daily candy."

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The symptoms indicating the decline which may have results so fatal could scarcely be better described than in the statement of Mrs. William Manley, of 92 Court street, Utica, N. Y. Her case is a typical one. She says:

"For six months after the birth of my baby, I suffered from sick, dizzy headaches, which seemed like a rush of blood to my forehead, just back of my eyes. Some days they twitched so I could hardly see and black spots floated before them. The least exertion brought on this sickness. My appetite was poor and I was often sick to my stomach.

"If I tried to work my feet soon became swollen, paining me terribly. I had sinking spells and grew pale and nervous. I was so thin that I weighed only 95 pounds.

"One day when at the drug store to get headache powders I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills instead. I soon noticed that my headache was disappearing and my nerves gradually grew stronger. The pills gave me a hearty appetite and I now weigh over 130 pounds. I believe the pills to be the best tonic and builder a woman can take, as they certainly helped me when my condition was critical and I have never been seriously ill since."

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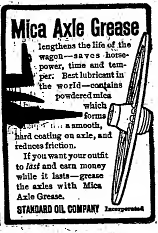

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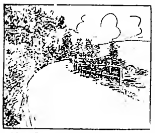
Farmers are fooling away the great bulk of their road taxes every year by not using a drag. The road drag may be made out of any light wood—pine, cedar, cottonwood, soft maple, box elder. If a post or log is used it should be seven feet long, about six or eight inches thick, sawed in two lengthwise, the two pieces put split side foremost about three and a half feet apart, held together by pieces of hard wood or steel rods. A log chain should be attached to the front and the team hitched to it in such a way that the drag is drawn at an angle of 45 degrees. The drag should be drawn up one side of the road and down the other when the roads are soft. The team used should be the heaviest, slowest-moving team on the farm.

Before Dragging

The use of this will in the first place smooth the roads down, filling up the holes, taking off the bumps, and dragging a little dirt to the middle of the road. In the second place it will allow the winds to blow over it and the sun to shine on it; and the dragged road will be dry a day or two, and, if it has many ruts in it, sometimes a week, before the undragged will be dry.

Do not, however, expect the drag to do any good in sand or in muck, or where there are stones in the road or stumps or much grass, or where the water stands in the ditches on either side. The road drag, declares Wallace's Farmer, is the best road maintainer that has ever been discovered, and not only the best, but the cheapest. It will not take the place of the grader in making the road in the first place, nor will it take the place of the tile ditch which carries off the water, nor will it do in any undrained land. It is not everything in road-making, but for the maintenance of the road after it has once been put in shape it excels every other implement ever yet invented.



After Dragging and Top-dressing.

If farmers don't take hold of this road drag it will not be many years before an attempt will be made to levy on them the expense of making macadamized roads, about three to five thousand dollars per mile, and these macadamized roads will cost more to maintain them than it will to make and maintain a good dirt road with the materials and tools they have on hand.

LOW DOWN WAGONS.

It Will Prove a Most Handy Wagon on the Farm.

I own a low down wagon and will say that it is rightly named by being called a handy wagon, writes a correspondent of Orange Judd Farmer. I would not do without one for twice the price of it if I could not get another one. Of course there is a great difference in different makes, as well as in any other thing.

As I own a manure spreader I never use my wagon for that purpose, but I always keep the rack on it. For haying, threshing or shredding they cannot be beaten as the pitchers would tell you, for when my wagon comes to the field they all want to pitch for me.

As to draft, well, they do draw a little harder in some places. Take a gravel road, the wide tires strike more stones than a narrow tire, and a low wheel is harder to roll over a stone than a high, which any sensible man can see, but in the field I can pull my load easier.

The tires on my wagon are four inches wide and I can get over the soft ground better than I ever did before I had it.

In short, the handy wagon is all right if you have the right kind, but some of my neighbors have low wheeled wagons which a team of horses can hardly move when not loaded

DON'T GRUMBLE AT TRIFLES.

Twenty-five Bushels Wheat and Forty-five Bushels Oats Per Acre Are in Western Canada.

Saltcoats, Sask.,
8th December, 1906.

To the Editor.
Dear Sir,

I willingly give you the result of my four and a half years' experience in the District of Saltcoats.

Previous to coming here I farmed in Baldwin, St. Croix County, Wisconsin, and as I have heard a great deal about the Canadian North-West, I decided to take a trip there and see the country for myself. I was so impressed with the richness of the soil that I bought half a section of land about five miles from the town of Saltcoats. I moved on to the land the following June and that year broke 90 acres, which I cropped in 1904, and had 39 bushels wheat per acre. In 1905, with an acreage of 160 acres, I had 24 bushels wheat and 35 bushels of oats per acre. In 1906, with 175 acres under crop, I had 25 bushels wheat and 45 bushels of oats per acre.

From the above mentioned yields you can readily understand that I am very well pleased with the Canadian West. Of course, I have had to work hard, but I don't mind that when I get such a good return for my labor.

To anyone thinking about coming to this country I can truthfully say that if they are prepared to work and not grumble at trifles, they are bound to get on. Some things I would like different, but take the country all round, I don't know where to go to get a better.

Yours truly,
(Signed) O. B. OLSON.

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GONE FOREVER.

Ten years ago a farmer put his initials on a dollar bill. The next day he went to the nearest town and spent it with a merchant. Before the year was out he got the dollar back. Four times in six years the dollar came back to him for produce and three times he heard of it in the pocket of his neighbors.

The last time he got it back four years ago. He sent it to a mail order house. He never has seen that dollar since, and never will. That dollar bill will never pay any more school or road tax for him, will never build or brighten any of the homes of the community. He sent it entirely out of the circle of usefulness to himself and his neighbors.

Patronize your local merchant who helps you to pay your taxes, support your schools and churches, and lends a helping hand in times of sickness and trouble.

HENS KNEW THEIR BUSINESS.

Never Would They Lay Anything but the Freshest of Eggs.

There is a German dairyman and farmer, whose place is not far from Philadelphia, who greatly plumes himself upon the absolute superiority of his products above all others in the vicinity.

On one occasion he personally applied to a Germantown housekeeper for a transfer of her custom to himself. "I hears dot you haf a lot of drouble with dot dairyman of yours," he said. "Yust you gif me your gustom end der vill be no drouble."

"Are your eggs always fresh?" asked the woman.

"Fresh!" repeated the German, in an indignant tone. "Let me dell you, madam, dot my hens nefer, nefer lay anything but fresh eggs!"

Good Theory, Poor Practice.

To encourage temperance the British admiralty allows 36 cents a month to sailors who forego their daily ration of rum. But, as a sailor who does not wish to drink rum can draw his rations and sell them to other sailors at 80 cents or even more a month, the temperance plan is not so successful as was hoped.

APPENDICITIS.

Not at All Necessary to Operate in Many Cases.

Automobiles and Appendicitis scare some people before they are hit.

Appendicitis is often caused by too much starch in the bowels. Starch is hard to digest and clogs up the digestive machinery—also tends to form cakes in the cecum. (That's the blind pouch at entrance to the appendix.)

A N. H. girl had appendicitis, but lived on milk for awhile—then Grape-Nuts and got well without an operation.

She says: "Five years ago while at school, I suffered terribly with constipation and indigestion." (Too much starch, white bread, potatoes, etc., which she did not digest.)

"Soon after I left school I had an attack of appendicitis and for thirteen weeks lived on milk and water. When I recovered enough to eat solid food there was nothing that would agree with me, until a friend recommended Grape-Nuts.

"When I began to eat Grape-Nuts I weighed 98 lbs., but I soon grew to 115 lbs. The distress after eating left me entirely and now I am like a new person."

(A little Grape-Nuts dissolved in hot water or milk would have been much better for this case than milk alone, for the starchy part of the wheat and barley is changed into a form of digestable sugar in making Grape-Nuts.) Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, **"The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."**

(From The Chicago Tribune.)

ADVICE TO RHEUMATICS

Noted Physician Tells How to Prevent and Cure Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

(By Geo. Edmund Flood, M. D.)

If you would avoid Rheumatism and Kidney and Bladder Troubles, be moderate in the consumption of heavy, rich foods, substitute as far as possible soups, broths, fresh milk and drink water—lots of water. Take plenty of time to eat, and don't eat after you have had enough, even if it does taste good. If your work is confining take a moderate amount of exercise each day in the open air.

Of course, neither diet, water, rest nor exercise will cure these afflictions. I advise them as preventives only. For the benefit of the readers of this article who are now afflicted with Rheumatism, Kidney, Bladder or Urinary trouble, and desire to be cured quickly, I give below, complete in every detail, the famous prescription which has made me so successful in the treatment of these diseases. It is the most certain cure for these diseases that I have ever used. It is pleasant to take, it is not expensive, it can be filled by any druggist, and I believe it is the greatest prescription for Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Trouble ever written. It is also a valuable spring tonic and blood purifier. If you are a sufferer, save this, take it to your druggist and have it filled, or get the ingredients and mix them at home.

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Adult dose, take one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime; children, one-fourth to one-half teaspoonful after meals.

After you are cured follow the advice I have given you in regard to diet, exercise and water, and you will not need the services of a physician again for these ailments.

Other papers are privileged to copy.

French Sailors Use Drugs.

The extent to which the narcotic habit prevails in the French navy was illustrated a few days ago by the proceedings of a court-martial at Brest. The defendants were half a dozen seamen of ordinary rating, who were charged with a considerable number of robberies. All the men were victims of opium or the the ether habit, or both combined, and were in the habit of bemuddling themselves daily with these drugs and the robberies had been committed to gratify their passion. Severe sentences were passed.

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Sensible Advice to Women from Mrs. Henry Lee, Mrs. Fred Certia and Mrs. Pinkham.

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Owing to modern methods of living not one woman in a thousand approaches this perfectly natural change without experiencing a train of very annoying and sometimes painful symptoms.

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CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF ANDREW B. PETERSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew B. Peterson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Mathilda Krane, August B. Peterson and [illegible] Peterson, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of May, 1907, at [illegible] o'clock [illegible], why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 22nd day of April, 1907.

(Seal) —N. W. TARRANT,
J. K. Harvey Probate Judge.

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SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open well. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

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Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1906, and the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, interest, which became due February 25th, 1907, each of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John F. Campbell and Mary Campbell, his wife, Mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 9:20 a. m. in book 35 of mortgages on page 370 thereof,

And Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20 100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely:- The Southeast Quarter, and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter, and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter all in section Twenty Four (24) in township one hundred fifty three (153) North of range forty four (44) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey three hundred twenty (320) acres, be the same more or less, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th. A. D. 1907.

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Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank,)
Mortgagee.
Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota. m28-m9

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Sixty-Five Dollars ($65.00) interest, which became due May 31, 1906, and which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Douglas Martin and Bessie Martin, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee,

bearing date the 31st day of May, A. D. 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of June, A. D., 1905, at 11:30 o'clock A. M. in Book 12 of Mortgages, on page 6 thereof,

And Whereas, It is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section one (1) in township one hundred fifty-two (152) north of range forty-three (43) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey eighty (80) acres be the same more or less, in the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 4th day of May, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay the said debt of One Thousand One Hundred Twenty One ($1121.00) Dollars and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Fifty ($50.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated, March 21st, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche
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ENRIGHT ANSWERS ENGELSTAD'S LETTER

Black River Township,
May 7th, 1907.

Brother Farmers of Red Lake County:

I had no intention of again giving you my views in print, but the abusive letter signed by P. Engelstad, a so-called "answer" to mine, now being circulated through the county, seems to require a reply.

I was both surprised and sorry that Mr. Engelstad should at the beck and call of Thief River Falls boosters, try to slur and abuse a brother farmer. We farmers have troubles enough without trying to abuse each other to help out some town. If Mr. Engelstad has any views of his own on the county seat question, he is certainly entitled to them, and I am entitled to mine. I have lived and farmed in this county a good many years, and what I've got I earned myself by good, hard labor, and am not dependent upon any man or any town. What I stated in my former letter was honestly stated from a farmer's standpoint, and I don't believe we farmers should look through the colored glasses furnished by either Thief River Falls or Red Lake Falls.

But I am told by those who claim to know, that Mr. Engelstad did not write the "answer" at all; that John Eastman, editor of a Thief River paper wrote it, and Engelstad let them use his name to fool the farmers with; that it appears plainly from the language of the letter, the use of the editor's "we," time and again, and the words "Red Lake Falls gang," so dear to Eastman's heart and pen.

But, whether Engelstad wrote it or not, I leave it to the farmers of this county if he has anything to be proud of, in the act.

He asks, what about the building of the jail and buying of cells and proceeds of jail-bonds? I have inquired and find that the jail has been inspected by every grand-jury, and reported allright; that it has saved the county a good many dollars sheriff's travelling fees, and board of prisoners, board at the Polk county jail being much higher under the law, and also that the money raised by jail bonds was paid over to the contractors upon the order of County Commissioner Hansen of Thief River Falls. If there was anything crooked about it, Mr. Engelstad had better ask Mr. Hansen who is now out circulating the Thief River county sent petition. He might know.

So bitter is Mr. Eagelstad that he even hates the hill on which the jail is built, and so takes his grudge out in dirt.

Mr. Engelstad then states that the $164 paid by the county for costs recently was in the suit started by Wm. Erb against the county. This shows how much you can depend on his statements. He should either look things up before he speaks so he will know what he is talking about, or have Eastman lie for him about something not so easily proven.

The $161 was a judgment against the county auditor in the suit begun by L. A. Kaufer, and was the costs of the Supreme Court trial won by Red Lake Falls. The county auditor was defended by A. A. Miller, employed by Thief River Falls, and I have been shown a letter written by Mr. Miller to the county auditor in which he says that Thief River Falls would pay all costs in that case. When the bill was brought before the county board, Commissioner Shaw of Thief River Falls said his town expected to pay it but had not had time. That was several months ago and they have had lots of time but they have not paid it yet.

Next, as to the Jarman bill of $90. This was work done for Thief River Falls. Jarman put in his bill to the county board, it was allowed by Commissioners Shaw, Johnson and Eckstrom, and ordered paid out of taxpayers money. Red Lake Falls people appealed to the District Court from the allowance of the bill, and the District Court threw it out. The records are there to speak for themselves, where every one may see. If Thief River Falls people have since paid Jarman, it was because they had to, after Jarman had failed to get his money out of us taxpayers.

Next, Mr. Engelstad-Eastman attacks my statement that a change of county seat may mean an additional tax on us farmers of $5.00 to $8.00 per year each for the next 15 years. He argues that as there are 1212 quarter-sections in the county, there must be that many farmers.

If he would look up the last census report, he would find that outside of cities and villages there are just 1974 farmers, which, at $5.00 each per year would make less than ten thousand dollars per year, and if that would pay for the sixty thousand dollar courthouse Thief River Falls intends to make us build, and the ten thousand dollar furniture to furnish it, and the expenses of removal, and interest on the debt, there wouldn't be enough left to pay the Thief River lawyers what they have made us pay already, and what they will stick us for in the future.

In short Mr. Eastman-Engelstad's letter is based on nothing but wind. Every statement I have made is verified by the public records, and if you doubt it, go and look for yourself.

If there is anything wrong with anything I have said I would like to have them SHOW ME.

I am not going to sign any petition or anything else for either Red Lake Falls or Thief River Falls, which will get Red Lake county into trouble or into debt. This county seat petition will do both.

Therefore, I believe it is for the best interest of every one of us farmers to REFUSE TO SIGN THE COUNTY SEAT PETITION.

We have a court house in Red Lake Falls which is good enough. We have used it ten years, and it is in better shape now than it was when we first moved into it in 1987. It is paid for and the county don't owe a dollar on it. It's good enough so that you may notice what a scramble there is every election to get offices in it.

But Thief River Falls don't think it is good enough. Why? Because they want us farmers to help them get the county seat to their own town, where there is no court house so they can force the county to build a more expensive one, and tax us sixty thousand dollars for it to help build up their town.

Farmers, if we're going to pay for any buildings, let's have them on our own farms, and spend the money on our roads and bridges.

If there is going to be any fighting, let the two towns fight it out themselves, and pay their own lawyers. —Ed Enright.

SCHEMERS EXPOSED

Sixty Thousand Dollar Court House To Be Built At Thief River.

SIGN THE PETITION AND RAISE YOUR TAXES

A Diabolical Swindle On The Taxpayers Uncovered.

A prominent business man of Red Lake Falls this week received the following letter, which speaks for itself, and shows up the blackest scheme ever put up on the voters and taxpayers of Red Lake county

Crookston, May 4th, 1908

Mr.............

Dear Sir

While passing through Thief River Falls City the other day I overheard something which is of great interest to the people in your town I think, and as I have some property in Red Lake Falls and you did some business for me once I thought I better write you about it. It is about your county seat. I was in the hotel-office in Thief River Falls eading a newspaper. Two well-dressed men sat in the corner near me, talking. I didn't notice them at first, till I heard one speak of Red Lake Falls and say he thought they would soon kill that town off the map. This called my attention as I'd like to sell my town lots there if it's going to be wiped out. The man who spoke seemed to be a local man and the other an outsider, from their talk, though plainly a close friend.

So I listened. I can't tell you all they said but this is the most important. The local man said—yes. Red Lake Falls is giving us a hard fight but we think we've got them ski ned now. And if we do beat them we're going to cinch them so they'll never get the county seat away again. You see, as soon as the election is over, it we win, we'll have the county officers move right up here. We elected them and they have got to do as we say. Then we'll have the county board let the job right away for building a big courthouse, one that will cost enough so the farmers won't want to move it. But, says the other man, if you try to vote bonds for a court house, won't the farmers vote it down? No, says the first one. That's the beauty of it. We've got it fixed so that the county board can issue bonds and build a fifty or sixty thousand dollar courthouse without having any election on it at all.

You see when we started our first petition in 1905, we helped get a law passed in the legislature so that in any county that don't have a court house at the county seat, the county board can issue bonds and build a court house without having a vote taken on it. Our petition was filed April 11th, 1905, and this law was passed three days later. That's why we are in a hurry to get a vote on the county seat. The minute we do, we're going to start buildiog that court house and all the farmers in Red Lake county can't stop us. Of course its been kept awful quiet and the smart fellows at Red Lake Falls never caught on. We were afraid they would try to get the law repealed before we got the county seat but they never found us out. Then they talked lower and I couldn't hear any more.

Please excuse this long letter. I hope it will do you people some good to find out these things. I shall be up in this country again in a month or so and will . all and see you.

Yours truly,
P. A. Blockstad.

Upon receipt of the above letter, search was immediately made for the law referred to, and sure enough, it exists.

The law is chapter 175, of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905 and it was passed April 14th 1905.

Its title is "An act to authorize the board of county commissioners of any county not already owning a county court house, to issue its bonds and to use the proceeds thereof for the building of a county court house."

Its first section is "The board of county commissioners of any county of the state of Minnesota which does not own a court house is hereby authorized and empowered to issue the bonds of said county to such an amount in its judgment as may be necessary, but not exceeding one per cent. of the assessed valuation of its real and personal property, as fixed by the last preceeding assessment for general taxation, for the purpose of building a court house in said county."

There are seven other sections describing ths issue of bonds but nothing making it necessary to have a vote of the people before issuing the bonds.

There you have the scheme, voters and tax-payers. The lid is off and you can see it in all its nakedness.

That's why they want you to sign the county petition.

That's why they want you to vote for Thief River Falls for the county seat. So they can spend your money in putting up a big building to help Thief River grow.

Did you ever realize before, what a beautifully appropriate name Thief River Falls is? Thief city would be even more appropriate.

When they have stolen your sixty thousand dollars to build their fine court house, what are you going to do about it? Going to get out in your fields and dig and groan to pay your double taxes and help Thief River grow?

As they grow rich, you grow poor; as their city spreads your farm dwindles; while their prosperous city people stroll through the fine halls and offices you paid for, you follow the tail of your plow all day in your overalls.

Sign their county seat petition. Let them pat you on the back and tell you how much they like you—till after election. Vote for a change of county seat.

And when the election is over, they will have no more use for you. You'll have to mortgage your cow to get a pleasant look from them.

What are you going to do?

A SUMMER SCHOOL

Red Lake Falls Will Be School Ma'am's Headquarters During July.

A four weeks' session of the summer training school will be held in this city commencing Monday, July 1st and ending Saturday, July 27th, word to that effect having been received by County Superintendent McAnulty from State Superintendent J. W. Olsen last week.

A summer training school is of inestimable value to the teachers of the county and Supt. McAnulty is to be congratulated on the culminate of his efforts on their behalf this year.

The corps of instructors is composed of C. S, Yeager, of Fosston; Marie Ring, of Glenwood; A. M. Dunton of McIntosh, and Mary Gardner of Duluth.

State examinations will be held on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 29, 30 and 31. Supt. McAnulty requests us to announce that parties holding county certificates at this time can not be granted another after the state examinations held the last of July.

Cost of Growing Wheat.

The cost of growing wheat is a question very often discussed and one upon which many people are not reliably informed. An instructive experiment therefore is that by the Superintendent of the Experimental Farm at Brandon dealing with the cost of growing an acre of wheat. The experimental acre on which the test was made gave a yield of 29 bushels at a cost of $7.76. This included every possible item of expense and also two years' rent, or interest at 6 per cent on land valued at $15 per acre. The items were:—Plowing once, $1.25; harrowing twice, 20 cents; cultivating twice, 40 cents; seed (1½ bus) 75 cents: drilling, 22 cents; binding 33 cents; twine, 60 cents; threshing $1.46; teaming to market, four miles, 29 cents; rent or interest, $1.90; wear and tear of implements, 20 cents.

Many farmers, however, estimate that $7 an acre pay expenses.—Emerson Journal.

Badger

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Berry and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walker.

Jos. Perrault of Bogols, was a guest of Miss Rose Lachance Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Regis Gagnon, Donna Laurent and Michael Quesnell and wives visited at the Louis St. Ives home Sunday evening.

Dolphis Champeau made a brief call at the Falls Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Prudhomme of Gentilly township called at the home of J. Ducharme Sunday.

Miss Cora Laurent entertained a number of Terrebonne friends at her home Sunday evening and all had a most pleasant time.

Fedime Gregoire and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ovila Robillard Sunday.

Messrs. Roy Waikef, Fred Berry, Adelard Laurent and Francois La-Bissoniere were among those transacting business at the county seat Saturday last.

GREAT DEVELOPMENT

Creameries in Minnesota Grown from a Half Dozen to 100 In Past Six Years.

In the year of 1900 there were only a handful of creameries in the northwestern part of Minnesota and the growth of this industry in this industry in this section of the Red River Valley is truly remarkable and shows the progressiveness of the farmers of the Northwest. Every creamery which has been established since that time has proved successful and today there are 100 where six or seven years ago at the most there were but a bare half dozen every one thriving and each one sending carloads of butter each year to the eastern markets where it commands a price of from 2 to 5 cents above the market price because it comes from Minnesota, the land of pure air, sunshine and pure water and is known to be the best flavored butter in the world. These creameries represent at the present time hundreds of dollars of investment, when the buildings and equipment are taken into consideration and they are wealth producers which benefit almost wholly the tillers of the soil. Besides this investment of machinery, buildings and other equipment they represent the investment of thousands of dollars of stock which is rapidly being improved by mixing with the best dairy strains in the world.

The following counties in the northwest contain together over 100 creameries: Polk, Red Lake, Clay, Becker, Clearwater, Grant, Beltrami, Hubbard, Wilkin, Norman, Kittson, Wadena, Ottertail, Todd, Marshall.

The following is the list of creameries in Red Lake county with the location and secretaries: Red Lake Falls Creamery Assn., Red Lake Falls, G. F. Henniugs, secy. St. Hilaire creamery, St. Hilaire, N. A. Nelson, secy. Louisville creamery, Louisville, J. Porter, secy. Brooks Creamery Assn., Brooks, O. C. Moore, secy. Clearwater creamery, Lillo, Carl Hanson, secy. Emardville Creamery, Plummer, A. M. Hoss, secy.

Of our neighboring counties Polk has 12 creameries, Roseau 5, Kittson 8, Marshall 10, and Norman 12.

To Complete Survey.

It has been announced that Mr. A. P. Mead and his crew of surveyors expect to continue the work of securing a topographical survey of the lands in this section, they having completed but a portion of the survey last fall. An additional appropriation in addition to the unexpended portion of the original appropriation will enable the work to be carried out successfully and to be covered thoroughly. The surveyors will undoubtedly finish up any uncompleted portion of the work of last year and will then probably go further northeast or perhaps in the country between the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers.

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

[illegible] were killed, four were seriously burned and four others entombed and probably dead as a result of an explosion in the Whipple mine, in the Leap Creek district, West Virginia. Fifty-three other miners narrowly escaped death.

Gen. Baron Kuroki, accompanied by a representative party of Japanese military men, arrived at Victoria, B. C., on board the steamer Aki Maru, on their way to the Jamestown exposition.

Arthur McEwen, chief editorial writer of the New York American and well known throughout the west in journalistic circles, died suddenly at Hamilton, Bermuda, of heart failure.

The Mexican government learns from a prominent person who has just returned from Gautemala that in his opinion, unless all signs fail, Estrada Cabrera will be unseated as president of the republic or will have to fight to retain his office.

Capt. C. DeF. Chandler, United States signal service, and J. C. McCoy, of New York, failed to break the long distance balloon record and to win the Lahm cup. The balloon, which left St. Louis landed five miles north of Golconda, Ill., 130 miles from the starting point.

Forty persons, mostly women, were injured in a fire at 255 Wabash avenue, Chicago. The victims were patrons and employes of a lunch club and jumped or fell from the second story.

John Kells Ingram, the political economist, is dead at Dublin. He was born in 1823 and was an ex-president of the Royal Irish Academy.

Miss Mabelle Gilman, who arrived at New York from Paris, said she and William E. Cory, president of the United States Steel corporation, would be married in New York on May 13.

Near Pablanice, Russian Poland, bandits attacked a carriage containing five Hebrew merchants, whom they shot and killed. The robbers took all the money and valuables of the dead men.

After an inspection of the Russian training squadron at Libau, Minister of Marine Bikoff decided to abandon the idea of sending ships to the Jamestown exposition.

Bitter feeling as a result of an assault on Mrs. Softon, an aged woman, caused a race riot at Greensburg, Ind. Six colored men were badly beaten, one of whom may die.

May day brought strikes of iron workers in San Francisco, teamsters in Los Angeles, machinists in Pittsburg, and various labor organizations in Canada. In Paris there were scenes of violence and disorder and the police had several desperate conflicts with the mobs. In Warsaw a general strike resulted in a complete tie-up of business.

A verdict of not guilty was returned by a jury in the United States court in the case of Athole B. Render, who had been on trial in New York on a charge of perjury.

The planing mill and lumber yard of J. A. Hollinger at Chambersburg, Pa., was burned, entailing a loss of $100,000.

Prince Edward of Wales, eldest son of the prince of Wales, joined the royal naval college at Osborne, Isle of Wight, as a cadet. He will be treated exactly the same as the 400 other cadets.

John L. Morgan, formerly of Chicago, starved to death on the desert in Death valley, according to the story brought to San Bernardino, Cal., by Walter Adams, Morgan's partner.

John Enjeck, while working in a licorice factory in Newark, N. J., fell into a vat of the boiling licorice.

The judicial convention at Decatur, Ill., selected Frank K. Dunn, of Charlestown, as supreme court justice, on the one hundred and forty-second ballot.

The blockade in the harbor at Superior, Wis., is estimated to have cost vessel owners a quarter of a million dollars.

Twenty persons were injured when a Baltimore & Ohio passenger train was wrecked at Plessantview, W. Va.

Attorney General Stead filed the long expected suit of the state against the Illinois Central railroad in the circuit court of LaSalle county.

Secretary of War Taft laid the corner stone of the new Y. M. C. A. building at Dayton, O., and delivered the principal address.

The volcano on the Island of Stromboli is in violent eruption, damaging vineyards and terrifying the peasants.

[illegible] Schmitz made a partial confession concerning graft in San Francisco in the hope of securing lenient treatment.

Five justices of the Michigan supreme court, constituting a majority, decided that the city of Detroit cannot build street railway tracks to be leased to an operating corporation.

Judge McMahon at Hammond, Ind., decided to allow Indiana to destroy the Dearborn Park poolrooms owned by the Smith-Perry-Waits syndicate.

Six colored men were badly beaten by a mob of white men at Greensburg, Ind.

D. Max Gregg, son of Col. H. H. Gregg, a wealthy mine owner of Joplin, Mo., in St. Louis on his honeymoon, was arrested on a charge of having attempted to ship four fish out of Arkansas.

A terrific hurricane swept over a part of Campeche, causing a loss of millions of dollars and the death of several persons.

The seven men who were imprisoned in the Berwind Whits Coal mine near Johnstown, Pa., by a sudden rush of water, were rescued after four and a half days, alive and unhurt, but greatly exhausted.

G. R. Scrugham, manager of the International Policyholders' committee, and two watchers for the same organization were arrested on charges of conspiracy to cause the counting of defective, altered and forged ballots in the recent election of New York Life Insurance company directors. Jacob Frank, an agent for the New York Life, was arrested for forging the names of policy holders.

President Cobrera, of Guatemala, narrowly escaped death when assassins exploded a mine under his carriage. The horses were killed and several men injured.

William January, the federal convict who escaped years ago and was recaptured, was told by his wife the news that President Roosevelt favored his pardon.

The month just ended was the coldest April in the last 26 years and within a degree of the coldest April ever experienced, according to the weather bureau at Washington.

Samuel Rittenour, a foreman at the West Virginia Brewing company plant, at Huntington, W. Va., committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. A few days before Rose Spears, to whom Rittenour had been paying court, ended her life in the same manner because she thought Rittenour had deserted her.

American sailors won all of the places in two international races between the crews of warships in Hampton Roads, but the British tars took first and second places in a third contest.

John P. McManus, editor of the Pilot Rock (Ore.) Leader, and formerly of Pierre, S. D., was acquitted of the murder of Robert Estes, a gambler whom he mistook for a robber.

A Canadian Pacific freight train ran through a small bridge just east of Port Arthur, Ont., carrying to their death Engineer William Fixter, Fireman Veaudrey and Brakesman Villineuve.

Levi C. Lincoln, who is alleged to have confessed that he had embezzled $92,000 since 1890 from the Woonsocket Electric Machine & Power company, of which he was treasurer, was arrested.

George H. Phelps filed a suit at Findlay, O., against the Standard Oil company, its subsidiary companies and directors of the companies asking that they be enjoined from doing business in the state of Ohio, and claiming they are operating against the provisions of the Valentine anti-trust law.

Capt. Charles D. Chandler, U. S. signal corps, and J. C. McCoy ascended from St. Louis in a balloon to make tests and attempt to win the long distance record.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt entertained at dinner all the principal officers of the United States navy and foreign navies who participated in the ceremonies attending the opening of the Jamestown exposition.

George H. Cottrell, one of the pioneer captains on the great lakes, died at Marine City, Mich., aged 90 years, after an illness of one week.

Rev. J. D. Simmons, of Parkersburg, W. Va., editor of the Baptist Banner, died of apoplexy.

The government transport Buford sailed from San Francisco with 4,000,000 pounds of flour for the starving Chinese.

Miss Sarah McGowan, 32 years old, was burned to death early in a fire which damaged the five-story tenement at 239 East Thirty-eighth street, New York.

Fire broke out in the Regal hotel, Leesville, La., and spread rapidly, destroying 18 buildings. The loss is estimated at between $75,000 and $100,000.

In a letter to the editor of the Review of Reviews President Roosevelt takes exception to an article on race suicide that appeared in the publication and reiterates his own views on the subject.

John Hamlin, of Grand Island, Neb., has been found guilty of the murder of Rachel Engle, aged 13, and his punishment fixed at hanging.

Fire in Union City, Pa., destroyed the plant of a chair company and other buildings and threatened a large part of the city. The damage was $300,000.

People in Mexico were wildly excited by a report that a mob had stoned the American and Mexican legations in Guatemala City, and Mexican troops were mobilized on the Guatemalan frontier.

Congressman Waldo, of New York, charged that in warships built by private concerns rivet holes had been found filled with soap, putty and wood.

"Eddie" Tate, the safe-blower, who escaped from a Peoria hospital, was arrested in Chicago and told a story making serious charges against former Chief of Police Collins, of that city.

William E. Corey was reelected president of the United States Steel corporation at the annual meeting of the board of directors.

Martha Korais, a comely Prussian girl, was shot and instantly killed in Philadelphia by Franz Endrukst, an enraged lover, who, after murdering the girl, sent a bullet into his own brain, inflicting a wound from which he cannot recover. The girl had refused to marry Endrukat. Several years ago in Prussia he tried to kill her and himself for the same reason.

Secretary Taft told the Cincinnati Business Men's club that he expected the Panama canal would be completed within eight years, and that the United States could not withdraw from Cuba until a year from next September.

Peoria officials surprised the Chicago police by telling them to keep "Eddie" Tate, saying they had not evidence to convict him of blowing the Peoria school board's safe.

The federal court of appeals at St. Paul affirmed the judgment of the lower court by which the Kansas City packers were convicted of accepting rebates and fined $15,000 each.

Capitol Hill, a suburb of Oklahoma City, was flooded by a cloudburst and endangered by the rise of the rivers.

Vice Chancellor B. C. Wiggin, of the University of the South, announced a donation of $60,000 from Andrew Carnegie to be devoted to the erection of a science hall for the university.

Mrs. Louisa Holden of Providence, R. I., while insane, shot and killed her husband, fatally wounded her son and killed herself.

"The Jamestown cup," for the fastest rowing officers in the fleets of America, England, Germany and Austria assembled for the Jamestown exposition, was won by the officers of the American battleship Alabama.

People of Montenegro have revolted and a military government was proclaimed. Armed bands were reported as marching on Cettinje, and serious street fights occurred in Podgoritza, the governor and chief of police of that city being mortally wounded.

Masked men destroyed a sheep camp in Big Horn county, Wyo., with dynamite, killing 700 sheep.

The street car strike in Salt Lake City was settled by the efforts of citizens, the demands of the men being granted.

Several bloody fights occurred in Tegucipalpa between factions of the victorious Honduran rebels and the Nicaraguan troops were compelled to intervene.

One person was killed and 30 persons were seriously injured by an explosion of dynamite at the harbor works at Antivari, on the Adriatic.

Heavy snowstorms prevailed in Wisconsin and Iowa.

John C. Schwartz, former county attorney, prosecuting attorney for two terms and at one time prominent in Republican politics in Cincinnati, died from consumption.

Four people were seriously injured and two cars demolished at Superior, Wis., in a rear-end collision.

Mrs. A. J. Elliott, aged 70, of Everett, Wash., was burned to death at La Crosse, Wis., at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. J. Russell, wife of a manufacturer. The accident was caused by the overturning of an alcohol lamp.

The bond robbery from the Trust Company of America in New York which at first was said to involve $50,000, now is said by a trustee to have grown to an $800,000 theft.

Frightened by a policeman entering her Philadelphia home to arrest her husband, Mrs. Josephine Hess, aged 46 years, dropped dead.

David C. Cook, a noted pathfinder and detective, died suddenly in Denver, Col., of heart disease, aged 60 years. He was born in Laporte county, Ind.

Eight men who were working in a new tunnel at the National Cash Register plant, Dayton, O., were painfully burned in an explosion of natural gas. The men were shot out of the tunnel by the force of the explosion.

Two hundred and sixty journeymen plumbers quit work in Milwaukee upon refusal of the Master Plumbers' association to grant a demand for an increase in wages of 50 cents a day.

Bandit Raisuli is reported from Tangier to be fomenting a revolution among the Lakhm tribes in Morocco.

News has reached Rio de Janeiro that the steamer Thornhill with her crew had been lost when the steamer burned.

Frank Kenworthy, of Winchester, Ind., was thrown from an automobile and killed as he was going to see the wreck of a Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad train at Collett, Ind.

Fire destroyed the plant of the National Stove company at Lorain, O. The loss is estimated at $200,000. Four hundred men are idle as a result.

J. R. Dysinger, a contractor of Cleveland, O., while waiting for a car in the Pacific Electric station, Los Angeles, Cal., was robbed of $800.

Baron de Ros, premier baron of England and colonel of the First Life guards, died on his Irish estate, Old Court, Strangford, County Down.

Maude Harrison, the actress, died suddenly of paralysis in New York.

Frank Fitzmaurice, president of the Citizens' bank, of Eagle Grove, Ia., eloped with and married Miss Nellie Ferguson, a nurse who attended him in a recent illness.

Mrs. Mate L. Chester, of Chicago, grand secretary of the Order of the Eastern Star, was instantly killed by a fall down an elevator shaft in a Peoria hotel.

The Central Trades and Labor union of St. Louis refused to indorse a resolution attacking President Roosevelt for his denunciation of Moyer and Haywood, officers of the Western Federation of Miners.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Fight With Wild Beast.

Manksto.—James Mullen, overseer of the county poor farm, tells of a thrilling adventure that he had with a strange animal that he and two other men discovered in a cave on the bank of the Le Sueur river.

With his hired man, Tom Jones, and George Folsom, he was walking along the bluff at about dusk, when they discovered the cavern, about the mouth of which were piled skulls and other small bones of cattle and sheep and smaller animals. They sent Mullen's dog into the cave, and a fierce fight ensued that was terminated by the animal dashing out, followed by the dog. Mullen struck the beast on the head with a spade as it fled past him, but this did not stop it.

After another brief encounter with the dog, the animal made off. Mullen states that it was as large as a mountain lion or leopard, but he could not say what it was. Mullen expressed the opinion that the animal is the same one that has been seen about Lamberton and in this county during the spring, and that recently tried to pull down a steer on the Columbus Ballard farm near by.

To Test Value of Clay.

Mankato.—Prof. N. H. Winchell, the state geologist, and Julius Hortvet, the state chemist, arrived in the city to examine the deposits of blue clay along the banks of the Blue Earth river. They took samples from several points on the banks of the river and examined the surroundings.

The banks of blue clay are believed to be the ones spoken of in the chronicles of Le Sueur, the French explorer, who sent several shiploads of it back to France more than two centuries ago in the belief that it was rich in minerals. Recently there has been a good deal of talk about the mineral deposits in the Blue Earth and Le Sueur river valleys, and the opinion has been expressed that Le Sueur may not have been mistaken.

Gold, copper and precious stones have been found at different points in the valley.

Woman Inspector.

St. Paul.—Mrs. Perry Starkweather of Minneapolis was appointed to the position of inspector for the state labor department, the new position created by the legislature. Mrs. Starkweather has been making a study of the labor laws and the condition of women in this and other states. She drew up the bill which was passed and signed by the governor.

The duty of the woman inspector is to visit places where women are employed and to make recommendations for their welfare. It is said that there are 30,000 women in the state working for wages and that their annual earnings are approximately $9,000,000.

Plant Rainbow Trout.

Faribault.—Ten cans of rainbow trout fry have been received by the Rice County Protective association and have been placed in Fall creek, a few miles east of here. The association also expects to secure about twenty cans of black bass fry and about 2,000,000 young pike to be placed in the lakes near Faribault. The association has had a number of the best lakes seined and many rough fish unfit for use as food were taken out and destroyed.

Nurses' Board Chosen.

St. Paul.—Governor Johnson has named the five members of the state board of examination and registration of nurses. Under the law one member must be a physician and the others graduate nurses. The members selected are: Dr. Jeanette McLaren, St. Paul; Edith Rommell, Minneapolis, president of Hennepin County Nurses' association; Bertha Johnson, St. Paul, surgical nurse city and county hospital; Helen Wadsworth, St. Paul, teacher of dietetics in St. Luke's hospital, and Eleanore Hamilton, Minneapolis. The board will shortly meet to organize.

Memorial Day Order.

St. Paul.—Levi Longfellow, department commander of the Minnesota G. A. R., has issued his order for the annual observance of Memorial day to the G. A. R. posts in the state. As Memorial day comes on May 30, the preceding Sunday, May 26, will be Memorial Sunday, when the posts will attend divine services in a body. He urges May 24 as a day for memorial exercises in the schools.

Didn't Feed Horse.

Minneapolis.—Abraham Jacob, a peddler was sentenced to the workhouse for thirty days for abusing his horse by leaving him in the barn for three days without food or water.

Use of Net Costs $100.

Mankato.—William Meyer of Rapidan was arraigned on the charge of illegal fishing with a slip net in the Blue Earth river at Cable Mill and pleaded guilty. His fine was $100 and costs, which he paid. The charge was preferred by P. H. Jordan, state game and fish warden, who captured six men at Cable Mill fishing with nets. They had three sacks of fish of all kinds, including black bass. Three men escaped in a boat. It was decided to arraign only one, and the others helped pay the fine.

NEWS NOTES.

Freeport.—A number of cases of smallpox are reported in this vicinity.

St. Paul.—Thieves stole the brass hinges from several doors in the court house.

Owatonna.—Sunday baseball will be allowed in Owatonna this season for the first time in many years.

Mankato.—Adolph Seidle captured a large pelican on Swan lake. The bird measured nine feet from tip to tip.

Minneapolis.—Enough beer was sold in this city in April to give the government a revenue of nearly $30,000 notwithstanding the cool temperature.

Minneapolis.—Alexander Coffitt, 60 years old, a resident of Fulda, cut his throat with a razor, dieing almost instantly. Domestic troubles are said to have caused him to committ the deed.

Mankato.—Robert Bird fell thirty feet from the top of a tree, striking the ground and breaking three ribs. He was cutting off the top of a tree when the limb that he was standing on broke.

Mankato.—Frank Ottenbach, accused of misappropriating $1,000 which was intrusted to him by a bank for the purpose of carrying out a business deal, was arrested in Montana and brought back to this city.

Belgrade.—O. O. Liabrooten and his youngest daughter, of Brooten, were struck by the Winnipeg flyer and thrown about a hundred feet. Mr. Liabrooten was instantly killed and the girl was seriously, if not fatally, injured.

Duluth.—Capt. W. H. Singer has returned from Isle Royale and reports that three trappers who wintered at Chippewa Harbor on that island caught nearly one hundred lynx, besides a fair number of other fur-bearing animals.

Crookston.—Arnold Starby, aged 11, was instantly killed in the town of Garden by Albert Singored, aged 16. The boys were playing when Arnold's shot gun was accidentally discharged by Singered, blowing the top of Starby's head off.

Madelis.—Ole H. Erickson, a farmer living five miles southeast of here, shot himself in the temple with a 32-caliber revolver. He was fifty years of age and leaves a widow. No real cause is known, although he had been despondent of late.

St. Paul.—The Duluth & Iron Range railroad has filed with the state its selection of 75,000 acres of state land, almost completing its land grant. The land is almost all in St. Louis county, the rest in Lake and Cook, and none of it bears minerals so far as known.

La Crescent.—Wille, the 3-year-old son of Frank Smith, fell down the cold air draught of the furnace at his father's residence. The only way of rescuing him was by tearing down the chimney, which was instantly done. He was not injured in any way.

St. Paul.—Governor Johnson has announced the membership of the new capitol grounds commission, which will spend $150,000 of state money in the next two years in acquiring new land adjoining the capitol. It consists of J. W. Lusk, R. T. O'Connor and Frank O'Mera, all of St. Paul.

Minneapolis.—For writing the best essay on insurance, Earl W. Huntley of Spring Valley, a member of the senior class, has been awarded the $50 prize offered by Twin City insurance men to university students. His subject was "The Fundamentals of Life Insurance and Its Economic Importance."

Wells.—Someone visited the wood pile of Rev. Reece and helped himself to firewood. He happened to drop a letter from his pocket while picking up the wood and in this way his identity has become known. The preacher offers to return the letter and to suppress his identity if he will return the wood.

St. Paul.—O. M. Hall, of Red Wing, gets the six-year term on the state tax commission, Samuel Lord, of Kasson, gets the four-year term and Franklin McVey, of Minneapolis, gets the two-year term. The three newly appointed commissioners met in Gov. Johnson's office and organized and cut straws to see who was to get the long and short term.

St. Paul.—Game Warden Stevens of Anoka arrested Dolphin Bibeau of Centerville for shooting a duck. Stevens, while driving, saw Bibeau hunting and he stopped behind some brush. Bibeau walked along until he was only a few feet from Stevens; then a mallard flew low and the hunter bagged it. Bibeau was much surprised to hear the game warden's command, "Come with me," before the smoke had died away. His duck cost him a $10 fine and costs, or $17.90.

Mankato.—William Rademacher of Sumpter narrowly escaped receiving fatal injuries in a blacksmith shop. His broncho rebelled at having a "twist rope" on its nose and became very violent, striking promiscuously with its fore feet. The horse planted its sharp shod hoof squarely on his left cheek. One eye was gouged out and the nose scraped from the face.

Morton.—Adolph Knupple, living three miles south of here, cut his throat with a razor in a fit of despondency. He was a well-to-do farmer and had a grown up family. He cannot recover.

IN WESTERN CANADA.

Delicate in the Old Home; Better Health in the New.

Churchbridge, Sask.,
December 1st, 1906.

To the Editor.
Dear Sir,

I came to this country from the State of Wisconsin three years ago, and must say that I am greatly pleased with the outlook in this western country. For my own part I am entirely satisfied with the progress I have made since coming here. I have raised excellent crops of grain of all varieties. Last season my wheat averaged 23 bushels of wheat to the acre, oats 60 and barley 40.

We had a splendid garden this year, ripening successfully tomatoes, muskmelons, water melons, sweet corn and kindred sorts.

The country is well adapted to wheat growing and mixed farming, and to my mind it is the best country under the sun for a man with a family and small means, as it is possible for a man to commence farming operations with much less capital than is required in the older settled countries.

The climate is all that could be desired, being very healthy and invigorating.

My wife came out about six months ago, and although inclined to be delicate in the old home, she has enjoyed the best of health since coming here.

In short, I am more than satisfied with the land of my adoption, and I am also satisfied with the laws of the country.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) JOHN LANGDON.

Write to any Canadian Government Agent for literature and full particulars.

Coach Horses Join Fox Chase.

They had some spirited horses in the old coaching days. Just 100 years ago a remarkable proof of this was given, and fortunately recorded for the astonishment of later motoring generations, in the case of the Liverpool mail coach. Horses were changed at Monk's Heath, between Newcastle-under-Lyme, says the London Tribune.

On this particular occasion a pack of foxhounds was heard in full cry just as the horses from Congleton were freed from the coach, and they started off with the harness on their backs and followed the run to the finish. One of them, a blood mare, stuck close to the whipper-in and took every jump after him through the two hours. And in the evening they took the return coach to Congleton as merrily as if they had been in the stable all the time.

Has Record of Bad Luck.

J. M. Scanlan, a well known writer of San Francisco, poses as the most unlucky man on the Pacific coast. He has established 13 dailies and weeklies in California that have failed. He says that every check he receives either is unsigned or undated. The one lucky event of his life occurred while he was a private in the confederate army. While kneeling behind a low earthwork a cannon ball struck the top of the embankment, covering him with dirt and debris. "If I had been an upright young man I would have been killed," he reported, saluting his superior officer. Friday he regards with much suspicion.

EVEN IF DISCOURAGED

TRY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS FOR YOUR RHEUMATISM.

The Pills Have Cured the Disease in Almost Every Form and Even in Advanced Stages.

Rheumatism is a painful inflammation of the muscles or of the coverings of the joints and is sometimes accompanied by swelling. The pain is sharp and shooting and does not confine itself to any one part of the body, but after settling in one joint or muscle for a time, leaves it and passes on to another. The most dangerous tendency of the disease is to attack the heart. External applications may give relief from pain for a time but the disease cannot be cured until the blood is purified. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the best medicine for this purpose as their action is directly on the blood, making it rich, red and healthy. When the blood is pure there can be no rheumatism.

Mrs. Ellen A. Russell, of South Goff St., Auburn, Me., says: "I had been sick for fifteen years from impure blood, brought on by overwork. My heart was weak and my hands colorless. I was troubled with indigestion and vomiting spells, which came on every few months. I had no appetite and used to have awful fainting spells, falling down when at my work. I frequently felt numb all over. My head ached continuously for five years.

"About two years ago I began to feel rheumatism in my joints, which became so lame I could hardly walk. My joints were swollen and pained me terribly.

"Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were recommended to me by a friend, after I had failed to get well from the doctor's treatment. When I began taking the pills, the rheumatism was at its worst. I had taken only a few boxes, when the headaches stopped and not long afterward I felt the pain in my joints becoming less and less, until there was none at all. The stiffness was gone and I have never had any return of the rheumatism."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured such diseases as nervous and general debility, indigestion, nervous headache, neuralgia and even partial paralysis and locomotor ataxia. As a tonic for the blood and nerves they are unequalled.

A pamphlet on "Diseases of the Blood" and a copy of our diet book will be sent free on request to anyone interested.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

AID ART BY FOOTBALL

CARLISLE INDIAN PLAYERS BUILD A MUSEUM.

Proceeds of Games Used to Buy Material and Structure It Put Up Entirely by the Students.

New York.—A mute reproach to the legislators who would have withdrawn the appropriation from the Carlisle Indian school stands at the entrance to the grounds of that institution in the shape of a battlemented building of striking design. It is a monument to the affection of the Indians for their home and of the dogged perseverance with which the red man will follow up an idea. The building is an art school and museum of Indian curios, and was built by Indian boys from the proceeds of the football games of last year, in which the redskin experts of the gridiron did so well.

With the money thus won the boys bought the stone, the lumber, the glass and the other material. The work they did themselves, for the boys learn everything in the mechanical trades at Carlisle. The carpenter work, the doors, sashes, and, in fact, all of the mill work of the building, was turned out in the shops of the school by the boys themselves. Even the plumbing and heating arrangements, all of the latest design, are the work of the boys, while the color effects painting and decorations are the handiwork of Carlisle Indian artists. [illegible] roofing and tin work were all [illegible] the school shops. So, everything about the structure is the Indians' own.

Museum Built by Indian Students.

The interior of the building is gay with the bright colors that the Indians love. Genuine Navajo blankets, in [illegible], of curious Indian patterns, adorn the walls and floors. No store products are these blankets, but the real thing, thick as oriental rugs, soft as wool can be, pliable as velvet and capable of holding water like a bucket, so finely woven is the material.

Spread on the tables in the richest confusion of color are beadwork, Indian saddles, baskets, drawings, paintings and models of various devices used in the home life of the tribesmen. Examples of the burnt leather work of the Indians are to be seen, pictures of the famous chiefs of other days, relics of the redskins who died vowing that their tribes would ever hate the white man with the same implacable hatred that they had shown. It is curious to view the pictures of these fierce old warriors and then turn to the intellectual countenance of Alfred M. Venne, the Chippewa Indian who has charge of the museum and who conducts a Bible class of students at this institution. It is still more remarkable to compare the pictures of Indian squaws of the old days with the dark eyed, placid faced girls who come to the studio to paint, fashion Indian art curios and do the headwork at which they are deft.

Some Exhibits in the Museum.

The building has been named the Leupp Indian Art Studio, in recognition of the friendship, interest and careful nurturing of Indian art by Commissioner Francis E. Leupp. The plans of the building were suggested by various students at Carlisle and the best ideas of those offered were embodied in working plans drawn up by a graduate of the school, George Balenti, a Cheyenne Indian. The entire building, as well as its equipment, remains the property of the athletic association.

WILL HEAD THEOSOPHISTS.

Miss Annie Besant Nominated to Succeed Late Col. Olcott.

MISS ANNIE BESANT.
(Woman Who Will Become Leader of the Theosophists.)

Kansas City, Mo.—Official announcement has been made of the nomination of Mrs Annie Besant as world president of the Theosophical society to succeed the late Col. Henry Steele Olcutt, president-founder of the organization. Col. Olcott, an old New York newspaper man, died recently in India.

On his deathbed he named Mrs. Besant, who had for years been his coworker, to succeed him, a prerogative which he held.

Mrs. Besant is a resident of Benares, India, where she conducts a school for the education of native children.

Mrs. Besant was born in England about 60 years ago. Her husband, a clergyman of the Church of England, was a brother of the famous novelist, Sir Walter Besant. Rev. Mr. Besant and his talented wife have been separated for years. She introduced theosophy to English society, lived down ridicule and established herself strongly by her winning ways. She says Americans make good thosophists because they are a psychic people. Mrs. Besant lives nine months a year in India and usually spends the other three months building up her cult in England. She visits America rarely.

PEDDLING LIVE FISH IN CHINA.

Typical Scene in Many Cities of the Oriental Empire.

New York.—The accompanying picture shows a typical Chinese fish pedler, who is to be met in the thoroughfares in many cities of the empire. His load is by no means a light one. He will be noticed balancing two receptacles, each one containing fish. There is some aversion among Chinese to buying fish that show no signs of life. For that reason the pedler is compelled to keep a stock of both live and dead fish. In the large hamper he has a supply of fish whose life has become extinct, while in the large pail at the opposite end of the pole he has a collection that wriggle about in the water. A big premium is always paid by Chinamen for live fish.

A Chinese Fish Peddler.

Sunflower and the Sun.

"The sunflower," said a naturalist, "is the most deceitful of all plants, for it has fooled six nations.

"Six nations believe that the sunflower turns toward the sun, and so thoroughly are they deluded they call it by a name which bears witness to their error.

"Thus the French call the sunflower tournesol. The Spanish call it girasol. The Italians call it girasole. The Hungarians call it naptaforgo. Each of these words means 'turn to the sun.' The English and Americans don't go quite that far in admitting themselves to be the plant's dupes. They only call it sunflower. They mean by that name, though, quite as much as the other names imply. The belief is general among six nations that the sunflower turns with the sun and always faces the luminary.

"As a matter of fact, there is only one flower that turns or keeps with the sun, namely, the sun spurge."

An Author's Profits.

Lieut. Bilse, author of the famous book, "Aus Einer Kleinen Garnison," received altogether £165 ($825) for his rights. It was admitted that the Austrian rights alone fetched £11,000 ($55,000). An action having been brought against the publishers and lost, it is feared that Lieut. Bilse will not have much of the £165 left.—London Sphere.

At the Box Office.

"Do you wish your usual seats for to-night, Mr, Spioort?"

"No—give me something cheaper."

"When did Mrs. Spinort get back from her visit?"—Cleveland Leader.

CARES OF BUSINESS WOMAN

When Placed Where Accidents Are Likely to Happen, She Should Always Carry Insurance—Laws Relating to Adopted Children.

BY KATHERINE LOUISE SMITH.
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There are times when it is desirable for a woman to take out an accident insurance policy. If she is a working woman she may be employed in some store, factory or office building, where conditions are such that there is danger from fire or accident at any time. If she is a moneyed woman she is exposed to accidents on the street and in traveling, in which case she runs the risk of railroad casualties. No matter what her station in life, a woman is daily placed in situations where accidents are liable to happen. There are many kinds of these policies, good for one day or any length of time, and they may be purchased at insurance or railway offices. Where one buys an accident policy just before going on a journey it should be mailed at once to some member of the family or business companion, and not carried on the person, for in event of an accident it might be entirely destroyed.

Five thousand dollars is the amount an accident insurance policy calls for in case of death, and about $25 a year is the premium to pay on this amount. Other amounts are recoverable according to the injuries. For instance, $10 or $20 a week for six months, when one is disabled from one important duty; $200 to $400 for a broken leg; $25 to $50 a week from four to six years for a total disabling injury, and other indemnities too numerous to write in detail. In addition to the indemnity an accident insurance policy pays for surgical operations necessitated by disease or injury, covered under the policy. A feature with most accident companies is that if an insured person receives injuries while riding as a passenger in a passenger street car, steam car, steam vessel, elevator, or in a burning building, the policy doubles for all amounts.

Of course any woman contemplating obtaining an accident policy, and it is always desirable to hold one in traveling, will, if she has time, investigate the company thoroughly before investing. It is interesting to know that the death rate from accidents is greater in the city than in the country, and the average age at death from accident is 34. The months of June, July, August, September and March are most prolific in the number of casualties, for there is more travel and moving at these times of year.

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"I desire to adopt a child. Please tell me what formalities are necessary to make it legal?"—A Moneyed Woman.

The laws of the states regarding adoption vary so much that it will be necessary for you to consult a lawyer. You will be obliged to employ one to draw up the necessary papers. You will, of course, be expected to take the child into your family and to treat her as your own. If the child's parents are living, you will have to obtain their consent unless they have given the child to some state institution, such as a children's home. In some of these institutions, after the child has remained a certain length of time it can be adopted without consulting the parents. Adopted children inherit the property of their assumed parents the same as if they were their natural children.

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"I have been appointed executor of an estate. Will you kindly tell me what my duties are?"—A Near Relative.

These are your duties in order:

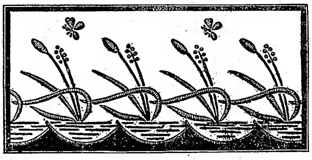
You should see that the deceased is buried in a suitable manner.

You should offer the will for probate, prove the will, file bonds, give notice, make and return an inventory according to the law of the state.

You must collect the property, and after paying debts must dispose of the remainder as the will directs.

You must render an account from time to time until a final settlement of the estate is made. The clerk at the probate office will give you additional information on all these points.

Border Embroidery Design



There are many purposes for which the design may be used: for the ends of towels or towel covers it is particularly suited; it may also be worked on sideboard or dinner-wagon cloths, etc.

One of the many pretty mercerized cottons that are now to be obtained should be used, and it should be of medium thickness; the work is in satin-stitch with the exception of the long stitches that simulate water, and the buttonhole edging the scallops.

FOR THE YOUNG GIRL

Fashion's Stern Decree Is Severe Simplicity in All Details of the Costume.

It has always been one of the heaviest crosses school girls have had to bear to be told that they must not ask for pretty gold and jeweled trifles; that they must wait until their formal bow has been made to smart society before they can hope to revel in the sparkle and gleam of lots of jewels, as did the fair Marguerite. It seems a long wait to the girl in her early teens, and, to tide her over until that rosy time when she is declared a full fledged society bud, the arbiter of fashion and fads, assisted by indulgent mothers, has decreed that this charming young person shall be allowed to have a few ornaments all for her very own. These are simple, of course; the very height of simplicity and chasteness, but they bring a lot of comfort and joy to the girl in her teens and teach her something of the intrinsic and ornamental value of more elaborate effects.

Precious stones, with the exception of pearls, are not for her. She must content herself with those that come in the semi-precious class and with quaint effects in gold and silver.

The present tendency in the way of neck ornaments for the young girl follows that observed in more elaborate ones. Necklaces are quite short and fit close about the throat in a dog collar effect. If they are enhanced with pendants they may be somewhat looser, but short necklaces are indeed very short. There is an excellent reason for having them so for a girl on account of the cut of her decollete. The neck of her frocks is never really low, and there is so little of her neck and shoulders showing above the bodice curve that it can scarcely be termed a decollete.

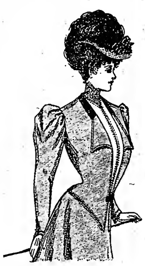
Of Pongee and Straw.

A French idea is the combining of pongee and straw, in their natural shadings for belts, but these, of course, are fashion fantasies and the average woman will prefer more conservative belts.

SNUG-FITTING JACKET

One of the Most Attractive of Season's Designs for Wear in Evening.

This is a simple jacket, to be made up in almost any woolen material. It fits closely into the waist at the sides and back, and hangs loose in front over a plain vest of white cloth, hooked invisibly up the front. The collar is of velvet, but the revers are faced with material. Plain coat sleeves, rather full at the top, and simply stitched round the wrists. The fronts are connected just below the waistline by a velvet tab.



Fancy straw hat, trimmed with an ostrich feather and small roses.

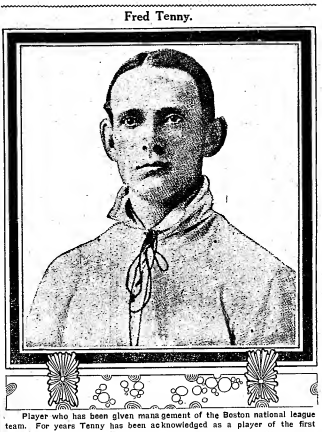
Materials required for the jacket: 2¼ yards 46 inches wide, five-eighths yard cloth, one-quarter yard velvet, four yards lining silk.

Artistic Sofa Pillow.

A very artistic sofa pillow of snuff brown silk, embroidered in shades of lighter brown silk. The center of each wheel is a tiny looking glass.

ON THE GREEN DIAMOND

Fred Tenny.



Player who has been given management of the Boston national league team. For years Tenny has been acknowledged as a player of the first rank.

Left Field is Regarded as Harder Than Right

Ball Players Agree That Center Field Is Easiest Spot in the Garden.

While the Pittsburg Pirates were at Hot Springs a discussion was started as to which of the three outfield positions was hardest to play. Manager Clark argued that the left fielder had the most difficult garden, while Otis Clymer thought the hardest work fell to the right fielder, both agreeing that the center position was at all times the easiest of the three. Along this line, the following from the pen of Jack Ryder, the Cincinnati scribe, is interesting:

"Among outfielders the left station is generally rated as the most difficult to play; that is, when the sunfield is not taken into consideration. The reason for this is that left-handed batters, when they hit to left at all, drive out balls that are harder to handle than any other variety sent to the gardens. When a southpaw hitter cuts one to left, there is a peculiar twist on the ball which often, if it is hit hard, causes it to take a peculiar dive or shoot. Such a ball is not only difficult to judge accurately, but it comes to the fielder dead and hard to hold. A left fielder must have a good pair of hands to negotiate such catches, as the ball has a tendency to break and twist out of the glove, and must be grasped firmly.

"Low-line drives close to the left foul line, especially those hit by a left-hand batter, are the hardest balls to field that are sent to any of the gardens. It is strange, but true, that a right-hand batter hitting to right field does not impart this peculiar twist to the ball, and this makes it a shade easier to play right field than left. Center field is the easiest of the three positions, for a ball hit in that direction has been met fair and square by the bat and sails out on a pretty straight course, with no disconcerting changes in its direction. The middle fielder has more ground to cover than either of his companions, but his catches are comparatively easy."

Of course where there are sun-fields, that alters the argument altogether. Both left fields in St. Louis are notoriously hard to play on account of the fact that the sun blazes right down into the fielder's eyes. Few fans have much idea of the strain on a man who is compelled to play like that day after day, and due allowance should be made for him if his batting falls off under the strain. A sun-fielder is compelled to wear smoked glasses in order to see the ball at all, and the effect of putting these on and taking them off many times during an afternoon is bound to dim the keenness of his optics.

A Conscientious Umpire.

Tommy Connolly, the referee, is one of the most conscientious men in baseball. Connolly is a devout Catholic, attends mass every day, and there are those who insist he missed his calling when he become an umpire; that he should have entered the priesthood. Connolly is a favorite with the players througkout the country.

Many Famous Players Started as Pitchers

Star Ball Tossers Who Began Game in Different Positions in Which They Made Good.

Has the baseball fan ever stopped to consider how many ups and downs the present day stars experienced before they found a position for which they were actually fitted? This has been the case particularly with men who were pitchers and either lost their cunning as slab artists or were not strong enough to keep up with the rest of the crowd. One could name probably half a hundred men who are stars at the present time who were once pitchers or catchers.

Let us start with Willie Keeler. It may not be generally known that Keeler began his career on the diamond as a pitcher. In those days he played with amateur and semi-professional teams in Brooklyn and other Long Island places. Even when Keeler broke into fast company he started as a third baseman. New York had him and could do nothing with him. Then Brooklyn had a crack at this present-day star. But it was not until he reached Baltimore that his real value developed. He was placed in right field, and from then until the present day he ranged first in that position.

Kid Gleason will be remembered as a pitcher. Then he came to New York and developed into one of the best fielding second basemen in the major league.

Callahan, who is playing independent baseball in Chicago, was once a great pitcher. There is Isbell. He ranked high as a twirler until a few years ago. Then he turned to infield work, and is a very valuable man at either first or second.

Remember how Cy Seymour used to whip 'em over at the Polo grounds? But at his best he was erratic. Still, he was valuable as a hitter, and when he left New York he was placed in the infield. At present there are few men who are his equal in fielding or hitting.

Bresnahan began as a pitcher, first in Chicago and then in Baltimore. To-day he is a very valuable man behind the bat. Indeed, he is good in any position when a team is in a pinch.

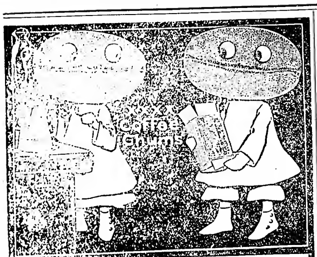
Frank Chance, a catcher, developed into a star first baseman. And it may not be generally known that Mike Donlin broke into baseball as a pitcher. He came to St. Louis from California.

Then there is Bobby Wallace. He was the Clevelands' greatest pitcher in the early '90's. He was and is yet a great infielder. Hal Chase, who has no equal as a first baseman, was a pitcher for a time.

Danny Hoffman was a pitcher in the Connecticut league, and so was Pat Dougherty.

Fares Will Cut Into Profits.

Railroad rate regulations will cut into the profit of the league baseball clubs this season. The various clubs travel about 200,000 miles in a year, spending $70,000. Formerly the clubs were allowed special rates, which meant a saving of from a quarter to a half of the regular fare.



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Crop Conditions.

Backward conditions for seeding in the northwest is beginning to attract some attention, says the Hallock News. The weather reports are for unsettled conditions in the southwest, but in the meantime the crop is steadily going backwards. The drought in Kansas, Nebraska and Texas is very efficient in aiding the advancing prices in wheat. Possibly after all, the farmers who could not ship their grain on account of car shortage last fall, will be well paid for having been obliged to hold their wheat until spring work is done. Altho the weather conditions have not been as favorable in this part of the state as could have been desired the prospects are very good for a fair crop. As a rule it is not the early spring that has brought the best results.

The wheat acreage throughout the Red River Valley will undoubtedly be less than was anticipated some two weeks ago. A greater acreage of barley, oats and flax will be put in and will be as good paying crops, if not more so, than wheat.

The droughth and the "green bug" are raising havoc with the crops in Texas, Kansas, Indiana, Tennessee, Nebraska and in the southwestern part of Illinois. Such being the conditions in the southwest and a backward spring in the northwest, will have a tendency to stimulate the prices of wheat as well as other grain, which will mean a decided gain for the Red River Valley. We can judge the future by the past. There has been several springs in the past fifteen years when seeding has not begun until the first week in May, and we have had an earlier harvest and a far more profitable crop than when seeding was done early in April. This to an outsider would seem rather strange, but it is nevertheless a fact. Because the Red River Valley soil is of such rich and productive nature that when the seed gets into the ground and has the warmth to coax it along it grows with an amazing rapidity.

Another feature which we should not lose sight of and which ought to make us rejoice although we have a backward spring, is that we have 120 hours more of sunshine here in the Red River Valley during the months of June, July and August than they have in Illinois, Iowa and the southern part of the state. This is no guess work, but a fact. That feature and the fertility of the soil account for wheat being matured in less than ninety days in the Red River valley.

As yet farmers in the valley have no cause to worry and we are quite confident by the present outlook that the farmers at least in this county will do as well this year, if not better, than they have done in the past two years.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

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Clerk of Court's Notice of Pendency of Petition.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Polk. } ss.

Whereas the petition of J. B. Wichterman and others, bearing date of January——1907, praying for the establishment of a public drainage ditch along the route proposed therein has been filed in my office.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given of the pendency of said petition, and that the same will be heard and determined before the Hon. William Watts, a judge of the District Court of the 14th Judicial District in Minnesota, at his Chambers at the court house in the city of Crookston in said county on Saturday, the 25th day of May, A. D., 1907 at 10 o'clock a. m.

A true copy of said petition is as follows, to-wit:

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Judge of the District Court, of 14th Judicial District, State of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the towns of Gully, Chester, in Polk Co., and town of Lambert, in County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility.

A general description of the proposed starting point and terminus of said ditch is as follows: Commencing at a point at the quarter corner between sections 23 and 24, township 150, N. Range 39, W. and running due west following the quarter line thru the center of sections 23, 22, 21, 20 and 19 in said township 150 N. Range 39, W. thence due west following the quarter line thru the center of sections 24, 23, 22, 21 and 20 in Township 150, N. Range 40, W. until it reaches the quarter corner between sections 20 and 19 of said township 150, N. Range 40, W. thence in a northwesterly direction across the N. E. ¼ of section 19, said township and range, until it reaches the quarter corner between sections 19 and 18 of said township and range, thence in a northwesterly direction across the west half of section 18 and said township and range, entering Red Lake County ditch known as Lambert ditch No. 1. near the corner common to sections 7 and 18, T. 150, N. Range 40, W. and sections 12 and 13, T. 150 N. Range 41 W. thence following down this said Lambert ditch No. 1, to a point in said ditch where said ditch has sufficient capacity to properly carry such waters as may be brought in by said proposed ditch taking its outlet therein.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such public ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred Thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated this 30th day of April, A. D. 1907. —W. A. LANCTOT,
Clerk of the District Court,
14th Judicial District, Polk
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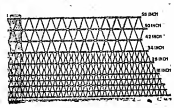

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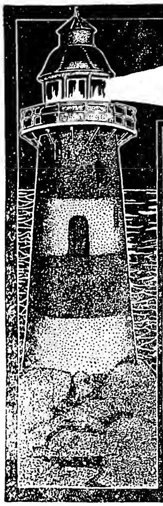

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To guard your home against the unseen dangers of food products, the Government has enacted a pure food law. The law compels the manufacturers of baking powder to print the ingredients on the label of each can.

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Say plainly—

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ROYAL is a pure, cream of tartar baking powder—a pure product nf grapes—aids the digestion—adds to the healthfulness nf food.

Fosston will celebrate the Norwegian Independence day, May 17th.

Mrs. S. Hall left Tuesday for Crookston where Mr. Hall is now located

M. C. Harlow of Thief River Falls transacted business at the court house Tuesday.

The Big Store calls attention to a special sale in ladies spring coats in their ad this week.

Mrs. Herman Adams came down from St. Hilaire Thursday evening of last week for a visit with friends.

Drs. Dunlap and Bertleson, came up from Crookston to assist Dr. Watson in the operation on Miss Clara Zaiser last Thursday.

Last month went down in history as the coldest April recorded in twenty six years, and it begins to look as though the month of May would follow suit.

Karl Korstad was among the passengers who was held up by the wreck Monday evening. Karl put in the time to good advantage hobnobbing with his many friends here.

S. Mireault of Dorothy has rented his farm and Wednesday left for Elbow Lake, this state, where he has secured an agency for the Watkins Medicine Co., of Winona. Mr. Mireault shipped his driving team to that place to use in handling his route.

Commissioner Ed. A. Aubol was among the passengers held up here Monday night by the wreck in the cut. Mr. Aubol was on his way to attend the term of the federal court which convened at Fergus Falls Tuesday, he being drawn to serve on the petit jury.

Theo. LaBissoniere was a Crookston caller over Tuesday night.

P. B. Gaass has sufficiently recovered from his late illness to be around once more.

W. A. Schreiter went up to Thief River today to look after matters demanding his attention.

Wm. Zaiser of Thief River, spent several days in the city the first of the week calling on old friends

Mrs. August Summers of Crookston came up from that place for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Zaiser.

Dr. Spofford, the eye specialist, was here Tuesday, having resumed his regular visits to this place after a two months absence.

Agent J. L. Tracy went down to Crookston last Friday evening to attend a meeting of the Great Northern ticket agents of the northern division at which time the Ticket Agents Association of the Northern Division was organized and the following officers elected: Chairman, F. D. Bell, Crookston; vice chairman, James P. O'Connell, Warren; secretary-treasurer, W. E. Baker, Thief River Falls. The organization is for the purpose of promoting good fellowship among the members, increasing their efficiency, and coming to a better understanding with the officials of the Great Northern. The very best of feeling prevailed and all present were enthusiastic over the outlook for a great deal of good to be accomplished by the organization. A similar organization has been formed on the Breckenridge and other divisions but none has yet been formed on the Dakota division. Another meeting will be held in June.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Merchant LaBissoniere is transacting business at Grand Forks today.

Adam Schmitz of Grand Forks spent Sunday in this city with his many friends.

Cash Brunelle and wife left Monday after a two weeks visit here, for his claim near Blackduck.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson of Park River, arrived in the city yesterday, for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toupin.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, June 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

Terrebonne Town order No. 790, issued in favor of Wm. McAnulty, June 26, 1905, will be paid upon presentation to the treasurer of the town of Terrebonne. Interest discontinues from May 7th, 1907.—L. C. Cadieux, treasurer.

The Percheron stallion, Fred, weight 1700, will stand the season at Guerin Bros. barn. We also have a high grade Jack which will serve at our barn during the season. Anyone wishing horses castrated should give us a call. 31 4 —Guerin Bros.

C. E. Patterson of Marshall, Minn., closed a deal this week for the Theo. Jacobson farm of 320 acres in Lake Pleasant township. Consideration $9000. Mr. Jacobson will crop the place this spring and later move to Marshall. Ed L. Healy of this city, and Mr. Patterson at one time were partners in the mercantile business in Marshall.

The Local Field---

Sheriff Nelson was up to Thief River Monday.

Thomas Glynn of Wylie was in town Wednesday.

Assessor Halslet is busy this week listing the personal property of the city.

Fresh fancy cookies, a big stock just received at Freund's. Call in and see them.

Joe Perras is suffering from a hemorrhage of the lungs and is very low at this writing.

Aug. Moran left Monday for Rolla, N. D, where he will put in the summer working at his trade.

The season is late, better go to Spillane's, The Right Store, and get some quick growing garden and flower seeds.

Miss Carrie Alstadt left Saturday for Sandridge, north of Thief River, near which place she will teach a summer term of school.

Misses Winnie Herron, Agnes Kelly and Annie Swoards came down from Thief River Falls to attend the funeral of Miss Clara Zaiser on Tuesday.

Clement Brunelle left Monday with his brother, Cash, for a week's visit at Blackduck. While there Clement will also push the sales of Brunelle Bros.' popular brands of cigars.

At the regular meeting of the fire department held Saturday the following officers were re elected: H. Hennemuth, chief; M. A. Converse, asst-chief; Fred Borchers, secretary; Geo. F. Hennings, treasurer.

Rev. Herbert W. Knox, pastor of the Presbyterian church left on Tuesday night for a two weeks' visit in the Twin Cities, and at Green Bay and Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He expects to return on the 24th or 2th of this month.

During the absence of Rev. Knox, the Sunday morning service at the Presbyterian church will be omitted on next Sunday and also the week following. The Sunday school and Young People's meeting will be held as usual. Next Sunday evening the service will be conducted by the Session of the church and will be in charge of Mr. L. C. Simons.

Joseph Brohman, one of Lambert township's prominent farmers has made a deal with Louis Sieff whereby he trades his farm in Lambert for Mr. Sieff's residence property on 4th street. Mr. Brohman has farmed in this county for twenty-one years and while he has found it profitable, says that he is going to take a rest from the strenuous labors connected with farm life. Mr Brohman and family will probably occupy their new home about the middle of this month

Narcisse Bolduux, a prominent farmer of P[illegible] township was in the city Tuesday renewing old acquaintances and looking after business matters. Mr Bolduux is one of the pioneer residents of the county having settled here some twenty years ago and like many others who have taken advantage of the resources of this country has prospered and today has a well stocked farm of about [illegible] hundred acres of the best land in the northern part of the state.

J. F. Mathews of Dorothy was in town Saturday.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Banker Hansen of St. Hilaire transacted business in the city, Wednesday.

Father Adolph spent Monday and Tuesday in the city as the guest of Father Ambrose.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ives accompanied by the little Miss Ives spent several days at the Pirath home the first of the week.

Binford Times: John A Pokezwinski is pitching for the Red Lake Falls (Minn.) team this season. Everybody remembers noisy "Pucks."

Geo. F. Hennings left Monday evening on the belated passenger for a several days business trip to Bemidji, Blackduck and other Red Lake points.

E. H. Gerlach, who is now travelling for the American Tobacco Co., spent several days here the first of the week, visiting with his many friends.

Ed Bray went over to Grand Forks Wednesday, via the N. P., for a short business trip. He will return by the way of Crookston where he will spend a short time among old friends.

Mrs. Matt Maher spent Tuesday in the city as the guest of her sister, Mrs Ed. Bray. Miss Bella Bray accompanied her aunt on her return to Crookston and will also visit at Grand Forks before returning home.

One of the many important changes made in the state game and fish laws by the late legislature is the provision that "the use of artificial lights in spearing pickerel or rough fish is made unlawful during the months of May and June."

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Grace who are well known in this city will be pleased to learn that a healthy girl baby arrived Tuesday of last week at their home in Mount Vernon, Washington. Mr. Grace was at one time connected with the firm of W. A. Marin of Crookston and Mrs. Grace was formerly Miss Nellie Hannay, daughter of J. K. Hannay, of St. Hilaire.

While pulling out of town last Monday afternoon the local G. N. freight met with an accident in the south cut which tied up traffic for several hours. When in about the middle of the cut the front trucks of a refrigerator car jumped the track, turning crosswise, tearing up the track for a couple of rods and finally breaking loose and lodging in the rear trucks. While the damage was comparatively small, it was necessary to call out the wrecking crew from Crookston to clear the right of way. The southbound passenger was delayed here for about six hours and the freight did not get out of town until after two in the morning. The peculiar formation in the cuts in this vicinity makes roadbuilding extremely difficult and the G. N. has no end of trouble in keeping trains on the rails as soon as the frost goes out of the ground.

Answers Death's Summons.

"And with his cycle keen,
He reaps the grain all at a breath
And the flowers that grow between."

Monday afternoon the community was deeply grieved to learn that the grim reaper had once more visited us, and, in his reaping, had gathered unto the harvest one of the fairest "flowers that grow between."

On Monday, May 6th at 1.25 p. m., Clara Dell Zaiser, was called to the land of eternal rest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zaiser in this city.

Clara Dell Zaiser was born in Red Lake Falls, July 1st, 1887, and was raised from childhood in this city where she was just budding into womanhood, having nearly reached her twentieth birthday at the time of her death. She was a member of the Holy Catholic church and was always to be found among its most active workers. Nature had endowed her with a sweet disposition which commanded the love, respect and honor of all who knew her, and she had so entrenched herself in the hearts of her friends that the community as a whole share the bereavement of her departure.

Miss Zaiser had been ill for about about a month past, from an attack of appendicitis, and although given every assistance known to medical science and loving friends, there was little or no hopes of her recovery after the operation which was performed last Thursday.

Many beautiful flowers were brought by friends and comrades of school days as a tribute to the memory of the departed, and tokens of their love and esteem.

Funeral services were conducted from St. Mary's church and the remains were laid to rest in the Catholic cemetery north of this city.

Mrs. Otto Kankel, of Fertile, Mr. C. T. Kankel, of Ulen, and Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Kankel, of Terrebonne, were among the out of town relatives who were present to attend the funeral.

CARD OF THANKS.

Although we feel that we can never repay the kindness of friends and that mere words can not express our appreciation of the assistance rendered during our late bereavement, we take this opportunity of extending our heartfelt thanks to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zaiser
and family.

Louis Falardeau, ex-county commissioner from Lambert, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday transacting business and calling on his many friends.

Louis Sieff returned Monday from Montana to look after several business matters of importance. Louis reports his contract work moving along nicely. He will return to Montana in about ten days

P. J. Nimesgren left Monday for Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, where he will put in the summer carpentering and will probably move his family there the coming fall. Mr Nimesgren spent some time in that country about five years ago, and, if he is as favorably impressed with the conditions there this summer as he was at that time, intends to locate there permanently.

SPECIAL SALE OF

Ladies' Spring COATS

Only 8 coats left. Will close them out at special prices. Palmer make, $12 coat velvet collar, all wool, for **$8.50**

5 regular $10.00 and $12.00 coats for **$7.50** to **$8.50**

Come soon. they won't last long.

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The Best Prepared Paint Made

A full line of these famous paints always on hand. SEE OUR SAMPLES.

We have have received a large shipment of

Barb Wire,

Small Farm Implements

Building Material, Etc.

We make a specialty of always being ready to furnish figures on hardware supplies for buildings and contract work where hardware is used, and it will pay you to call and get prices before purchasing.

SPORTING GOODS...

Our line of sporting goods is the largest to be found in the city and we take a special pride keeping our stock complete and up-to-date. We have everything you want in

Fishing Tackle, Base-ball Goods, Guns and Amunition, Etc.

We would be pleased to have you call at any time and look over these goods, they are for your inspection whether you wish to buy or not.

New Hardware Store G. A. KANKEL Red Lake Falls, Minn.

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XXX.—Continued.

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CHAPTER XXXI.

The Gentile Issues an Ultimatum.

June went; July came and went. It was a hot summer below, where the valley widens to let in Amalon; but up in the little-sunned aisle of Box canyon it was always cool. There the pines are straight and reach their heads far into the sky, each a many-wired harp to the winds that come down from the high divide. Their music is never still; now a low, ominous rush, soft but mighty, swelling as it nears, the rush of a winged host, rising swiftly to one fearsome crescendo until the listener cowers instinctively as if under the tread of many feet; then dying away to mutter threats in the distance, and to come again more fiercely; or, it may be, to come with a gentler sweep, as if pacified, even yearning, for the moment. Or, again, the same wind will play quieter airs through the green boughs, a chamber-music of silken rustlings, of feathered fans just stirring, of whisperings, and the sighs of a woman.

It is cool beneath these pines, and pleasant on the couches of brown needles that have fallen through all the years. Here, in the softened light, amid the resinous pungence of the cones and the green boughs, where the wind above played an endless, solemn accompaniment to the careless song of the stream below, the maiden Saint tried to save into the Kingdom a youthful Gentile of whom she discovered almost daily some fresh reason why he should not be lost. The reasons had become so many that they were now heavy upon her. And yet, while the youth submitted meekly to her ministry, appearing even to crave it, he was undeniably either dense or stubborn—in either case of defective spirituality.

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She was grieved by the number of times he fell asleep when she read from the Book of Mormon. The times were many because, though she knew it not, he had come to be, in effect, a night-nurse to the little bent man below, who was now living out his days in quiet desperation, and his nights in a fear of something behind him. Some nights Follett would have unbroken rest; but oftener he was awakened by the other's grip on his arm. Then he would get up, put fresh logs on the fire or light a candle and talk with the haunted man until he became quiet again.

He knew a few things definitely: that Moroni, last of the Nephites, had hidden up unto the Lord the golden plates in the hill of Cumorah; and that the girl who taught him was in some mysterious way the embodiment of all the wonderful things he had ever thought he wanted, of all the strange beauties he had crudely pictured in lonely days along the trail. Here was something he had supposed could come true only in a different world, the kind of world there was in the first book he had ever read, where there had seemed to be no one but good fairies and children that were uncommonly deserving. Yet he had never been able to get clearly into his mind the nature and precise office of the Holy Ghost; nor had he ever become certain how he could bring this wonderful young woman in closer relationship with himself. He felt that to put out his hand toward her—except at certain great moments when he could help her over rough places and feel her golden weight upon his arm—would be to startle her, and then all at once he would awaken from a dream to find her gone. He thought he would feel very badly then, for probably he would never be able to get back into the same dream again. So he was cautious, resolving to make the thing last until it came true of itself.

Once when they followed the stream down, in the late afternoon, he had mused himself so full of the wonder of her that he almost forgot his caution in an amiable impulse to let her share in his feelings.

"You know," he began, "you're like as if I had been trying to think of a word I wanted to say—some fine, big word, a fancy one—but I couldn't think of it. You know how you can't think of the one you want sometimes, only nothing else will do in place of it, and then all at once, when you quit trying to think, it flashes over you. You're like that. I never could think of you, but I just had to because I couldn't get along without it, and then when I didn't expect it you just happened along—the word came along and said itself."

Without speaking she had run ahead to pick the white and blue columbines and pink roses. And he, alarmed at his boldness, fearing she would now be afraid of him, went forward with the deep purpose of showing her a light, careless mood, to convince her that he had meant nothing much.

The little bent man at the house would look at them with a sort of helplessness when they came in, sometimes even forgetting the smile he was wont to hide his hurts. He was impressed anew each time he saw them with the punishing power of such vengeance as was left to the Lord. He could see more than either of the pair before him. The little white-haired boy who had fought him with tooth and nail so long ago, to be not taken from Prudence, had now come back with the might of a man, even the might of a lover, to take her from him when she had become all of his life. He could think of no sharper revenge upon himself or his people. For this cowboy was the spirit incarnate of the oncoming east, thorned on by the Lord to avenge his church's crime.

Then in the night would come the terrors of the dark, the curses and groans of that always-dying thing behind him. And always now he would see the hand with the silver bracelet at the wrist, flaunting in his face the shivering strands of gold with the crimson patch at the end. Yet even this, because he could see it, was less fearful than the thing he could not see, the thing that crawled or lurched relentlessly behind him, with the snoring sound in its throat, the smell of warm blood and the horrible dripping of it, whose breath he could feel on his neck and whose nerveless hands sometimes fumbled weakly at his shoulder, as it strove to come in front of him.

He sat sleepless in his chair with candles burning for three nights when Follett, late in August, went off to meet a messenger from one of his father's wagon trains which, he said, was on its way north. Fearful he was the meaning of his presence, he was inexpressibly glad when the Gentile returned to save him from the terrors of the night.

And there was now a new goad of remorse. The evening before Follett's return he had found Prudence in tears after a visit to the village. With a sudden great onrush of pity he had taken her in his arms to comfort her, feeling the selfishness strangely washed from his love, as the sobs convulsed her.

"Come, come, child—tell your father what it is," he had urged her, and when she became a little quiet she had told him.

"Oh, Daddy, dear—I've just heard such an awful thing, what they talk of me in Amalon, and of you and my mother—shameful!"

He knew then what was coming; he had wondered, indeed, that this talk should be so long in reaching her; but he waited silently, soothing her.

"They say, whoever my mother was, you couldn't have married her—that Christina is your first wife, and the temple records show it. And, oh, Daddy, they say it means that I am a child of sin—and shame—and it made me want to kill myself."

Another passion of tears and sobs had overwhelmed her, and all but broken down the little little man. Yet he controlled himself and soothed her again to quietness.

"It is all wrong, child, all wrong. You are not a child of sin, but a child of love, as rightly born as any in Amalon. Believe me, and pay no heed to that talk."

"They have been saying it for years, and I never knew."

"They say what is not true."

"You were married to my mother, then?"

He waited too long. She divined, clear though his answer was, that he had evaded, or was quibbling in some way.

"You are the daughter of a truly married husband and wife, as truly married as were any pair."

And though she knew he had turned her question, she saw that he must have done it for some great reason of his own, and, even in her grief, she would not pain him by asking another. She could feel that he suffered as she did, and he seemed, moreover, to be pitifully and strangely frightened.

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ANSWERS TO THE CURIOUS.

No, Amateur Thespian, the heavy man is not a stage wait.

An Old Subscriber is informed that wives are not like beefsteak—you cannot make them tender by beating them.

A Lover—The way to open the door to a successful courtship is very simple. All you have to do is ring the belle.

If Epicure wants the best way of avoiding indigestion through mince pie, the remedy is easily learned. Don't eat it.

A correspondent who signs herself "Fastidious" wants to know how to convey a delicate hint to a lady guest who persists in using cigarettes. If she smokes, put her out. This applies equally whether she smokes cigarettes or sets herself on fire.

Easy Mark asks the surest way of detecting counterfeit notes. Try to get to serve a term on the grand jury, and then you will know how to find true bills.

It is hard to answer your question without further data, Lily Bell. The fact that your heart flutters strangely and that you are always blushing, may be either signs that you are romantically in love or that you have indigestion.

Worried Wifie—If buying a new bonnet is a crime in you husband's eyes, just charge it to him.—Baltimore American.

Fellow Travellers.

A Greenwich man tells of a Connecticut farmer who, after having driven a lot of hogs to Greenwich, sold them for precisely what had been offered him before he left home.

"You don't seem to have made much by bringing your hogs down here," remarked the man who tells the story.

"Well, no," replied the agriculturist, dejectedly, "I ain't made no money, but then, you know," he added, his face brightening, "I had the company of the hogs on the way down."—Harpers Weekly.

Worth Considering.

"Mrs. Weatherby permits her cook to use the parlor when she has callers."

"Mercy! I should never consent to anything of that kind."

"Well, I don't know. It may not be such a bad idea. I had a friend once whose cook entertained a policeman in the kitchen while a burglar was carrying away nearly everything in the front part of the house."—Chicago Record-Herald.

An Advantage of Elaborate Diction.

"You say he accused you of being untruthful?"

"That's what happened," answered Plute Pete, with much embarrassment.

"And lives to tell the tale?"

"Well, you see he used long words in such a roundabout way that he was out o' town before I had figgered out exactly what he meant."—Washington Star.

Deep Disappointment.

"Yes," said one Cincinnati heiress to the other, "her parents are fearfully disappointed in the match she made."

"For what reason?"

"She married a man who plays pinochle instead of baccarat."—Washington Star.

DETERMINED.

Molly—How are you going to reform him?

Dolly—Marry him.

Molly—Goodness! Does he need such heroic treatment as that?

The Old, Old Story.

Of mystic "new-thought" cults I've tried
In vain to be a scholar,
Only to learn that, "after all,"
It takes hard work to earn the dollar.
—Judge.

Discouraging News.

Yeast—Dinizulu, the Zulu chief, has a graphophone with which he entertains his guests, and also an organ of English build on which he himself performs.

Crimsonbeak—No wonder missionaries are getting more scarce.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Viewpoint.

"What do you think of Secretary Taft's decision that a mother-in-law is not part of a man's family?"

"He's right. If the majority of them are like mine, she's the whole show."—Baltimore American.

The Ruling Passion.

"Brokerly borrowed money from me this morning," said Little. "He told me he wanted to buy a pocketbook."

"Oh, I see," exclaimed Large. "He was getting something for nothing."—Harper's Weekly.

Pe-ru-na Relieves Spring Catarrh.

MISS DORA HAYDEN.

"Without hesitation I write to thank you for the great relief I have found in your valuable medicine, Peruna, and will call the attention of all my friends suffering with catarrh to that fact. Besides I cheerfully recommend it to all suffering with catarrh in any form."—Miss Dora Hayden, 819 6th St., S. W., Washington, D. C.

A Case of Spring Catarrh.

Mrs. N. P. Lawler, 423½ N. Broadway, Pittsburg, Kas., writes: "Last spring I caught a severe cold, which developed into a serious case of catarrh. I felt weak and sick, and could neither eat nor sleep well.

"A member of our club who had been cured of catarrh through the use of Peruna advised me to try it, and I did so at once. I expected help, but nothing like the wonderful change for the better I observed almost as soon as I started taking it. In three days I felt much better, and within two weeks I was in fine health. Peruna is a wonderful medicine."

"Agin It."

A female canvasser the other day came with a petition to an old farmer in the country and politely asked him if he would sign it. The old man eyed the document for a while with suspicion and then asked:

"What is it?"

"It is a petition in favor of a woman's movement," she replied insinuatingly.

"Then I'm agin it," said the farmer, with the emphasis of a man who had some domestic infelicity. "A woman who's allus a-movin' is allus a-gettin' in trouble. If you've got anything to keep her still, I'll sign it."—Cassell's Journal.

The Eternal Feminine.

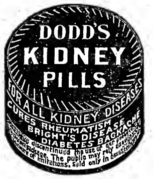
The sons of men rule the world, but the daughters of men govern it through them. It is woman who founds society in its artificial aspects. It is woman who creates class distinctions and insists on maintaining them. It is woman who imbues man with desire to emulate, who instils into him social ambition that inevitably brings in its train the restless fever of acquisition, the madness of greed, the ambition for power through financial success. It is woman who is at once the social bulwark, the autocrat and the snob.—Woman's Life.

Drew Copious Floods of Tears.

A physician in Portland, Ore., estimated that 2,048 teaspoonfuls of tears, or two gallons in all, were shed in one night by the audience that heard Savage's "Madam Butterfly" in that city recently.

Prince Fond of Boxing.

Prince Waldemar of Denmark is a capital boxer and is ever ready to put on the gloves.



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"But, father, suppose you get to mill and have only chaff?"

"That is the same answer I made, dear. I wish I hadn't."

Later, when Prudence had gone, the two men made their beds by the fire in the big room. Follett was awakened twice by the other putting wood on the fire; and twice more by his pitiful pleading with something at his back not to come in front of him.

CHAPTER XXXI.

The Gentile Issues an Ultimatum.

June went; July came and went. It was a hot summer below, where the valley widens to let in Amalon; but up in the little-sunned aisle of Box canyon it was always cool. There the pines are straight and reach their heads far into the sky, each a many-wired harp to the winds that come down from the high divide. Their music is never still; now a low, ominous rush, soft but mighty, swelling as it nears, the rush of a winged host, rising swiftly to one fearsome crescendo until the listener cowers instinctively as if under the tread of many feet; then dying away to mutter threats in the distance, and to come again more fiercely; or, it may be, to come with a gentler sweep, as if pacified, even yearning, for the moment. Or, again, the same wind will play quieter airs through the green boughs, a chamber-music of silken rustlings, of feathered fans just stirring, of whisperings, and the sighs of a woman.

It is cool beneath these pines, and pleasant on the couches of brown needles that have fallen through all the years. Here, in the softened light, amid the resinous pungence of the cones and the green boughs, where the wind above played an endless, solemn accompaniment to the careless song of the stream below, the maiden Saint tried to save into the Kingdom a youthful Gentile, of whom she discovered almost daily some fresh reason why he should not be lost. The reasons had become so many that they were now heavy upon her. And yet, while the youth submitted meekly to her ministry, appearing even to crave it, he was undeniably either dense or stubborn—in either case of defective spirituality.

She was grieved by the number of times he fell asleep when she read from the Book of Mormon. The times were many because, though she knew it not, he had come to be, in effect, a night-nurse to the little bent man below, who was now living out his days in quiet desperation, and his nights in a fear of something behind him. Some nights Follett would have unbroken rest; but oftener he was awakened by the other's grip on his arm. Then he would get up, put fresh logs on the fire or light a candle and talk with the haunted man until he became quiet again.

He knew a few things definitely: that Moroni, last of the Nephites, had hidden up unto the Lord the golden plates in the hill of Cumorah; and that the girl who taught him was in some mysterious way the embodiment of all the wonderful things he had ever thought he wanted, of all the strange beauties he had crudely pictured in lonely days along the trail. Here was something he had supposed could come true only in a different world, the kind of world there was in the first book he had ever read, where there had seemed to be no one but good fairies and children that were uncommonly deserving. Yet he had never been able to get clearly into his mind the nature and precise office of the Holy Ghost; nor had he ever become certain how he could bring this wonderful young woman in closer relationship with himself. He felt that to put out his hand toward her—except at certain great moments when he could help her over rough places and feel her golden weight upon his arm—would be to startle her, and then all at once he would awaken from a dream to find her gone. He thought he would feel very badly then, for probably he would never be able to get back into the same dream again. So he was cautious, resolving to make the thing last until it came true of itself.

Once when they followed the stream down, in the late afternoon, he had mused himself so full of the wonder of her that he almost forgot his caution in an amiable impulse to let her share in his feelings.

"You know," he began, "you're like as if I had been trying to think of a word I wanted to say—some fine, big word, a fancy one—but I couldn't think of it. You know how you can't think of the one you want sometimes, only nothing else will do in place of it, and then all at once, when you quit trying to think, it flashes over you. You're like that. I never could think of you, but I just had to because I couldn't get along without it; and then when I didn't expect it you just happened along—the word came along and said itself."

Without speaking she had run ahead to pick the white and blue columbines and pink roses. And he, alarmed at his boldness, fearing she would now be afraid of him, went forward with the deep purpose of showing her a light, careless mood, to convince her that he had meant nothing much.

The little bent man at the house would look at them with a sort of helplessness when they came in, sometimes even forgetting the smile he was wont to hide his hurts. He was impressed anew each time he saw them with the punishing power of such vengeance as was left to the Lord. He could see more than either of the pair before him. The little white-haired boy who had fought him with tooth and nail so long ago, to be not taken from Prudence, had now come back with the might of a man, even the might of a lover, to take her from him when she had become all of his life. He could think of no sharper revenge upon himself or his people. For this cowboy was the spirit incarnate of the oncoming east, thorned on by the Lord to avenge his church's crime.

Then in the night would come the terrors of the dark, the curses and groans of that always-dying thing behind him. And always now he would see the hand with the silver bracelet at the wrist, flaunting in his face the shivering strands of gold with the crimson patch at the end. Yet even this, because he could see it, was less fearful than the thing he could not see, the thing that crawled or lurched relentlessly behind him, with the snoring sound in its throat, the smell of warm blood and the horrible dripping of it, whose breath he could feel on his neck and whose nerveless hands sometimes fumbled weakly at his shoulder, as it strove to come in front of him.

He sat sleepless in his chair with candles burning for three nights when Follett, late in August, went off to meet a messenger from one of his father's wagon trains which, he said, was on its way north. Fearful he was the meaning of his presence, he was inexpressibly glad when the Gentile returned to save him from the terrors of the night.

And there was now a new goad of remorse. The evening before Follett's return he had found Prudence in tears after a visit to the village. With a sudden great onrush of pity he had taken her in his arms to comfort her, feeling the selfishness strangely washed from his love, as the sobs convulsed her.

"Come, come, child—tell your father what it is," he had urged her, and when she became a little quiet she had told him.

"Oh, Daddy, dear—I've just heard such an awful thing, what they talk of me in Amalon, and of you and my mother—shameful!"

He knew then what was coming; he had wondered, indeed, that this talk should be so long in reaching her; but he waited silently, soothing her.

"They say, whoever my mother was, you couldn't have married her—that Christina is your first wife, and the temple records show it. And, oh, Daddy, they say it means that I am a child of sin—and shame—and it made me want to kill myself."

Another passion of tears and sobs had overwhelmed her, and all but broken down the little little man. Yet he controlled himself and soothed her again to quietness.

"It is all wrong, child, all wrong. You are not a child of sin, but a child of love, as rightly born as any in Amalon. Believe me, and pay no heed to that talk."

"They have been saying it for years, and I never knew."

"They say what is not true."

"You were married to my mother, then?"

He waited too long. She divined, clear though his answer was, that he had evaded, or was quibbling in some way.

"You are the daughter of a truly married husband and wife, as truly married as were any pair."

And though she knew he had turned her question, she saw that he must have done it for some great reason of his own, and, even in her grief, she would not pain him by asking another. She could feel that he suffered as she did, and he seemed, moreover, to be pitifully and strangely frightened.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

ANSWERS TO THE CURIOUS.

No, Amateur Thespian, the heavy man it not a stage wait.

An Old Subscriber is informed that wives are not like beefsteak—you cannot make them tender by beating them.

A Lover—The way to open the door to a successful courtship is very simple. All you have to do is ring the belle.

If Epicure wants the best way of avoiding indigestion through mince pie, the remedy is easily learned. Don't eat it.

A correspondent who signs herself "Fastidious" wants to know how to convey a delicate hint to a lady guest who persists in using cigarettes. If she smokes, put her out. This applies equally whether she smokes cigarettes or sets herself on fire.

Easy Mark asks the surest way of detecting counterfeit notes. Try to get to serve a term on the grand jury, and then you will know how to find true bills.

It is hard to answer your question without further data, Lily Bell. The fact that your heart flutters strangely and that you are always blushing, may be either signs that you are romantically in love or that you have indigestion.

Worried Wife—If buying a new bonnet is a crime in you husband's eyes, just charge it to him.—Baltimore American.

Fellow Travellers.

A Greenwich man tells of a Connecticut farmer who, after having driven a lot of hogs to Greenwich, sold them for precisely what had been offered him before he left home.

"You don't seem to have made much by bringing your hogs down here," remarked the man who tells the story.

"Well, no," replied the agriculturist, dejectedly, "I ain't made no money, but then, you know," he added, his face brightening, "I had the company of the hogs on the way down."—Harpers Weekly.

Worth Considering.

"Mrs. Weatherby permits her cook to use the parlor when she has callers."

"Mercy! I should never consent to anything of that kind."

"Well, I don't know. It may not be such a bad idea. I had a friend once whose cook entertained a policeman in the kitchen while a burglar was carrying away nearly everything in the front part of the house."—Chicago Record-Herald.

An Advantage of Elaborate Diction.

"You say he accused you of being untruthful?"

"That's what happened," answered Plute Pete, with much embarrassment.

"And lives to tell the tale?"

"Well, you see he used long words in such a roundabout way that he was out o' town before I had figgered out exactly what he meant."—Washington Star.

Deep Disappointment.

"Yes," said one Cincinnati heiress to the other, "her parents are fearfully disappointed in the match she made."

"For what reason?"

"She married a man who plays pinochle instead of baccarat."—Washington Star.

DETERMINED.

Molly—How are you going to reform him?

Dolly—Marry him.

Molly—Goodness! Does he need such heroic treatment as that?

The Old, Old Story.

Of mystic "new-thought" cults I've tried
In vain to be a scholar,
Only to learn that, "after all,"
It takes hard work to earn the dollar.
—Judge.

Discouraging News.

Yeast—Dinizulu, the Zulu chief, has a graphophone with which he entertains his guests, and also an organ of English build on which he himself performs.

Crimsonbeak—No wonder missionaries are getting more scarce.—Yonkers Statesman.

The Viewpoint.

"What do you think of Secretary Taft's decision that a mother-in-law is not part of a man's family?"

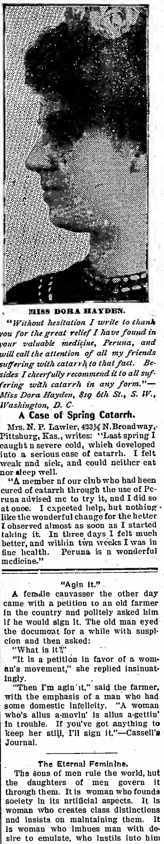
"He's right. If the majority of them are like mine, she's the whole show."—Baltimore American.

The Ruling Passion.

"Brokerly borrowed money from me this morning," said Little. "He told me he wanted to buy a pocketbook."

"Oh, I see," exclaimed Large. "He was getting something for nothing."—Harper's Weekly.

Pe-ru-na Relieves Spring Catarrh.



MISS DORA HAYDEN.

"Without hesitation I write to thank you for the great relief I have found in your valuable medicine, Peruna, and will call the attention of all my friends suffering with catarrh to that fact. Besides I cheerfully recommend it to all suffering with catarrh in any form."—Miss Dora Hayden, 819 6th St., S. W., Washington, D. C.

A Case of Spring Catarrh.

Mrs. N. P. Lawler, 433½ N. Broadway, Pittsburg, Kas., writes: "Last spring I caught a severe cold, which developed into a serious case of catarrh. I felt weak and sick, and could neither eat nor sleep well.

"A member of our club who had been cured of catarrh through the use of Peruna advised me to try it, and I did so at once. I expected help, but nothing like the wonderful change for the better I observed almost as soon as I started taking it. In three days I felt much better, and within two weeks I was in fine health. Peruna is a wonderful medicine."

"Agin It."

A female canvasser the other day came with a petition to an old farmer in the country and politely asked him if he would sign it. The old man eyed the document for a while with suspicion and then asked:

"What is it?"

"It is a petition in favor of a woman's movement," she replied insinuatingly.

"Then I'm agin it," said the farmer, with the emphasis of a man who had some domestic infelicity. "A woman who's allus a-movin' is allus a-gettin' in trouble. If you've got anything to keep her still, I'll sign it."—Cassell's Journal.

The Eternal Feminine.

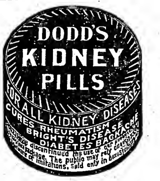
The sons of men rule the world, but the daughters of men govern it through them. It is woman who founds society in its artificial aspects. It is woman who creates class distinctions and insists on maintaining them. It is woman who imbues man with desire to emulate, who instils into him social ambition that inevitably brings in its train the restless fever of acquisition, the madness of greed, the ambition for power through financial success. It is woman who is at once the social bulwark, the autocrat and the snob.—Woman's Life.

Drew Copious Floods of Tears.

A physician in Portland, Ore., estimated that 2,048 teaspoonfuls of tears, or two gallons in all, were shed in one night by the audience that heard Savage's "Madam Butterfly" in that city recently.

Prince Fond of Boxing.

Prince Waldemar of Denmark is a capital boxer and is ever ready to put on the gloves.



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CURES RHEUMATISM BRIGHT'S DISEASE BACKACHE DIABETES

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Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature
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REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

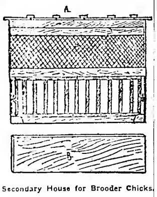
INTENTIONAL DURLICATE EXPOSURE

COOP FOR HENS AND CHICKS.

Type of Construction Used by Ontario Agricultural Station.

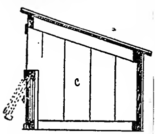
The authorities of the Ontario Agricultural college have devised n coop which they recommend for the hen and chicks. It is so devised that it gives plenty of air both day and night, and during the night in particular can be so closed that small animals cannot get in to disturb either hen or chicks. A good idea of the front of the coop is shown at A in the accompanying illustration.

The upper part is covered with wire netting and the lower part with slats so that the chicks can come in or go out at will. B is a board which is made to fit over the slats and can be fastened in place by thumb buttons on either side of the coop.



Secondary House for Brooder Chicks.

A good idea of the end sections is shown in C. The size may be mado to suit the owner, but it hss been found by the Ontario authorities that a coop two feet high in front, 15 inches high in the rear and two or three feet long works very satisfactorily. The portion of the coop covered with wire netting is one foot wide.



Another House for Young Chicks.

As shown at C, the front is movable so that when the chicks are large enough the hen can leave the coop during the day time.

SOLAR WAX EXTRACTOR.

Rays of Sun Used in Rendering the Wax.

A solar wax extractor is needed in every apiary and several are kept running in many large apiaries. Extractors which render wax by steam are also used. To the latter class belongs the improved Swiss wax extractor. This improvement, invented in Switzerland and improved in America, consists of a tin or copper vessel with a circle of perforations in the bottom near the sides to let in steam from a boiler below and within this upper vessel nnother receptacle—the comb receiver—made of perforated zinc. Within n few years wax extractors employing the heat of he sun nnd known as solar extractors have coms into general use. The essential features in all the forms that have heen devised are a metal tank with a glass cover and usually a wire cloth strainer under which is placed the receptacle for the wax, the whole so arranged as to enable one to tilt it at such an angle as will catch tbe direct rays of the sun. The effectiveness of the solar extractor is increased hy having the glass doubled nnd adding a reflector, such as a mirror or a sheet of bright metal.—Exchange.

CHICK CHAT.

Fine, clean grit should he the first thing eaten by little chicks.

Early maturity for market means considerable in making up the profits.

Felch says the light hrahma will grow a broiler to weigh two pounds at eight weeks of age.

A pound of naphthaleen dissolved in n gallon of coal oil makes an excellent lice paint for the roosts.

Stale (hut not moldy) hread moistened with milk is one of the best first foods for chicks and ducklings.

A poorly bred thoroughbred is worse than a scrub. Scrub treatment will make scrubs of thoroughbreds.

Stale and dirty water is a frequent cause of howel trouble in the enrly youngsters; provido clean water in clean dishes.

The "spring chickea" should ho hatched not earlier than February, nor later than May. The market weight is two to three pounds.

Strong parents make strong chicks—strong chicks nre active and quick growing—quick growth makes the juicy, meaty broiler and roaster.

Set two hens at the same time; then, if the hatch is not large, all the chicks can be given to tho most motherly hen nnd the other set again, or given her liberty.

(From The Chicago Tribune.)

ADVICE TO RHEUMATICS

Noted Physician Tells How to Prevent and Cure Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Troubles.

(By Geo. Edmund Flood, M. D.)

If you would avoid Rheumatism and Kidney and Bladder Trouhles, be moderate in the consumption of heavy, rich foods, substitute as far as possihle soups, hroths, fresh milk and drink water—lots of water. Take plenty of timo to eat, and don't eat after you havo had enough, even if it does taste good. If your work is confining take a moderate nmount of exercise each day in tho open air.

Of course, neithsr diet, water, rest nor exercise will cure these afflictions. I advise them ns preventives only. For tho henefit of the readers of this article who aro now nfflicted with Rheumatism, Kidney, Bladder or Urinary trouble, and desiro to he cured quickly, I give below, complete in every detail, tho famous prescription which has mado me so successful in the treatment of these diseases. It is the most certain cure for these diseases that I have ever used. It is pleasant to take, it is not expensive, it can he filled by any druggist, and I believe it is the greatest prescription for Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Trouhle ever written. It is also a valuable spring tonic and blood purifier. If you nre a sufferer, save this, take it to your druggist and have it filled, or get the ingredients and mix them at home.

Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, ½ ounce.

Concentrated Barkola Compound, 1 ounce.

Fluid Extract Prickly Ash Bark, ½ drachm.

Aromatic Elixir, 4 ounces.

Adult dose, take one teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime; children, one-fourth to one-half teaspoonful after meals.

After you are cured follow tho advice I have given you in regard to diet, exercise and water, and you will not need tho services of a physician again for these ailments.

Other papers are privileged to copy.

STUDENT MADE HIS POINT.

No Douht the Policeman Understood What He Meant.

W. H. Mallock, the well-known English writer and political economist, said at a dinner in New York, apropos of a new definition of socialism: "I find that definition rather confusing. It reminds me of the young Oxford student's badinage with the policeman. 'Officer,' said the youth late one night, 'I'd like to ask you a question.'

"'Very well, sir.'

"'Does the law permit me to call you an ass?'

"'You move on,' ths officer growled.

"'But stop a hit,' continued the youth. 'Does the law permit me to call an ass a policeman?'

"'The law don't say nothing about that,' was tho gruff reply.

"'Then,' said the youth, 'good-night, Mr. Policeman.'"

BABY IN TERRIBLE STATE.

Awful Humor Eating Away Face—Body a Mass of Sores—Cuticura Cures in Two Weeks.

"My little daughter broke out all over her hody with a humor, nnd we used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, hut she continued to grow worse. Her hody was a mass of sores, and her little face was heing eaten away. Her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighhors advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and hefore I had used half of the cake of Soap and box of Ointment the sores had all healed, nnd my little one's face and body were ns clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents. Mrs. George J. Steese, 701 Cohurn St., Akron, O., Aug. 30, 1905."

Chamois Skins from Sheep.

Chamois skins in a majority of cases, according to a United States consular report recently issued, are really an oil tanned sheep or lamh skin lining. The supply of skins from tho chamois is very limited. Enough could not hs ohtained in a year to supply the United States for more than a single day, a fair average crop from Switzerland heing only about 5,000 to 6,000 skins. The chamois skin is heavier than the skin of the sheep or lamb, and much coarser. For strength and durability the chamois is preferahle, hut for ordinary use and nppearance the oil-tanned sheepskin lining would, in most instances, he preferred.

English Ribbon Trade Flourishing.

The English rihbon trade is said to be now in a more flourishing condition than it has heen in many years, owing to the huge demands the dressmakers and milliners are making upon the output of the manufacturers.

TEXAS GULF COAST LANDS.
No blizzards. no heat prostrations. Growing crops all year. Live Agts. wanted.
THEO. F. KOCH, ST. PAUL, MINN.

Cereal Crop Worth $2,000,000,000.

The United States cereal crop of 1906 aggregated 5,000,000,000 hushels, valued at $2,000,000,000.

For more reasons than one, Garfield Tea is the best choice when n laxative is needed: it is Pure, Pleasant to take, Mild and Potent. Guaranteed under the Food and Drugs Law.

A fast young man is seldom ahle to keep up with his running expenses.

"THE MARRYING SQUIRE."

Justice Geo. E. Law, of Brazil, Ind., Has Married 1400 Couples.

Justice Geo. E. Law, of Brazil, Ind., has fairly earned the title "The Marrying Squire," hy which he is known far and wide, having already married some 1400 couples. Ten years ago he was Deputy County Treasurer. "At that time," said Justice Law, "I was suffering from an annoying kidney trouble. My hack ached, my rest was hroken at night, nnd the passages of the kidney secretions were too frequent and contained sediment. Three hoxes of Doan's Kidney Pills cured me in 1897, and for the past nine yenrs I have heen free from kidney complaint and backache."

Sold hy all dealers. 50 cents a hox. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Premier's Ticket Aided Murder.

A Russian journal tells the story of how the murderer of Gen. Lunnitz, prefect of St. Petershurg, obtained admission to the semi-official party at which the deed was committed. After the crime all the guests were detained and their tickets were examined. There was ono ticket the rigthful owner of which was not present. It wns no other than that of Premier Stolypin himself. The murder had heen committed under cover of the invitation ticket of no less a personags than the prime minister. The premier had not heen ahle to go, and his ticket fell into the hands of a member of tho secret police named Nnkolene. He resold it to ths revolutionists for $16,000.

Prohahly He Is Not.

W. Bourke Cockran at a St. Patrick's day dinner told a story of an Irishman who was talking nhout the case of Baring Gould, whose ohituary was recently printed hy mistake, Mr. Gould still heing happily in circulation: "So," said the Irishman, "they've printed the funeral notice av a man that ain't dead yet, hov they? Fnith, an' it's a nice fix he'd he in now if he was wan o' thim people that helaves iverything they see in the papers."

Puritans No Longer in Control.

The changed character of Boston's population could not be more typically illustrated than in the reading of the names of the committees of the Boston common council. As the Patriots' day committee, for example, President Barrett selects Councilmen Rachkowsky, Santosuosso and Purcell.—Boston Traveler.

We Pay Top Price for Cream.
Cash every day. Write for prices and tags. Miller & Holmes, St. Paul, Minn.

A pretty girl is as fond of drawing attention ns a political officeholder is of drawing a salary.

Ship Your Cream to Us.
The largest Creamery in the Northwest. Milton Dairy Co., St. Paul, Minn.

The reward for a good deed done is a having done It.—Emerson.

For Prices on Poultry,
either live or dressed, write R. E. Cohh, St. Paul, Minn.

It isn't the fault of the fair sex if a secret remains a secret.

PUTNAM FADELESS DYES color more goods, per package, than others, and the colors are brighter and faster.

It is curious how a modest actress will appear in a threadbare play.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

A had imitation is often better than the real thing.

Krause's Cold Cure.
For cold in head, throat, chest or back. Best remedy for La Grippe. Druggists, 25c.

Work of Cupid in Germany.

The numher of marriages in the German empire in 1905 was 485,906.

U. S. Sheep Dip, and Cattle Wash & Disinfectant. Write for 32-page booklet, Stock Growers' Enemies. It's free. Northwestern Hide & Fur Co., Mpls, Minn.

Nature makes occupation a necessity to us; society makes it a duty; habit may make it a pleasure.—Capelle.

FITS, St. Vitus Dance and all Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for Free $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ld., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Queen Alexandra, after a residence of 45 years in England, has visited the tower of London. She is said to have been "much interested in what she saw."

Shake Into Your Shoes
Allen's Foot-Ease. It cures painful, swollen, smarting, sweating feet. Makes new shoes easy. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores. Don't accept any substitute. Sample FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Youthful Head of State.

The Hon. Richard McBride, premier of British Columhia, whose government has emerged successfully from a general election, is the youngest prime minister in King Edward's dominions. He is only 36, and he achieved the premiership four years ago, after having held a suhordinate office as minister of mines.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The deepest sympathy man can show to man is to help him do his duty.—Mulock.

MRS. C. E. FINK

HEALTH OF WOMEN

In this nineteenth century to keep up with the march of progress every power of woman is strained to its utmost, and the tax upon her physical system is far greater than ever.

In the good old-fashioned days of our grandmothers few drugs were used in medicines. They relied upon roots and herhs to cure weaknesses and disease, and their knowledge of roots and herbs was far greater than that of women today.

It was in this study of roots and herhs that Lydia E. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., discovered and gave to the women of the world a remedy more potent and efficacious than any combination of drugs.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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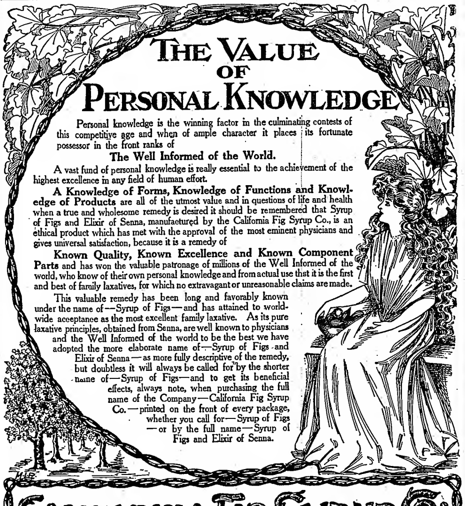

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BOOM GRAIN CONTEST

Northwestern Agriculturist Devotes Much Space to Last Year's Grain Contest.

The last number of the Northwestern Agriculturist, a farm paper published at Minneapolis, contains an excellent writeup of the grain contest which was inaugurated last year and the wheat section of which was won by Olaf Nelson, a St. Hilaire boy and an attendant of Crookston Agricultural college. Young Nelson of St. Hilaire won $20 through the contest and his picture occupies the most prominent place in the May issue of the Agriculturist. A letter which he wrote to the Agriculturist is also published in the issue and the accompanying writeup explaining the contest and also the one which will be held this year is so good that the Gazette will reproduce it. The Agriculturist says:

The well-meant cry, "back to the soil" and the constant protest against the boys' and girls' leaving the farms for the life of the city or the town are well enough in themselves but they too often appeal with little persuasive force to the ambitions of youth. To a boy who sees visions of an easy road to fortune in urban business and an avoidance of drudgery of the dirt, and to the girl who dreams of society and the theatres and all the gaits of the city, merely preaching that the farm is safer and better is a feeble way to hold the children down to plowing and cooking.

There is a better way and that is open their eyes to the fascination of growing their own crops and re[illegible] for their own agricul[illegible].

There is the key to the worth of the grain growing contests for boys and girls, inaugurated last year, under the direction of Prof. D. D. Mayne, principal of the Minnesota School of Agriculture. It is due to the Farmers Club, comprising the alumni of the School and College of Agriculture, that prizes aggregating $1,000 are given, the money being provided by the members of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce. The individual prizes vary from $50 down to $3.33, making thirty-eight prizes for the best exhibits in each class, or a total of nearly 100 cash prizes for the youthful competitors.

County contests are held in each county, usually in connection with the county fairs, then the three best in each county may compete in the state contest held in connection with the annual meeting of the Minnesota Agricultural Society in January. There are also cooking and sewing contests held at the same time.

Details of the coming contest may be obtained by addressing Prof. D. D. Mayne, Agricultural College, St. Anthony Park, Minn.

Following is the letter which young Nelson wrote to the Agriculturist and it will be noticed that the young man is very pleased with the Crookston Agricultural school. The letter will undoubtedly do a great deal of good in advertising the school.

"Ed. N. W. Agriculturist: According to your request I hereby send my photograph. I have not written an essay, as I did not take notice of the date of planting and harvesting, so the only thing I could say is that the wheat was a selection of the Minnesota No. 169, a blue stem wheat originated at St. Anthony Park. It was raised on my father's farm, located on the bank of the Red Lake river in section 29, township of River Falls, Red Lake county.

"I was born in Mason, Wisconsin, Feb. 1st, 1887, and came with my parents to Red Lake county in 1889 and have lived here ever since.

"I have just finished my first term in the School of Agriculture at Crookston, where I and one of my sisters have been attending.

"I cannot praise the school enough nor give Professor and Mrs. Robertson the credit they deserve, and as to what I intend to be, will say that any one attending the Agricultural School cannot help getting interested in farming.

"I am sure that a farmer with a well managed farm has one of the most interesting occupations a man can have. Olaf F. Nelson."

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, Interest, which became due February 25th, 1906, and the sum of Two Hundred Twenty-One ($221.00) Dollars, Interest, which became due February 25th, 1907, each of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John F. Campbell and Mary Campbell, his wife, Mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 25th day of February 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1905, at 9:20 a. m. in book 35 of mortgages on page 370 thereof,

And Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable,

And Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does duly elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice,

And Whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof,

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely:- The Southeast Quarter, and the South Half of the Southwest Quarter, and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, and the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter all in section Twenty Four (24) in township one hundred fifty three (153) North of range forty four (44) West of the 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey three hundred twenty (320) acres, be the same more or less, in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1907, at eleven o'clock A. M. of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Three Thousand Eight Hundred Seventy Seven and 20-100 ($3877.20) Dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy Five ($75.00) Dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage, in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated March 25th. A. D. 1907.

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Warren, Minnesota. m28-m9

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF ANDREW R. PETERSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew R. Peterson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Mathilda Krane, August R. Peterson and Claus Peterson, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of May, 1907, at 9 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 23rd day of April, 1907.

(Seal) —N. W. TARRANT,
Probate Judge.

J. K. Hannay.

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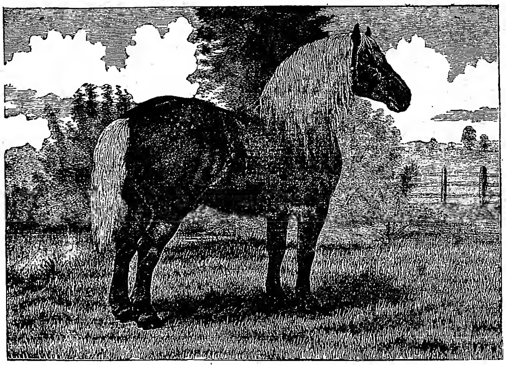

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EXPLODED IN HIS HAND

Nine-Year-Old Son of Leo Steinert Seriously Injured at School Last Friday.

The nine-year-old son of Leo Steinert received injuries last Friday afternoon that will cause him the loss of two fingers.

During the intermission hour of school at noon last Friday after the children were returning from their meals, several of the smaller boys, among them were young Leo Steinert and Henry Bourdon, were playing in the alley back of Beausoliel's barn and found a bunch of dynamite caps. Henry Bourdon discovered them and not knowing what they were distributed them among the boys, giving young Leo quite a number. School had been called and was sitting in his when he commenced picking it with a knife, the cap exploding in his hand, tearing the fingers fearfully.

The child was a pupil in Miss Lamb's department and upon hearing the report she hurried to Prof. Chamberlain's room and notified him of the accident, she supposing he had shot himself with a pistol. In the meantime all the pupils had fled from the room and Sidney Belair hurried the boy to Dr. Lemieux's office, where the wounds were dressed and two fingers amputated, the thumb at the first joint and the index finger at the second joint. The young lad also received injuries in and about the face that will disfigure him for some time, not permanently. One finger nail was driven completely thru the upper lip.

At this writing the boy is getting along nicely and no serious complications are likely to set in.

JOSEPH EUCLID PERRAS

Respected Citizen Passed Away Last Friday.

Joseph Euclid Perras, proprietor of the Central house in this city, died at his home last Friday evening at 8 o'clock, after an illness of but two weeks, from hemorrhage of the lungs.

Deceased came to this county in 1880 from Michael, P. Q., with his parents, locating in Terrebonne. He lived there until five years ago, when he moved to Red Lake Falls, and about a year ago engaging in the hotel business, conducting it satisfactorily up to the time of his sickness. He was 30 years and 11 months old.

He leaves besides a mother and brother in this city, a brother, Arthur, in North Yakima, Washington; brother Max, in Lambert township, and a sister, Louisa, in Butte City, Montana.

The funeral services were held from the St. Joseph's church, on Monday and the remains were taken to the cemetery in Terrebonne, where it was laid to rest by the side of five others of the family. The pall bearers were P. F. Pouliot, Noel Delorme, Joseph Kersting, Eli Emard, Nels Latandresse and Simon Paul.

THE ANNUAL TAX SALE

Auditor O'Brien Disposes of Big Bunch of Property at His Office on Monday.

Monday of this week County Auditor O'Brien held the annual sale of property on which taxes remain delinquent for the year 1905.

About 1500 descriptions were offered for sale and about 450 were sold, mostly all farm property, amounting in all to about $5000.

The bidding was quite spirited, and besides the local capitalists several bidders were present for foreign parties. Following were the buyers present: F. H. Welcome and G. Vandertook of Thief River Falls, J. A. Duffy, A. P. Toupin, P. B. Gaass, Theo. Garceau, L. C. Simons and M. O. Sortedahl of this city.

The sale was highly satisfactory to the auditor and demonstrated that Red Lake county property is still in big demand.

MUST BE MISTAKEN.

Weather Forecast Amiss--More of the Beautiful Monday.

"Fair and warmer" has been the weather forecast in the city dailies for the past week. After reading that one naturally turned to the window and gazed out to see the ground covered with snow and snowflakes lazily falling as if not a thought or care was given to the supposedly near approach of summer. The old saying that "winter lingers in the lap of spring" does not seem to quite meet the situation at this time. In fact winter is assiduously wooing summer and is in a fair way to win her. Monday morning and evening the thermometer registered at and below the freezing point, and it was no exception, and snow was still falling. Few days so far could farmers put in a full day in the fields. Notwithstanding this the wheat and oats have practically all been seeded in this county and farmers are preparing for barley, flax and corn planting which will follow as soon as possible.

To the farmer who has a lot of stock and who is short of feed, the late spring is almost a disaster. At this season farmers are usually looking forward to turning stock in the pasture in a few days. Now, however, there is not a sign of grass, but a warm shower and bright days would bring feed on with a rush. The late season may force farmers to sow less wheat and more oats and barley in many localities, which may not be a misfortune.

Time to Pay.

It is well to remember that the first half of the real estate taxes must be paid on or before May 31, to avoid a penalty of ten per cent. Half your taxes can be paid at this time and the remainder before the first of November. Treasurer Taudberg reports that tax payments have been exceedingly brisk thus far in the month and looks to see the books fairly well cleaned up by the first of June.

SHOT HIS BOY BROTHER

Young Son of Walter McAndreas of Highlanding Shot and Killed His Boy Brother.

The four-year-old son of Walter McAndreas of Highlanding township was shot last Monday by his his nine-year-old brother.

It seems that the two boys left the house Monday morning to go to the river, which is near by, to do some hunting as was their usual custom, and upon their arrival discovered a musk-rat swimming in the water. The older boy, who was carrying the gun, a 22-calibre rifle, raised it to his shoulder and was taking aim, the rat at the same instant diving into the water. The boy failed to fire and replacing the gun on his shoulder forgetting to uncock the hammer, started off the younger brother following. They had gone but a short distance when in some manner the gun was discharged, the bullet entering the left temple finding its way out in the forehead. He lived from nine o'clock in the morning until three in the afternoon.

The funeral services were held at Thief River Falls and was buried on Tuesday.

The family have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in the untimely and unwarning death of their little son.

SAW MILL AT PLUMMER

Plummer Will Have One To Begin Work Next Next Spring Says the Pioneer.

J. C. Parker, of the Donald Land and Lumber Co., of Bemidji, was here during the first part of the week looking after the building of a new boom in the Clearwater river here and fixing up the dam. The new boom is built for the purpose of holding a big drive of cedar, railroad ties and pulp wood which this company is bringing down the river at present and which will be landed here. The pulp wood will be shipped to a big paper mill at Neenah, Wis., and the ties and cedar will be loaded on the cars here and shipped to various points as desired by the purchasers. This work will, Mr. Parker thinks, keep a good sized crew of men busy here for several months.

Outside of the Thief River Falls mill this will be the only one on the Winnipeg line of the Soo railroad and of late the rumor has been current that the Thief River Falls mill will not be run for more than another season, perhaps only this season, as their supply of logs is nearly exhausted. If this should prove true the Plummer mill will be the only mill on the line and there is no question but that there will be a splendid market for the mill's product.

Mr. Parker was superintendent for the old Clearwater logging company in the early days; he built the old dam at Plummer and knows every point in connection with the logging business on this river. Such being the case there would seem to be little room for doubting the truth of his statement regarding the establishment of a new mill here.—Plummer Pioneer.

NO SPEARING.

A number of bills were passed at the last legislature relating to game and fish. Game wardens may arrest parties violating the game law now, without a warrant. It is unlawful to use artificial lights in spearing pickerel or rough fish during May and June. The purpose of that provision is to protect bass during the spawning months, it being a common practice for unprincipled persons to spear bass under the cover of night during this season.

There is no change as to the open season for pike and bass, the former being lawful game for the fisherman after May 1, and the open season on bass beginning the 29th of May.

MAY GET FAIR JOBS

Local Band Organization May Get Two Big Jobs Again This Year.

The city papers in their mention of the coming state fair and the musical organizations to be present had the Red Lake Falls band among the number.

Tho' the board of directors have closed no contract with the fair managers it is very probable that the city's pride will get the job. If the deal goes thru our band will perhaps have the last three days' engagement.

Manager Tracy also expects to get the Winnipeg job this year. Last year the band played at the Winnipeg exposition and the managers were so pleased with the work that they were desirous of securing the band again this year.

A band of about twenty-five pieces will be taken to both fairs and band practice will be indulged in from now on to round out the organization in perfect trim.

The band is proving an excellent advertisement for Red Lake Falls and every day practical demonstration of the advisability of continuing the support given by the citizens is brought forcibly to mind.

It is likely that a large number of our citizens will accompany the band as usual.

SOME NEW ROAD LAWS

After This Year Town Boards Will Have to Elect Road Inspectors.

A pamphlet calling attention to changes in the road laws will be soon issued by the state highway commission. The most important road legislation adopted this year was the law abolishing town supervisors and substituting therefor town inspectors of highways. The act is made effective at once, but the overseers elected for this year will have to serve out their terms, so the law will not go into effect until next year. Then the town boards will have to elect a man to supervise the work and supersede the six or eight men who are annually elected at the town meeting to have charge of the road work.

The section of the law reads as follows:

"The office of town road overseer is herewith abolished, and in place thereof the town board shall appoint a competent road builder as road inspector, who shall have charge under the direction of the county superintendent of highways of the construction and maintenance of all roads and bridges in the town. He shall hold office during the pleasure of the town board. He may appoint one or more competent assistants subject to the approval of the town board. The compensation of road inspector and assistants shall be fixed by the town board. Before entering upon his duties he shall give bond to the town, approved by the town board, in the sum of $100, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties.

The other sections of the law relates to the county supervisor, but this was amended so that it is only a shadow of what the highway commission wanted. The commission had intended to do away with the county surveyor entirely and compel county commissioners to elect a county superintendent of highways. As the law stands the county boards "may" elect such a supervisor, who may also be the county surveyor.

This section reads as follows:

"The county board may appoint a competent surveyor and road builder, as county superintendent of highways, who may be the present county surveyor and whose compensation shall be fixed by the county board. Such superintendent shall survey, lay out and superintend the construction and maintenance of all roads, bridges and ditches, and do the work and have the power of the present county surveyor. He shall hold office for two years or until his successor is appointed and qualified. Before entering upon his duties he shall give bond to the county approved by the county board, in the sum of $1,000, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties."

WILL HAVE NICE LINEUP

Team is Made Up of Good Men And They Will Do Things This Summer.

That Red Lake Falls is going to have one of the fastest base ball teams in this part of the state is an acknowledged fact and is shown by the proposed lineup.

Last Sunday the boys took advantage of the fine weather and went out on the field to do some stunts. Notwithstanding the fact that both the in and out field were soft, some good fast work was pulled off. The boys were assigned the positions they had played previous years and tho' some changes may be made by Captain Buse it is safe to predict that all will be for the betterment of the team. Real practice will begin as soon as the suits arrive which will be this week perhaps, and each player will be assigned his position. The probable lineup will be as follows:

Norman Schreiter, the catcher, is one of the fastest in this part of the state. Norm has done some backstop work on the pharmacy team at the U and will undoubtedly do some good stunts this season.

John Pokezwinski will occupy the box. "Pucks," as he is familiarly known, is a new man in the city, but comes well recommended as a box artist. He has pitched for crack teams in Dakota, and will no doubt prove an enigma to some of the heavy hitters in other teams.

E. G. Buse, the captain, has signed himself to play first base. From that position, Erney says he will be able to keep his weather eye open on all the players. (He also says that he will be near the umpire, but this must be on the q. t.)

Second base will be covered by Louis Padden, a recent arrival from St. Paul. Lew is a fast man and will be found in the game and playing ball all the time.

Harry Healy will be assigned the base nearest home. Harry needs no introduction to the fans in this part of the state having won an enviable reputation as a fast infielder. He also catches and pitches and will be put in to relieve either one of the regular battery at times.

The outfield will also be well taken care of. Billy Ericson in the left garden and Carl Peterson in center. Both are good men and a ball hit anywhere outside the infield is like falling in a well.

The short stop and right field positions are vacant at present, but with Fred Richards, Ralph and Verne Healy, Walter Buse and Albert Lafreniere to pick from those positions will be filled satisfactorily.

With this lineup, Red Lake Falls people can be assured of witnessing some fine sport in the baseball line this season. Manager Padden is of the opinion that a game can be arranged for on Memorial Day.

Rev. I. T. Aasead, of Thief River Falls, conducted services in the Norwegian Lutheran church here Sunday, returning to his home Monday morning.

IS TIME TO GET BUSY

Memorial Day But Two Short Weeks Off—Red Lake Falls Should Observe It.

But two weeks yet remain until Memorial Day, and if Red Lake Falls intends to observe the day this year as they have in the past it is high time to get busy.

The day is but a few years away when the final remnant of the old guard who fought that this country may be perpetuated will have passed to the great eternity, and while we still have a few of the old boys with us it should be a pride for the people to commemorate this great day.

Red Lake Falls has unlimited talent to get up a program for that day, and from what expressions The Gazette has heard the sentiment is strongly in favor of doing something that will be a credit to the city.

Concerted action is necessary now, however, and unless something is done at once the celebration cannot amount to much.

IN OUTDOOR CONCERT

Red Lake Falls Concert Band Will Appear in Outdoor Concert.

The summer season, that part of the northern Minnesota climate that excels any like climate in the world, will soon be with us in all its glory, and with the many enjoyable events coming with it the least by any means will not be the open air concerts by the Red Lake Falls concert band, which will commence the last week in May and continue at intervals of two weeks during the coming several months.

The band's work the coming summer will be pleasing to the people here and the stranger within the gates on the concert dates. Notwithstanding the several changes in the directorship during the winter months the band has put on a polish that will show off to excellent advantage in the outdoor work. Manager Tracy announces that he has a director coming here within a week or ten days. R. C. Hoge is his name and comes from Des Moines, Iowa. He comes well recommended as a first class musician and director.

No Faith In Their Promises

Plummer Pioneer: Several cruisers for Thief River Falls are working the eastern part of the county with their new county seat petition. Several parties from the country have called at this office and told us that they had met these fellows but had refused to sign their petition because they had found out that Thief River Falls had not kept their promises of two years ago in the fight on the old county seat removal petition. Such being the case they had no faith in any more of their promises from that town and they were well enough satisfied to leave the county seat where it is and save any additional taxes. This is the view taken by many of those who signed the old petition and it is entirely justifiable from the standpoint of the county taxpayer.

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and ready when she knocks at your door. An account at a good bank is always helpful in attracting the attention of opportunity. The amount of your bank balance is material, yet not so much so as the fact that you have a balance, that you give good care to your account, that you handle your financial affairs in a systematic manner and the habits you will form in building the account to such proportions as will enable you to make satisfactory and profitable investments.

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Red Lake Falls Minnesota

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We Make Farm Loans

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Red Lake Falls, Minn.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

FOR AN INDIAN LUNCHEON

Very Pleasing Entertainment Which Brought Forward Some New Ideas—Pseudonym Party Will Be Found Enjoyable by Both Old and Young Guests.

The affair, which was a recent function, afforded a very unique entertainment. The invitations were printed on birch bark, the size of a visiting card, and were sent by mail in tiny brown envelopes.

On arriving the guests were seated at small tables, in the center of each was a birch bark canoe filled with spring flowers; the canoes were first filled with sand and thus weighted they stood upright nicely. For place cards there were realistic tomahawks, the name written on the handle.

The menu was simple, but delicious. Chicken croquettes, new potatoes in cream, olives, green peas in white paper cases, tiny hot rolls, salted nuts in diminutive Indian baskets, ice cream with strawberries, cake, coffee. After the repast the hostess passed colored prints of Indians (souvenir post-cards) pasted on light gray cardboard. Pencils were attached by strips of leather ornamented with beads. The words, "The Indian in Literature," gave the guests a clew as to the scheme provided for their amusement.

On a large table the following objects puzzled the brains of the contestants:

1. A birch bark canoe, containing two Indian figures seated, with name "Mona" on canoe. (Ramona.)
2. Picture of Longfellow on one corner of card bearing prints of an Indian brave and an Indian girl. (Hiawatha.)
3. The word "La" over the picture of the czar. (Lazarre.)
4. An Indian moccasin. ("Last of the Mohicans.")
5. A snow shovel. ("The Pathfinder.")
6. A leather stocking. ("The Leatherstocking Tales.")
7. A doll's corset and a bow and arrow. ("The Deer (dear) Slayer.")

For prizes there were Indian baskets and beadwork and small pieces of pottery.

As the hostess had but recently returned from Arizona she had many fine specimens of Indian work which added greatly to the interest of the afternoon.

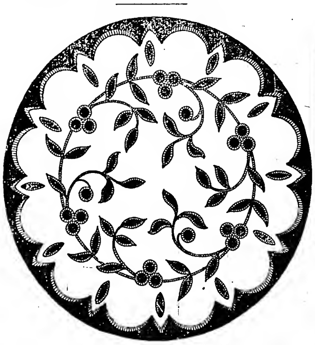
A Pseudonym Party.

It would seem as if by this time that all of our readers must be familiar with contests similar to this one, but there is a constant demand for just such schemes, so this may be just what some of the younger readers are looking for. Write the following pseudonyms on cards and give an alloted time for writing the true names. Appropriate souvenirs are books, by any of the authors mentioned, or their photographs framed.

1. The Rail-splitter.—Abraham Lincoln.
2. Old Buena Vista.—Zachary Taylor.
3. Max O'Rell.—Paul Blouet.
4. The Iron Duke.—Wellington.
5. The Hero of the Nile.—Lord Nelson.
6. "H. H."—Helen Hunt Jackson.
7. "Boz."—Dickens.
8. The Grand Old Man.—Gladstone.
9. Timothy Titcomb.—J. G. Holland.
10. The Melancholy Dane.—Hamlet.
11. Artemus Ward.—J. G. Browne.
12. Bard of Avon.—Shakespeare.
13. Hosea Bigelow.—James Russell Lowell.
14. Marion Harland.—Mrs. Terhune.
15. Genial Autocrat.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.
16. Quaker Poet.—Whittier.
17. Sage of Concord.—Emerson.
18. The Learned Blacksmith.—Elihu Burritt.
19. Iron Chancellor.—Bismarck.
20. George Eliot.—Mrs. Lewis.
21. Mark Twain.—S. L. Clemens.
22. Wizard of the North.—Sir Walter Scott.
23. Ouida.—Louise de la Ramee.

MADAME MERRI.

Doily That Will Wear Well

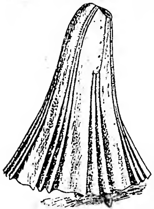


A pretty effective doily that will wash and wear well is shown here; it is of good firm French cambric worked with white embroidery cotton in open holes; the edge is scalloped and worked over in buttonhole-stitch. The open holes must be run out exactly to the outline, then cut in the center with a pair of sharp scissors; sometimes a small piece may be cut quite out in the center; the edges of cambric should then be turned under with the needle, then worked in sewing-over stitch. Cut the superfluous material away from the buttonhole edge after the work is finished.

FOR WEAR ON STREET

Skirt That Will Make Up Successfully in Almost Any Kind of Woolen Material.

Skirts with pleats such as this make up successfully in almost all woolen materials of not too thick a quality, and it should be unlined. In making up the pattern care must be taken in turning in the edges of side breadths so that the curve at the top of pleats is kept a nice shape. Four buttons are sewn on each side. Two pleats are stitched down about half way, and being well folded under fall nice and full in the unstitched part.



Materials required: 6¼ yards 46 inches wide, eight buttons.

SLEEVES ARE LONGER

The Full and Three-Quarter Lengths Seen in French and American Garments.

A great many of the dainty sheer blouses sent over by the French makers, show a long sleeve instead of the inevitable short sleeve used last summer. The short sleeve is still with us, but it is more often of three-quarter length than of elbow length, and while the very dressy blouses are usually somewhat short of sleeve the long close cuff of fine tucking is very popular.

Many American blouse makers recognizing this fact are turning out models of the French type whose chief charm is in the fineness of their material, the excellence of their cut, and the profusion of very fine tucking lavished upon them. This tucking is made to take the place of insert lace and embroidery upon many fine blouses, and such models have perhaps a greater charm for morning wear than have those which are more elaborate and more cobwebby of composition.

The plaited front frills of lingerie and lace which have received the name of Marie Antoinette are very frequently introduced upon these tucked blouses; and in this case a finish of the same lace used upon the frills is applied to collar and cuffs, or perhaps the neck is finished only with a band and is meant to be worn with one of the popular embroidered collars.

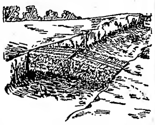
ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

PLAN TO PREVENT EROSION.

Use of Spoiled Hay That Has Been Baled Will Do the Trick.

Farmers in some sections suffer much from the effect of erosion of their lands. Ditches formed by overflow water I have found can be cheaply filled by bales of hay or straw placed across the ditch so as to form a dam. The ditch may then be plowed in or a little earth piled against the bales and succeeding rains will complete the work.

The bales should be laid flat and carefully fitted after manner shown in the illustration, says a correspondent of Prairie Farmer. The bottom of the ditch should be leveled so that the bales will set firmly on the ground and the banks dug off so that they will be reasonably perpendicular. Next all crevices must be trampled full of earth.



The Bales in Place.

If one bale will not reach across the ditch more may be used. If two bales are used they should be added so as to press against each other and against the bank as shown in the cut. If put in this way no support will be required, the force of water will only crowd the bales against the bank and keep them firmly in place.

If more than one tier of bales is required the ditch should be filled level with the top of the first tier before another tier is laid.

Masonry or concrete would of course make a better job, but the bales are not so expensive. I use damaged hay or straw which I have had baled for the express purpose of use in this manner.

If the bales are properly placed nature fills the ditch. Water goes through the bales as readily as through a sieve, but all particles of earth are held back until the ditch is filled to the top of the bales.

GLEANINGS.

Give the hog a chance to be clean.

The farm of the good farmer improves in productiveness from year to year.

After all, the grain and roughage grown on western farms are the cheapest and best feeds for fattening stock, and especially for fattening steers.

The best time to plant corn is when the ground is warm enough; but the surface should be so dry that the dirt will not stick to the planter wheels.

Take quick and good care of the trees and shrubs as they come from the nursery. Don't leave them lying about in the wind and sun to dry out. Protect the roots. Dig big holes, spread out the roots carefully and cover with fine dirt, and your stuff ought to start right off growing.

Grass and grain form a good combination for pork making. If the grass is blue grass so much the better, as that is rich in muscle-making food. The best grain is that not too heavy in starch. In some parts of Europe barley is used for finishing hogs on grass, and produces an excellent meat.

Push the Corn.

All corn growers have noticed that if corn is planted at just the right time, that is to say, when the ground has warmed up sufficiently, and the moisture is not too deep, the seed sprouts quickly and often within two days you can see the young plants in the rows. Growing crops, like young live stock, need a quick, vigorous start, and then they need pushing along during the whole season. The harrow will do more telling work right now than any other implement. Don't be afraid of harrowing too much. Harrow before planting, and when the plants begin to peep through the ground harrow with the rows. If thorough work is done, the ground will be kept clean, and is in much better condition than if cultivators were started early. More thorough harrowing is done, the cultivators need not start till the corn is six or eight inches high.

Land Good for Something.

All land is good for something. If it has been so badly cut up by rains that it cannot be brought under the plow or cannot be used for pasturage, it may still be used for the growing of certain kinds of trees. There are trees that will grow in gullies and on the poorest of soils. It is better to have them occupying the ground than to have unsightly gullies and clay banks lying baked in the sun. A group of trees will at least lend beauty to the landscape while they are young and value to the farm when they are old.

A Good Ration for Calves.

Sam McKelvie of Nebraska feeds his calves the first year equal parts of bran, corn and meal and oats, with all the alfalfa they want. That ration ought to make them hump.

The way of the transgressor is a well-beaten path.

All Cloth Hats, Children's Dresses, etc., made to look like new with PUTNAM FADELESS DYES.

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No blizzards, no heat prostrations.
Growing crops all year. Live Agts. wanted.
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We Want Your Cream.
Write to-day for tags and prices. North Star Creamery Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Just His Luck.

"Hello!" said Borem, "I just thought I'd drop in on you to-day to—"

"I thought you would, too," interrupted Merchant.

"You did? Now that's strange, because—"

"Not at all; this is the busiest day I've had for weeks."

Labor of the Novelist.

"The way of the novelist must be hard," said a librarian of an uptown branch. "The other day an immaculately gotten up individual came into the library and announced that he was a writer with a specialty of dialect stories. We got him several books that he asked for, and little by little he took me into his confidence. 'I want the Scotch dialect for the stern father,' he explained; 'then when I've got enough of that I want some dialect for a sea captain, and then I want a duke—or maybe you can tell me, would a duke drop his h'e'?"—N. Y. Sun.

A Fish Story.

"Trout protection! Nonsense!" said a gunner of local eminence. "Trout are amply able to protect themselves. Look at their depredations among ducks, for example, and you will agree with me that it's the birds that need protection. It's a common thing for a trout to jump from the water, seize a duck by the neck, drag the unfortunate fowl into the depths sufficiently to leave its feet sticking in the air, where it can get no purchase upon the universe, and thus drown it. Then the trout picks the feathers from the bird, eats it at its leisure and swims away out of the jurisdiction of the courts. Are there any fishermen? None? Too bad. This would be a match for one of their fish stories."

PUT RELIGIOUS DUTY SECOND.

Stern Laws of Business Come First, Says Austrian Court.

An interesting case at law, which centered on the observance of an old Jewish custom, was decided in Vienna recently. A merchant, says the American Israelite, discharged a clerk on account of neglect of duty. Among the charges against him was that he came to the store late in the morning because he attended service at the synagogue in order to say Kaddish—the prayer for the dead—for his father. The clerk argued that it was his privilege and his duty to say the prayer for his departed father, while the merchant, who was also a religious man, maintained that "if Moses had known that a man had to pay 8,000 gulden a year rent he would have made different laws." The judge would not allow such an argument, but decided in favor of the merchant, "because the daily attendance at the synagogue could not be considered the right of the clerk without the consent of the employer."

FRIENDS HELP

St. Paul Park Incident.

"After drinking coffee for breakfast I always felt languid and dull, having no ambition to get to my morning duties. Then in about an hour or so a weak, nervous derangement of the heart and stomach would come over me with such force I would frequently have to lie down.

"At other times I had severe headaches; stomach finally became affected and digestion so impaired that I had serious chronic dyspepsia and constipation. A lady, for many years State President of the W. C. T. U., told me she had been greatly benefited by quitting coffee and using Postum Food Coffee; she was troubled for years with asthma. She said it was no cross to quit coffee when she found she could have as delicious an article as Postum.

"Another lady, who had been troubled with chronic dyspepsia for years, found immediate relief on ceasing coffee and beginning Postum twice a day. She was wholly cured. Still another friend told me that Postum Food Coffee was a Godsend to her, her heart trouble having been relieved after leaving off coffee and taking Postum.

"So many such cases came to my notice that I concluded coffee was the cause of my trouble and I quit and took up Postum. I am more than pleased to say that my days of trouble have disappeared. I am well and happy." "There's a Reason." Read **"The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.**

SEEDING COMMENCED IN WESTERN CANADA.

The Prospects for a Large Acreage to Be Sown in Wheat.

St. Paul, April 24, 1907.—Word has been received at the office of the Canadian Government in St. Paul that seeding has commenced at various points throughout Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The heavy snowfall during the past winter has left the ground in splendid shape for successful seeding operations. The fine weather of the past few days has taken much of the frost out of the ground and during next week there will scarcely be a district in which the seeder is not being operated. The most optimistic conditions exist and in all districts the farmers are busy getting things in shape. There will be a very large acreage sown in spring wheat, oats and barley. At many points throughout the three provinces the newcomers are busy unloading their stock and effects, working night and day in order to get on their farms and become active agencies in the effort to make the year 1907 the banner year in grain producing in Western Canada. As compared with districts many hundred miles further south than this, it will be seen that Western Canada ranks amongst the first in the line of seeding operations for the present year. It is safe to say that farmers who get in their crop before the 20th or 24th of May, will receive magnificent returns. A number of those coming in this spring, who had not their land prepared last fall, will break up enough land to get in a crop of oats and barley and probably some flax. This, together with the vegetables they will plant, will give them ample food for themselves and stock during the coming summer and winter. These early seeding operations are not confined to one district, but are spread over a country 900 miles long by 400 miles in width.

The agents of the Canadian Government, located at different points throughout the United States, are busy giving information regarding the many new districts that are being made available for settlers. Low railway rates, information and literature are given on application to the agent, whose name appears in advertisement elsewhere in this paper.

ADVANTAGE A WIDOW HAS.

At Least They Don't Have to Sit and Watch Husband's Flirt.

"I saw such a pretty woman at a disadvantage the other night," the little real widow was saying. "She was married. She was sitting at a table with some other pretty women and handsome men and her husband. Her husband began to flirt outrageously with one of the women. I wish you could have seen the look that came over her face. Everybody in the room saw how distressed she was.

"Now, what I want to know is this. Why didn't she go to work and flirt with one of the handsome men to get even? Anyone of them was quite ready and willing, but, no, wives never seem to be able to do that. They just sit ready to cry, with everybody noticing.

"That's the advantage we real widows have over wives. We don't have to sit and watch our husbands flirting with other women. We know where they are, and we also know that whatever they may chance to be doing, they are probably not flirting."

FAMILY'S SKIN TROUBLES.

Eczema, Heat Rash, and Scalp Affections Afflict Different Members, But Cuticura Cures Them.

"My wife had eczema for five or six years. It was on her face and would come and go. We thought we would give the Cuticura Remedies a trial.. We did so and she has never had a sign of eczema for four years. I myself used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment some time ago for falling hair. I now have a very heavy head of hair. We used Cuticura Remedies for our baby, who was nearly bald when young. She has very nice hair now. She is very fleshy, and we had so much trouble with heat that we would bathe her with Cuticura Soap and then apply Cuticura Ointment, it would dry the heat up so much quicker than anything else. Mr. H. B. Springmire, 323 So. Capitol Street, Iowa City, Ia., July 16, 1905, and Sept. 16, 1906."

No Cause for Alarm.

The honeymoon had bumped the humps.

"You know, John," said the young wife, "that I used to be your typewriter."

"Um—yes," grunted John.

"Well," she continued, "I wish you would discharge the girl you have now and hire a man in her place."

"Huh!" rejoined hubby. "I hope you don't think I would make a fool of myself twice in the same way."

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Governess (in Smart Set family)—Why, how loving you children are! Such affection between brother and sister is delightful to see.

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The easiest way to interest a woman in a one-dollar article is to mark it down from $1.50 to $1.29.

For Prices on Poultry,
either live or dressed, write R. E. Cobb, St. Paul, Minn.

It goes without saying that a talking machine does not say without going.

We Pay Top Price for Cream.
Cash every day. Write for prices and tags. Miller & Holmes, St. Paul, Minn.

Learning without thought is labor lost; thought without labor is perilous.—Confucius.

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This year's convention of the American Federation of Catholic societies will be held in Indianapolis, July 14 to 17.

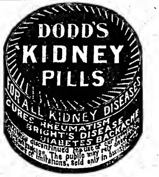
It Cures While You Walk.
Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous, and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

The Tokio Nichi Nichi remarks that "one day's pay for an American workman in San Francisco represents a fair monthly stipend for a Japanese."

Garfield Tea, Nature's Remedy, brings relief from many ailments; it overcomes constipation, regulates the liver and kidneys, purifies the blood and clears the complexion. It is made of Herbs, and is absolutely Pure.

Immense African Dry-Dock.

At Port Florence, on the shore of the great lake Victoria, which is the chief source of the Nile, there is a dry-dock cut out of solid rock by natives who had never before done much serious work. The dock is 250 feet long, 48 feet wide and 14 feet deep. It is 3,700 feet above the level of the sea, or nearly three times the altitude of Lake Chautauqua.



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No article is more useful about the stable than Mica Axle Grease. Put a little on the spindles before you "hook up"—it will help the horse, and bring the load home quicker.

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wears well—better than any other grease. Coats the axle with a hard, smooth surface of powdered mica which reduces friction. Ask the dealer for Mica Axle Grease.
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Sporting Gossip.

The season of 1907 promises to be the most successful in baseball history. There are more professional clubs under the national agreement, which is the supreme government of baseball today, than at any time since the league consisted of eight clubs, 40 years ago. Listed under the head of the legitimate there are 30 professional baseball leagues throughout the United States, and these will average seven clubs to the league. That gives us 210 professional baseball clubs to entertain the sport loving people from the cosmopolitan cities to the small hamlet. These clubs will try out and employ regularly 20 players during the season. That means that 1,200 professional ball players are on the pay roll of the various clubs, and through the support of the public $[illegible],000, or nearly $1,000,000, is paid out to the boys and men throughout the country, who can dexterously catch and hit a ball. Aside from the professional players so listed, there are hundreds of semi-professional leagues, in which the players receive salaries ranging from $50 to $100 a month. If it were possible to reach anything like an accurate aggregate of the money paid out in this way, it is very likely that the salaries paid to ball players would easily reach $1,500,000. This year the Tri-State league and other small organizations have been brought into the "legitimate" baseball fold, and in nearly every city of the United States preparations are being made for a prosperous season. New stands are being built in nearly all the minor league cities, and the towns which could formerly present nothing more than a skinned diamond have gardeners at work laying sod for a grass field. Moreover, a pride in the general appearance of baseball fields has entered the entire country, and in a few years the unpretentious baseball parks will resemble public parks, so great has been the tendency toward the artistic and beautiful.

Walter Clarkson in 1901 played his first season as a professional. He signed with the New York American club in 1904 and joined the team after the close of the college term in June. In addition to being the captain of the Harvard team Clarkson had for four years been the best pitcher in college. In his four years he only lost five games—three to Princeton and one each to Georgetown and Williams. He did not prove the phenomenal pitcher his over-enthusiastic friends expected him to be in the American league, and was farmed out to the Jersey City club for 1905. That season he made such a creditable record that he was recalled by New York for further major league trial. In the latter part of the 1906 season he came to the front and did such good work that he aroused hopes of developing into a permanent fixture on New York's pitching staff for 1907.

Walter Clarkson.

"The Cleveland club," said Ned Hanlon the other day, "reminds me altogether too much of the old Philadelphia team, which had big Ed Delehanty, Lajoie, Flick and other great batsmen. The Quakers always started off at a great clip, threatening all kinds of things. But they never finished anywhere.

"Why? Because, in midsummer, when the crack pitchers of the opposing clubs in the league had rounded into shape and were going along at their best, the heavy hitters of the Philadelphia club were at a disadvantage, and they had nothing to fall back on. In modern baseball, pure and simple slugging will not carry any team through a season to a final victory. There will always be some pitchers that the sluggers cannot hit consecutively. Then the team to win must fall back on team work.

"I take it that the Cleveland club, like the old Quakers, has no resource in reserve. When its policy of straight, hard hitting does not avail, it is all at sea. The old Philadelphia club was supposed to be the strongest in the league, and it was so, in pure mechanical ability, but it never won any pennants. For the same reason I do not believe that Cleveland will be able to capture the American league flag this season, or any other, so long as nothing but straightaway baseball is relied on."

EITHER WAY.

A traveler lately returned from Ireland has a story illustrating the ready wit of the Irishmen. An old gardener, meeting his employer, touched his finger to the tip of his cap and said:

"Good morning, yer honor, oi had a fine dreme of ye last night."

"Indeed, Michael!" remarked the employer. "What was the dreem?"

"Oi dreamed that ye gave me a fine box o' tobaccy, an' that her ladyship, yer honored wife, gave me a bumble wife a can o' th' best tay."

"Ah, Michael, but you know dreams always go by contraries."

"Thin," said Michael, "maybe ye'll be after givin' me wife th' tobaccy an' her ladyship 'll give me th' tay."—Harper's Weekly.

GETTING RID OF IT.

Mr. Flubdub—What's the use of keeping that old umbrella around? It's no good.

Mrs. Fubdub—All right. I'll lend it to somebody.—Philadelphia Press.

His One Joke.

My Uncle John with joy will fill
With this one witty sally:
"I know a man whose name is Hill—
Of course he has a valet."
—Judge.

No Cause for Alarm.

The honeymoon had bumped the bumps.

"You know, John," said the young wife, "that I used to be your typewriter?"

"I'm—yes," grunted John.

"Well," she continued, "I wish you would discharge the girl you have now and hire a man in her place."

"Huh!" rejoined hubby. "I hope you don't think I would make a fool of myself twice in the same way."—Chicago Daily News.

Still in a Pout.

"Well," said he, anxious to make up their quarrel of yesterday, "aren't you curious to know what's in this parcel?"

"Not very," replied his wife, indifferently.

"Well, it's something for the one I love best in the world."

"Ah! I suppose it's those new collars you said you needed."

Strictly Technical.

"Isn't that patient of yours an all-around athlete?"

"Yes, and his afflictions are entirely consistent."

"What do you mean?"

"He has a running sore, a jumping toothache and a fighting chance to get rid of both."—Baltimore American.

A Success.

"Has the social season been a success?"

"To some extent," answered Mr. Cumrox. "I should judge that the money I put into it was enough to guarantee it against being a financial failure."—Washington Star.

His All.

Rambling Waggles—I was robbed last night, and I reckon that about 53 articles were stolen from me. Everything I had in the world.

Policeman—Fifty-three articles?

Rambling Waggles—Yes, a pack of cards and a corkscrew.

Dissatisfied Heir.

"Your ailment," remarked the physician, "is merely one of the ills that flesh is heir to."

"Yes, I suppose so," rejoined the patient. "By the way, doctor, what are your charges for breaking a will?"—Chicago Daily News.

No Health There.

Mrs. De Fashion—So you were at Health Springs during the summer. How did you like it?

Mrs. De Style—Well, the place is pretty enough, but I didn't think much of the water. It didn't taste bad at all.—N. Y. Weekly.

That Might Be.

"Who is that man?"

"He's an alienist."

"I wonder why they call them that?"

"I guess it's because their views are so alien to fact and reason."—Baltimore American.

Highly Improbable.

Editor—I wish I knew what our lady readers want.

Assistant—Why don't you send out a circular letter and ask them?

Editor—Great heavens, man, do you suppose they know?"—Puck.

On Some Vessels.

"A ship's officer must be very alert these days," remarked the traveler.

"Yes," answered the old salt; "a man has to be pretty quick to beat the passengers to the boats in case of accident."—Washington Star.

TEN YEARS OF PAIN.

Unable to Do Even Housework Because of Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clinton St., Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from kidney troubles. My back pained me terribly. Every turn or move caused sharp, shooting pains. My eyesight was poor, dark spots appeared before me, and I had dizzy spells. For ten years I could not do housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me quick relief, and finally cured me. They saved my life."

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"That vessel was the Colorado, and it landed in Hongkong in 1869. It was the first day of January, and there was a big crowd of people of all nationalities to see her. Being a side-wheeler of the old-fashioned type, she was a curiosity. At the request of Isaac J. Allen, the American consul general, the ship gave an excursion around the island on which the city is situated. I was among the 1,200 on board. It was a gala day. Whistles blew, people shouted, and numerous small sailing boats and tugs escorted us.

"As I remember now, the vessel belonged to the Pacific Mail Line and called from San Francisco. She made the trip of 8,000 miles in 30 days, and when she arrived was in perfect trim and good order. Everybody realized that it means the beginning of the great development of the Pacific."

Justified.

"You are charged with having knocked your wife down, blacking her eyes and loosening two of her teeth. Have you anything to say for yourself?"

"She had it comin' to her, yer honor."

"What did she do or say that could in any way justify such treatment on your part?"

"She said I didn't love her no more."—Houston Post.

Her Chief Worry.

"Well, poor girl," said Mrs. Merryet, "you have been married just long enough now to begin to experience your husband's shortcomings."

"Yes," replied young Mrs. Galley, "but his short-comings don't bother me as much as his long goings and stayings."

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INDIANA PEOPLE IN WESTERN CANADA.

What Shall We Do?—I've Got to Build Granaries.

A letter written to a Canadian Government agent from Tipton, Indiana, is but one of many similar that are in the hands of the Canadian government agents whose privilege it is to offer one hundred and sixty acres of land free, and low railway fares. But here is a copy of the letter:

"Tipton, Ind., Nov. 28, 1905.

"At your earnest solicitation a party of us from Tipton left May 15 for Western Canada. Our interviews with you and a careful study of your literature led us to expect great things of your country when we should arrive there, and we were not disappointed. We went prepared to make a careful examination of the country and its resources, and we did so. At early dawn the second morning out of Tipton we awoke in a new world. As far as the eye could reach was an apparently limitless expanse of new sown wheat and prairie grasses. The vivid green of the wheat just beginning to stool out, and the inky blackness of the soil contrasted in a way beautiful to see. An hour or two later we steamed into Winnipeg. Here we found a number of surprises. A hundred thousand souls well housed, with every convenience that goes to make a modern up-to-date city—banks, hotels, newspapers, stores, electric light, street railways, sewerage, waterworks, asphalt pavements, everything. With eyes and ears open we traveled for two thousand miles through Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, going out over the Canadian Pacific railway, via Calgary to Edmonton, and returning to Winnipeg over the Canadian Northern railway. In the meantime we made several side trips and stopped off at a number of points where we made drives into the surrounding country. On every hand were evidences of prosperity. The growing wheat, oats, rye, flax, barley, not little patches, but great fields, many of them a square mile in extent; the three, five and sometimes seven-horse teams laying over an inky black ribbon of yellow stubble, generally in furrows straight as gun barrels and at right angles from the roads stretching into the distance, contrasted strangely with our little fields at home. The towns both large and small were doubly conspicuous, made so, first by their newness and second by the towering elevators necessary to hold the immense crops of wheat grown in the immediate neighborhood.

The newness, the thrift, the hustle, the sound of saw and hammer, the tents housing owners of buildings in various stages of completion, the piles of household effects and agricultural implements at the railway stations waiting to be hauled out to the "Claims," the occasional steam plow turning its twenty or thirty acres a day, the sod house, the unpainted house of wood, the up-to-date modern residence with large red barn by, all these were seen everywhere we went, an earnest of prosperity and wealth to be. We talked with men and visited their places that four years ago was unbroken prairie. Their houses, barns, implements and live stock were the equal of anything in Tipton County, and why not, when they were raising five, ten and twenty, yes, in one instance, forty thousand bushels of wheat a year. The fact that such large yields of wheat are raised so easily and so surely impressed us very favorably. And when we saw men who four or five years ago commenced there with two or three thousand dollars, and were now as well fixed and making money much easier and many times faster than lots of our acquaintances on Indiana farms fifty years cleared and valued at four times as much, we decided to invest. So we bought in partnership a little over two thousand acres, some of it improved and in wheat.

Before leaving Indiana we agreed that if the opportunities were as great as they were represented to be, that we would buy, and own in partnership a body of land, and leave one of our number to look after and operate it. This we accordingly did.

Just before time to thresh I received a letter from him. "What shall we do?" said he; "I've got to build granaries. There's so much wheat that the railways are just swamped. We can't get cars and the elevators are all full. I never saw anything like it." In reply we wrote, "Good for you. Go ahead and build; your story sounds better than the letters we used to get from our friends in Kansas when they bewailed the fact that the hard wheat had been destroyed by the chinch bugs and the corn by hot winds, and that they must sell the stock for means to live on. Yes, build by all means." And he did, and our wheat put in by a renter made twenty-seven bushels per acre.

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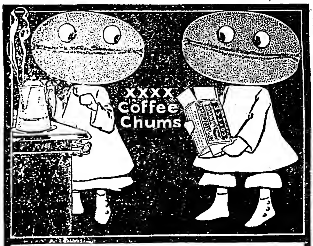

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Badger

D. Champeau drove to Terrehonne Saturday on a business mission.

Mrs. Dan Boyd accompanied by Miss Aurore Ducharme, transacted business at the Falls last Friday.

Henry Laurent of Terrebonne accompanied by Anna Quesnell of this place, spent Sunday as guests at the Stephen Quesnell home at Lich Pitack.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry called at the Havens home Sunday afternoon.

Messrs. Adelard Laurent and Dolphis Champeau and wives and Miss Cora Laurent visited at the home of Joseph Laurent of Terrebonne Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Damasse Lachance entertained a number of friends at their home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adelard Champeau and daughter, Miss Mildred spent Sunday evening at the A. Laurent home.

Philip Demerais and lady attended mass at Red Lake Falls Sunday and visited with relatives the remainder of the day.

BRAY.

Gust Dahlen drove to St. Hilaire Friday.

Mike Ault has been busy during the past week engaging cattle for his herd during the summer.

A cream station has been established at Emil Larson's place and most of the farmers of this vicinity have started to haul their cream.

Miss Clare Limhlom was at St. Hilaire Monday.

Charley Eckstein and Henry Schneider of Wylie were in Bray Sunday.

The boys around here have started practicing baseball now.

The town board went around the township Thursday looking over the pieces of road which will need fixing during the summer.

E. J. Akerlund made a trih to Hill Top last Sunday.

CITATION FOR HEARING ON FINAL ACCOUNT AND FOR DISTRIBUTION.

ESTATE OF ANDREW R. PETERSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Andrew R. Peterson, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota to Mathilda Krane, August R. Peterson and Claus Peterson, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 18th day of May, 1907, at 9 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 23rd day of April, 1907.

(Seal) —N. W. TARRANT,
J. K. Hannay. Probate Judge.

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Clerk of Court's Notice of Pendency of Petition.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Polk. }

Whereas the petition of J. B. Wichterman and others, bearing date of January——1907, praying for the establishment of a public drainage ditch along the route proposed therein has been filed in my office.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given of the pendency of said petition, and that the same will be heard and determined before the Hon. William Watts, a judge of the District Court of the 14th Judicial District in Minnesota, at his Chambers at the court house in the city of Crookston in said county on Saturday, the 25th day of May, A. D., 1907 at 10 o'clock a. m.

A true copy of said petition is as follows, to-wit:

PETITION FOR PUBLIC DITCH.

To the Judge of the District Court, of 14th Judicial District, State of Minnesota:

The undersigned land owners whose lands will be liable to be affected by, or assessed for, the expense of the construction of the public ditch hereinafter described, would respectfully represent that the public health, convenience and welfare and the reclamation of wet and overflowed lands require the establishment and construction of a public ditch along the following described route in the towns of Gully, Chester, in Polk Co., and town of Lambert, in County of Red Lake and that the construction of the same would be of public benefit and utility.

A general description of the proposed starting point and terminus of said ditch is as follows: Commencing at a point at the quarter corner between sections 23 and 24, township 150, N. Range 39, W. and running due west following the quarter line thru the center of sections 23, 22, 21, 20 and 19 in said township 150 N. Range 39, W. thence due west following the quarter line thru the center of sections 24, 23, 22, 21 and 20 in Township 150, N. Range 40, W. until it reaches the quarter corner between sections 20 and 19 of said township 150, N. Range 40, W. thence in a northwesterly direction across the N. E. ¼ of section 19, said township and range, until it reaches the quarter corner between sections 19 and 18 of said township and range, thence in a northwesterly direction across the west half of section 18 and said township and range, entering Red Lake County ditch known as Lambert ditch No. 1, near the corner common to sections 7 and 18, T. 150, N. Range 40, W. and sections 12 and 13, T. 150 N. Range 41 W. thence following down this said Lambert ditch No. 1, to a point in said ditch where said ditch has sufficient capacity to properly carry such waters as may be brought in by said proposed ditch taking its outlet therein.

And your petitioners pray that you will proceed to establish such public ditch and cause the same to be constructed as provided by Chapter Two Hundred Thirty (230), of the General Laws of Minnesota for 1905.

Dated this 30th day of April, A. D. 1907. —W. A. LANCTOT,
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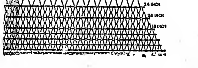

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County Surveyor J. K. Wood came down from Thief River Falls Monday evening to do some work at the court house.

L. P. Berthon returned home Saturday morning from his ten days' business visit at Chicago and the Twin Cities. His partner, J. B. Armstrong, who joined him in Chicago stopped off in Minneapolis on the return trip to take in the convention of Knights of Pythias and look after some other matters. He is expected home tomorrow.

It was feared for some time yesterday afternoon that the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Tarrant had wandered away from home and fallen into the river aud was drowned. A diligent search was made thru the brush and along the riverside, finally discovered sleeping on the sand under the Klondyke bridge.

The work of grading the race track and base ball field for the tournament was commenced yesterday morning. Surveyor Wood was out and surveyed the track and then teams and men were put to work at plowing and grading. The committee intend to put forth every effort possible to make it one of the best race tracks in the association, and by the time the tournament opens it will be in tip top condition.

The rear of the small drive of logs for the Grand Forks mill passed thru here Sunday, and a large number of townspeople went down to see the wanagan "jump the dam." As soon as Foreman Sullivan gets the drive in boom at Grand Forks he will proceed to Red Lake, where he will start down the big drive of the year. Strange as it may appear the water in the Red Lake river is lower at present than it has been at this season for several years past, and the drivers have found it slow work to keep the logs moving.

Ovide Cailler, of Gentilly township, Polk county, and Miss Eva Benoit, daughter of Mrs. H. Benoit, of this, were married at St. Joseph's church Sunday afternoon at three o'clock by the Rev. Father Fayolle, in the presence of the members of the families. In the evening a wedding reception and feast was held at the A. L. Roy home, and the young people were showered with congratulations. They left on the evening train Monday for Crookston and will reside on a farm near that place with an uncle of the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Eickhoff of Crookston announce the engagement of their daughter, Flora Wilhelmina Eickhoff, to J. Arthur Williams of Grand Forks. The wedding will take place Monday afternoon, June the third, at four o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, 510 Front street. Miss Eickhoff, who is a sister of Mrs. Arthur Zaiser of this city, is one of Crookston's most popular girls and there is much regret expressed over the fact that we are about to lose her from our community. Miss Eickhoff has been employed as bookkeeber for the Singer Sewing Machine company, for the past two years. Mr. Williams is an express agent at Grand Forks. The young couple are planning on taking a wedding trip and will be "at home" after July 10th at 410 Seventh avenue and Chestnut street, Grand Forks. There will be a little entertainment in Miss Eickhoff's honor during the next few weeks.

Musicale Program

The following program will be given by the music class of Sr. Cecilia, at the Metropolitan opera house, Monday evening, May 20th.

Opening Chorus..............................Glover
Class—"Gathering Flowers in May."
Duet............................Dellbes
"Pizzicati"
Cora Paul, Leah Latendresse
Solo..............................Mathews
(a) "Vesper Hymn"
(b) "Melody"
Donald Marshall
Solo.............. "March" .... Hale
Hazel Bourdon
Duet...... "The First Ball" .. ...Streabbog
Dora and Ervey Toupin
Solo.... "O'er Hill and Dale ......Bergthal
Rosalba Lemieux
Solo......... "To the Fairest" ....Petri
Gerda Floan
Song..................................Metzle
"Welcome Merry Springtime"
Rosalba Lemieux, Emma Hance.
Solo.... "Sweet Remembrance" ...Pratt
Kathleen Spillane
Recitation, "How Tommy Raised the Wind."
Maurice Brunelle
Solo.. "Gleaming Star of Heaven" ..Wurtele
Ethel Bourdon
Song ..... "I'm a Hunter Free" .....Reyloff
Ervey Toupin
Solo........ "Falling Waters" ....Truax.
Myrtle Armstrong
Duet........"Joyous Return".. ....Ringuet
Ethel Bourdon, Gerda Floan
Solo......................................
(a) "L'Avalanche"..........Heller
(b) "Valse"...............Engelmann
Igna Hanry
Mandolin and Guitars.............Waldman
"Little Fisherman"
Misses B. Lafreniere, Eva Beaudro.
Della Daleho
Solo...............“Air Varie" ....Kern
Lea Latendresse
Recitation.... "A White Lily" ....Wright
Lucy Mathias
Solo—(a) "Sounds of Springtime"... Wenzel
(b) "Venitian Gondolas"... ... Wachs
Alice Riechel
Vocal Trio.. "The Distant Chimes" ..Glover
Louise Paradis. Lea Latendresse
Monica Zeh
Solo...."Leybach's Fifth Nocturne"
Miss Eva Paradis
Solo...... "Flowers of Spring" ......LaFarge
Cora Paul
Duet........"Galop de Concert" ....Blake
Eva Paradis, Lea Latendresse
Accompanist—Eva Paradis.

There will be no reserved seats.

The Local Field---

Nightwatchman Lizee visited Plummer Monday.

Rev. Father Barris of Lambert was in the city Tuesday.

Big Joe Morisette was in from Plummer Monday night.

W. A. Schreiter was a business visitor at Thief River yesterday.

Mrs. G. Somers of Crookston is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Zaiser.

Fresh fancy cookies, a big stock just received at Freund's. Call in and see them.

V. M. Higinbotham attended to business matters in Brooks and Gentilly this week.

County Auditor J. B. O'Brien was a caller at St. Hilaire Friday, shaking hands with his old friends.

Mrs. C. L Grey, who is conducting a millinery store at St. Hilaire, spent Sunday with her daughter here.

Fred Craig, of East Grand Forks, general agent for the Duluth Brewing company, spent Tuesday in the city.

Miss Bertha Lafreniere went to Thief River Falls Saturday and remained until Monday evening with friends there.

George Singer, a prominent resident of Rhoda, on the reservation, spent Tuesday and yesterday here attending to business matters.

Clem Brunelle returned home Tuesday from Blackduck after spending a week there attending to business matters and visiting friends and relatives.

Fred Richards was in from Dorothy and spent Sunday with his many friends. Fred has only three more weeks of school, when he will return to spend the summer in Red Lake Falls.

Fred Zaiser left last Thursday evening for Royalton, near which place he has a grading contract on the new Soo line. Several men from here accompanied him, and they will put in the next few months slinging dirt in good shape.

Miss Mabel and Master Wilbur Gervais arrived Saturday from Olympia, Washington, to spend a month or more with their relatives and oldtime friends here. They are children of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gervais, formerly residents of this place, and their visit will undoubtedly be highly enjoyable.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will hold a business meeting at the church parlors. Wednesday, May 22nd, at 2:30 p.m. Every lady of the congregation is earnestly requested to be present as business of great importance will be transacted.

WANTED

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Marcus Johnson is in the city on business this week.

Register of Deeds Quist spent Sunday at Thief River Falls.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Drew Marshall came up from St. Paul yesterday for a week's visit at his home.

The Royal Neighbors will hold a meeting at their hall on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

James E. Ford arrived home Saturday morning from a several days' sojourn at the Twin Cities.

Julius Pleth and Oscar Carlson drove over from Plummer Friday and spent the day here on business.

Miss Bella Bray returned home Monday from a several days' visit with her grand parents at Grand Forks.

Miss Agnes Kelly returned to her home at Thief River Falls Saturday after a several days' visit with friends here

The following letter remains unclaimed in the postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending May 11, 1907: Jessie Perish.

James Egan left Monday evening for Dickinson, North Dakota, to spend a few days looking up some real estate deals he is interested in.

Geo. F. Hennings departed yesterday for Williston, N. D., where he will look after some business for the bank. He expects to return either Sunday or Monday.

A limited amount of timber to cut on shares. Also an amount to be grubbed and will give all the wood. Will take in cattle to pasture. Shorthorn bull for service. See S. L. Ely, sec. 14, town of Red Lake Falls.

The Gazette is in receipt of a letter from Frank Brouillet, at the Rochester hospital where he went to have an operation performed on his lip. Mr. Brouillet says he is getting along nicely, being in the hospital but four days. He will remain in Rochester for some time yet before returning home.

Last evening was the first time this season the running team of the fire department were able to get out and do any practicing, owing to the severity of the weather. They intend to put in every evening possible and by tournament time will be able to maintain the reputation they have so well established in previous years.

The Arizona Stockman says: "Dehorning calves is such a simple operation that it is difficult to explain why it is ever postponed until the calves are fully grown and the necessity arises for sawing them off. To dehorn, secure a pencil of caustic potash at a drug store. When the calf is three or four days old locate the little knot which indicates the young horn, wet it and rub it with the pencil, held in a gloved hand. That is all there is to the operation. It constitutes but a few minutes work and causes no pain to the animal.

N. J. St. Aubin was a caller in Crookston over Sunday.

Damon's Colored Musical Company. Opera house, June 4.

Merchant LaBissoniere spent last Friday night at Crookston.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Nap Miller was here from St. Hilaire over Sunday, guests of relatives and friends.

Attorney Frank A. Grady was a professional caller at Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Eickhoff, of Crookston, visited at the home of her daughter, Mrs Arthur Zaiser, yesterday.

Robt. Eitel of Marshall, Minn., was an arrival yesterday morning and will make an extended stay looking after his land interests here.

Carl Pochart of Marshall, Lyon county, who owns several farms in this neighborhood, has spent the past week here looking after his interests.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, June 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

Mike Keeley, an old Euclid boy, was killed in the Great Northern yards at Duluth, while doing some switching last Monday. He was a brother of Mark Keeley, conductor on the work train here last summer.

"Bad Bill" Ittner, of football fame, won added laurels last Saturday in the field meet between Minnesota and Nebraska. He won first place in the discus throw and second in the shot put, Weller of Nebraska winning first.

The Percheron stallion, Fred, weight 1700, will stand the season at Guerin Bros. barn. We also have a high grade Jack which will serve at our barn during the season. Anyone wishing horses castrated should give us a call. 31-4 —Guerin Bros.

"Where's that d—d fire shovel, Mary?" asked a Sycamore man to his wife as he entered the sitting room after a search for the implement. "I'll be d—d if I know, dear," she sweetly replied, and the lesson went home with such a distinct thud that he raised his right hand and swore off.

The six o'clock dinner given by Mrs. E. F. Marshall last Saturday evening was one of the prettiest, and most enjoyable affairs which has taken place in the city for some time. An elaborate seven course dinner was served for fourteen invited guests, seven ladies and seven gentlemen. At the conclusion of each course each gentleman was to move one seat to the right and was granted the privilege of talking, entertaining the ladies the best they knew how, not knowing what was in store for them. When the seven courses had been completed a voting contest was held among the lady guests to decide who of the gentlemen was the most entertaining. After the count of the votes H. H. Zaiser was awarded the prize, a novel match holder. A short program of songs and music was then indulged in. Those present were Misses Alice Coughlin, Etta Garceau, Ella Hansen, Mary Lamb, Louise Twinum, Eliza Trudo, Laura Detert aud Messrs. Dr. Watson, H. W. Anderson, Lee Healy, Sam E. Hunt, N. C. Schreiter, L. D. Padden and H. H. Zaiser.

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

[illegible] building in Kansas [illegible] by Rev. George [illegible] a tractor, was killed; [illegible] piano teacher, prob- [illegible] and 15 other persons [illegible] The property loss was [illegible]

Under adequate police protection, [illegible] were run for six miles in San Francisco the mob being kept back [illegible]. There was no shooting, [illegible] four men were injured.

Striking longshoremen in Brooklyn attacked strikebreakers and a bloody fight with the police ensued, many men being badly injured.

George B. Cox, former Republican leader in Ohio, came out for Taft for the presidential nomination, adding his advice that the party in Ohio secure harmony by nominating Foraker for the senate and A. L. Harris for governor.

Congressman H. A. Cooper withdrew from the senatorial race in Wisconsin.

[illegible] Wood at Boise overruled the [illegible] of Haywood's counsel for a [illegible] particulars and the way was [illegible] the beginning of the trial.

[illegible] G. Ross, former United States senator from Kansas, whose [illegible] President Andrew Johnson [illegible] impeachment, died at Albuquerque, N. M.

Attorney General Bonaparte recommended that John William January, alias Charles W. Anderson, be paroled July 19, 1907. The president approved the attorney general's recommendation.

The business section of Barnesboro, Pa., was almost wiped out by a fire that members of the Black Hand were suspected of having started.

Tommy Burns, of Los Angeles, won the heavy-weight championship of the world from "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien before the Pacific Athletic club at Los Angeles, after 20 rounds of fighting that was for the most part a foot race.

The French steamer Poitou went ashore off the coast of Uruguay and many of her 300 passengers and crew jumped overboard in panic. It was believed about 100 were drowned.

H. Clay Pierce, head of the Waters-Pierce Oil company, surrendered himself in St. Louis on the indictment returned against him in Texas charging perjury, and was released on bonds.

Gov. Magoon appointed Cuban delegates to the second peace conference at The Hague as follows: Antonio De Bustamente, Gonzalo De Queseda, the Cuban minister to the United States, and Manuel Sangully. Ovestes Ferrera has been made secretary to the legation.

Shriners at Los Angeles selected St. Paul for the conclave of 1908, the dates being July 13 to 18.

The British government decided to give Jamaica $750,000 and guarantee a loan of $1,000,000 to assist the people of Kingston.

Twenty-five congressmen arrived at Honolulu on the transport Buford.

Mrs. Mary Vito and her mother, Mrs. Maria Brignoli, were literally slashed to pieces with razors in New York. Giovanni Vito, the husband of the younger woman, is under arrest charged with the crime.

Rev. Father George F. Arenth, 32 years old, rector of Holy Angels cathedral of St. Cloud, Minn., died at the St. Francis hospital in Pittsburg.

Lieut. Col. George Vincent Fosbery, inventor of the paradox gun, an automatic revolver, is dead in London.

Twenty-nine St. Louisans have been subpoenaed to appear before the federal grand jury at Denver, Col., to tell what they know of a supposed scheme to combine a large number of coal land claims under the control of some syndicate whose identity has not been publicly established.

Maj. Boykin, a negro officer, was shot and killed from ambush at Orange, Tex. Negroes are blamed for the affair, as well as for firing upon two white men seated on a stage.

Clyde St. Clair, son of a prominent citizen of Independence, Mo., was shot and killed by Van Tappan, his intimate friend. The two quarreled over a girl.

Civil and criminal suits will be brought against the grafters responsible for the Pennsylvania capitol scandal, by Attorney General Todd.

Seated on a couch beside her lover, Hattie Garree, of Lima, O., fatally shot herself with his revolver, because they had quarreled.

Mrs. Mary Hurley, of Winona, Minn., formerly prominent in society but for several years a recluse, was found dead.

The jury that heard the case against Victor Roland O'Shea, of Chicago, charged with killing his wife, disagreed and was discharged.

A pitched battle between strikebreakers in the uniforms of car inspectors and strikers and their sympathizers was fought in San Francisco for more than an hour. Eight men were shot, among them a policeman, and one of the wounded men died in the night.

A strike of employes of the Chicago & Joliet electric road was averted by concessions to the men.

Burglars blew three safes in Oliver, Ga., and escaped with considerable money.

The case against Mrs. Annie M. Bradley, who killed former Senator Arthur Brown, was continued at Washington until October 7. Her counsel said her defense would be insanity.

The will of the late James Henry Smith was made public in New York. The value of the estate is estimated at not more than $25,000,000. The widow is left $3,000,000 in lieu of her dower; all his nearest kin receive legacies and St. Luke's and the Orthopoedic hospitals, of New York, are given $100,000 each. His nephews, George Grant Mason and William Smith Mason, are the principal beneficiaries of the estate, receiving two-thirds and one-third, respectively, of the residue.

The North Coast Limited, eastbound train No. 22 on the Northern Pacific railway, was held up by two masked men near Welch's Spur, a siding 18 miles east of Butte, Mont. Engineer James Clow was shot and killed and Fireman James Sullivan was shot through the arm. Several suspects were arrested.

Garland Moore, who killed Clara West at Springfield, Mo., because she jilted him, was found guilty of murder in the second degree and sentenced to 25 years in the penitentiary.

Irvine L. Lenroot, of Superior, Wis., withdrew from the senatorial race without making any requests as to the future course of his followers.

"Lyndhurst," the pretentious home of Mrs. William Thaw in Pittsburg, Pa., has been mortgaged for $100,000. The mortgage was made some time ago. It is held by the Fidelity Title & Trust company and will mature in three years.

Indictments charging violation of the Elkins anti-rebating law were handed down by a federal grand jury in New York against the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad, the Ontario & Western railroad, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad and the Western Transit company.

Fire in the Woollensack building, Canal and Washington streets, Chicago, caused a property loss estimated at $275,000. Five men were injured by dropping from the lower end of a fire escape.

William A. Clark, Jr., youngest son of former Senator Clark, was married at Butte, Mont., to Mrs. Alice T. Medin, divorced wife of Marco J. Medin, a business man of Butte.

The life insurance companies intimate that they will withdraw from Texas when the new insurance law of that state becomes effective June 1.

Certain persons have voluntarily restored to the government between 1,000 and 2,000 acres of valuable coal lands in Colorado, acquired irregularly.

Four trainmen were killed, four others were injured and three passengers were hurt in a collision on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad near Wheeling, W. Va.

Excavation for the month of April in Culebra cut of the Panama canal amounted to 879,527 cubic yards, and at the Gatun lock site to 108,000 cubic yards.

Walter C. Davis, a San Francisco carpenter, went insane and murdered a family of six persons with whom he resided.

William O. Rice, a telegraph operator in Washington, after a quarrel killed his wife, shot his baby and committed suicide.

Alex R. Chisolm, former paying teller, charged with having embezzled $100,000 from the First National bank of Birmingham, Ala., was convicted and sentenced to ten years in prison.

The Irish bill, giving Ireland a certain measure of Self-government, was introduced in the house of commons by the chief secretary for Ireland, Mr. Birrell.

The town of Bocas del Toro, Panama, was practically destroyed by fire.

Charles Harris, a negro farm hand, who shot and seriously wounded Hayden Pearson, a farmer, at Dearing, Ga., was lynched by a crowd of 40 unmasked men.

The entire leper colony of D'Arcy Island, B. C., consisting of eight Chinese, has been sent back to China.

Charles E. Halliwell, vice president of the American Tobacco company, and one of the heaviest stockholders in the corporation, died suddenly of apoplexy at New York city. He was reputed to be worth $20,000,000.

Dr. John Watson ("Ian Maclaren") the noted author, clergyman and lecturer, died at Mount Pleasant, Ia., of an abscess in the ear, after an illness of two weeks.

Eleven of the 13 Italians who had been on trial at Wilkesbarre, Pa., charged with "Blackhand" crimes were declared guilty. The other two defendants were acquitted.

The body of Horace Marvin, Jr., which was found lying in a pool of water less than half a mile from where he was last seen playing on March 4, was interred in "Bay Meadow Lawn," on the Marvin farm, near Dover, Del. It is believed the lad wandered away and died of exhaustion.

Frederick W. Wertheimer, 34 years old, manager of the Hotel Fairfax, Norfolk, Va., committed suicide by shooting in his apartments in the Hotel York, New York. In a note to his wife he said he feared illness would drive him insane.

The Illinois house passed the new Chicago charter bill and the local option bill.

Seven battalions of Turkish troops, about 6,500 men, were practically annihilated in a battle with rebels in the province of Yemen, Turkish Arabia.

Gen. Juan Estrada, of the Nicaraguan army, was appointed commandant of Peurto Cortez, in place of the Honduran commandant.

Three thousand operatives of textile mills in the state of Orizaba, Mexico, went on strike and only a large force of rurales kept them from violence.

Ernest McPherson, aged 26, son of a prominent cotton manufacturer of Ontario, Canada, was drowned in the plunge at Gregson Springs, Mont.

George W. Sheppard, probably the largest man in the central states, weighing 535 pounds, died at Jacksonville, Ill., of paralysis. He was 51 years old.

Counsel for William Haywood, at Boise, Idaho, argued for a bill of particulars that would disclose the state's case, and were opposed by Senator Borah for the prosecution.

A storm of wind and rain which was general throughout a considerable area in northern Texas and which at some places assumed the proportions of a tornado, resulted in the loss of at least three lives, the injury of many other persons and great damage to property and crops. Several villages were wiped out.

A strike of 350 laborers in the Havemeyer Sugar Refining company's plant in Brooklyn was attended with some disturbance which the police reserves were called upon to quell.

A sanguinary quarrel between a band of Kabyles and a number of phosphate miners from the Methoula mine in Algerie resulted in the killing of 15 men and the wounding of many more.

Six men, alleged to be the leaders of the mob that lynched a negro at Sterrett, I. T., on March 31, were arrested at Durant and Sterrett by the United States marshal and held for the grand jury without bail on the charge of murder.

James Leftwich, a wealthy cattleman of Loco, I. T., and candidate for state senator on the Democratic ticket, shot and killed T. J. Clark, also a wealthy cattleman, as the result of a feud.

Allie Beeson, 16 years old, daughter of a farmer living near Cassville, Mo., was rendered unconscious by falling hail, and may die.

Rev. Henry Bryant, a colored preacher of Bridgeport, O., was killed in Grand Rapids, Mich., by a folding bed closing and breaking his neck.

The street car motormen and conductors of San Francisco struck for an eight-hour day and a flat wage of three dollars. The company announced that it would operate its cars with nonunion crews, calling on the authorities for protection if necessary.

Max Francis Klepper, artist and illustrator, died at his home at Flatbush, N. Y. He was an animal painter of note, 46 years old.

Miss Harriett T. Haskell, for 40 years head of Monticello seminary for young ladies at Godfrey, Ill., died of heart trouble, aged 72.

Dr. George Collins, a young physician of Cincinnati, on his way to that city to be married, died in a Pullman car of a north-bound train at Montgomery, Ala.

A dispatch from Klamath Falls, Ore., says Count Otto von Walderstein, who was reported killed at Willows, Cal., is alive and well at Klamath Falls.

Three children named Dominique were burned to death in Blind River, Mich.

Fire in the printing plant of the Blanchard Press New York, did $125,000 damage.

The trial of three former employes of the Shelby Steel Tube company, charged with conspiracy to defraud the government by supplying defective boiler tubes for war vessels, was begun in Pittsburg. One of the defendants pleaded guilty and turned state's evidence.

Theodore Nemoyer brought suit against the Chicago-New York Electric Air Line Railway company in Chicago, to enjoin it from doing business in Illinois, and asking an accounting and the appointment of a receiver.

More than 100 Italians in Buffalo, N. Y., attacked a motorman who ran his car through a parade, and were routed by a score of police after a bloody battle.

Ten persons were injured when a Santa Fe passenger train was derailed at Norborne, Mo.

In a letter read before the Central Federated Union of New York, President Roosevelt stated that if evidence is submitted to him showing that there has been a miscarriage of justice for or against Moyer and Haywood, awaiting trial at Boise, Idaho, charged with the murder of former Gov. Steuenberg, he will bring such evidence to the attention of the attorney general for such action, if any, as it may be in the power of the federal authorities to take. The communication was the formal reply of the president to the committee of the union which called upon the president in Washington.

George B. Butler, portrait painter, died at his home, near Croton Falls, N. Y. He was in his seventieth year.

King Carlos of Portugal will visit Argentina after his trip to Brazil early next year, according to a cable dispatch from Lisbon.

Gen. J. K. Hudson, a prominent soldier and newspaper man of Topeka, Kan., died of heart failure.

A stubborn fire, 150 feet in the air, was successfully fought in the sixth and seventh stories of the porkhouse of the Schwartzechild & Sulzberger company, Chicago. The loss was about $100,000.

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PRICE AGREEMENTS AND BLACKLISTS PROHIBITED

Threats and Other Means of Enforcing Rates Barred—Must Not Discriminate or Publish Names—Injunction Is Perpetual.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 10.—The so-called "drug trust" was perpetually enjoined Thursday from continuing its operations by the entering of a decree in the United States circuit court for the district of Indiana on the complaint of the United States government filed by John B. Kealing, United States district attorney. The defendants, 92 in number, who are the members, officers, directors, agents and attorneys of the National Association of Retail Druggists, the National Wholesale Druggists 'association, tripartite proprietors, "blacklist manufacturers," "direct contract proprietors," "wholesale contract proprietors" and Charles C. Bombaugh, are perpetually enjoined from combining and conspiring to restrain trade in drugs, fix prices by agreement, blacklist retailers who cut prices, or to refuse to sell to any retailer on equal terms.

Blacklists Are Forbidden.

All publication of blacklists is forbidden and all contracts and agreements covered by the charges are declared void. The direct contract serial number plan is prohibited as well as the securing of the adoption of schedules for the sale of drugs.

Charles C. Bombaugh was charged in the bill of complaint with being engaged in printing and circulating lists called blacklists, which contained the names of druggists throughout the country who sold proprietary articles and medicines at prices less than those which the alleged combination ordered.

As charged, he would send a list each month to every retail and wholesale druggist in the United States who belonged to the association of those accused of cutting prices and as a result of this these "aggressive cutters," as they were called, could not buy goods.

It was further charged that those accused of cutting prices on proprietary medicines were unable to purchase any kinds of drugs from the members of the several associations. All such practices are perpetually enjoined.

Hits "Direct Contract" Men.

The "direct contract proprietors" are enjoined from continuing the direct contract serial plan and from cooperating with any of the other defendants in carrying out such a plan. They are enjoined from requiring any dealer from entering into a contract restraining trade in the articles of their manufacture and from placing serial numbers on the retail packages for the purpose of keeping records and tracing sales and from requiring the vendee to keep records of and report sale by serial numbers. All acts tending to restrict the free purchase of the articles or their manufacture are forbidden.

The same prohibitions are ordered against the "wholesale contract proprietors" and they are further enjoined from securing the adoption of schedules for the sale of the articles of their manufacture and of other articles in any market.

One Suit Is Dismissed.

Attorneys for William D. Freeman, a member of the "wholesale contract proprietors," at the last moment asked for further delay and wanted to proceed to trial. Special Counsel Charles W. Miller and Addison C. Harris for the government, in order to prevent postponement, dismissed the suit as to Freeman.

"We shall be able to take care of Mr. Freeman in another case," said Mr. Miller to the court. The decree was signed by Judge A. B. Anderson exactly one year from the filing of the suit by the government.

The decree entered Thursday was dictated by the government attorneys and agreed to by the defendants. With the entering of the decree the litigation came to an end with a complete victory for the government.

Seven Drowned In Wreck.

Montevideo, Uruguay, May 10.—An official report from the government authorities on the spot say that all the passengers, mostly French immigrants, of the French steamer Poitou, wrecked off San Jose Ignacio, were wrecked with the exception of 13. Seven of these are known to have been drowned and six are classed as missing.

Sues Railroad for $150,000.

Kansas City, Mo., May 10.—Attorneys for Jose V. Dorsal, Mexican consul in Kansas City, brought 15 suits in the circuit court Thursday against the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railway for damages aggregating $150,000 because of the death of 15 Mexican laborers killed in the railroad collision near Volland, Kas., Jan. 2, 1907.

William Vail Brokaw Dead.

New York, May 10.—William Vail Brokaw, member of the well-known firm of Brokaw Bros., died suddenly at his home in this city. Heart disease was the cause of his death. Mr. Brokaw was 75 years old and retired from active business three years ago.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Fish Substation.

Winona.—Winona is to have a government fish substation, and there is every reason to believe that it will be established early in the present summer. The decision to have the substation established here is due largely to the efforts of Congressman James A. Tawney, whose interest in the matter was awakened by the Winona County Fishermen's association.

Recently the federal commissioner sent R. S. Johnson, the superintendent of the fish hatchery at Manchester, Iowa, to Winona to make an investigation, and Mr. Johnson has reported favorably. Congressman Tawney has written to Commissioner Bowers, calling his attention to the favorable report, and to a promise of last winter. Definite action is expected soon.

This will be the only government substation in the state, and will be a great benefit to the state, as the small bass and pike saved and cared for here can be shipped to waters in different parts of the state or elsewhere. Samuel Fullerton of the state game and fish commission has expressed himself as delighted at the prospect of the establishment of the substation here, as he believes this is one of the best headquarters that could be found for work along the upper river, and for distribution.

A Vanished City.

Le Sueur.—Ottawa, Le Sueur county, Minn., is dead, vanished, gone, as a municipal corporation. At a vote of the citizens taken pursuant to law for the purpose of dissolving the corporation about four-fifths of the vote was to the affirmative.

"To be, or not to be," was the interrogation Ottawa put to itself, and when the votes had fallen as silently, chill and cold as the flakes of a belated snow storm that was whitening the earth outside, the deed of self-effacement was complete and Ottawa was no more forever.

Ottawa was one of the oldest towns in Minnesota. It was, in its lifetime, located where the pallid corse now lies, on a beautiful, tree-shaded, rock ribbed site on the banks of the Minnesota river, on the Omaha road, seventy miles south of the Twin Cities and twenty miles north of Mankato.

It had shops, creameries, quarries, a graded public school and similar things, but it was filled to overflowing with wandering and glibbering phantoms of the rudely dispelled dreams of greatness in the past.

Two Men Drowned.

St. Paul.—Fred Hill and Darwin Truax of St. Paul Park, in attempting to drive across the Rock Island bridge near Inver Grove when it was open, were drowned in the Mississippi river. The bridge had started to swing to allow a steamboat to pass down stream. When the bridge tender heard the vehicle approaching he rushed to the open gate, but the two men did not heed him and in the darkness they rushed to their death.

The first intimation that the family of either men received of the accident was the arrival of the horse, without carriage or harness, at the Hill home at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The horse had evidently swam to the shore, landing about half a mile below the bridge.

Mr. Hill was twenty-eight years of age and was a farmer living with his mother, Mrs. Abbie Hill, one mile northeast of St. Paul Park. Mr. Truax was a well digger, forty-five years old, well known in the country south of St. Paul. He was married and leaves five children.

Win Claim Filed in 1800.

St. Peter.—After the lapse of more than a century since the original claim accrued William Cox, Mrs. Irene Buell and Eugene Cox, children of the late E. St. Julien Cox, have received from the estate of their grandfather, a prominent figure in the Revolutionary war, checks representing their share of an allowance made by the United States government on account of their French spoliation claims. The Cox claim rested upon damages inflicted upon French war vessels in reprisal between 1793 and 1800 for alleged violations of treaty pledges made between the United States and France. Cox was the owner of several vessels that cruised against the French, and this is the second allowance the heirs have received.

NEWS NOTES.

Owatonna.—The annual meeting of the Steele county business men and farmers was in progress at the court house in this city, the meeting being conducted by the American Society of Equity. W. C. Webber of Rochester made an address on the conduct of business, and the management of up-to-date farms.

Mankato.—Health Officer Bjelland to-day suspended the order requiring that dogs be muzzled. It is considered that the danger of more cases of rabies developing is past.

Minneapolis.—Mrs. Patrick Gibbons 73 years old, of 503 Main street northeast, was probably fatally burned as the result of a lamp explosion in her home.

St. Peter.—Twenty young men at Gustavus Adolphus college have formed a debating society which is proving one of the most popular student organizations at the institution.

Butter Scoring.

Minneapolis.—The first scoring in the six months educational contest for buttermakers will take place June 1. Circulars announcing the dates of the scorings will be sent out in a day or two by E. K. Slater, dairy and food commissioner.

Several new features will be introduced in the contest this year. Butter will be scored in two classes, butter from whole milk creameries, and butter from hand separator cream. Butter arriving after the date set for the scoring will be given only a complimentary score. The butter this year will be shipped directly to the dairy and food department, where cold storage facilities have been provided.

Butter will be tested for moisture and a report of this will be made. That the buttermakers may know how they stand, a postal card will be mailed immediately after the scoring, and the complete card later. Inspectors J. C. Joslin and H. T. Sondergard will score the butter each month and will score separately and average the scores.

Girl of Three is Heroine.

Le Sueur.—President Carson N. Cosgrove, of the state agricultural society, reports the following remarkable act of Maysie, the three-year-old child of Frank Murphy, who is in charge of one of Mr. Cosgrove's farms. Maysie has a sister only 15 months old. During the temporary absence of the mother from the house the sister fell into a tub of water that was standing on the floor and disappeared beneath the surface. Instantly Maysie ran to the tub, plunged her hands into the water and drew the baby's head to the surface. Although she was unable to do more than this with her feeble strength, she held the child's face out of the water and screamed lustily for help, which soon came.

The Vicksburg Monument.

St. Paul.—Governor Johnson and his staff will leave on May 22 for Vicksburg, Miss., where they will take part in the dedication of Minnesota monuments May 24.

The monuments mark the location of the Third, Fourth and Fifth Minnesota volunteer infantry and the First Minnesota artillery in the seige, and have been erected under the direction of a commission consisting of General L. F. Hubbard, General C. C. Andrews and Thomas P. Wilson. One large shaft commemorates the Minnesota dead on the field, and markers show the ground attained by the different regiments in charges.

For the Battleship.

St. Paul.—Governor Johnson is being besieged by applications from jewelers who want to supply a silver service for the battleship Minnesota. Under the omnibus appropriation bill he is made dispenser of a $10,000 memorial for the battleship. The memorial may be of any form he chooses, but a silver service is the customary offering from a state that is sponsor for a battleship. The governor has taken no steps yet to make a selection.

Runs Down Handcar.

Duluth.—A locomotive running light on the Missabe road near Iron Junction on the Messaba range ran down a handcar on which were three men and one of them, John Johnson, received injuries from which he died in a hospital here. Christ Johnson sustained a crushed leg and he will be a hopeless cripple for life. Gus Gustafson, the other man, was not severely hurt. The men on the handcar inadvertantly put their vehicle on the wrong track.

NEWS NOTES.

St. Paul.—Railroads are figuring on new scheme to take place of mileage books, which are impracticable under new law.

Minneapolis.—The University of Minnesota baseball team lost the last game of the series with Winnipeg, Northern league team, the salaried men winning by a score of 6 to 1.

Winona.—Charles Ruppert, a retired farmer, formerly residing in the Waumandee valley in Wisconsin, but who makes his home in Winona and is reputed to be worth $100,000, was swindled out of $2,640 here on the old three-card monte game. He won all right, but the other fellows got the money.

Mankato.—State Auditor Iverson has made a change in the superintendent of the Minneopa State Park, naming W. R. Williams to succeed J. B. Hodge, who has held the position since the park was established. Mr. Williams has resided in the county for fifty years, and owns a farm adjoining the park. His selection receives general approval.

St. Paul.—West St. Paul adopted a home rule charter and elected city officers. The charter was adopted with 10 votes to spare, the total vote cast being 367, of which 263 were in favor of the adoption of the charter. The affirmative vote at the election is necessary for the adoption of the charter.

St. Paul.—Northern Pacific crop report shows that seeding is a couple of weeks late.

Minneapolis. Six months' educational contest for buttermakers will begin June 1.

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

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CHAPTER XXXI.—Continued.

When Follett came riding back that evening he saw that Prudence had been troubled. The candle-light showed something in her dark eyes and in the whitened corners of her mouth. He was moved to take her in his arms and soothe her as he had seen mothers do with some sorry little children. But instead of this he questioned her father sharply when their cornhusk mattresses had been put before either side of the fireplace for the night. The little man told him frankly the cause of her grief. There was something compelling in the other's way of asking questions. When the thing had been made plain, Follett looked at him indignantly.

"Do you mean to say that you let her go on thinking that about herself?"

"I told her that her father and mother had been rightly married."

"Did she think you were fooling her in some way?"

"I can't be sure—"

"She must have, or she wouldn't be so down in the mouth now. Why didn't you tell her the truth?"

"If only—if only she could go on thinking I am her father—only a little while—"

Follett spoke with the fling of a sudden resolution in his voice.

"Now, I'll tell you one thing, Mr. Man[illegible], something has got to be done by some one. I can't do it because I'm under a promise, and so I reckon you ought to!"

"In a little time! Oh, if you only knew how the knives cut me on every side and the fires burn all through me!"

"And think of the knives cutting the girl, making her believe she has to be ashamed of her mother. You go to sleep now, and try to lie quiet; there's not anything here to hurt you. But I tell you one thing—you've got to toe the mark."

CHAPTER XXXII.

[illegible] on Service in Box Canyon Is Suspended.

He waited with a new eagerness next day for their walk to the canyon. But Prudence, looking at him with eyes that sorrow was clouding, said that she could not go. He felt a sharp new resentment against the man who was letting her suffer rather than betray himself, and he again resolved that this man must be made to "toe the mark" to "take his needles," and that, meantime, the deceived girl must be effectually reassured. Something must be said to take away the hurt that was tugging at the corners of her smile to draw them down. To this end he pleaded with her not to deprive him of the day's lesson, especially as the time was now at hand when he must leave. And so ably did he word his appeal to her sense of duty that at last she consented to go.

Once in the canyon, however, where the pines had stored away the cool green of the night against the day's heat, she was glad she had come. Far better than being alone with that strange new hurt, was it to have beside her this friendly young man, who somehow made her feel as if it were right and safe to lean upon him, despite his unregenerate condition; and presently there, in the zeal of saving his soul, she was almost happy again.

Yet he seemed to-day to be impatient under the teaching, and more than once she felt that he was on the point of interrupting the lesson to some end of his own.

He seemed insufficiently impressed even with the knowledge of astronomy displayed by the prophets of the Book of Mormon, hearing, without a quiver of interest, that when at Joshua's command the sun seemed to stand still upon Gibeon and the moon in the valley of Ajalon, the real facts were that the earth merely paused in its revolutions upon its own axis and about the sun. Without a question he thus heard Ptolemy refuted and the discoveries of Copernicus anticipated [illegible] years before that investigator was born. He was indeed deplorably inattentive. She suspected, from the quick glances she gave him, that he had no understanding at all of what she read. Yet in this she did him injustice, for now she came to the passage: "They all did swear unto him that whoso should vary from the assistance which Akish desired should lose his head; and whoso should divulge whatsoever thing Akish should make known unto them should lose his life." This time he spoke up.

"There it is again—they don't mind lopping off heads. They were sure [illegible] men—don't you think so?"

As he went on talking she laid the book down and leaned back against the trunk of the big pine under which they sat. He seemed to be saying something that he had been revolving in his mind while she read.

"I'd hate to have you think you have been wasting your time on me this summer, but I'm afraid I'm just too downright unsanctified."

"Oh, don't say that!" she cried.

"I couldn't even join your church—" Her face became full of alarm.

"—only for just one thing;—I don't care very much for this having so many wives."

She was relieved at once. "If that's all—I don't approve of it myself. You wouldn't have to."

"Oh, that's what you say now—" he spoke with an air of shrewdness and suspicion—"but when I got in you'd throw up my duty to me constant about building up the kingdom. Oh, I know how it's done! I've heard your preachers talk enough."

"But it isn't necessary. I wouldn't—I don't think it would be at all nice of you."

He looked at her with warm sympathy. "You poor ignorant girl! Not to know your own religion! I read in that book there about this marrying business only the other day. Just hand me that one."

She handed him the "Book of Doctrine and Covenants," from which she had occasionally taught him the Lord's word, as revealed to Joseph Smith.

He Took Her Small Brown Hand In His.

The revelation on celestial marriage had never been among her selections. He turned to it now.

"Here, right in the very first of it—" and she heard, with a sinking heart—"'Therefore prepare thyself to receive and obey the instructions which I am about to give unto you; for all those who have this law revealed unto them must obey the same; for behold! I reveal unto you a new and everlasting covenant: and if ye abide not that covenant, then are ye damned, for no one can reject this covenant and be permitted to enter into my glory.'

"There, now!"

"I never read it," she faltered.

"And don't you know they preach in the tabernacle that anybody who rejects polygamy will be damned?"

"My father never preached that."

"Well, he knows it—ask him."

It was proving to be a hard day for her.

"Of course," he continued, "a new member coming into the church might think at first he could get along without so many wives. He might say: 'Well, now, I draw a line in this marrying business. I'll never take more than two or three wives, or maybe four.' He might even be so taken up with one lady that he'd say: 'I won't even marry a second wife—not for some time yet, that is—not for two or three years, till she begins to get kind of houseworn.' But then after he's taken his second, the others would come easy. Say he marries, first time, a tall, slim, dark girl,"—he looked at her musingly, while she gazed intently into the stream in front of them.

"—and then say he meets a little chit of a thing, kind of heavy-set like, with this light yellow hair and pretty light blue eyes, that he saw one Sunday at church—"

Her dark face was flushed now in pained wonder.

"—why then it's so easy to keep on and marry others, with the preachers all preaching it from the pulpit."

"But you wouldn't have to."

"No, you wouldn't have to marry anyone after the second—after this little blonde—but you'd have to marry her because it says here that you 'shall abide the law or ye shall be damned, saith the Lord God.'"

He pulled himself along the ground closer to her, and went on again in what seemed to be an extremity of doubt:

"Now, I don't want to be lost, and yet I don't want to have a whole lot of wives like Brigham or that old coot we see so often on the road. So what am I going to do? I might think I'd get along with three or four, but you never can tell what religion will do to a man when he really gets it."

He reached for her small brown hand that still held the Book of Mormon open on her lap, and took it in both his own. He went on, appealingly:

"Now, you try to tell me right—like as if I was your own brother—tell me as a sister. Try to put yourself in the place of the girl I'd marry first—no, don't; it seems more like your sister if I hold it this way—and try to think how she'd feel when I brought home my second. Would that be doing square by her? Wouldn't it sort of get her on the bark? But if I join your church and don't do that, I might as well be one of those low-down Free-will Baptists or Episcopals. Come, now, tell me true, letting on that you're my sister."

She had not looked at him since he began, nor did she now.

"Oh, I don't know—I don't know—it's all so mixed! I thought you could be saved without that."

"There is the word of God against me."

"I wouldn't want you to marry that way—if I were your sister."

"That's right now, try to feel like a sister. You wouldn't want me to have as many wives as those old codgers down there below, would you?"

"No—I'm sure you shouldn't have but one. Oh, you couldn't marry more than one, could you?" She turned her eyes for the first time upon him, and he saw that some inward warmth seemed to be melting them.

"Well, I'd hate to disappoint you if you were my sister, but there's the word of the Lord—"

"Oh, but could you anyway, even if you didn't have a sister, and there was no one but her to think of?"

He appeared to debate with himself cautiously.

"Well, now, I must say your teaching has taken a powerful hold on me this summer—" he reached under her arm and caught her other hand. "You've been like a sister to me, and made me think about these things pretty deep and serious. I don't know if I could get what you've taught me out of my mind or not."

"But how could you ever marry another wife?"

"Well, a man don't like to think he's going to the bad place when he dies, all on account of not marrying a few more times. It sort of takes the ambition out of him."

"Oh, it couldn't be right!"

"Well, now, I'll do as you say. Do I forget all these things you've been teaching me, and settle down with one wife—or do I come into the Kingdom and lash the cinches of my glory good and plenty by marrying whenever I get time to build a new end on the house, like old man Wright does?"

She was silent.

"Like a sister would tell a brother," he urged, with a tighter pressure of her two hands. But this seemed to recall another trouble to her mind.

"I—I'm not fit to be your sister—don't talk of it—you don't know—" Her voice broke, and he had to release her hand. Whereupon he put his own back up against the pine tree, reached his arm about her, and had her head upon his shoulder.

"There, there now!"

"But you don't know."

"Well, I do know—so just you straighten out that face. I do know, I tell you. Now, don't cry and I'll fix it all right, I promise you."

"But you don't even know what my trouble is."

"I do—it's about your father and mother—when they were married."

"How did you know?"

"I can't tell you now, but I will soon. Look here, you can believe what I tell you, can't you?"

"Yes, I can do that."

"Well, then, you listen. Your father and mother were married in the right way, and there wasn't a single bit of crookedness about it. I wouldn't tell you if I didn't know and couldn't prove it to you in a little while. Say, there's one of our wagon trains coming along here toward Salt Lake next Monday. It's coming out of its way on purpose to pick me up. I'll promise to have it proved to you by that time. Now, is that fair? Can you believe me?"

She looked up at him, her face bright again.

"Oh, I do believe you! You don't know how glad you make me. It was an awful thing—oh, you are a dear—" and full upon his lips she kissed the astounded young man, holding him fast with an arm about his neck. "You've made me all over new—I was feeling so wretched—and, of course, I can't see how you know anything about it, but I know you are telling the truth." Again she kissed him with the utmost cordiality. Then she stood up to arrange her hair, her face full of the joy of this assurance. The young man saw that she had forgotten both him and his religious perplexities, and he did not wish her to be entirely divested of concern for him at this moment.

"But how about me? Here I am, lost if I do and lost if I don't. You better sit down here again and see if there isn't some way I can get that crown of glory."

She sat down by him, instantly sobered from her own joy, and calmly gave him a hand to hold.

"Well, I'll tell you," she said, frankly. "You wait awhile. Don't do anything right away. I'll have to ask father." And then as he reached over to pick up the Book of Mormon—"No, let's not read any more to-day. Let's sit a little while and only think about things." She was so free from embarrassment that he began to doubt if he had been so very deeply clever, after all, in suggesting the relationship between them. But after she had mused awhile, she seemed to perceive for the first time that he was very earnestly holding both of her hands. She blushed, and suddenly withdrew them. Whereat he was more pleased than when she had passively let them lie. He approached the matter of salvation for himself once more.

"Of course, I can wait awhile for you to find out the rights of this thing, but I'm afraid I can't be baptized even if you tell me to be—even if you want me to obey the Lord and marry some pretty little light-complected, yellow-haired thing afterwards—after I'd married my first wife. Fact is, I don't believe I could. Probably I'd care so much for the first one that I'd have blinders on for all the other women in the world. She'd have me tied down with the red ribbon in her hair—" he touched the red ribbon in her own by way of illustration—"just like I can tie the biggest steer you ever saw with that little silk rug of mine—hold him, two hind legs and one fore, so he can't budge an inch. I'd just like to see some little, short, kind of plump, pretty yellow-haired thing come between us."

For an instant she looked such warm, almost indignant approval that he believed she was about to express an opinion of her own in the matter, but she stayed silent, looking away instead with a little movement of having swallowed something.

"And you, too, if you were my sister, do you think I'd want you married to a man who'd begin to look around for some one else as soon as he got you? No, sir—you deserve some decent young fellow who'd love you all to pieces day in and day out, and never so much as look at this little yellow-haired girl—even if she was almost as pretty as you."

But she was not to be led into rendering any hasty decision which might affect his eternal salvation. Moreover, she was embarrassed and disturbed.

"We must go," she said, rising before he could help her. When they had picked their way down to the mouth of the canyon, he walking behind her, she turned back and said: "Of course you could marry that little yellow-haired girl with the blue eyes first, the one you're thinking so much about—the little short, fat thing with a doll-baby face—"

But he only answered: "Oh, well, if you get me into your church it wouldn't make a bit of difference whether I took her first or second."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

No More Arguments for Him.

It was the blissful half-hour after dinner and a group of workmen were beguiling the time with an argument on some question or other.

An interesting deadlock had been reached when one of the men on the losing side turned to a mate, who had remained silent during the whole of the debate.

"'Ere, Bill," he said, 'you're pretty good at a argyment. Wot's your opinion?"

"I ain't a-goin' to say," said Bill. "I threshed the matter out afore with Dick Grey."

"Ah!" said the other, artfully, hoping to entice him into the fray, "and what did you arrive at?"

"Well, e-eventually," said Bill, "Dick 'e arrived at the orspital an' I arrived at the perlice station."—Stray Stories.

OLD WALL ROUND CITY

CAMPECHE, MEXICO, AS ROMANTIC AS ANCIENT SPAIN.

High Walls of the Once Important Seacoast Town of Yucatan Are as Strong To-day as When Finished in 1769.

Mexico City.—In stories of Unknown Mexico, which sweep in and out of one's view and bearing, there is here and there a touch that makes its lasting impression. Ancient Indians, long dead civilizations, and ruined abbeys all have their own peculiar interest, general in a way, but in the final analysis of chief interest to the archaeologist. But there are other tales of old Mexico which are calculated to thrill or at least interest every reader. Such a story would be that of a walled city, still such a city as it was when the walls were built, and now tinged with the romance of the old days which has been softened by imagination and the forgetting of unpleasant things. Here in Mexico is located at least one such city, and, probably without doubt, the possessor of the only ancient walls which still retain their shape, are still unbroken, and still serve in some measure as a part of the city's life. Campeche, the ancient capital of the penitentiary colony of Yucatan is to-day surrounded by the same walls which the Spanish garrisons of the vice-regal days erected in the substantial fashion of the past as a protection against marauding Indians and organized bands of Spanish and Mexican convicts.

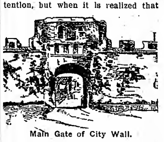
Campeche is one of the most interesting of hot country capitals. Once the great outlet of the rich peninsula of Yucatan, the city is now but little more than a quiet hot-country town.

Campeche is one of the oldest capitals of Mexico. Although the chief port of the criminal colony of Yucatan, the histories tell also of its exports of the riches of the tropics to the great ports of Europe. It was most prominent in the eyes of seamen as the last sight of Mexico, often of America, in the long trip across the Atlantic. As such, it was a port which was watched closely by the pirates who infested the sea in those days when the broad American waters were known as the "Spanish Main." To it came the rich Spanish galleons from Vera Cruz and Coatzacoalcos, and from it, with enriched cargoes, they sailed for Cuba and for Spain. It was a great city in those days, when the ships could come close into its shallow but well protected harbor, and as such it was well guarded and garrisoned.

The work on the wall was begun in 1692, and an inscription over the principal gate states that it was completed in 1769, having been 77 years in building. In form and walls spread over an irregular seven-sided polygon, with bastions at each of the corners, and massive octagonal forts at the water's edge. The walls are eight meters, or 26 feet high, and are four meters or 12½ feet thick, all of solid masonry, apparently as strong to-day as when they were built, with the exception of the four or five places where the walls have been thrown down to make way for roads communicating with the outside.

A moat, now almost obliterated, once surrounded the walls, and was an added protection from surprise. It is worthy of note that in the accounts presented to Carlos IV in 1769, the cost of the fortifications of Campeche are placed at $225,024.

As the only walled city in Mexico, Campeche demands a very special attention, but when it is realized that those walls are perfect, that their gray, softening grimness is real and not a stage effect, and that old Spain itself has no more romantic pictures than those to be found about those very walls, one feels that the sight is worth the long trip, and even worth the walks in the sun (though it is easy to let the sun convince one otherwise). The frowning bastions of the corners, where once protruded the old iron cannons which are now stuck muzzle-down in the corners of the gates, the forward walls of the main gate, where riflemen could pick off the parties of attacking Indians or convicts, and the rare old main gate itself, with its little lookout, the balcony windows from which the challenges once came, are all touches which one does not realize can be encountered anywhere but in Europe. Yet here in Campeche they stand, as romantic and silent and natural as though they had been built in the days of El Cid and not in the more prosaic epoch of Charles the Fourth, when walls were a questionable protection, and chivalry was of the type of Don Quixote.


Main Gate of City Wall.

ARMY VETERAN RETIRED.

Gen. Wade Has Served Country for Nearly 50 Years.

Washington.—Maj. Gen. James F. Wade was retired from active service a few days ago, having reached the age limit, 64 years. Forty-six years of this time he has devoted to the service of his country.

At the opening of the civil war he enlisted in the Twenty-ninth regiment, which was organized in this part of the state. Shortly afterward he was made first lieutenant in the Sixth United States cavalry. He was in active service through the entire war—serving for some time on Gen. Sheridan's staff, and also with Gen. Pleasonton. Toward the close of the war he was in command of the Fifth volunteer colored cavalry. He received many brevets for gallantry and was mustered out of the volunteer service April 15, 1866. He did not join his regiment, the Sixth United States cavalry, but took a leave, and while spending the summer in Jefferson, was offered a majority in the Ninth United States colored cavalry. He was with that regiment 13 years, serving most of the time in Texas and New Mexico.

GEN. JAMES F. WADE.
(Army Officer Recently Placed on the Retired List.)

In 1879 he was promoted to Lieut. Col. of the Eighteenth cavalry, and served with that regiment in Texas and Arizona, until 1887, when he was promoted to colonel of the Fifth cavalry, with service in the Indian Territory and Texas, until 1897, when he was made a brigadier general and placed in command of the department of Dakota, with headquarters at St. Paul, Minn. At the opening of the Spanish war he was made major general of volunteers and sent south to assist in the organization of troops, hoping and expecting that he would be sent to Cuba.

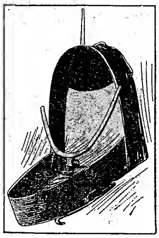
At the end of the war, he was mustered out of the volunteer service and returned to St. Paul. In 1901 he was ordered to the Philippines and served there nearly four years. During that time he was appointed major general in the regular army and was in command of the division of the Philippines for more than a year. Upon his return to the United States he was placed in command of the division of the Atlantic, headquarters on Governors Island, N. Y., for the remainder of his term of active service.

CRADLE ROCKED BY THE WIND.

The Gilyak Baby Is Put to Sleep in Odd Contrivance.

New York.—"The hand that rocks the cradle rules the world" has no significance among the Gilyaks, who live in the northern part of the Island of Saghalin. Their cradles are not rocked by hand. They are suspended instead from the swinging branches of trees outside in fine weather, just as they were in the days of Peter the Great. It is said that Russia's famous ruler was when a child rocked to sleep in a cradle of this kind, as shown in the accompanying picture.

The cradle of the Gilyak baby is made from pieces of bark bent to the required shape and fastened together by thongs of deerskin. There are a hood and two rings from which to suspend the cradle, but there are no rockers or springs.


A Wind Cradle.

On fine days the Gilyak mother suspends the cradle from the branch of a slender tree rocked by the wind and puts her baby to sleep there without having to do any cradle-rocking herself. In disagreeable weather it is different. The cradle is suspended from the rafters indoors.

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SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open wall. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (l'escado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

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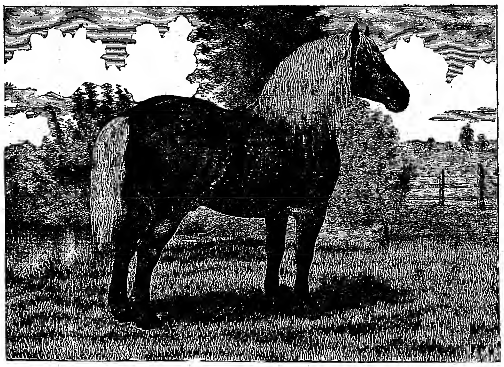

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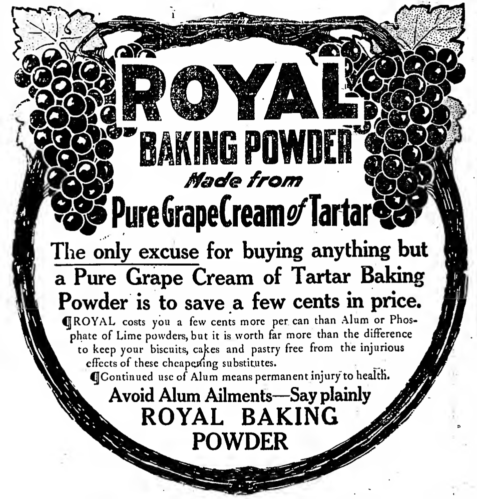

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END OF SCHOOL DAYS

Class of '07 in Active Preparation For Debut into the Real World

At the Metropolitan opera house, on Monday evening, June 3, will occur the annual commencement exercises of the Red Lake Falls high school, when six bright students, five maidens and one boy, will receive the sheep-skins they have so deligently toiled for.

The class of '07 has been an active one since their entry into high school work four years ago, and at the many stepping stones encountered as they have progressed toward the goal their conduct has been brilliant and decidedly pleasing to their friends.

The class week exercises will begin with the baccalaureate sermon at St. Joseph's church on the evening of Sunday, June 2, at 7:30, when the Rev. Father Fayolle will talk to the members of the class and the public on the importance of the life before them.

Monday evening, June 3, the commencement exercises will be held at the opera house when the class will appear in final program a fitting close to their school duties.

The date of the Junior banquet is Wednesday evening, June 5. The alumni will likely entertain the class of '07 during the week also.

The program for commencement night will be as follows:

(a) March......"Floating Along"
.........................Buffington
(b) Flower Song, "Tulips and and Pansies"......C. W. Bennet
Orchestra
Invocation.........................
Vocal Solo...............A. Strelezki
"Happy Days"
Miss Pauline Nieland
Salutatory....................Oration
"Lest We Forget"
Alice L. Ericson
Oration ..."Pursuit of Happiness"
Paul T. Brunelle
Saxaphone Solo..........Maritana
"Grand Fantasia"
Mr. Leland Healy
Oration................"Preparation"
Viola A. Longtin
Class History and Will, "By the Fireside"
Edna C. Swanson
Vocal Duet....................Smith
"O! That We Two are Maying"
Mesdames Marshall and Knox
Class Prophecy................Poem
Ina M. Lianihan
Oration..................Validietory
"The Last Leaf"
Lucy B. Hunt
Cornet Solo ....John Hartmann
"Grand Fantasia, Pretty Jane"
Mr. Clement Brunelle
Presentation of Diplomas......
......Prof. E. W. Chumberlain
Vocal Solo................Selected
Mrs. Dr. Hendricks
Benediction....................
Overture,.................Solomon
"Reminiscences of the South"
Orchestra

To Uphold Memorial Day.

A act prohibiting the desecration of Memorial Day was passed at the recent session of the legislature and it shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage. It reads as follows: "That the desecration of 'Memorial Day,' the 30th day of May of each year, by the playing of games of ball, cricket, football, and other like games, or by horse racing, bicycle racing, automobile racing, or any other sports calculated to attract attention to such games or sports and away from the memorial character of said day, within one-half mile of the place where memorial services are in progress, is hereby prohibited and made unlawful during the hours from 10 o'clock in the forenoon to 3 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, and all saloons and other places where intoxicating liquors are sold, shall be closed on said day between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon in all cities, villages and towns where memorial exercises are held."

THE OPEN AIR CONCERT

First Outdoor Band Concert of the Season Will Be Given Next Tuesday Evening.

The first open air band concert of the season will be given ne[illegible] Tuesday evening at the city [illegible] square and one of the largest [illegible] of the year will be out to listen to the sweet strains of the finest band in the northwest. The program is excellent throughout and there will not be a dry number in the entire list of selections. These popular concerts always draw big crowds of the home people who know what they are, and they are an excellent advertisement for the city with the people who chance to be here.

Following is the program, pin it in your hat and come out next Tuesday evening:

March........................Bagley
"National Emblem"
Selection...... ....Recker
"Popular Jingles"
Intermezzo..............Buffington
"Floating Along"
March......... ....Ramsdell
"The Adventurer"
Selection......................Verdi
"La Traviata"
Waltz....:...................Rosas
"Impassioned Dreams"
March....................Clement
"The Annihilator"
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Beautify Your Premises

One can derive more comfort and satisfaction from living in a home that is neat, clean and orderly within and without than he can from an existence in one that is the very opposite. At this time of the year it is in order to "clean up." The housewife attends to so much of it as concerns the interior of the building wherein the family dwell, and it is not for mere man to attempt to instruct her in her duties in the premises. Besides, the matters over which she exercises exclusive jurisdiction are peculiarly private in their nature, with which the public have no concern. On the other hand, the community as a whole is interested in the outward appearance of business and dwelling houses, and the condition and appearance of yards, streets and alleys. Unsightly premises are offensive to every one who loves the beautiful, and decaying refuse in addition to being an eyesore is positively dangerous to public health. Householders, however, should not be content with merely removing from their premises that which is ugly and repulsive, but should also take steps to enhance their beauty, and no better way can be found of doing so than by the cultivation of trees, shrubs and flowers. It is an easy method, too, for nature does most of the work and man is only required to lend a little of his assistance from time to time in improving the conditions under which nature is to do her part.

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SUICIDE AT THIEF RIVER

J. H. Wer[illegible]lein Commits Suicide by H[illegible]ing Last Friday at Thief River.

[illegible]. H. Werstlein, a cattle buyer [illegible]nd a former butcher, of Thief River Falls, committed suicide last Friday afternoon by hanging himself.

Mr. Werstlein's mind had been slightly unbalanced on several different occasions for the past four years and about a month ago was again taken down with the weakness. When in that condition he was in the habit of remaining in the house fearing that someone was coming to take him away. Last Friday afternoon at four o'clock he left the house and went to the barn supposedly to care for and feed the stock. He remained there and the members of the family not suspecting anything unusual let him remain, until the supper hour when they called him and receiving no response went to the barn and not seeing him instituted a search on the first floor but to no avail and then ascended to the hay loft where he was discovered hanging to a cross beam in the cupola.

The fact is evident that he went to the barn with the intent purpose of committing suicide. He had taken a heavy plank and stretched it across in under the eaves of the roof and then stood on a barrel and after placing the rope around his neck, kicked the barrel out from in under him. Money troubles and reverses are assigned as the motive for his rash deed. He was a man of about 50 years of age and leaves a wife and four children.

Coroner Belair was called and went up to Thief River Saturday morning. An inquest was deemed unnessary.

TIMOTHY REGAN DEAD.

Father of Ed. Rogan, of This City, Died at Crookston Saturday.

Timothy Regan who came to Crookston in 1884, died at his home on Jackson avenue, Jerome's addition on Saturday afternoon at 3:30. Mr. Regan had been a sufferer from asthma for the past three years and since he has taken sick with the disease he has been unable to work. Previous to that time and during all his residence in Crookston with the exception of the past three years he has been an employee of the Great Northern railroad.

He wus born in Tipperary county, Ireland and was 63 years of age. Forty years ago he was married to Margaret English, also of Tipperary county, and they had six children, four of whom are living. They are John Regan who lives in Crookston, Ed Regan of this city, Mrs. Tony La Briere of Edmore, N. D., and Mrs. Frank Aadrist of Crookston. Two sons preceded him to the great beyond. They were Michael who died in Crookston eleven years ago and Daniel who died a year ago last December. His wife survives him.

CROP OUTLOOK IS FINE

S. M. Sivertson, of This City, Returned From Investigation Trip Through North Dakota.

At this time of the year and this year especially, every person in the northwest is vitally interested in the crop outlook for the present year, and while any forecasts or prophecies for the future are based on surmise to a certain extent, yet the season is far enough advanced at the present time to warrant the forming of opinions by those who keep in touch with conditions and are familiar with conditions as they have existed in the past. These opinions, coming from one who is in the grain business and who has been in that business for years should carry considerable weight. S. M. Sivertson of this city returned last Saturday from an extended trip through the state of North Dakota, where he has been making careful investigation and diligent inquiry as to the crop conditions as they exist in that state at the present time. In talking to a Gazette representative Mr. Sivertson said: "I have visited the whole state of North Dakota and I believe that the stories which have been sent out from that state to the effect that there is a prospect of only half a crop there are entirely without foundation. Seeding is practically over in every section of the state with the one exception of a little corner in the northeast part taking in very little more than Pembina county. There will be a short crop in that county because of backward and unfavorable weather but fifteen per cent of a falling off in the crop for this year will be absolutely the outside figure, judging, of course from present conditions. As for the Minnesota valley, Mr. Sivertson believes that this will be one of the best crop years in its history.

Celebration at Brooks

The village of Brooks will observe St. John's Day, June 24, in a right royal manner. Arrangements are already under way for one of the grandest times ever held in the village. Horse races, foot races, sack races, base ball games, etc., are planned and an effort will be made to get the Red Lake Falls band to come out for the day. It is a foregone conclusion that anyone attending the celebration at Brooks the 24th of June, will be well repaid for his time and expense in the amusements.

Commissioners to Meet

The board of county commissioners will meet in special session next Monday afternoon. Besides the allowing of several bills, they will act on six school petitions, four of which are asking to be set off and two to be organized. The petitions for new districts come from out on the reservation. They will probably be in session about a day.

ON CHARGE OF LARCENY

John Meising, of Thief River Falls, Arrested at Crookston Tuesday Night.

County Attorney Germo went to Thief River Falls yesterday to try one Johnnie Meising, on a charge of grand larceny. A hearing was held and Meising was allowed time to employ counsel, the case to be heard today, at Thief River. The story of the case is as follows:

Meising was arrested Tuesday night as he stepped from the Greenbush train at Crookston, by Captain Vonderheck of the Crookston police force. Late Tuesday afternoon the police force of Thief River Falls wired the Crookston police to be on the lookout for Meising, as he was wanted at the upper Falls on a charge of grand larceny. They wired in a good description of the man and the officer had no trouble in identifying him as he stepped from the train. He put up a good bluff of injured innocence but the captain was not to be bluffed and he spent the night in the Crookston jail. He was searched at the station and about $58 was found on his person. $30 of this had been stuffed down in the toes of his shoes and some of it had been hidden in the lining of his trousers. The police are sure that this is all the man had on his person and they believe that he had an accomplice with whom he divvied up. He is charged with having stolen $125 from one Minnie Smith, a proprietor of a house of ill fame at Thief River Falls. She had the money in a bureau drawer and found the drawer rifled. Meising is a piano player and he has been frequenting saloon and low houses at Thief River Falls for some time. When put in the sweat box, Wednesday morning at the Crookston police station he declared that he had found the money in an outhouse, but this is thought to be a manufactured story. He was taken back to Thief River yesterday morning.

Base Ball Sunday

Manager Padden of the ball team has arranged for a ball game to be played on the home grounds with the Thief River Indians next Sunday afternoon. This is the first game of the season and our boys expect to start the season right. The new suits arrived this morning from Chicago.

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HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

Abraham Ruef, former political boss of San Francisco, astounded that city by pleading guilty to extortion. He will be sent to prison. In a remarkable statement he bared his soul, telling of the political ring he created and how, unwillingly, he says, it drew him into a maze of corruption.

The president plans criminal action against E. H. Harriman for his railway deals based on finding of special investigators.

Clashes between counsel during examination of jurors in Haywood trial at Boise forced the court to interfere and presages a bitter contest.

Storms and frost in various localities caused damage, snowfall in the northwest establishing a new record.

Judge Wood at St. Louis decided H. Clay Pierce must be delivered to a Texas sheriff, but he appealed and was held in $10,000 bonds.

The Illinois senate passed a resolution to adjourn to October 15 without taking action on the deep waterway bill and it becomes known that the interests of a big Joliet power company blocked legislation.

Secretary Wilson says that Chicago packers are heartily cooperating in enforcing the pure food law and that their plants are models of sanitary conditions.

Twenty-one persons are placed in the roll of heroes by the Carnegie hero fund commission of Pittsburg, which awards medals to those who risked their lives for others, or to relatives of those who died in performing heroic deeds.

Bad river, south of Ashland, Wis., has overflowed its banks and is the highest in years. The village of Odanah is flooded and one-third of the inhabitants have been forced from their homes.

The village of Finch, Ont., has been almost wiped out by fire. On Monday night there was a $50,000 blaze, which started up again Tuesday night, causing additional damage of $80,000.

Fire at McConn, N. D., destroyed the St. Anthony and Dakota elevator, the Imperial elevator, the Great Northern depot, a house and barn and a box car. Loss $30,000.

The sheriff destroyed $5,000 worth of liquor in the street at Independence, Kan. The liquor was seized some time ago from saloons in the county. The destruction was witnessed by an immense crowd of people.

Oliver Dalrymple says the wheat acreage of North Dakota is greatly reduced owing to the backward season. The total crop of the country will be 100,000,000 bushels short, he says.

Later returns from the Austrian elections show enormous gains by the socialists and anti-Semites.

The extensive forest fires which have been raging in President and Lane Grove townships, Venango county, Pa., covering an area of ten square miles, are believed to be under control. The timber loss is estimated at $75,000.

President Roosevelt received Rear Admiral Huet De Bacellar, commanding the Brazilian fleet now at Hampton roads, and the personal officers of his fleet and his staff, who are the guests of the United States government.

William Kenney, an employe of the Walker distillery at Walkerville, Ont., just across the Detroit river from Detroit, was drowned in a vat of whisky mash.

Of five Italians who came to Cranesville, near Amsterdam, N. Y., from Schenectady to seek work on the construction of the barge canal, three were drowned by the capsizing of a boat in which they were rowing across the Mohawk river.

On a plea of guilty to a charge of murder in the second degree John Stapp, 15 years of age, was sentenced by Judge Williams in St. Louis to 99 years in the penitentiary.

Russian reactionists met and demanded stringent laws for the guarding of public safety.

Witnesses at the senate investigation of the Brownsville affray at Washington testified to seeing the negro troops firing their guns during the riot.

The supreme court of Kansas granted a writ to oust Peter Everhardy, mayor of Leavenworth, from office for failure to enforce the laws against saloons and other resorts.

Thieves stole a searchlight weighing 200 pounds from the top of a building in Chicago.

Elias Hartz, a famous "goosebone" weather prophet, of Reading, Pa., whose predictions usually came true, died at the age of 92 years.

Two masked highwaymen held up a station agent of the Chicago Metropolitan elevated road and escaped with $12.

A soldier of the czar's guard reveals a plot to kill the emperor.

The Missouri supreme court affirmed the death sentences imposed on Convicts George Ryan, Harry Vaughan and Edward Raymond, who broke out of the penitentiary November 24, 1905, and killed guard John Clay in resisting recapture. The three will be hanged on June 27.

The German reichstag passed the third reading of the commercial modus vivendi between the United States and Germany. The bill will now go to the emperor for his signature.

Regarding the alleged shortage of $12,000 in the accounts of Cashier W. C. Wallace, of the Columbus, O., post office, who shot himself. Postmaster Krum said: "We have found nothing as yet to warrant a suspicion. If there is a shortage it is in the stocks and we are only now beginning an investigation of that end."

Mrs. Minnie Mallow was taken to the Springfield (O.) city hospital suffering from a bullet wound in the breast which she declares was self-inflicted. Her husband, D. F. Malloy, was locked up on suspicion.

The Western Association of Bottle Manufacturers is in session at Pittsburg, Pa., with a committee of the Glass Bottle Blowers' Association of America for the purpose of readjusting the wage scale.

The annual state convention of the Knights of Columbus was held at Evansville, Ind., about 10 delegates being present.

The Archer block at Rochester, N. Y., was burned. The Stecful, Straus & Connor company, wholesale clothiers, lost $125,000; the Wheeler-Green Electric company, $50,000; and the owner of the building $75,000.

An interesting feature of the next Republican national convention will be a reunion of the delegates to the national convention in Chicago in 1880, who, for 36 ballots, supported Grant for the presidency for a third term. The call for the reunion has been issued by Col. A. M. Hughes, of Columbia, Tenn., the only surviving member of the Tennessee delegation to the 1880 convention.

It is rumored that Corey, president of the United States Steel corporation, had resigned and that A. C. Dinkey, president of the Carnegie Steel company, would succeed him.

Two hundred men, women and children, led by ministers with their Bibles in hand, marched to the courthouse at Mays Landing, N. J., where the grand jury was about to be convened, and sang and prayed against Sunday liquor selling.

Orrin W. Potter, retired steel magnate, who recently underwent an operation, is said to be critically ill at his home in Chicago. His recovery is doubtful, physicians say, because of his advanced age. He is 70 years old.

M. von Radewitz, second secretary of the German embassy, was fired upon twice by Town Marshal Collins, of Glen Echo, a small hamlet in Maryland, while speeding through the place in his automobile. The second secretary stopped his machine, alighted and informed the marshal he was immune from arrest, and would make complaint to the secretary of state.

The militia took charge of the jail at Brunswick, Ga., to protect a negro, Lee Holmes, who is charged with killing A. A. Sands at Darien Junction. Sands was a prominent white man.

John W. Gates has resigned as a director of the National Bank of North America and has sold his holdings of the stock of that bank. The interest in his withdrawal from the directorate of the bank lies in the fact it was the only financial institution with which he was connected as a director.

The large flour mills at Chihuahua, Mexico, owned by Ambassador Creel, were destroyed by fire. Loss, $100,000.

The anti-bucket shop bill passed the Pennsylvania senate by a vote of 36 to 1.

The Presbyterian ministers of Pittsburg have "resolved" that Gaston La Touche's painting, "The Bath," which was awarded first prize at the annual international art exhibition of the Carnegie Institute, won't do.

Thirty-one persons were killed and more than a score injured in the wreck of a special train on the Southern Pacific at Honda, Cal., bearing Shriners from Reading, Pa., and Buffalo, N. Y., and their families. The train was derailed by a defective switch and the cars smashed.

Coroner's jury at Santa Barbara, Cal., was unable to determine cause of the wreck which killed 21 Shriners.

Four Kansas City ice companies were fined on aggregate of $32,500 and one concern was ousted from the state for violating the Missouri anti-trust law by Judge Walter A. Powell in the circuit court at Independence, Mo. Similar cases against four other companies were dismissed.

W. E. Corey married Mabelle Gilman, the dancer, a few minutes after midnight Tuesday morning in a private chapel in the Hotel Gotham, New York.

Fight for the Gould millions is to be the principal feature of Mrs. Howard Gould's suit for legal separation.

Chicago experienced the hottest day of the year on Monday.

The distillery and grist mill of the H. Corby company at Belleville, Ont., were destroyed by fire, originating, it is believed from spontaneous combustion. The loss is placed at $250,000.

Mrs. Mattie Connelly, of Maysville, Ala., killed her son-in-law, Frank Albright, because he went home drunk and drove out his family.

The heads of the steamship companies in New York included in the International Mercantile Marine company served notice upon the striking longshoremen that unless the latter returned to work within a week their places would be filled.

Ambassador Bryce and Baron Kuroki assisted in the celebration of the three hundredth anniversary of the founding of Jamestown.

William O. Douglass, the confessed thief of $80,000 in bonds from the Trust Company of America, in a further confession said he had intended, on the advice of a lawyer, to steal $1,000,000 and use it to force forgiveness of smaller thefts.

Radicals in the duma again were defeated by the constitutional democrats in a debate over the execution of four men at Moscow, which is called judicial murder.

Recommendation of the passage of the deep water way bill made to both houses of the Illinois legislature by the state commission.

King Alfonso opened the new Spanish parliament, reading a message from the throne in which he promised reforms in the state administration.

Wheat market soared above one dollar on Monday in the most sensational opening trade that the Chicago board of trade has witnessed in many a year. European grain markets were stirred by sensational crop developments and light shipments from exporting countries.

Arkansas legislature further complicated the life insurance business in the state by passing the Wingo law.

Constitutional lawyers at Springfield, Ill., believe that the public utilities article of the new Chicago charter is invalid.

Speaker Cannon told Peoria people he believed in a ship canal clear to the gulf.

Russell Sage $10,000,000 Foundation was formally organized by election of officers, several well-known charity workers joining in the project.

A conference between Hill and Harriman interests at St. Paul failed to settle the question of Spokane freight rates.

Three watchmen failed to discover fire in $700,000 steamer City of Cleveland, at Detroit, till it was too late and boat was entirely destroyed.

London audience hooted and jeered Julia Marlowe and E. H. Sothern after the performance of "When Knighthood Was in Flower."

Commercial modus vivendi with United States passed second reading in German reichstag despite sharp attack.

Ambassador Reid gave a dinner to Sir Wilfrid Laurier which was attended by representatives from all parts of British empire.

Supreme court held eight-hour law constitutional and dismissed Kansas irrigation suit.

Postmaster General Meyer denied United States would not consent to delay the date for the taking effect of the union postal convention.

Senator Dick calls off the proposed "harmony" conference in Ohio.

Crazed by liquor, Italians in railway yards near Hammond, Ind., engaged in a bloody riot.

Tree fruit crops in the southwest were reported to be practically destroyed by the late frosts and other fruit and berries badly damaged.

The city jailer of Newport, Ky., was arrested in a raid on a crap game and was locked up in his own jail.

Ninety Mexican miners lost their lives in a fire in the Lenares copper mine at Velardena, in the state of Durango.

Queen Victoria, of Spain, gave birth to a son and the entire country rejoiced. The baby was formally presented to the court and diplomats by the king, who also proclaimed a public holiday and pardoned thousands of prisoners.

The newly-born Spanish prince was named Alfonso Pio Christino Eduardo.

Senator Foraker issued a statement saying that he was making no deal with anyone, but he would accept the results of the Ohio Republican convention.

Fire in Perry, Ia., destroyed four business buildings, the loss being $25,000.

State Senator Charles H. Hughes, of Illinois, died at Excelsior Springs, Mo. He was thrown from his horse recently, and sustained the injury which caused his death.

Services commemorating the twentieth anniversary of the inauguration of the Salvation Army of St. Louis were conducted by Commander Eva Booth.

Mrs. Agnes Berlow Houser, wife of Daniel M. Houser, of St. Louis, president of the Globe Printing company, publishing the Globe-Democrat, died from the effect of a self-inflicted bullet wound in the right temple.

Engineer N. B. McGinnis and Fireman Sullivan were killed in a wreck of a passenger train on the Southern Pacific in New Mexico.

Rev. W. M. P. Richards, a colored pastor of Carlisle, Ky., was shot and killed and his alleged murderers, a man and woman, were threatened with lynching.

Unknown persons set off a charge of some high explosive under the house of Samuel Cook, a negro, at Ruston, La., blowing the house to pieces and killing Cook and four other negroes.

Lieut. Gov. Sherman, of Illinois, was appointed by the president as a member of the Spanish treaty claims commission.

Edward Kemeys, noted sculptor of wild animals, died at his home in Washington.

James R. Palmer, aged 97, who operated the first bus line in New York city, was present at the laying of the first rail of the first railway in the United States and was once an intimate friend of Henry Clay, died in Chippewa Falls, Wis.

Writs of ouster were issued by the supreme court of Kansas against the Western Union Telegraph company and the Pullman company for not complying with the Kansas corporation laws.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

The State Fair.

Minneapolis—The heavy work under contemplation at the Minnesota State Fair grounds was forwarded at a special meeting of the board of managers, held at the secretary's office, when preliminary plans for new Poultry building and the Dairy building were examined and the sewerage system was outlined.

Mr. Alban of Thori, Alban & Fisher, the architects of the two new buildings, explained the preliminary plans and discussed details with the board members. As a result of the conference the plans will be altered in some respects and specifications will be drawn at once. In a general way the Dairy Building will be about 110 by 150 feet in size and the Poultry Building 160 by 180. Both will be of brick and of simple though attractive design.

A. R. Starkey, engineer in charge of the St. Paul sewers, appeared before the board and explained plans for the sewerage of the grounds. He recommended a project for pumping the fair grounds sewage through a special pipe line to the sewer at Prior avenue and will prepare detailed plans for this work as well as for system for the grounds proper. The department will do this for the fair grounds at the bare cost of the draughtmen's work. It is probable that specifications will be ready for the sewer work in ten days.

As the building plans will be ready about the same time several large contracts will be let shortly and the grounds will be very busy with numerous gangs of men at work by June 1st.

After disposing of the office business the board inspected the work in progress on the fair grounds—the grading about the grand stand and speed barns and the new Manufacturers building.

Mannix is State Printer.

St. Paul.—Joseph T. Mannix, the veteran Minneapolis newspaper man, was elected state expert printer at a meeting of the state printing commission.

A. N. Dare of Elk River, who has filled the position for the past four years, presented his resignation, having deferred it at the request of the commission till the legislative session was over. He was asked to remain until August 1, when the present contracts expire, and consented to do so. Mr. Mannix was then unanimously elected, and will assume his duties August 1. The salary is $2,100 a year.

The commission will meet June 4, to open bids and award contracts for state printing for the next year.

$20,000 Fire at Rush City.

Rush City.—Fire originated in the Johnson block and destroyed the entire block, together with one or two buildings of less value. For a time it was feared the town would be wiped out. The estimate of the loss is $20,000.

The Johnson block contained two banks, the Rush City State bank and the First National bank. It also contained the city electric light plant, two telephone offices and the offices of many professional men, besides some stores. The block was the principal business structure of the village.

A Spectacular Suicide.

Minneapolis.—While a hundred or more bewildered people stood by unable to stop him from carrying out his purpose, Joseph Montour, sixty-five years of age, leaped to his death in the Mississippi river from the steel arch bridge.

The old man was despondent over the illness of his wife and his inability to secure employment. He had been melancholy for some time before he made up his mind to take his life. Though he has never threatened to kill himself, his daughters and sons were fearful that he would do so.

NEWS NOTES.

Rush City.—Herbert J. Broom, manager of the electric light plant was taken to Minneapolis in a serious condition from burns received in a peculiar accident. While dozing in a chair in the Grant hotel office Mr. Broom slipped off the chair and fell into the fireplace in which a brisk coal fire was burning. In falling his head struck one of the andirons, rendering him unconscious. When he was found soon after he had received numerous burns about the head and shoulders.

Mankato.—To get drunk the sixth time, officially, cost Lester Duffy, a farmer living near this city, $100 and forty days' confinement in the county jail.

Minneapolis.—The biggest mortgage ever filed in Hennepin county was recorded when the J. I. Case company filed a mortgage on its property for $3,500,000.

Spooner.—Orders have been received in Spooner and Brandell from Sheriff Thomas Bailey of Bemidji that all gambling must cease. This order applies to the entire county, and as a result the professional gamblers have packed up their outfits and decamped. Even the slot machines have been stored or sent away.

Duluth.—The Madison school building was damaged to the extent of $20,000 by fire. It is believed that the fire originated from defective wiring. The damage is covered by insurance. The building is practically a total loss.

Insurance Companies Must Pay.

St. Paul.—Insurance companies will not escape paying the registry tax on mortgages on real estate in this state. The attorney general's department gives the opinion that the provision which was supposed to exempt insurance companies from paying the tax cannot be construed in that way, but holds that the insurance companies will have to pay the tax when filing mortgages. The law exempts mortgages taken by persons or corporations which pay a commuted tax in lieu of all other taxes, but as the 2 per cent tax which the insurance companies pay is not in lieu of all other taxes the provision does not apply to them.

Kills Self in Hospital.

Duluth. — Joseph Richards, forty years old, of Culver, Minn., committed suicide in St. Mary's hospital. Richards was taken to the hospital suffering from a general breakdown. The nurse that attended him brought him some egg-nog and left the glass with him. Richards broke the glass and cut his throat with the sharp, ragged edge of one of the pieces. The patient was found bleeding to death, and it was too late to save him.

Find Guide's Body.

Brainerd.—Edward Archibald, one of the best known guides in this vicinity, whose headquarters were at the Kabekona resort, was found dead at Birch Point, between Girl lake and Woman lake, by a party which had gone in search of him. Archibald had been missing for a week. It is believed that the guide lost his way and that death was due to exposure. He was fifty-five years old, and his relatives are supposed to reside in Montreal, Canada.

NEWS NOTES.

Bertha.—The house of Paul Dallman, who resides three miles southwest of Bertha, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. Mr. Dallman and family escaped without injury.

St. Paul.—A reward of $550 for the capture of Tony T. Deloretes is offered by Gov. Johnson. Deloretea disappeared after the murder of Samuel Ibsen at Holman, Itasca county, on Sunday, May 5.

Truman.—The general store of Senator W. A. Hinton was badly damaged by fire. The damage to the building is about $2,000, and on the stock about $10,000. The insurance will nearly cover the loss.

Duluth.—Charles R. Little shot himself with suicidal intent at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Little, and died instantly. He was for years superintendent of the Merrill & Ring sawmill at West Duluth.

Parkers Prairie.—A barn on the farm of Swen Hemquist was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. Three horses, four cows and a number of hogs were cremated, and farm machinery and grain were destroyed, the loss being total.

Winona.—Edward W. Willians, a wealthy shoe manufacturer got a divorce from his wife on the ground of cruel and inhuman treatment, altho Mrs. Williams is an active worker in the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to animals.

Duluth.—Bernice Morris, four years old, died as a result of scalds received. She tipped over a pail of boiling hot water upon herself and died after suffering great agony. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Morris.

St. Paul.—Two rural mail routes leading from Sauk Centre—Nos. 7 and 8—have been ordered discontinued after the trip of June 15. Most of the work will be done by four of the remaining routes, while some of the patrons of route 7 will receive their mail from Melrose. There are not enough patrons on these routes to warrant their continuance.

Washington. —The application of Thomas B. Clement, former president of the First National Bank of Faribault, for a writ bringing the case in which he is under prosecution to the supreme court of the United States for review, has been denied by that court. Clement is under sentence of eight years' imprisonment in connection with the charge of misapplying the funds of the bank.

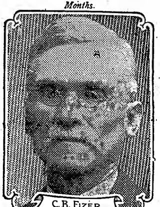
St. Paul.—The body of a woman, badly decomposed, was found floating in the river at St. Paul Park by William Bowman. It was clad in ribbed underwear, a heavy woolen skirt, black stockings and high-heeled black shoes, considerably worn. So badly had the body suffered from the water that it was impossible to discover any marks of identification, the authorities being unable even to determine the color of the hair.

Duluth.—Martin Hensted of Virginia is under arrest here by the federal authorities charged with having passed worthless and counterfeit money. A great number of spurious nickels have been used to feed slot machines at Virginia and elsewhere on the range. Hensted is bound over to await the action of the federal jury in July.

St. Paul.—An unindentified man about sixty years of age was struck by a train on the Soo road at Cardigan Junction, near New Brighton, and instantly killed. The body was badly mangled.

KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Two Years—Relieved In Three Months.


C.B. FIZER.

MR. C. B. FIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., writes:

"I have suffered with kidney and bladder trouble for ten years past.

"Last March I commenced using Peruna and continued for three months. I have not used it since, nor have I felt a pain.

"I believe that I am well and I therefore give my highest commendation to the curative qualities of Peruna."

Pe-ru-na For Kidney Trouble.

Mrs. Geo. H. Simser, Grant, Ontario, Can., writes:

"I had not been well for about four years. *I had kidney trouble, and, in fact, felt badly nearly all the time.*

"This summer I got so very bad I thought I would try Peruna, so I wrote to you and began at once to take Peruna and Manalin.

"I took only two bottles of Peruna and one of Manalin, and now I feel better than I have for some time.

"I feel that Peruna and Manalin cured me and made a different woman of me altogether. I bless the day I picked up the little book and read of your Peruna."

It is the business of the kidneys to remove from the blood all poisonous materials. They must be active all the time, else the system suffers. There are times when they need a little assistance.

Peruna is exactly this sort of a remedy. It has saved many people from disaster by rendering the kidneys service at a time when they were not able to bear their own burdens.

SHOWED PRESENCE OF MIND.

Nervy Act of Well Drillers Averted Fearful Disaster.

Two oil well drillers, Earl Sheets and Frank Winks, near Carl Junction, underwent an experience last week that would make a "feature" for a life and death melodrama, says the Kansas City Star. The two men were superintending the shooting of a well. Three hundred quarts of nitroglycerin had been brought to the well to be used in the shot.

A "shell" containing 30 quarts had been lowered, but it stuck in the well. The operators thought they could shove the can on down in the well by letting the baler down in the well on top of it. The plan appeared to have worked all right, and the baler was drawn up out of the well, and part way up toward the top of the derrick before the horrified spectators noticed that the can of deadly explosive had caught in the baler and was then dangling in the air, ready to fall.

Just as Sheets and Winks looked up, the shell came loose and started toward the ground. Realizing that if it ever hit the ground these 30 quarts of nitro would explode and kill everyone in the vicinity, the two men with presence of mind, ran under it and caught it in their hands. If they had failed in this, not one of the spectators would have "lived to tell the story."

ZEAL THAT WAS MISDIRECTED.

Housekeeper Meant to Please Employer, but Alas!

"Such an article," said H. P. Judson, the new head of the University of Chicago, in declining a rather unusual interview, "would be not only futile but even in a mild way harmful. It would be like the work of the careful housekeeper. There was an old general who had brought home from the war a splendid flag—a flag all torn with bullets, faded with fierce suns and stained with the dust and blood of battle. This superb trophy hung over the mantel in his library. Well, one unlucky day he engaged a new housekeeper and the next week missed his flag. He rang at once. 'Where is that flag of mine?' he said, pointing anxiously to the empty space on the wall.

"'I have been working on it, sir,' the housekeeper answered. 'I've washed it thoroughly and sewed up all the rents and darned all the holes and when I bring it back to you, sir, I'm sure you'll say it looks as good as new.'"

An Indian's View of an Organ.

After a while curiosity led me back to the sod house, and I saw for the first time how the white woman pumps so much air into a box that when she presses on the top board it howls convulsively. I forgot my bashfulness so far as to listen openly and enjoy the operation, wondering much how the white man puts a pair of lungs into a box, which is furnished with a whole set of black and white teeth, and when he sings to it it appears to answer him. This is how the white people teach their children to do things, I thought.—From the Outlook—Dr. Charles A. Eastman's "Schooldays of an Indian."

Then She Takes the Lines.

The young girl's air was pensive. "To-morrow," she said, "Reginald will conduct me to the altar. There—" Smiling, she lighted another cigarette, "—his leadership will end."

CROMWELL KEEPS INN.

BEARS STRIKING RESEMBLANCE TO MAN WHO RULED ENGLAND.

Said to Be a Lineal Descendant of the Great Oliver—But He Does Not Know or Care About His Ancestry.

London.—When a famous old English [illegible] changed hands the other [illegible] considerable interest was aroused by the announcement that the new landlord's name was Oliver Cromwell, and that he claimed to be a lineal descendant of the protector. It was added, moreover, that he bore quite a striking resemblance to a statue of the [illegible] man outside Westminster hall and that all these statements are true I am able to testify as the result of a visit which I have just paid to the modern Oliver Cromwell.

It is in the ancient town of High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire, about 30 miles west of London, that he has just established himself as landlord of the Red Lion hotel. The building, said to be almost 200 years old, stands in the main street of the quaint village, and with a huge red lion over the portico still presents the appearance of a typical old English coaching house.

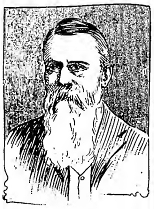
It is owned by Lord Carrington, and that famous parliamentarian, Benjamin Disraeli, made his first speech from the doorstep of the hotel. It was the most of those which followed it, a famous speech. Disraeli said that his opponents stood on his acres, "but I," said the future prime minister of England, "stand on my head." The crowd cheered the sentiment, but not all of them, for one threw a rotten egg which soiled the speaker's satin vest. Disraeli wiped the contents of the egg from his dress and threw them on the [illegible], remarking, "There will my opponents be when the poll is declared." It may be noted, by way of parenthesis, that despite his caustic oratory, Disraeli was defeated in this attempt to gain a seat in parliament as a radical from High Wycombe.

The new proprietor of the "Red Lion," who is now having the limelight of publicity turned upon him because of his likeness in name and [illegible] to the great protector, does not [illegible] fully to appreciate the interest attaching to his alleged ancestry.

[illegible] asked him to give me some [illegible] his genealogical tree he [illegible]. "I have never bothered [illegible] about it. Some 30 years ago, when Thomas Carlyle was writing his [illegible] of Cromwell he sent a man [illegible] regarding my pedigree. All [illegible] definitely was that my grandfather's name was Oliver Cromwell. Of course he wasn't the great [illegible], for he lived some 250 years [illegible] my grandfather's family lived [illegible]—I myself was born at Egham in Surrey—and members of the protector's family are said to have settled in Surrey.

"Some time after Carlyle's man had interviewed me I received a note from the great historian informing me that I was undoubtedly a lineal descendant of Oliver the Great. I never had any genealogical diagram or explanation of the connection, and my claim or belief is based principally upon this assurance of Carlyle's. As I say, the matter never bothered me much, for I don't know what advantage it would be to me to prove my descent if it were possible. No, I don't know whether Carlyle mentioned me in his book or not, for I never read it.

"Last October," Oliver Cromwell continued, I received a letter from a Mrs. Melvina Warham Brewster of



OLIVER CROMWELL.
(Descendant of Great Protector Who Keeps an Inn in England.)

Houston, Tex., regarding the Cromwell family. Here is part of her letter:

"'My grandfather, Oliver Cromwell of Charleston, S. C., who died in 1812, was the third of his line from the emigration to America after the restoration. To-day the last of the name is Lewis Cromwell of Elkhart Mines, Md.'"

Whether Oliver Cromwell of High Wycombe is or is not a lineal descendant of that remarkable man who ruled England for five years as protector, he has emulated the deed of his alleged ancestor by disposing of the King's Head. At one time the new landlord of the "Red Lion" while in the building trade, was entrusted with the reconstruction of the famous "King's Head" inn near the Guildhall in London. He rebuilt the hostelry; the "King's Head" disappeared and it was said of him by everybody in the Old Jewry, that twice in the history of England had Oliver Cromwell disposed of the King's Head.

DOG RACING IN MICHIGAN.

Every Boy in the Upper Peninsula Owns a Team of Dogs.

[illegible], Mich.—One of the most popular forms of winter entertainment in the upper peninsula of Michigan is

Typical Dog Team and Load.

dog racing. Several of these kind of derbys are held every winter. Ski tournaments are frequent, but they do not overshadow the dog races.

At Negaunee the annual dog race was held, not very long ago, and was witnessed by thousands of people.

There were 19 entries, all of whom appeared in several heats, and most of the races were close. All the runs were down the grades on either end of Iron street, but in spite of this fact the smaller dogs had difficulty in getting over the course.

There were numerous fights, particularly at the starting points, and occasionally two or more dogs would get into a mixup midway down the street or just before reaching the tape.

No more amusing sight can be imagined than a dog race. Usually at the start there is trouble. At the word "go" some of the dogs get into a fight and require the immediate attention of their drivers. The more peaceably inclined get away during the altercations of their opponents, and thus obtain a commanding lead. There is a great overturning and bumping when the rushing mass of dogs cross a railroad track or ditch.

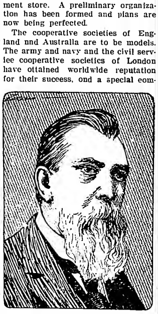
The handling of the dogs and sleighs at these points is most skillfully done and causes great merriment among the spectators.

Dog teams are very common in Northern Michigan and there is a scarce in a town where there is not from 100 to 200 dog teams owned by boys who find them very useful. In some cases these outfits prove a source of considerable income to the owners, who use them for hauling wood, etc.

FEDERAL EMPLOYES ORGANIZE.

Washington.—The first cooperative experiment ever tried in the nation's capital is an attempt by the 35,000 government employes of Washington to reduce the excessive cost of living by organizing a cooperative department store. A preliminary organization has been formed and plans are now being perfected.

The cooperative societies of England and Australia are to be models. The army and navy and the civil service cooperative societies of London have attained worldwide reputation for their success, and a special committee is now in communication with their managers to get details.



DR. A. PATTON.
(President of Government Employes Co-operative Concern.)

During the past ten years the cost of living in Washington has increased from 17 to 25 per cent., while the salaries of government employes have remained stationary. The consequence is that government employes are praying for panic times. They say if this terrible prosperity continues they will be ground into the earth.

The plan for the new store is to sell the goods at current market rates, and then to return the profit to members. Ten per cent. will be set aside as a sinking fund to improve the store. An experienced man will be chosen for manager and will be paid a good salary.

EDMUND'S LOVE.

"Before I give you my answer," she said, "there is one thing that you must tell me. Don't answer hastily. I want the truth. Have you ever proposed to any other girl?"

He looked down at the floor, and drew a deep, long breath. It was evident that he was sorely troubled. Turning to her at last with an appealing look he begged:

"Don't compel me to answer that question. Is it not enough that I love you with all my heart and with all my soul? I have never loved any other girl. I will confess that I may have thought I did, but I know now that it wasn't love. I never knew what love was until I met you."

"No," she firmly declared, "you must tell me all. I insist on knowing her name and when and how it happened."

"If it must be," he groaned, "I will confess everything. Mabel Fletcher and I were alone in the Osgood's conservatory, and somebody closed the door, locking us in. The poor girl seemed so distressed about it that I asked her to be my wife. Luckily, Mrs. Osgood missed us, and let us out after we had been imprisoned for ten or fifteen minutes. Now I suppose you will despise me. Ah, why did you compel me to tell you? I assure you I was actuated only by pity. Oh, of you could only believe me when I say that without you my life will be a miserable failure. If you would only—"

"Did she refuse you?"

"No. That's the worst of it. She said, 'Yes,' and still thinks that she and I are going to be married."

"Take me, Edmund. Oh, I am so happy."

Careful Circulation.

"Aren't you afraid your persistent refusal of a nomination will hurt your prospects?"

"Certainly not," answered the eminent politician. "If I hadn't friends enough to overcome a little obstacle like that I would not stand a show of being elected, anyhow."—Washington Star.

Pity the Poor Dogs!

Miss Pechis—I'm in a quandary. He declares if I refuse him he'll go to the dogs.

Miss Wise—Well, you certainly can't sacrifice yourself for a worthless fellow like him. You must consider your own welfare.

Miss Pechis—O! of course, but then, on the other hand, I'm very fond of dogs.

Extravagance No Bar.

He knew she was extravagant, but he had the nerve to propose, nevertheless.

"Why do you want to marry me?" she asked, after the manner of her sex.

"I'm afraid I'll acquire a bank account if I don't," he explained.—Chicago Daily News.

Overruled.

The Maid—And do you make love to every girl you meet the same as you do to me?

Young Lawyer—My dear young lady, it is unprofessional to ask a question that would tend to incriminate the witness.—Chicago Daily News.

JUST THE VERY THING.

Poet—I'm sure I don't know what to do with this poem. The editor says it's utter slush, and even my friends pronounce it nonsense.

Friend.—Well, I'll tell you—why don't you have it set to music?

The Sadness of It.

Fred—Oh, woe is me! I'm a victim of heart failure.

Joe—Why, how is that?

Fred—I was going to ask old Gotrox for the hand of his daughter last night, but my heart failed me.—Chicago Daily News.

Listening on a Party Line.

Hubby—Why didn't you come to the door and let me in?

Wife—I couldn't, George. Our neighbor was talking to somebody and I was at the phone.

A Parting Shot.

"Professor," said a senior, trying to be pathetic at parting, "I am indebted to you for all I know."

"Pray don't mention such a trifle, was the reply.—Punch Bowl.

Happy.

Old Friend—And have you been happy in your second marriage?

Octogenarian—Yes, ever since I lost my hearing.

HYPOTHETICAL QUESTION.

"Miss Prittly," said the young lawyer with the high brow and the Henry Clay forelock, "let me ask you a hypothetical question. Suppose that a young man of excellent habits and increasing income—a young man who believed himself fully capable of making a woman happy—were to appear before a young woman who had eyes of rare and radiant luster and hair of the texture and glory of spun gold; whose lips were more perfect than Hogarth's line of beauty; whose cheeks held a tint that put to shame the magnificent pink of the rose-petal—a young woman whose culture and charm easily placed her immeasurably above all other women in the world, and he were to ask this young woman if she would"—

"Oh, Mr. Blackstone!" she whispered, sinking into his arms. "Yes!"—Judge.

FEMININE AMENITIES.

Miranda—Last evening Reggie called me dear!

Myrtilla—Yes, he probably thinks you are—at any price!—New York Press.

Her Revenge.

There was a young woman named Lulu,
Who wished a rich man to come woo Lu.
But as none showed desire,
She got made as fire,
And went off and married a Zulu.
—Baltimore American.

The Reason.

Assistant—I understand your private secretary has got a raise in salary. Queer he has never mentioned it."

Proprietor—Not at all. It's his faculty for keeping his mouth shut that got him the raise."—Detroit Free Press.

Totally Different Character.

"He must be a good fellow."

"Nonsense! Where did you get that idea? He never goes to a club and—"

"But his wife says he's a very good fellow and when a man's wife—"

"Oh! That's another thing. There's a big difference between a 'very good fellow' and a 'good fellow.'"

Knew Neither Nurse Nor Baby.

"What a bright little thing!" exclaimed the society woman, patronizingly, cooing at the baby out for an airing in the park. "Whose little one is this?"

"Yours, ma'am," replied the nurse. "I'm the new nurse that kem yistherd'y."

Too Many Friends.

"Your husband has a host of friends," said the complimentary acquaintance.

"Yes," answered young Mrs. Torkins, "but I wish so many of them weren't the kind that give you tips on the races."—Washington Star.

Might Have Been Worse.

Green—The measly cur called me all the names he could think of.

Brown—Well, that wasn't so bad.

Green—Oh, it wasn't, eh?

Brown—No. It showed that his remarks were not the result of the thoughtlessness.—Chicago Daily News.

Same Old Job.

Merchant—What are your six boys doing now, Uncle Hiram?

Uncle Hiram—Ain't none of 'em doin' nothin' but Jim.

Merchant—What's Jim doing?

Uncle Hiram—Loafin', ez usual.—Chicago Daily News.

An Early Beginner.

Smith—Jimson is certainly a progressive individual.

Jones—Progressive! Why, he's downright lazy.

Smith — Well, he's progressive enough to have spring fever long before winter ends.

Wise Boy.

Musical Lady—Wouldn't you like to be able to sing and play, my little man?

Johnny—No; I wouldn't like to have people say such horrid things about me as they do about you.

Curtailed Facilities.

"What makes you think those jurors are not thoroughly informed about the case?"

"They have been locked up every night and not permitted to read the newspapers."—Washington Star.

No Excuse.

Tommy—It's too bad yer grandmother died day 'fore yesterday.

Benny—Why so?

"Why, dere's a corkin' game on dis afternoon!"—Yonkers Statesmen.

FOR BRIDAL LUNCHEON

Pretty Party Given for Attendants at Wedding—Mother's Clever Suggestion That Made "Coming of Age" Celebration Memorable—Magazine Game Something New.

The guests were the attendants at the wedding which took place the week this luncheon was given by the matron of honor. All the appointments were apropos of the event to follow. For the centerpiece there was a circular path of rice, the edges defined by small trees found in the toy department. In the center of this was a little automobile with the dearest of doll bride and groom, a tiny trunk, hatbox and suit case, all marked with the initials of the bride and groom-elect. Around the path a procession of bridal attendants marched, even to the "bride" and her "father," the ring-bearer and flower girls.

The places were outlined with wreaths of myrtle and pink sweet-peas and pink slippers held candied puffed rice at each place. From a beautiful gilded circular basket suspended over the table by pink tulle a pink ribbon radiated at each place; these streamers were pulled at the close of the repast and brought forth a pink kid jeweler's box for each containing the bride's souvenirs for her maids which were little finger rings containing the initials and date on two golden hearts. They were especially made and very pretty.

For a Boy's Twenty-first Birthday.

A fond mother devised and carried out this clever stag party in honor of her only son's coming of age.

The favors were toy watches and little canes had the place cards tied to the handles. Red carnations, the favorite flower of nearly every man, were used in the center of the table and one was laid at each plate. The candies were red and had very simple shades.

This very plain menu was served but each dish was a special favorite of this mother's lad. Vegetable soup, bread sticks, beefsteak with mushrooms, baked potatoes on the half shell, which means scooping out the potatoes after cutting in halves, mixing with cream, butter and sometimes the yolk of an egg, replacing and browning in the oven, spaghetti and tomatoes. No salad, but for dessert there were individual apple pies, a la mode, which means a big spoonful of ice cream on top; olives, nuts, cheese and coffee. There were cigars ginger ale and a big bowl filled with all kinds of fruit. A birthday cake with 21 red candles was brought in after the dessert and served with the coffee.

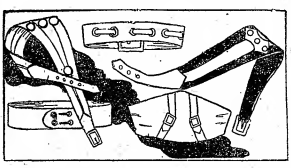
A Magazine Game.

A hostess at the social meeting of a literary club planned this unique entertainment. The programmes passed were in shape of little booklets, the outside covers decorated with pen and ink sketches after the manner of magazines. The answers are all the names of current magazines.

1. One hundred years old.—Century.
2. Santa Claus.—St. Nicholas.
3. An eminent minstrel.—Harper.
4. Public place in Rome.—The Arena.
5. Veracity.—Truth.
6. One who sketches.—Delineator.
7. A noted fairy.—Puck.
8. Sailor's hoodoo.—Black Cat.
9. Dispenser of Justice.—Judge.
10. A prospect.—Outlook.
11. What we cling to.—Life.
12. A citizen of the world.—Cosmopolitan.
13. A boy's jackknife.—Youth's Companion.
14. Hash.—Review of Reviews.
15. A needle-book.—Woman's Home Companion.
16. Prosperity.—Success
17. Money the trusts want.—Everybody's.
18. Resident of New York.—Metropolitan.
19. The suburbs.—Country Life in America.
20. What we are proud to be.—American.
21. We should take every year.—Outing.
22. What song we all should know.—National.
23. Our coming men.—American Boy.
24. What dudes try to set.—Style.
25. What a rich man is.—Independent.

MADAME MERRI.

Some of This Season's Belts



The new leather belts differ from those worn a season or so ago, in that the narrow, stiff band belts are quite superseded by those of flexible leather, the new designs being shown in a great many delightful colorings and original effects. One of the best models seen was made of soft leather cut very wide, but made to adjust itself closely to the figure with the wrinkled snugness of a mousquetaire glove. At the back and in the front are large buckles in gilt or silver. This model comes in almost every coloring, and should be matched in shade with the coat and skirt gown which it is to accompany.

As brown is so popular this season, delightful belts are to be had in soft suede leather in a beautiful wood brown, and those in gray are also charming. A great many of the fancy belts seen show designs in steel and steel beads, and artistic buckles in silver studded with semi-precious stones add to the fascinations of these more elaborate belts.

The belts sketched show some of the most desirable models suitable for street costumes. One design which is becoming to almost any figure shows a straight, rather wide, crush belt of soft leather, fastening with two gold hooks passing through gold eyes.

Another design shows a threaded effect, narrow straps of leather being threaded through round eyelets as a decoration. The three other belts sketched show desirable designs in the wider belts.

FILLING OUT HOLLOWS

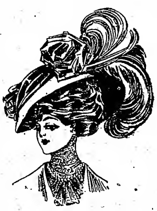
Some Easy Exercises Which Will Do Much to Help the Thin Girl Become Plump.

To put flesh on the shoulders, try this exercise night and morning:

Raise the arms to the level of the shoulders, stretched outward, with palms of hands turned up. Bend the arms at elbows until the hands touch the shoulders. Grip the shoulder tight, inhaling while counting seven. Now hold the breath while counting four and draw down hard on the point of the shoulder with all the strength you can put into arms and hands, the elbow pointing downward. Exhaling, and still gripping and pulling, count four more. Then loosen the grip slightly on the shoulder, count seven as before and repeat the pulling movement on the shoulder, as given above. Repeat this exercise at least ten times without taking the hands from the shoulders, and gradually increase until you can reach a record of 20 times. Bear in mind that the drawing down movement is made while holding the breath four counts and exhaling four counts. While inhaling the hands grip the shoulders more lightly. This exercise fairly draws the hollows out between the neck and the point of the shoulder and gives curved lines in their place.

Second, stand straight with the chest high and the head thrown back. Clasp the hands behind the body, with the palms turned outward and the thumbs touching the body. This position, if taken correctly, throws the chest high and gives the perfect Grecian bend to the figure. Now loosen the thumbs, but do not unclasp the hands, and turn them slowly at the wrists until the palms are down and the thumbs apart and out. Make sure that you are standing firmly on your feet; then bend slowly at the waist line, keeping knees stiff, and raise the clasped hands as far as possible toward the front or above the head. Swing the hands back and forth, still clasped, while you count 20. When first taking this exercise resume the normal position of hands and body after counting 20. Later on you will be able to rest by merely stopping the swinging motion. This exercise puts flesh on the upper part of the arms as well as on the chest, shoulders and throat.

HAT OF PARISIAN DESIGN.



Leghorn hat with croux of mauve ribbon and blue and mauve feathers.

When a girl turns a fellow's head does she have to marry him behind his back.

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Badger

Fine seeding weather, eh?

Mrs. R. Walker entertained a few lady friends at her home last Sunday.

Miss Aurore Ducharme visited a few days of this week with relatives and frisnds at Red Lake Falls.

Frank LaBissoniere and Anna Quesnell transacted bnsiness at the Falls last Saturday.

Mr. Edmond Quesnell is at present a guest at the home of his uncle, M. Quesnell.

A large number of old and young folks spent Sunday evening at the M. Quesnell home. Those present were: Messrs. Adelard Laurent, Robert Quesnell and Jack Remich and wives, Messrs. Edmond, Archie and Joseph Quesnell, Henry and Horace Laurent, Peter and Albert Lachance and Albert Trudeau and the Misses Lizzie and Rose Qnesnell, Cora Laurent, Rosalba Lachance and Lorena Quesnell. A good time was had.

Mrs. A. Laurent made a flying trip to the county seat Tuesday.

BRAY.

Most of the farmers of this vicinity have finished seeding wheat and oats.

Chas. Lindquist transacted business at St. Hilaire, Friday.

Some of the farmers have been busy hauling wheat the latter part of the week on account of the raise in price.

A. E. Anderson and Ed. Crown was at St. Hilaire Monday.

C. P. Swanson drove to Wylie Saturday.

Gilbert Pederson of Park River, N. D., a former Brayite has been around here visiting with friends and relatives.

Alfred Johnson drove to Wylie last Tuesday.

Halvor Hanson was at St. Hilaire Friday.

Notice to Stallion Owners.

The legislature, at its recent session, passed a law regulating the public service of stallions. Owners of stallions nsed for public service are now reqnired to have the name enrolled and the pedigree examined by the Stallion Registration Board, at the Agricultural college, St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, and to secure from the Board a license certificate. The law is operative at once nnd stallion owners should secure a license certificate at the enrliest possible date.

Full information and a copy of the law can be obtained by addressing the Secretary of the Board, Prof. Andrew Boss, St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, Minn.

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DIET DELUSIONS.

They Come Down to Us From the Old Barbarous Tribes.

Some diet delusions are of most modern date, whilo others are of most respectable antiquity. Among the latter is that very ancient survival, tho notion that particular foods are "good" for particular things or effects.

This is an almost direct descendant of the notion, held with greater or less unanimity by nearly all savage and barbarous tribes, that the flesh or viscera of birds and animals possessing particular qualities will be likely to produce the same qualities in those who eat them.

Thus Nero used to banqnet on nightingales' tongues in the bope of improving his voice, and the savnge cut out and devoured the heart of the bear, the liver of the buffalo, etc., believing that the strength and courage of theso animals would thereby be transferred to himself.

It is probable that tha most grewsome of ancestral rites—cannibalism—was largely due to the same belief, although, of course, in Neanderthal days primitive man would have no moro hesitancy about eating his enemy after he had killed him than he would in devouring n bear or a deer.

In fact, the early converts of the missionaries in the South Sea islands referred to their favorite dish as "long pig." Every known race has at some time been cannibal.—McClure's Magazine.

Magyar Music.

Of Magyar art music seems to have gained the widest admiration, and it is certain that musical executants of the first order, and in the case of Liszt of unique grandeur, have justified part of the expectations with which musical Europe has long looked upon Hungary. Magyar music can be likened to nothing more aptly than to the exclusively Hungarian river Theiss. Capricious and majestic, teeming with life and silting up for miles, surrounded by charming fioriture of water lilies and alder trees and suddenly again by poisonous marshes and swamps, such is the Theiss, such is Hungarian music—stirring, bewildering, unspeakably saddening, inexpressibly exhilarating. It is the music of rhapsodic souls, of intoxication, of the battlefield, of wild war dances nfter the victory. But, like the great river, it cannot be regulated. —Nineteenth Century.

Sunlight For All the Leaves.

The telegraph plant of India has n method all its own for catching the sunshine. Each of its leaves is composed of three leaflets. The larger terminal one erects itself during the day and turns sharply down at night, while the other two smaller leaflets move constantly day and night, describing complete circles with a peculiar jerking motion like the second hand of a watch. Occasionally they rest for a period and then go on again, thus bringing every part of every leaf to the full action of the sunlight.

Mere Trifles.

"Folks all well this morning, Tommy?" asked n friend of the family.

"Yes'm," replied Tommy.

"I am glad to hear it. The last time I heard from them your papa was suffering from rheumatic gout and your mamma bad neuralgia."

"Oh, yes, they've still got 'em. I thought you meant was any of us sick."

The Gentleman.

It is possible for every man to assume an elegant manner, but the true gentleman is nature's own nobleman, who never forgets to be polite to every one, and it is as easy to discern the assumed from the innata good breeding as it is to distinguish pasta from diamonds.—Dickens.

The Test.

The Soulful Girl—What is the trua test of poetry? The Poet—Well, if one can get a poem accepted that is written on both sides of the paper he may rest assured that it is n good thing.

Every man is valued in this world as ha shows by his conduct that he wishes to be valued.—Bruyere.

The Osprey.

Allusion is often made, especially in fashion journals, to "osprey" feathers. Few words have been more loosely bandied about than this bird name. The Roman nuthor Pliny's "ossifraga" (bone breaker) has been identified with the lammergeyer, a vulture that is reputed to break np bones too big for it to devour whole by dropping them from a height upon rocks. But both "ossifrage" and "osprey," a newer form, came to be applied to quite another bird, the fish hawk, which is now the true "osprey." Yet the "osprey" feathers—more properly egret feathers, or aigrettes—do not come from this bird, but from the egret, or lesser white heron.

With n Home.

Tha great millionaire looked np impatiently.

"Well," he said, "what is it?"

"I desire, sir," the young man faltered, "to marry yonr daughter, provided"—

The other frowned.

"Provided what?"

"Just provided," murmured the youth.

Vocabularies.

The English language, according to a German statistician who has mada a study of the comparativa wealth of languages, heads the list with the enormous vocabulary of 260,000 words; German comes next, with 80,000 words; then Italian, with 75,000; French, 30,000; Turkish, 22,500, and Spanish, 20,000.

PINK LEMONADE.

The Story of Its Introduction to the Circus Public.

"Old Peter Conklin, the clown," said a circus official, "was the first to give pink lemonade to the world.

"It dates back to 1857, when Conklin was travelling in the south with Jere Mabie's big show. Conklin had a dispute with Mabie and jumped the show down in Texas. I've had the story right from his own lips. He bought a couple of mules and an old covered wagon, some tubs, tartaric acid, a lemon, a bushel or two of peanuts and started in the refreshment business. He followed the circus with his wagon, and every time the tents were pitched he would mount n box nnd harangue the crowd with:

"Here is your ice cold lemonade,
Made in the shade.
Stick your finger in the glass;
It'll freeze fast.

"The lemonade sold splendidly, and he couldn't wait on the people fast enough. One day he was surrounded by n mob scrambling for 'the juice,' when his water supply rnn out. There were no wells or springs at hand. He rushed into the big tent, but there was ne'er a drop of water to be had. In his excitement he invaded the dressing tent. Fannie Jamieson, the bareback rider, was wringing out a pair of pink tights, the aniline dye coloring the water a very pretty shade. Conklin didn't stop to nsk any questions. He grabbed up the tub and ran. Into the tub he threw some acid and the property lemon and called out:

" 'Come quickly. Buy some fine strawberry lemonade.'

"His sales were doubled that day, and since then no well regulated circus is without pink lemonade. However, we do not make it the same way now, and sometimes strawberries are used as well as lemons."—Exchange.

BRUNSWICK STEW.

A Gastronomic Triumph With a National Reputation.

This celebrated stew originated in Brunswick county, Va., from which it takes its name—a county most famous in antebellum days for its perfect cuisine and gastronomical predilections. Tha originator was either Mr. Haskins or Mr. Stith, each claiming during a long life the distinction of having made the first stew and dying without a proper adjustment of the controversy. While made everywhere in the habitable globe, it is seldom made properly. It was introduced in Paris by Judge John T. Mason of Virginia. Only in Brunswick county is this stew so appetizing, so piquant in the seasoning to be found in all its perfection. To this remark of tha writer made to a gentleman in the far south ha replies, "The egotism of a Virginian suggests perfection in all things there, and the slow pace of the state nmple time to arrive at it." The recipe is as follows: One of three kinds of meat is used—lamb, chicken or squirrel. If chicken, it is first parboiled, cut up as if to fry, the outer skin removed, then put on in hot water—n plenty to cover it—a large onion cut fine, n large slice of middling meat cut fine, black and red pepper in abundance and salt. After cooking until the bones can be extracted, and hot water ndded if not enough corn cut off the cob and tomatoes chopped fine are added, with half n pound of butter, more pepper and salt. Before serving add stale light breadcrumbs. Never add Irish potatoes or butter beans or any vegetable save corn and tomatoes. Serva in a tureen. It should be the consistency of thick soup and very highly seasoned. It is considered one of the finest of stews and has a national reputation.—Richmond Times.

"Americanisms."

"Fired out," commonly supposed to be an "Americanism," has been traced home to Shakespeare. In one of his sonnets he says:

Yet this shall I ne'er know, but live in doubt
Till my bad angel fire my good one out.

"Say," as an exclamation to attract attention to the beginning of a remark, is common enough and not very elegant. At least so thought a schoolteacher who resolved to break his pupils of the habit of using it. A bright one qnoted, however, this from "The Star Spangled Banner:"

Oh, say, can you see?

If the American people sing "say!" in the national hymn, say, why not say "Say?"

As to Bow Legs.

A bow legged man usually possesses more than ordinary strength. Why? Because his legs in supporting great weight can bend in ona direction only, whereas the man with straight legs is inclined to be wabbly. Such being the case, why should not a knock kneed man be stronger than a bow legged one? His knees, being braced against each other, ought to be mora steadfast than legs bending outward. Yet wa all know that the knock kneed man generally goes into consumption and is at all times weaker than his bow legged brother.—New York Press.

Optimistic Sure.

Newberry—Is Sanford of an optimistic temperament? Baldwin — I should say he is. I hava known him to go into a restaurant without a cent in his pocket, order a dozen oysters and feel satisfied that he could pay his bill with a pearl.—Life.

Just Playing Possum.

"So you are going to retira from politics?"

"Yes," said the municipal boss, "I'm going to retire. But I'm not going to sleep so soundly that I can't be awakened."

Men ought not to investigate things from words, but words from things.—Myson.

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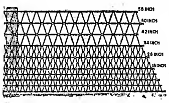

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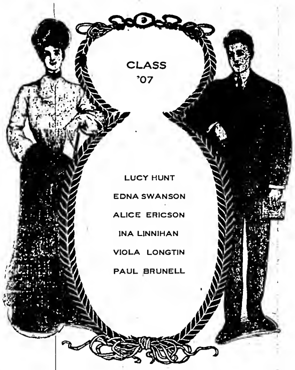

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S. L. Lewis was in St. Hilaire last Monday.

S. M. Sivertson spent last night in Crookston.

E. M. Hoff of St. Hilaire, was in the city Monday.

W. M. Hughes was a caller from Crookston Monday.

Damon's Colored Musical Company. Opera house, June 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Germo visited in Crookston Saturday.

A. Liligren and wife, of St. Paul, were in the city Monday.

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Miss Ella Hanson visited with her parents at Fertile Sunday.

P. E. Smidesang, of Wylie, was a county seat caller Tuesday.

G. H. White, of Wadena, transacted business here Monday.

C. N. Bourdon went to Waubun Monday for an extended stay.

A new coat of paint adds much to the appearance of the city hall.

E. M. Stanton, Jr., of Thief River Falls was in the city last Friday.

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Barber E. A. Nelson transacted business at Thief River Monday.

Martin McAndrews, of St. Hilaire, was a county seat caller yesterday.

R. Fortier, a prominent farmer of Gentilly, was in the city yesterday.

Dr. Argue made his regular professional visit to St. Hilaire yesterday.

S. L. Lewis has moved into the Beniot house on Champagne avenue.

Ernest Buse transacted business at Grand Forks and Crookston last week.

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Miss Minnie Gerlach visited at Thief River between trains Tuesday.

Miss Mary Lamb spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Moorhead.

A very social dancing party was given in the K. P. hall last Monday evening.

Attorney F. A. Grady attended to professional business at St. Hilaire yesterday.

Ed Whaley came down from St. Hilaire and spent Wednesday evening in the city.

W. A. Schreiter attended to matters of business in Thief River Falls on Monday.

Pat Martin of Crookston is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere.

L. C. Simons went to the Twin Cities Monday evening on an extended business tour.

Fresh fancy cookies, a big stock just received at Freund's. Call in and see them.

Atty. G. T. Morken, of Crookston, spent Tuesday in the city attending to legal matters.

Court Commissioner S. T. Johnson, of Thief River Falls, spent Monday night in the city.

Miss Ella Krueger commenced a three months term of school in Garnes last Monday.

Ed Regan and family attended the funeral of Mr. Regan's father, held in Crookston on Tuesday.

K. J. Ike, of the Ike Music house of Crookston, was in the city yesterday, on business for his company.

G. A. Kankel is right in line with a seasonable base ball ad in today's Gazette on this page. Read it.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson went to Crookston last Thursday to visit relatives. She returned Monday morning.

Gilbert and George Bray visited with Crookston friends and relatives from Friday last until Monday.

Damon's Colored Musical company at the Metropolitan opera house, in this city. Tuesday evening, June 4.

Mrs. August Grimm arrived yesterday from Vickburg, Michigan, and will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schoenaur, and other relatives in this vicinity

Miss May Lee returned to Crookston Monday, concluding a week's visit here with her friend, Miss Elida Peterson.

Eugene Dempsey, from the eastern border of the reservation, was in the city Tuesday on business at the court house.

Damon's Colored Musical company, with a cast of 12 members, will show at the opera house on Tuesday evening, June 4.

August Morin returned to North Dakota Saturday to resume his contract work after attending to business matters here.

Misses Alice Coughlin, Laura Detert, Lee Healy and H. W. Anderson attended the music festival at Grand Forks last Saturday.

Read the change of ad for the Big Store. It dwelleth on suits for the men and boys and patent oxfords for the ladies this week.

M. O. Sortedahl went to Fergus Falls last Thursday to attend to some of his land interests there that needed his attention.

Miss May Hamel and friend, Miss Mabel Hanson, of Grafton, N. Dak., spent Monday in the city visiting with Miss Lillian Buse.

Mrs. M. H. Thielen, of Drayton, N. D., and Miss Kate Martin of Crookston are spending the week at the Theo. LaBissoniere home.

J. E. Murray, with the Miller Furnace company of Milwaukee, was in the city a few days this week in the interest of his company.

Mrs. Christ Eickhoff returned to her home at Crookston last Friday after an enjoyable visit here with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Zaiser.

Miss Loretta Smith, of Bemidji, is spending the week in the city as a guest at the home of her brother, Electrician Smith, and family.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, June 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

The tennis court on the lots south of Zaiser's livery barn is being plowed and will be disced and dragged this week. It will be ready for use in about two weeks.

The recital given last Monday evening by the music class of Sister Cecilia was largely attended. Each number of the program showed careful preparation and reflects great credit upon the work of the Sister and her pupils.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

Miss Mabel Hannay of St. Hilaire, was a companion of Miss Mary Lamb, from here, for a visit at Miss Lamb's home at Moorhead last Sunday.

Rev. Herbert W. Knox, the pastor of the Presbyterian church, will return tomorrow and will preach morning and evening on Sunday, May 26th.

Rev. Aastad of Thief River Falls, conducted services in the Norwegian Lutheran church Monday evening returning to his home Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Edward Raycraft, nee Miss Lillian Belair, arrived in the city this morning from Two Harbors, and will make an extended visit with relatives and friends.

The Busy Store has a seasonable ad this week. It caters for the commencement trade. A glance at the ad and then the store would satisfy any prospective purchaser.

J. B. Armstrong returned Saturday from his trip to the eastern cities. Jim would have been home sooner but stopped off at Minneapolis to take in the convention of the Knights of Pythias, and had a royal time.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the postoffice at Red Lake Falls for the week ending May 18, '07: Miss Leah Patnode, Spurr Seotaas and S. McMahon (5).—E. F. Marshall, Postmistress.

The Reichel building, next to the postoffice, which caught fire last winter, is being fitted up and remodeled and will be used by the ladies for serving meals during tournament time.

E. Chattel and a crew of men left yesterday for British Columbia, where Mr. Chattel has a contract for grading on the road of the Canadian Pacific railway. They expect to be absent all summer.

An orchestra composed of Frank Freund, Paul Berthon, J. L. Tracy, Lee Healy, Harry Healy, Clem Brunelle and A. L. Brunelle will go to Thief River tomorrow to furnish music for a dance at the Antlers club.

Sam E. Hunt and E. H. Gerlach, two popular "knights of the grip" and whose homes are in this city, were here calling on the trade Monday.

Ed Moran went to South St. Paul with a carload of stock Saturday. He returned yesterday morning. While in the cities he called on S. A. Swanson and he reports that he will be coming home in a day or two.

Joseph Brohmann, who recently disposed of his farm in Lambert township to Louis Sieff, moved into town last Saturday and will make Red Lake Falls his future place of abode. He will reside in the Sieff residence.

The Percheron stallion, Fred, weight 1700, will stand the season at Guerin Bros. barn. We also have a high grade Jack which will serve at our barn during the season. Anyone wishing horses castrated should give us a call. 31-4 —Guerin Bros.

John A. Pokezwinski went to Moorhead last evening where he was subpoened as a witness in a case against the N. P. railroad. He expects to be gone until Saturday, providing, however, if there is a ball game here Sunday. If not, he has been called to throw a game at Olso and wont be home until Monday.

Ozier Dubuc, the clerk at the Grand View hotel, had a narrow escape from being very seriously injured yesterday afternoon, while hauling manure from the barn back of the hotel to the dump grounds at the old saw mill site. In going down the hill on north Main street, the dashboard broke away, he plunging headlong onto the tongue and the horses became frightened and started to run away, throwing Mr. Dubuc to the ground, the wagon passing over him. The team turned in between Borcher's saloon and Pirath's land office, the wagon striking a corner of the latter building. "Baldy" as he is called, fell on his side and bruised it besides sustaining injuries in the left leg necessitating the use of crutches. His place at the Grand View will be filled by Albert Lizee.

Mrs. H. E. Ives came down from St. Hilaire Monday evening and attended the recital given by Sister Cecilia's music class. She returned Tuesday morning.

Ed Trombly has purchased the LaBissoniere house on Champagne avenue, formerly occupied by S. L. Lewis, and moved his household goods there on Monday.

Lee Healy launched his gasoline boat in the Clearwater river this week. Some very nice rides will be had this summer and it is a wonder that there are not more of them.

Z. Bray of Brooks was in the city Tuesday, calling on his brother, Ed. Mr. Bray announces that Brooks will celebrate St. John's day, June 24th, in a right royal manner. A full account of the particulars will be given later.

The interior of Frank Freund's confectionery store and ice cream parlors has been painted and papered during the week and presents a very neat appearance. Frank intends making his ice cream parlors one of the best and most up-to-date in the north country this season.

One of the most pleasant social functions of the season was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere last Thursday evening, when 16 invited guests assembled to participate in the evening's amusements. Cinch was played and Harry Healy's knowledge of that game enabled him to carry off the honors of first prize, a tiny pair of souvenir boxing gloves. In the second contest rebus words were used for "Sweets for the Sweet" and Miss Mollie Allard's knowledge of this won for her the prize, a little Indian club filled with candy. A dainty luncheon was served and the party broke up at 12 o'clock. Those present were Misses Lillian Buse, Rose Harren, Etta Gareeau, Alice Boyd, Ella Hanson, Mary Lamb, Kate Berthieume, Mollie Allard and Messrs. Harry Healy, Lee Healy, Joe Karren, Will Ericson, N. M. Watson, Norman Schreiter, Noel Delorme and Clem Brunelle.

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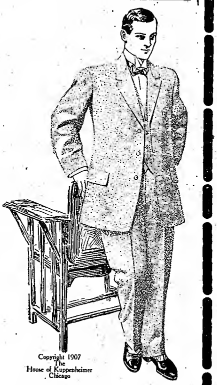

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CHAPTER XXXIII.

A Pe[illegible]ation Concerning the True Order of Marriage.

W[illegible] matters of theology and con[illegible] [illegible] were being debated in Box [illegible] the little bent man down in [illegible] house to the left, in his strug[illegible] himself, was tightening the [illegible] of his fate about him. In his [illegible] mind he had formed one great [illegible]. He believed that a reve[illegible] had come to him. It seemed [illegible] upon him as the culmination [illegible] the days of his distress. He [illegible] now that he had felt it years [illegible] when he first met the wife of [illegible] Pench, the gaunt, gray wom[illegible] [illegible] along the dusty road; and [illegible] when he had found the imbecile [illegible] upon his tormentors. A hundred times it had quickened within him. And it had gained in force [illegible] until to-day, when it was overwhelming him. Now that his [illegible] was wasted, it seemed that his [illegible] could see far.

The great discovery was that the [illegible] upon celestial marriage [illegible] Joseph Smith had been "from [illegible] a trick of Satan to corrupt [illegible]. Not only did it flatly contra[illegible] earlier revelations, but the very [illegible] Mormon itself declared again [illegible] that polygamy was wicked [illegible] Joseph had been duped by the [illegible] of darkness, and all Israel had [illegible] in consequence. Upon the [illegible] plates delivered to him, con[illegible] the divine source of which [illegible] could be no doubt, this order of [illegible] had been repeatedly con[illegible] and forbidden. But as to [illegible] revelation which sanctioned it [illegible] could rightly be doubt, for had not Joseph himself once warned them that some revelations are from God, [illegible] from men, and some from the [illegible] Either the Book of Mormon [illegible] inspired, or the revelation [illegible] from God, since they were [illegible] in opposition.

[illegible] to him with the effect of a [illegible] light, yet seemed to endow [illegible] a new vigor, so that he felt [illegible] and eager to be up, to spread [illegible] abroad. Some remnant of [illegible] fire of inspiration flamed up [illegible] him as he lay on the hard bed [illegible] little room with the summer [illegible] floating in and the out-of-doors [illegible] woman's voice calling a [illegible] off, the lowing of cattle, the [illegible] rhythmic whetting of a scythe [illegible] the echoing stroke of an ax, the [illegible] fluting of a robin—all coming to him a little muted, as if he were no longer in the world.

He [illegible] upon his elbow, glowing with the flush of old memories when his heart had been perfect with the Lord, when he had wrought miracles in the face of the people; when he had besought Heaven fearlessly for [illegible] of its favor; when he had dreamed of being a pillar of fire to his people in their march across the desert, and another Lion of the Lord to fight their just battles. The little bent man of sorrows had again become the lute of the Holy Ghost.

He remembered the day was Saturday, and he began at once to word the phrases in which he would tell his revelation on the morrow. He knew that this must be done tactfully, in spite of its divine source. It would be a momentous thing to the people and to the priesthood. It was conceivable, indeed, that members of the latter might dispute it and argue with him, or even denounce him for a [illegible]. But only at first; the thing was too simply true to be long questioned. In any event, his duty was plain, with righteousness as the girdle of his loins he must go forth on the morrow and magnify his office in the sight of Heaven.

When Prudence came softly in to him like a cool breath of fragrance from the canyon he smiled up to her with a fullness of delight she had never seen in his face before.

There was a new light in her own [illegible] new decisions presaged, a new [illegible] imperfectly suppressed. He stroked her hand as she sat beside him on the bed, wondering if she had at last learned her own secret. But she became grave and was diverted from her own affairs when she observed him more closely.

"Why, you're sick—you're burning up with fever! You must be covered up at once and have sage tea."

He laughed at her, a free, full laugh, such as she had never heard from him in all the years.

"It's no fever, child. It's new life come to me. I'm strong again. My face burns, but it must be the fire of health. I have a work given to me—God has not wholly put me aside."

"But I believe you are sick. Your hands are so hot, and your eyes look so unnatural. You must let me—"

"Now, now—haven't I learned to tell sickness from the glow of a holy purpose?"

"You're sure you are well?"

"Better than for 15 years."

She let herself be convinced for the moment.

"Then please tell me something. Must a man who comes into our faith, if he is baptized rightly, also marry more than one wife if he is to be saved? Can't he be sure of his glory with one if he loves her—oh, very, very much?"

He was moved at first to answer her out of the fullness of his heart, telling her of the wonderful new revelation. But there came the impulse to guard it jealously in his own breast a little longer, to glory secretly in it; half-fearful, too, that some virtue would go out of it should he impart it too soon to another.

"Why do you want to know?"

"Ruel Follett would join our church if he didn't have to marry more than one wife. If he loved some one very much, I'm afraid he would find it hard to marry another girl—oh, he simply couldn't—no matter how pretty she was. He never could do it." Here she pulled one of the ribbons from her broad hat. She gave a little exclamation of relief as if she had really meant to detach it.

"Tell him to wait a little."

"That's what I did tell him, but it seems hardly right to let him join believing that is necessary. I think some one ought to find out that one wife is all God wants a man ever to have, and to tell Mr. Follett so very plainly. His mind is really open to truth, and you know he might do something reckless—he shouldn't be made to wait too long."

"I'm Afraid He'd Find It Hard to Marry Another Girl—He Simply Couldn't."

"Tell him to wait till to-morrow. I shall speak of this in meeting then. It will be all right—all right, dear. Everything will be all right!"

"Only I am sure you are sick, in spite of what you say. I know how to prove it, too—can you eat?"

"I'm too busy thinking of great things to be hungry."

"There—you would be hungry if you were well."

"I can't tell you how well I am, and as for food—our Elder Brother has been feeding me all day with the breath of truth. Such wonderful new things the Lord has shown me!"

"But you must not get up. Lie still and we will nurse you."

He refused the food she brought him, and refused Lorena's sage tea. He was not to be cajoled into treating as sickness the first real happiness he had felt for years. He lay still until his little room grew shadowy in the dusk, filled with a great reviving hope that the Lord had raised a new prophet to lead Israel out of bondage.

As the night fell, however, the shadows of the room began to trouble him as of old, and he found himself growing hotter and hotter until he burned and gasped, and the room seemed about to stifle him. He arose from the bed, wondering that his feet should be so heavy and clumsy, and his knees so weak, when he felt otherwise so strong. His head, too, felt large, and there rang in his ears a singing of incessant quick beats. He made his way to the door, where he heard the voices of Prudence and Follett. It was good to feel the cool night air upon his hot face, and he reassured Prudence, who chided him for leaving his bed.

"When you hear me discourse to-morrow you will see how wrong you were about my being sick," he said. But she saw that he supported himself carefully from the doorway along the wall to the near-by chair, and that he sank into it with every sign of weakness. His eyes, however, were aglow with his secret, and he sat nodding his head over it in a lively way. "Brigham was right," he said, "when he declared that any of us might receive revelations from on high; even the least of us—only we are apt to be deaf to the whispered words until the Lord has scourged us. I have been deaf a long time, but my ears are at last unstopped—who is it coming, dear?"

A tall figure, vague in the dusk, was walking briskly up the path that led in from the road. It proved to be the Wild Ram of the Mountains, freshened by the look of rectitude that the razor gave to his face each Saturday night.

"Evening, Brother Rae—evening, you young folks. Thank you, I will take a chair. You feeling a bit more able than usual, Brother Rae?"

"Much better, Brother Seth. I shall be at the meeting to-morrow."

"Glad to hear it, that's right good—you ain't been out for so long. And we want to have a rousing time, too."

"Only we're afraid he has a fever, instead of being so well," said Prudence. "He hasn't eaten a thing all day."

"Well, he never did overeat himself, that I knew of," said the bishop. "Not eating ain't any sign with him. Now it would be with me. I never believed in fasting the flesh. The Spirit of the Lord ain't ever so close to me as after I've had a good meal of victuals—meat and potatoes and plenty of good sop and a couple of pieces of pie. Then I can unbutton my vest and jest set and set and hear the promptings of the Lord God of Hosts. I know some men ain't that way, but there's the time when I beautify my inheritance in Zion the purtiest. And I'm mighty glad Brother Joel can turn out to-morrow. Of course you heard the news?"

"What news, Brother Seth?"

"Brother Brigham gets here at 11 o'clock from New Harmony."

"Brother Brigham coming?"

"We're getting the bowery ready down to the square to-night so's to have services out of doors."

"He's coming to-morrow?" The words came both from Prudence and her father.

"Of course he's coming. Ben Hadley brought word over. They'll have a turkey dinner at Beil Wardle's house and then services at two."

The flushed little man with the revelation felt himself grow suddenly cold. He had thought it would be easy to launch his new truth in Amalon and let the news be carried to Brigham. To get up in the very presence of him, in the full gaze of those cold blue eyes, was another matter.

"But it's early for him. He doesn't usually come until after conference, after it's got cooler."

The bishop took on the air of a man who does not care to tell quite all that he knows.

"Yes; I suspicion some one's been sending tales to him about a certain young woman's carryings on down here."

He looked sharply at Prudence, who looked at the ground, and felt grateful for the dusk. Follett looked hard at them both and was plainly interested. The bishop spoke again.

"I ain't got no license to say so, but having done that young woman proud by engaging himself to marry her, he might 'a' got annoyed if any one had 'a' told him she was being waited on by a handsome young Gentile, gallivantin' off to canyons day after day—holding hands, too, more than once. Oh, I ain't saying anything. Young blood is young blood; mine ain't always been old, and I never blamed the young, but, of course, the needs of the Kingdom is a different matter. Well, I'll have to be getting along now. We're going to put up some of the people at our house, and I've got to fix to bed mother down in the wagon-box again, I reckon. I'll say you'll be with us to-morrow, then, Brother Joel?"

The little bent man's voice had lost much of its life.

"Yes, Brother Seth, if I am able."

"Well, I hope you are." He arose and looked at the sky. "Looks as if we might have some falling weather. They say it's been moisting quite a bit up Cedar way. Well—good night, all!"

When he was gone the matter of his visit was not referred to. With some constraint they talked a little while of other things. But as soon as the two men were alone for the night, Follett turned to him, almost fiercely.

"Say, now, what did that old goat-whiskered loon mean by his hintings about Prudence?"

The little man was troubled.

"Well, the fact is, Brigham has meant to marry her."

"You don't mean you'd have let him? Say, I'd hate to feel sorry for holding off on you like I have!"

"No, no, don't think that of me."

"Well, what were you going to do?"

"I hardly knew."

"You better find out."

"I know it—I did find out, to-day. I know, and it will be all right. Trust me. I lost my faith for a moment just now when I heard Brother Brigham was coming to-morrow; but I see how it is—the Lord has wished to prove me. Now there is all the more reason why I should not flinch. You will see that I shall make it all right to-morrow."

"Well, the time's about up. I've been here over two months now, just because you were so kind of helpless. And one of our wagon-trains will be along here about next Monday. Say, she wouldn't ever have married him, would she?"

"No, she refused at once; she refused to consider it at all."

He was burning again with his fever, and there was something in his eagerness that seemed to overcome Follett's indignation.

"Well, let it go till to-morrow, then. And you try to get some rest now. That's what I'm going to do."

But the little bent man, flushed though he was, felt cold from the night air, and, piling more logs on the fire, he drew his chair close in front of it.

As often as Follett wakened through the night he saw him sitting there, sometimes reading what looked like a little old Bible, sometimes speaking aloud as if seeking to memorize a passage.

The last Follett remembered to have heard was something he seemed to be reading from the little book: "The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters."

He fell asleep again with a feeling of pity for the little man.

CHAPTER XXXIV.

A Procession, a Pursuit and a Capture.

Follett awoke to find himself superfluous. The women were rushing excitedly through their housework in order to be at hand when the procession of Brigham and his suite should march in. Of Joel Rae he caught but a glimpse through the door of his little room, the face flushed that had a long time been sallow and bloodless. When the door had closed he could hear the voice now strong again. He seemed to be, as during the night, rehearsing something he meant to say. And later it was plain that he prayed, though he heard nothing more than the high pleading of the voice.

Follett would not have minded these things, but Prudence was gone, and no one could tell him where. From Christina, of the rock-bound speech, he blasted the items that she was wearing "a dress all new" and "a red-ribboned hat." Lorena, too, with all her willingness of speech, knew nothing definite.

"All I know is she fixed herself up like she was going to an evening ball or party. I wish to the lands I'd kep' my complexion the way she does hern. And she had on her best lawn that her pa got her in Salt Lake, the one with the little blue figures in it. She does look sweeter than honey on a rag in a store dress, and that Leghorn hat with the red bow, though what she wanted to start so early for I don't know. The procession can't be along yet, but she might have gone down to march with them, or to help decorate the bowery. I know when I was her age I was always a great hand for getting ready long before any one come, when my mother was making a company for me, putting up my waterfall and curling my bean-catchers on a hot pipestem. But, land! I ain't no more time to talk with you."

Down the main road he hesitated. To the right he could see where the green mouth of the canyon invited; but to the left lay the village, where Prudence doubtless was. He would find her and bring her away. For Follett was determined to toe the mark himself now.

In the one street of Amalon there was the usual Sabbath hush; but above this was an air of dignified festivity. The village in its Sunday best homespun, with here and there a suit of store goods, was holding its breath. In the bowery a few workers, under the supervision of Bishop Wright, were adding the last touches of decoration. It was a spot of pleasant green in the dusty square—a roof of spruce boughs, with evergreens and flowers garnishing the posts, and a bank of flowers and fruit back of the speaker's stand.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

ON THE GREEN DIAMOND

"Rube" Waddell

Rube Waddell, the erstwhile actor and eccentric pitcher of the Philadelphia American league club, was recently suspended from duty for 30 days. The suspension is contingent upon good behavior, and unless the Rube mends his ways he will air his heels on the players' bench in innocuous inactivity a much longer period. Manager Mack said that Rube had a habit of staying out late at night and was warned several times, and as he did not change his habits he thought it was time something was done.

Queerest of Baseball Parks at Saginaw, Mich.

Field Laid Out in an Ex-Lumber Yard Has Diamond Like a Jumping Jack.

They have the most wonderful ball park in the country at Saginaw, Mich. Originally the field was a lumber yard and it is not much better to-day, the sod having been worn away in spots, allowing sawdust to percolate through.

Billy Regan, the Grand Rapids player who was with Jackson in the Southern Michigan league this year, tells of his first experience on the grounds.

Regan's attention was attracted to something unusual when he was on second. The batter hit a slow grounder toward third and the pitcher and third sacker started for the ball. About the time the latter was ready to pick up the sphere the earth seemed to move from under his feet, a cloud of dust struck him fairly in the eyes and the ball rolled to the left field.

Another time when on the field Regan kept jumping up and down around the third bag, but was abruptly called down by the pitcher, who yelled, "Don't you see you are jostling me off the rubber and I can't pitch until you keep still?"

A little later in the game Regan was at bat and on an adverse decision by the umpire the Saginaw team came running in to object in a body.

A strange sight greeted Regan's eyes. The park seemed to swim before him, rolled like the swell of Lake Erie after a storm and little spurts of dust came shooting up all over the infield.

"It's an earthquake," screamed the Toledo lad, and he made ready to make a hasty exit, but the laughter of his fellow players quieted him down and he pinched himself to make sure it wasn't a dream.

"I haven't been drinking," remarked Regan to the catcher. "What's the matter with this bloooming park, anyway?"

"Why," replied the backstop, "the field is built on an old lumber yard and there are a lot of boards just under the surface. Every time you step on one end you tilt up the other end. This throws up the dirt and when the pitcher yelled at you a little while ago you were on one end and he on the other of a plank and you were bounding him around."

AMONG THE MINORS

Offa Neal, the Louisville third sacker, is leading the hitters in the American association.

Schneiberg, the pitcher turned over to Milwaukee by Detroit this spring, is making good.

Lansing has signed George Derby of Detroit.

The Dayton club has released Infielder Gates and Outfielder Denney.

The Altoona club has sold Catcher Slattery to the Johnstown club.

The Poughkeepsie club of the Hudson River league has signed Third Baseman Creighton Shelton of Wilkesbarre, Pa.

Dutch Players Lead on Cleveland Ball Team

Germans Have a Majority of Seven to Four Over Irish—Ten Nationalities Represented.

The Germans have the Irishmen beaten seven to four on the Naps, but, at that, there are more Celts in the aggregation than there was a year ago. In addition, there are a few who have some Irish blood in them, but who have to be classified as English.

Bill Bernhard, Glenn Liebhardt, Jake Thielman, Heinie Berger, Elmer Flick and Harry Bay compose the brigade from the "Vaderland," the Irish squad consisting of Bill Bradley, Joe Birmingham, Pete O'Brien and George Stovall. "Cotton" Turner is a Dutchman.

Robert Bruce Rhoades has two colleagues to whom he can say "Hoot mon" this year. "Bunk" Congalton and Bill Hinchman pleading guilty to being full-blooded Scots. Hinchman was supposed to be a German, but he says, despite his name, his ancestors came from the land of the thistle.

Of the three catchers, Wakefield is an Irish-American, while Harry Bemis comes from good old English stock. "Nig" Clark, however, is the real American of the bunch, haivng Indian blood in his veins.

It has often been stated that Joss and Hess were also Germans, but such is a mistake, the journalist pitcher being a Swiss, while Otto Hess is descended from the vikings, Sweden being the native land of his ancestors.

Inasmuch as Manager Lajoie is a Frenchman, there are really ten nationalities represented on the Cleveland roster.

AMERICAN LEAGUE NOTES

Welday will be the White Sox utility man all season.

Kleinow is catching well for Clark Griffith and seems out for a good year.

George Stone got a 100-pound sack of flour for a home run he made at St. Louis.

Criger is the Criger of old. He catches as effectively as he did before he was ill.

They say in St. Louis that Harry Howell is the only pitcher on whom McAleer can rely.

Laporte, the Yankee's third baseman, uses about the heaviest bat in the American league.

Perrine, Washington's new shortstop, greatly resembles Elberfield, of New York, in acton.

Pitcher Tom Hughes, of Washington, believes this will be his banner year in baseball.

Sam Crawford and Topsy Hartsel hit the hardest of any visitors at the New York American grounds.

The New York Club has released pitchers Hughes and Castleton to Montreal and Atlanta respectively.

Although his knee is not giving him any trouble, Jimmy Collins is wearing a bandage as precaution.

Danny Hoffman is now leading the New York Highlanders at the bat, having regained his batting eye.

Still Normandy's Heroine.

One of the favorite postal cards offered for sale to tourists by shop keepers of Rouen, Normandy, shows a modern feminine compatriot of Joan of Arc dressed and posed to represent the great French heroine spinning in her thatched roofed cottage at Domremy.

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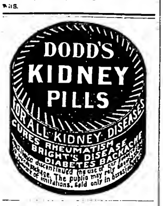
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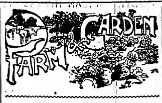
Worth Observing.

In a certain preparatory school in Washington an instructor one day made the statement that "every year a sheet of water 14 feet thick is raised to the clouds from the sea."

"At what time of the year does that occur, professor?" asked a freshman, "It must be a sight worth going a long way to see."—Harper's.

The ignorant are courageous.—Modern Greek.



END SCOOPS FOR WAGON BOX.

How a Convenient Attachment Can Be Easily Made.

A handy scoop board which can be attached to the rear end of any wagon box is shown herewith. The sketch shows very clearly how it is constructed. All that is necessary is to make a floor for the scoop six inches longer than the box is high, with width as illustrated.

Remove the end gate to wagon and attach the scoop board. This may be done by using small strap hinges with screws so that the scoop board can be removed when not desired, or it will be possible to put a bolt through the side of the scoop board at a point near B so as to form a pivot for the end.

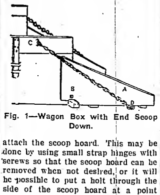


Fig. 1—Wagon Box with End Scoop Down.

Build the scoop board just wide enough so that the sides will come on the outside of the wagon box. In this way, says Prairie Farmer, it will serve the double purpose of holding the sides of the box together and keeping the corn from rolling off when lowering for scooping.

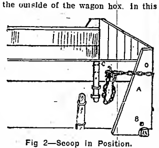


Fig 2—Scoop in Position.

Chain is fastened in the manner shown in Fig. 1 which also illustrates how the scoop board is fastened when lowered. Fig. 2 illustrates the method of fastening when it is drawn up in position.

It is best to have chain fastened in manner shown, and passing clear around under the scoop board to the large straps shown at D. This chain will give added support to the end piece.

SUCCESS WITH POLE BEANS.

Some Suggestions as to Cultivation by One Who Knows.

Lima beans will grow and do well in any fair garden or corn land, but will yield better and be more profitable if put on a good sandy loam, well drained and sloping a little toward the south.

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Then we set the poles three by three and one-half feet, widest apart east and west, for we cultivate only one way, through the widest spaces.

A pole six to seven feet is long enough. We set them before planting leaning poles to the north a little. In setting poles we use a sharp, round stake, driving it one foot into the ground then remove and put in pole as tight as possible.

The beans are planted if ground and weather are warm, about May 15, in latitude of central Illinois.

The large flat limas we plant by pressing each bean into the ground, eye downward, about one inch deep, planting six or eight beans in a circle around each pole. For smaller pole beans we make a place about two inches deep around each pole, then drop beans and cover with hoe.

We cultivate, hoe and keep clean until late in summer, sometimes helping vines take to the poles, says a writer in Farm and Home. Remember that all pole beans run the same way around the pole and if started in the other direction they will not grow.

Setting Strawberry Plants.

They should be set every 18 inches in rows three and one-half feet apart. Maintain clean cultivation until frost comes. When the ground is first frozen cover the plants with almost any litter, as free from weed seed as possible. Uncover in the spring after the frost is out and before the plants heat and mold. Leave the mulch between the rows until after picking is over. Immediately after the last picking mow the field and burn or haul off the litter and commence cultivation, and continue as before until frost comes. There is some tedious work connected with the renewing of the field for each succeeding crop, so that one must sit down to rest and refresh himself. The victory lies in the getting up and continuing again.

Early Sown Seed.

Seed sown early should be covered shallow and not rolled. That sowed in June should be covered deeper by rolling seed in row and loosening soil on top.

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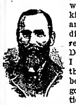

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WHAT MADE HIM DOUBTFUL.

Size of Commuter's Hat Caused Acquaintance to Worry.

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"Hawkins, of Stamford, is going to move into that new house next door to me. I know him very slightly, and I understand that you know him pretty well."

"Yes, I have known him for upward of 20 years."

"Well, what kind of a fellow is he, anyhow?" asked the commuter.

"A first-rate fellow, and in every way desirable. Why?"

"I just wanted to know, because I could never quite make up my mind about him, he wears such a small hat."—Philadelphia Ledger.

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THOUGHT HE WAS WANTED.

Swede Returned According to Instructions on Envelope.

Christ Nelson, having been in this country only a few weeks, was slow in learning American customs, and especially the inscriptions on envelopes. One of his first acts after landing in Oregon was to take out naturalization papers. On the corner of the envelope, in which were contained the documents that made him an American citizen, were the words: "Return in five days."

"Wal, I be har," he said yesterday, as he shuffled up to the counter in the county clerk's office and spoke to Deputy Prasp.

"What do you want?" asked that official, carefully noting the embarrassed flush on the Swede's face.

"Wal, it say on this har envelope 'return in five days,' and time be up to-day, so I ban come round."

When assured that nobody wanted him, he turned with surprise and walked sadly away, not certain whether he was naturalized or not.—Portland Oregonian.

Cannon May Break Record.

Of the congressmen who have served since the foundation of this government, more than 12,000 individuals, only 34 have served 20 years or more. The longest service was that of John H. Ketcham, of New York, who served 33 years, and was a member when he died. Mr. Cannon, who comes next, has served 32 years. Since he is elected to the next congress he will, if he lives to the end of his term, take the first place in the list of veterans.—Youth's Companion.

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"I was completely run-down and was not able to do my work about the house. My blood was impure and my complexion pale. I suffered from flashes of heat, followed suddenly by chills. I had awful headaches, which lasted from three to four days. I could get but little rest at night, as my sleep was broken and fitful. As a result I lost several pounds in weight and became very nervous.

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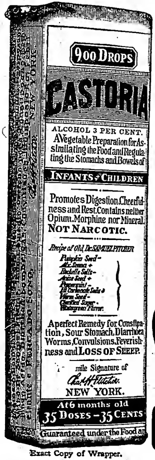
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Additional Local...

Mrs. G. H. Samers departed for her home at Crookston last Saturday, concluding a pleasant week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Arthur Zaiser.

J. Leo Spillane returned to the city Monday from Minneapolis, where he had been for the past ten days, after disposing of his interest in the newspaper at Callaway.

Parties having spare rooms and beds to rent during the fire tournament will confer a favor on the committee by leaving word with J. A. Duffy or Geo. F. Hennings.

Mrs. L. C. Simons and son departed Tuesday evening for Granite Falls, Minn., for an extended visit with relatives. They were accompanied as far as Minneapolis by Mr. Simons.

Mrs. Borchers and children, of East Grand Forks, departed for their home Monday, after spending a pleasant week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Otto Zaiser in this city.

Pete Beauleau was an over-Sunday visitor with his parents and many friends in the city. He is taking a course in stenography and bookkeeping at the Union Commercial college at Grand Forks and is well pleased with his new work.

O. F. Hartman, of New York, the eastern representative of the Red Lake Falls Milling company, was in the city Friday, for the first time since entering their employ about two years ago. He was a guest at the home of J. J. Padden during his stay between trains.

Miss Pauline Nieland, of the Washington school corps, has been engaged to teach the A first and B second grades in the Central school at Grand Forks. The many friends of Miss Nieland will regret to see her depart but will wish her all kinds of success in broader fields.

E. Arneson, of the Arneson Mercantile company of East Grand Forks, was in the city Tuesday transacting business. He departed for Middle River yesterday morning and came back in the evening to drive to Brooks, from which place he will go back to his home.

A. E. Schusser, the talented young editor of the Kelliher Journal, and who is also postmaster at Kelliher, was a visitor in the city Tuesday. Mr. Schusser, in addition to publishing a very bright and neatly gotten-up paper, is one of the best printers in the north country.—Bemidji Pioneer.

Deputy Dairy Inspector Joel G. Winkjer was in the city last Thursday enroute to Plummer and Lillo where he went to inspect the creameries at those points. Mr. Winkjer states that there will be about fifteen new creameries established this season in the northwestern part of the state.

Miss Flora Eickhoff, one of the June brides, was guest of honor last evening at a china shower, given by Miss Stella Monroe, at her home on Broadway. She was the recipient of many beautiful pieces among them being a hand painted tea set. The evening was spent with games, the prize for the guessing game going to Miss Ida Clapp. There were about eighteen present.—Crookston Times.

George Gibeau, the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gibeau, broke his collar bone last Saturday afternoon, while playing games in front of the Gibeau residence on Third street. The lad was running when he was grabbed by the coat from behind and was thrown on his side. Dr. Wilkinson was called and the fractured part was put in a cast. The boy is up and attending his school duties as if nothing had happened.

The board of directors of the Gentilly Farmers' Mutual Insurance company met at the city hall yesterday afternoon and adjusted the claim of Paul Cyr, for the loss of his house and furniture by fire about a month ago. The board was to have met on the 11th inst., at Gentilly but owing to the absence of some of the directors the meeting was adjourned and postponed until yesterday. Mr. Cyr carried between $600 and $700 insurance.

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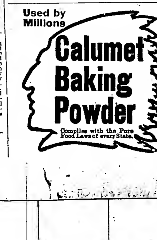

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INSPECT SAND PIT

Grand Forks Parties Inspect Sand Pit at Dorothy.

Alderman R. M. Carothers, Supt. Lunseth, of the water works company of Grand Forks and Walter Buehler, consulting engineer for Kettle River Quarries company of Minneapolis, were out in Dorothy yesterday morning, for the purpose of making an examination of the sand pit and other property owned by Grand Forks city. Last winter that city purchased an additional forty acres of land in the vicinity of Dorothy and the committee will look over the land thoroughly and will make a report as to the quantity and quality of the sand and also on the gravel situation.

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—J. C. Wilkinson,
Health Officer.

THE APACHES.

This Tribe Holds the Record as Bad Indians.

Scarcely a tribe of our American Indians but what have engraved their record of crime and infamy high up on history's wall, yet above them all is the Apaches'.

From 1540 to 1853 New Spain and Mexico carried on a so called warfare with these people. The Apaches were vastly outnumbered by the Mexican soldiery, but what they lacked in numbers was more than made up in courage and craftiness. The Apache ever had a thorough contempt for the Mexican soldier, and in later years, when they were fighting with firearms as well as arrows, they would not waste cartridges on the Mexicans, but would kill them with arrows, spears and stones, saving their cartridges for other and more worthy foes.

When this southwest region became a part of the United States the Apaches were a serious problem with which we had to contend. Our government vacillated between a simpering peace policy and the other extreme, their extermination.

Their zone of wandering being intersected by the international boundary line further complicated matters. They would raid down into Mexico and then rush back with the plunder to our side of the line, out of reach of the pursuing soldiers. Next it would be a raid on the Arizona side and a flight into the wild mountains of Sonora. The Mexican government attempted to assist their miserable army by giving a scalp bounty, and for years they paid out their gold coin for Apache scalps. Scalp hunting became a recognized industry. The horror of this was that to the Mexican official all scalps looked alike, whether from the head of a hostile or a friendly Indian. The price was $100 for a man, $50 for a woman and $25 for a child. It is small wonder that the tribe sank deeper into savagery than ever when we stop to think that the men knew there was a price set on the scalps of their wives and children, and there was a horde of human fiends, white in color, but more savage than the savage himself, who were hunting them as they would a cougar of the mountains.—E. S. Curtis in Scribner's.

QUICKER THAN LIGHTNING.

Action of the Human Body Outstrips Everything In Motion.

"As quick as lightning" is a phrase colloquially used to express the maximum of rapidity, but, according to a well known scientist, electricity itself is outstripped by that old fashioned machine, the human body, by which it appears powers can, so to speak, be generated in the brain, transmitted through the nerves and developed in the muscles in an infinitesimal fraction of a second.

It is stated that a pianist in playing a presto of Mendelssohn played 5,595 notes in four minutes and three seconds. The striking of each of these, it has been estimated, involved two movements of the finger and possibly more.

Again, the movements of the wrist, elbows and arms can scarcely be less than one movement for each note. As twenty-four notes were played each second and each involves three movements we would have seventy-two voluntary movements per second.

Again, the place, the force, the time and the duration of each of these movements were controlled. All these motor reactions were conditioned upon a knowledge of the position of each finger of each hand before it was moved, while moving it, as well as of the auditory effect to force and pitch, all of which involves equally rapid sensory transmissions.

If we add to this the work of the memory in placing the notes in their proper position as well as the fact that the performer at the same time participates in the emotion the selection describes and feels the strength and weaknesses of the performance, we arrive at a truly bewildering network of impulses coursing along at inconceivably rapid rates.

Such estimates show, too, that we are capable of doing many things at once. The mind is not a unit, but is composed of higher and lower centers, the available fund of attention being distributed among them.—Pearson's Weekly.

SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open wall. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

BASE BALL

Thief River Falls
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Red Lake Falls

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OLD DITCH MATTER UP

Farmers from the Town of Lambert, Hill River and Chester Appear Before Judge Watts

About twenty farmers from the towns of Chester, Lambert and Hill River were in Crookston Saturday, the largest number being from Lambert. The latter came in to protest against the construction of Judicial Ditch No. 7, which is now under way. They claim that the ditch will bring too much water from the lands above onto the farm lands of Lambert and will do a great deal of damage to those farms. They were represented by County Attorney Germo of Red Lake Falls. There were a number of farmers from Hill River and Chester also who came down to uphold the ditch. A long argument was held in Judge Watt's chambers Saturday morning and it was decided to continue the case until two weeks from today. This will give the farmers who are making the protest time to have a complete survey made and they will be able to give more accurate testimony as to the damage, if any, that will be done by the ditch. It was evident from the testimony taken Saturday that the Lost River into which the ditch will empty, will have to be deepened for some distance in order to handle the water of the new ditch.

SHERIFFS MUST PAY

Will Have to Take Prisoners to the State Prison at Their Own Expense.

Sheriffs who convey prisoners from their respective counties to the state prison from now on will have to do so at their own expense or "work" the counties to meet these bills which have heretofore been paid by the state.

As a result of an oversight on the part of those making up the state budget for the general appropriation bill enacted by the last legislature, no provision was made for a fund to meet the cost conveying prisoners to the penitentiary. The fund always provided heretofore has been $12,000 a year. There is now about $100 of this fiscal year. Before the beginning of the state's new year, Aug. 1, this amount will be used up and there will probably be a lot of pending claims. What sheriff's can do hereafter to get remunerated for their trips to the prison is probably a question they must adjust with their county governments.

The Percheron stallion, Fred, weight 1700, will stand the season at Guerin Bros. barn. We also have a high grade Jack which will serve at our barn during the season. Anyone wishing horses castrated should give us a call. 31-4 —Guerin Bros.

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RED LAKE FALLS WINS

The Red Lake Falls Team Win Their First Game of the Season From Thief River

It was a puddin' (yes, no) and several side dishes for the local ball team last Sunday in the game against Thief River Falls.

The bunch of warriors from the hamlet north of St. Hilaire commenced arriving in town about 11 o'clock Sunday morning to play a game of base ball with Mr. J. J. Padden's colts. A cry was set up for a bon fire on the grounds but alas! it was found warm work for them to keep the home boys from scoring.

Thief River was first to bat. Pucks retired the side—not in the 1-2-3 order but it might just as well have been. Then the fireworks commenced. Sky rockets and Texas leaguers galore. Buse was first up. He singled to first. In running over the base he fell over Curran and got up the wrong way and was tagged out. Peterson followed with a little scratch hit down the third base line and beat it out. Pokezwinski started the racket again with a nice drive, landing Peterson on third with himself safe on second. Rube Healy continued the swatfest of wood against leather and laced a pretty one in the very same place as Puck's, in Lofkin's territory, scoring two runs. Healy scored on Erickson's roller to shortstop. In the second inning after letting McNiven go by the rest were easy money—getting the next three. Buse scored one for Red Lake Falls in their half. Thief River took a brace in the third after two men were out and a young roller passed between Buse's kicks on short. They scored two runs. This is the inning where Pucks won half his bet by getting Nason, Thief River's heavy hitter, on his staff. After Healy scored in the last of the third our boys went out in short order, getting the next three men. Thief River scored two in their half of the fourth, while Padden crossed the rubber for the locals in their half. This was all the runs we got—in fact all we needed. Thief River secured their last one in the seventh, with two down in the first of the ninth and a man on third, Schreiter is credited with an assist and Healy with a putout, catching the runner after two throws. The game ended 5 and 6 in favor of Red Lake Falls.

Following is a few statistics of the late unpleasantness for Thief River Falls:

R. L. F.—3 1 1 1 0 0 0 0 x—6
T. R. F.—0 0 2 2 0 0 1 0 0—5

Batteries, Pokezwinski and Schreiter; McNivens, Lofkina and Bergan. Struck out by Pokezwinski 8, by McNivens 2, by Lofkins 1. Richards umpire.

SNAPSHOTS.

"Pucks" won his bet. The way he put Nason on his staff wasn't a bit slow. He needed him just twice.

Erickson for the locals and Brush for Thief River were easily the star fielders of the day. "Bill" pulled down Nason's hit to left field that looked good enough to keep rolling until it reached Frank Mizen's tracks in the west part of town. Brush caught three that would have been good for two sacks, at least, on an ordinary still day.

McNiven was replaced by Lofkins in the sixth. Geo. Curran played tenth man from then on.

Thief River was represented with about thirty strong, besides the team.

It was a windy and cold day but notwithstanding all this, there was a good attendance.

Verne Healy plays his new position, that of first base, like an old timer, and he also sticks well.

It is said that Padden made the best "hit" during the game.

There was very little wrangling and both sides seemed well pleased—only, of course, we had the better end.

The Thief River delegation were a gentlemanly lot of fellows and it is hoped that we may have more games with them this season.

PROCLAMATION

In accordance with the usual custom, I desire to call attention to the observance of Memorial Day, May 30th. The observance of this day appeals strongly to the patriotism of all true American citizens, I therefore, as mayor of the city of Red Lake Falls, desire that the day be duly observed. The exercises will serve to instill in the minds of the rising generation what sacrifices were made for the sake of the country by the veterans who gave their all for its preservation. Now, therefore, I urge that there be general observance of Memorial day, May 30th. —J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

THE COUNTY DADS MET

Board of County Commissioners Met in Special Session Monday and Tuesday.

Pursuant to a call by the county auditor the board of county commissioners met in special session at the office of County Auditor O'Brien on Monday and proceeded to get down to business.

The petition of Ole Eggen et. al, for a new school district on the reservation was granted and a day was set for hearing. The petition of Ole S. Breland et. al., was rejected owing to its illegality as to form.

There were seven other petitions of parties asking to be set off to other districts and all were granted.

The committee inspecting the extension of the Garnes ditch made their report and it was accepted, the contractor being paid in full and the bondsmen released.

The following appropriations were granted for road and bridge construction and improvement: Garaes $150, Mayfield $100, Polk Centre $200, Red Lake Falls township $50, Sanders $150, North $150, Rocksbury $200, Terrebonne $50, Red Lake Falls city $350.

The bid of the First State Bank for refunding $10,000 bonds was accepted.

A liquor license was granted to Alphonse Paquin of Lambert.

The treasurer's report and the report of the board of audit were accepted.

Auctioneer licenses were granted to Joseph Belair of this city and R. J. McKercher of St. Hilaire.

The board adjourned Tuesday forenoon after allowing several bills.

STUDY CLUB MEET

And Elect New Officers Last Week for Ensuing Year

The Study Club met at the home of Mrs. E. F. Marshall Tuesday evening of last week and elected a new set of officers for the ensuing year. The outcome of the election resulted as follows:

Mrs. E. F. Marshall, president.
Thomas Germo, vice-president.
Mrs. Thomas Germo, secretary.
L. C. Simons, treasurer.
Mrs. H. W. Knox, chairman program committee.

The program committee consists of three members and the two others will be selected by the chairman

Last year the club studied along the lines of English and American literature, finishing the English, and the coming year will study the American exclusively.

The ladies of the club are busily arranging for a banquet to be held in the near future. The date and place have not, as yet, been announced.

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Health Officer.

RECEIVED NEW STAMPS

A Special Series of Stamps Were Received at the Local Post Office Last Week

Postmistress Marshall announces that she has received a requisition of stamps to commemorate the founding of Jamestown in 1607. They were issued in April and will be sold to the public during the term of the Jamestown Exposition, up to November 30, 1907. They are of three denominations, 1-cent, 2-cent and 5-cent.

The 1-cent contains, in a semicircular frame, the portrait of Captain John Smith, taken from an old engraving. In the upper corners are medallions in relief in oval frames of Pocahontas and Powhatan; in the lower corners shields with the numeral 1; upon a scroll surmounding the protrait and conforming to the semi-circle, is the legend "Founding of Jamestown, 1607;" on the base, Captain John Smith, with the years of his birth and death, 1580-1631. In the semicircle above the head, are the words, "United States of America;" across the extreme top and bottom in white letters in black panels are the words. "Commemorative Series, 1907," and "Postage, One Cent."

The 2-cent stamp contains a picure depicting the landing of the adventurers at Jamestown in 1607. On one side is the tobacco plant, and on the other a stalk of Indian corn. Underneath on a scroll are the words, "Founding of Jamestown, 1607." In a curved panel over the picture in white letters are the words, "United States of America;" on the extreme top and bottom, in white letters on black ground, "Commemorative Series, 1907," and the words, "Postage, Two Cents." In each lower corner is a shield with the numeral 2.

The 5-cent stamp contains a protrait in an oval frame of Pocahontas. In a panel at the top in white letters are the words, "Postage, Five Cents." Under the protrait on a scroll, "Pocahontas," and the years of birth and death, 1595-1617. On either side of the protrait are shields, their bases resting on the lower panel, containing the numeral 5. Arising from behind these shields are scrolls, with the words, "Founding of Jamestown, 1607." In vertical panels on the right and on the left are the words, "Commemorative Series, 1907."

MEMORIAL EXERCISES

Arrangements For Observance of Memorial Day Is Completed.

In obedience to the promptings of a spirit of patriotism and devotion the people of this city will today pay their tribute of love and honor to the memory of those gallant martyrs who gave their lives that the Nation might live. Fitting and appropriate exercises will give outward expression of the reverence entertained by all for those heroic patriots who died in the defense of our country's flag in the darkest days of our Nation's history. But these exercises, touching and appropriate as they may be in their expression of devotion and honor, denote but a small part of the deep reverence, the sublime admiration all hold, not alone for the noble dead, but likewise for the equally noble living. The thousands who fell on the battle fields "gave" their lives; those who are living or have died since the dark days of the war offered their lives just as willing and as freely.

Close onto half a century has passed since the days of that terrible struggle wherein men's very soul's were tried in the crucible of suffering and sacrifice, and the ranks of the mighty thousands—mighty in point of numbers and in the deeds accomplished, but cruelly weak in the maimed bodies and all too generously hopelessly ruined constitutions—are thining at a fearful rate until but a few years will have elapsed before all will have been laid at rest beneath the sod. It is fitting, therefore, that while the few who are left remain with us that we join with them in spirit and in deed in their tribute to their dead comrades to the end that the spirit of patriotism of which their lives are beautiful monuments be perpetuated in the lives of those of the coming generation as well as in the lives of those of the present.

The exercises are well calculated to meet this purpose. The program arranged by the citizens committee will be held in the opera house as has heretofore been the custom. According to this program the procession will be formed on the Lafayette school grounds at 9:30 a. m. The members of the G. A. R. will be detailed to keep the line of march clear. They will march from the school grounds down Chicago avenue to Third street, thence to Main and north to the opera house. Following the veterans will come the band, who have kindly offered to furnish music for the exercises. The city officials, fire department, fraternal organizations and citizens will form the rest of the procession.

Following is the program of the exercises at the opera house:

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

Train wreckers at West Glendale, Cal., pulled rails from under the Southern Pacific coast line flyer, killing two men and injuring 22 other persons.

Sleeper of Chesapeake & Ohio flyer was derailed in Kentucky. One killed, 20 injured.

Nicholas Murray Butler urged that the question of disarmament be avoided at the Lake Mohonk conference on international arbitration and suggested instead that the restriction of further growth of great armies be advocated.

Presbyterian general assembly at Columbus, O., settled the temperance controversy by indorsing the Anti-Saloon league and forbidding committee on temperance to engage in political work.

Secretary Straus, in speech before Manufacturers' association, urged larger share for labor in prosperity and "drastic publicity" for corporations.

A Chicago & Alton train was narrowly saved by the station agent at Lemont from going through a bridge wrecked by the flood.

The National Manufacturers' association passed a resolution favoring tariff revision and more reciprocity treaties.

A New York diamond broker ran off with $250,000 worth of gems belonging to society people.

The president of the Illinois Medical association, in session at Rockford, scored the legislators for lightly treating laws wanted by the medical men.

Thirteen workhouse prisoners at Toledo overpowered a guard and escaped.

Secretary Cortelyou, in addressing postoffice officials, said he placed fitness and merit above party service as a recommendation for office.

President W. E. Corey, asked to vacate his job with the steel trust, dumped his stock in order to depress the market.

T. P. O'Connor, in an address to the United Irish League of Great Britain, declared that the defeat of the Irish bill will result in renewed efforts for the cause.

Evansville street car strikers lost their fight, the company being able to run all its cars.

Deposed school trustees of Chicago gained a partial victory when President Ritter declared a quorum present at a board meeting. Executive then sends in his resignation.

Henry C. Frick lost $30,000,000 in the recent stock slump, after an amazing career as a plunger, Wall street bears.

Railroad officials presented arguments before Gov. Deneen urging the repeal of the two-cent fare bill.

Two men attacked and murdered the 15-year-old daughter of a Long Island farmer and escaped.

Alleged agent of China disappeared from New York with gems valued at $250,000 and sent back pawn tickets.

Nineteen women, the first legislators of their sex ever to be elected in Europe, took their seat in the new Finnish diet, which assembled at Helsingfors.

Five lives were lost by the burning of the steamship Naomi during a trip from Grand Haven, Mich., to Milwaukee. Four stokers, imprisoned, died as the rescued passengers looked on. One passenger was burned fatally, the others being saved through heroic deeds performed by the crew.

Because they have been denied the privilege of bringing beer into the shops during working hours, and also because the company refused their demand that an unpopular foreman be removed, 250 men employed in the blacksmith shop of the Rogers locomotive works at Paterson, N. J., walked out.

Heavy frosts fell over the eastern half of Kentucky, damaging gardens, and is believed to have about completed the work of killing fruit.

Bank examiners refused to let a mysterious bank open at Philadelphia.

Pittsburg, angered by increase in the price of gas and by street car abuses, will ask the courts to annul grants to the utility company.

Dr. Harold N. Meyer, of Chicago, charges that certificates to practice medicine in Illinois can be purchased for cash.

Thomas A. Edison declared sleeping a bad habit fastened on us by our prehistoric ancestors and believes man will learn to do without it.

Operation of the universal suffrage law in Austria brought important changes and results in reconstruction of the lower house of parliament on new racial lines.

Mayor Busse formally demanded the resignations of 12 members of the Chicago board of education.

One man was killed, seven fatally injured and 19 others received minor hurts and bruises in a wreck on the Pan-Handle railroad at Holliday's Cove, W. Va., near Steubenville, O.

Five men were killed and four fatally injured at the Eliza furnace of the Jones & Laughlin steel company at Pittsburg.

The steam yacht Pantooset, one of the finest vessels in the New York Yacht club fleet, has been sold to the Cuban government, the price being about $270,000.

A cablegram from President Zelaya of Nicaragua, stating that a revolution broke out in Salvador was received by the Nicaraguan consul at New Orleans.

The National Association of Manufacturers will raise $1,500,000 to fight oppression of labor unions on both industrial and political affairs.

John Thompson Hargrave, former Methodist exhorter and Episcopal clergyman, was arrested at Richmond, Va., on a charge of swindling.

Howard Gould, his wife and many others must appear at hearing on scandal in New York police department.

Secretary Root says the world is growing better, that railroad and corporate abuses were once so common that nobody noticed them.

Rudolph Spreckels criticised Mayor Schmitz' committee of seven and the supervisors of San Francisco.

Secretary Root, speaking at Yale, said convictions of rebaters and exposures of financial operations like the Alton deal are signs of progress.

Fairbanks, Cannon and Knox are making bids for delegates in the east, and the presidential race, writes a correspondent, resolves itself into Taft against the field.

A great Irish convention at Dublin, led by John Redmond, unanimously rejected the British government's limited council bill and demanded complete home rule.

Fearing an increase in freight rates if the railroads are forced to carry passengers for two cents a mile, the National Association of Manufacturers, in session at New York, came out against compulsory fare reductions.

A negro and his mother were lynched and three other persons killed and seven injured in a fight in Georgia on account of the attempt of a negro, who escaped, to assault a white woman.

"Abe" Hummel, broken in spirit by the disgrace of being behind iron bars, collapsed physically at Blackwell, and was unable to assume the duties assigned to him at that prison.

The general assembly of the Presbyterian church at Columbus, O., decided that $1,100,000 must be raised for home missions in the next year. Committee ruled that pastors must not be affiliated with the Anti-Saloon League in their official capacity.

A loophole for Standard Oil is shown in the contention that companies as well as individuals are immune from indictment where evidence has been given before the grand jury.

Steamer officials mistook August Belmont for a noted card sharp.

Following the assassination of three police officials at Odessa, Russia, serious rioting occurred. The Black Hundreds ran wild through the streets mercilessly beating people, particularly Jews; more than a hundred of whom were seriously injured soon after the disturbances began. The police remained passive spectators of the disorder. No arrests were made and the Black Hundreds continued their work of revenge unchecked.

Black Hundreds in Odessa renewed their attacks on the Jews, beating many before Governor General Kaulbers took control and put an end to the rioting.

The douma is eager to aid popular education and factions harmonized in debate on the subject.

A new plot is thought to exist among Russian officials to depose the czar.

The secretary of the interior approved the selection of 123,348 acres of land selected by the state of Colorado in lieu of school lands otherwise disposed of. The selected lands are in the Sterling district.

The navy department received a dispatch from Commander Tappan of the cruiser Tacoma, saying that Ensign A. T. Brishin, who was accidentally shot, is dead.

The furniture trust was punished by fines amounting to $13,000 while the promoter, Frederick Holbrook, was assessed $5,000 by Judge Landis in the United States court at Chicago.

J. C. Bartles, president of the Bartles Oil company, of St. Paul, and two merchants from Stillwater and St. James, Minn., took steps preliminary to formal proceedings against the Standard Oil company on charges of violating the law prohibiting discrimination in the price of oil sold.

Abe Hummel, the notorious New York divorce lawyer, began his prison sentence of one year, and after donning stripes was lodged in cell No. 23.

Another venire and adjournment of court is expected to be necessary before the Haywood jury can be completed.

Minnesota railways complain of a loss of revenue by the operation of the two-cent passenger law.

All union workmen on the new county building in Chicago may strike because bricklayers object to being paid in checks.

Russian police arrested 38 men in raid to stop promulgation of report of London congress' proceedings.

Senator Foraker denounced the statement of Ohio Chairman Brown as "rank, dictatorial and offensive bossism."

Counsel for W. D. Haywood, on trial at Boise, is investigating the record of Harry Orchard with a view to impeaching his testimony by showing that he lied.

Pleading guilty to rebating on coffee shipments, the Rock Island railroad paid a fine of $20,000 in New York city.

Complaint is filed by Minnesota merchants that the Standard Oil ignores the recent law passed by the state legislature.

The Thomas House, the leading hotel at Fairbury, Ill., burned to the ground with all the furnishings, making the loss over $10,000.

Superman, owned by James R. Keene, proves an easy winner of the $20,000 Brooklyn handicap at Gravesend.

The Montreal longshoremen's strike was settled on the terms of the steamship companies.

Rev. Franklin E. E. Hamilton, aged 41 years, pastor the Temple Street Methodist church, Boston, has been elected chancellor of the American university at Washington.

Ensign Alfred T. Brishin, of the navy, who was to have been court-martialed as a result of the difficulty at Santiago, Cuba, between local police and sailors of the Tacoma, shot himself through the lung there.

The twentieth annual convention of the American Federation of Musicians opened at Cleveland, O., with 190 delegates present. President Joseph Weber, of Cincinnati, declared against European musicians and the competition of army hands.

The Presbyterian general assembly, in session at Columbus, O., after a lively debate, adopted a report favoring changes in church government through the establishment of executive commissions.

District Attorney Jerome, of New York city, proposes an investigation of alleged police connection with the Howard Gould case.

W. E. Corey and his bride reached Plymouth, England, after remaining secluded during the voyage across the Atlantic.

The law reducing the price of gas from one dollar to 80 cents is unfair, as the companies are not earning excessive profits, and the reduction would be confiscatory, special master ruled in the New York city case. The city probably will appeal to the United States supreme court.

The Brotherhood Welfare association entertained 120 real tramps at a real banquet in a first-class hotel in Chicago.

Mayor Busse accepted the resignations of five school trustees and removed seven others, thus leaving Chicago practically without a board of education.

Mayor Schmitz, of San Francisco, alleged that Rudolph Spreckels and his associates hope to make millions from the graft inquiry, which they are backing, and asked for a change in trial judges.

Strike mobs continued to damage street cars and attacked the crews in Evansville, Ind., and the company officials prepared to ask for troops.

Gun fighters, alleged agents of mine owners, declared to be seeking to provoke street fights with witnesses for Haywood.

Gen. Kuroki visited the tomb of Gen. Grant in New York and placed a laurel wreath upon it.

Jailer Whitman frustrated a jail delivery in Chicago in which Murderer Charles Hansen planned to use nitroglycerin.

Gen. Sherman M. Bell declared trial of Haywood at Boise was "a farce, unfair, and un-American."

Herbert Knox Smith, commissioner of corporations, reported to the president that the Standard Oil company, by accepting rebates and evading the law with its pipe lines, has throttled competition until it has gained a practical monopoly of the industry.

Junius B. Darby, a Chicago elevated motorman, was shot and probably fatally wounded by Mrs. Helga Anderson-Waskow, whom he had jilted.

The army and navy union has adopted resolutions favoring the re-establishment of the army canteen, or post exchange.

Miss Marian Maddux died at St. Joseph, Mo., from eating strawberries which had been chemically treated to ripen them.

Joseph H. Berry, one of Detroit's leading capitalists and a well known varnish manufacturer, died at his residence at Grosse Pointe, Mich. He was 68 years old.

The proprietor of a London west end music hall has just received from Evelyn Thaw a prompt rejection of his offer of an engagement at a weekly salary of three figures.

Special prayers for rain have been ordered in almost all the districts of Roumania in consequence of the abnormally prolonged drought. The harvest prospects are most discouraging, and widespread anxiety prevails.

After three hours' deliberation a jury at Council Bluffs, Iowa, returned a verdict of not guilty in the case of Pat Crowe, charged with holding up and robbing two street cars nearly two years ago. Crowe was immediately set at liberty.

When the Anchor liner Astoria just arrived at New York from Glasgow, was about 1,000 miles east of Sandy Hook she passed through a field of over 20 icebergs. The bergs were all medium-sized and were scattered over a wide area.

Lawyer Abraham Hummel, of New York, is refused a certificate of reasonable doubt and ordered committed to the penitentiary to serve year's sentence for perjury.

Irish "home rule" bill raised a storm of protest in Ireland and the United league will hold a convention in Dublin to discuss the measure.

Rumors of a romance between Howard Gould and an actress heard in New York in connection with Mrs. Gould's suit for limited divorce.

President Roosevelt left Washington for a short vacation at his wife's country home near Pine Knot, Va.

FIENDS WRECK TRAIN

PACIFIC COAST FLYER MEETS DISASTER NEAR LOS ANGELES.

ONE KILLED; MANY HURT

Fishplates Connecting Rails Are Removed and Tracks Pulled Apart with Wires—$10,000 Reward Offered.

Los Angeles, Cal.—A fiendish train wrecking plot was perpetrated near here Wednesday that resulted in the death of one man and the injury of 22 persons, four of whom are dying.

Train No. 20, one of the Southern Pacific's coast line flyers, due here at nine o'clock Tuesday night, was hurled from the tracks on a trestle at West Glendale, ten miles north of here, at 12:30 a. m. Wednesday by the deliberate work of murderous train wreckers. Seven cars plunged off the trestle, while the train was making 40 miles an hour, falling 16 feet to the bottom of a gulch.

At the Southern Pacific general offices in this city notices were posted offering $10,000 for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for the wreck. The officials announced that they had no clew whatever.

In accomplishing the wreck of the train, which was the "Coast Line Limited," a devilish ingenuity was exercised. At a point on a trestle over the Arroyo Seco the fishplates and bolts of two connecting rails on the southbound track had been removed, and in the apertures whence the bolts were taken strands of heavy wire were fastened at the end of each rail.

From the appearance of the track after the wreck it was evident that some person hidden on a hillside close to the trestle had pulled the wire as the train approached and spread the rails outward toward the edge of the trestle.

END TEMPERANCE FIGHT.

Presbyterians Adopt Resolutions Approving Anti-Saloon League.

Columbus, O.—Following two hours of exciting debate, which, at times became acrimonious and verged upon personalities, the Presbyterian general assembly Wednesday at the close of one of the liveliest sessions in its history adopted without a dissenting vote resolutions declaring as its policy that the permanent committee on temperance shall not embark upon or interfere in political work and endorsing the American Anti-Saloon league as a "safe, sane and effective organization in the great cause of temperance," and pledging to it the fullest cooperation "consistent with the constitution of the church."

Illinois G. A. R. Met.

Decatur, Ill.—Six thousand visitors were in Decatur on account of the meeting of the department of Illinois Grand Army of the Republic and six affiliated organizations. The business sessions Wednesday were chiefly occupied with reports of officers. In the afternoon a parade was held, with 18 visiting posts and many bands and drum corps in line, 4,000 men in all. Col. A. C. Matthews, of Pittsfield, was elected department commander without opposition. Quincy was chosen as the next meeting place. Mrs. Anna B. Tuck, of Plymouth, was elected department commander of the Woman's Relief Corps and W. C. Creighton, of Champaign, was elected commander of the Sons of Veterans.

Jury Disagrees.

St. Paul, Minn.—A special to the Pioneer Press from Fargo, N. D., says: After being out more than 94 hours, the jury which has been trying Mrs. Laura Cramer, charged with ordering her son, a mere boy, to shoot and kill her husband, Fred Cramer, at Page, N. D., Feb. 14 last, disagreed late Wednesday afternoon. This is the longest time on record that a jury has remained out without reaching a verdict. Two other juries have disagreed while considering the case.

Schmitz Trial Begins.

San Francisco.—Three of the first 12 probationary jurors for the trial, subject to peremptory challenge, of Mayor Schmitz on the charge of extorting money from local French restaurateurs with the connivance and help of Abraham Ruef, were chosen Wednesday. The list of the remaining talesmen being practically exhausted, Judge Dunne issued a new venire of 20. It is thought that the trial will last about six weeks.

Lutherans in Session.

Sunbury, Pa.—The forty-third annual convention of the General Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church of the United States convened in Zion Lutheran church Wednesday night. All the incoming trains brought crowds of delegates and visitors and the various committees were kept busy assisting them to their respective places of entertainment.

Wheat Passes $1.05.

Chicago.—Amid the wildest scene yet presented on the Chicago Board of Trade at its opening Wednesday December wheat took the biggest jump in the present campaign. It soared 5¼ cents over the dollar mark at the very opening of the pit. The panic in the pit was almost terrifying to witness. The buying orders from all over the country were pouring in by the thousands and the prices of wheat for July and September, as well as for December, kept above the one dollar mark. No May wheat was sold.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

State Fair Attractions.

Hamline.—Dan Patch, the king of pacers; Sweet Marie, the queen of trotters, and an airship that will navigate the air are some of the attractions assured for the state fair this fall. A new feature of the Dan Patch exhibition will be a moving picture machine carried in an automobile in front of the pacer. If Dan keeps up his past record of breaking his previous record on the local track those who fail to see this exhibition will be given an opportunity later of seeing the wonderful horse make his mile on the canvas.

The race program for this fall will be the best in the history of the fair. A new feature this year will be the Northwestern futurity with a guaranteed stake of $5,000, of which $3,000 will be for three-year-old trotters and $2,000 for three-year-old pacers. The futurity will be open for foals of 1907 to race as three-year-old in 1910, that are foaled, owned, raised and trained in Minnesota, Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa, North or South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Nebraska, Wyoming, Oregon and Washington, Manitoba and the Canadian provinces west of Manitoba.

Arrangements also have been made for the appearance of a noted French aeronaut who will give exhibitions with his airship.

Insurance Figures.

Minneapolis.—A total of nearly $9,000,000 was spent by Minnesota residents for life insurance during 1906, according to the preliminary life report of the insurance department.

The report shows that during the year the level premium or old line companies wrote 36,643 policies aggregating $27,271,455. The number of policies in force at the end of the year were 171,209, with an aggregate value of $199,137,840. The losses incurred in the state were $1,828,799 and the premiums received amounted to $7,202,656.

The report shows that during the year the net mortality was only 77 per cent of the expected mortality.

For these same companies a "loading expense portion of premiums" is given as $129,947,754 and actual expenses paid $108,783,360. These figures are for business in all the states of companies doing business in this state.

The report on the assessment life and accident associations shows 19,424 policies written in the state during the year, aggregating $8,130,300, and 20,083 in force at the end of the year aggregating $3,130,300; and 20,083 in force at the end of the year aggregating $10,493,375. These companies received in premiums $163,185 and paid losses amounting to $61,987.

P. O. Burglary.

Mendota.—The vault and the safe doors of the postoffice were shattered with nitroglycerin by burglars at 3 o'clock in the morning and $750 in cash and stamps were stolen.

The postoffice forms part of the general store of E. Bernier & Sons. The safe blower got into the building through a rear window. The safe in which the money was deposited is inclosed in a large vault expressly built for the purpose of securing the funds of Uncle Sam. The thieves lined the door of the vault with nitroglycerin and blew off the door. They evidently thought the plunder was within, but they were confronted with a safe inside the vault. This also was charged and blown open.

Mr. Bernier says that the total amount taken was about $750 to $780. He says that about $80 in money and stamps belong to the government.

Murder at Tenstrike.

Tenstrike.—What later may prove to have been a cold-blooded murder has been unearthed at Tenstrike in the finding of the body of John Johnson in Gull lake.

Early in February John Johnson and Peter Matihison hired out to William Fellows to cut timber and they established their camp near the lake. The men were busily engaged for five or six weeks cutting logs on the Fellows claim, two miles from town.

At the time of the disappearance of Johnson, Matihison also disappeared, but two weeks later he returned for his clothes and money. He said that he had been sick in the hospital; that he and his partner were going to locate in the West, and that his partner had gone. Matihison has not been seen in this vicinity since.

NEWS NOTES.

Lewiston.—Ora Gibbs, thirty-eight years old, committed suicide by hanging himself in a shed on the farm. Coroner Steinbach found the deed to be due to mental derangement.

Mankato.—Christian Larson of North Mankato has failed in two lawsuits to recover an acre and a half of land that ought to be his, but which Dame Nature has appropriated through the waywardness of her agent, the Minnesota river.

Luverne.—At a meeting of the board of education a resolution was adopted suspending for the balance of the school year, eleven of the high school boys who are charged with "having spanked Supt. Haverson's anatomy in the process of initiating that gentleman into the Society of the Red Owls."

Plenty of Fish Eggs.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota game and fish commission has this spring broken the record of any game and fish department in the United States for the number of pike eggs collected in any one season, and expects to be able a little later to claim the national record for the largest number of pike fry ever raised in any one state during a season.

Samuel F. Fullerton, superintendent of fisheries, says the work of collecting pike eggs is now over; that the pike eggs collected at a conservative estimate number 280,300,000, and that estimating that only half of these will hatch, the game and fish commission will later have 140,150,000 pike fry for free distribution for restocking waters thruout the state.

Hanged Himself

Thief River Falls.—J. H. Werstlein, a cattle buyer of this city, hanged himself in his barn. He is believed to have been mentally deranged. He came into the house late in the afternoon, washed himself and, putting on his coat and hat, stepped out of the door, as his wife supposed, to go down town. This was the last seen of him alive. After the family had finished supper the wife sent one of the sons to look for his father. Going to the barn the son discovered his father's body hanging from a rafter in the hayloft. Werstlein was forty-seven years old and is survived by a widow and seven children, the youngest of whom is a baby of ten months.

Accidentally Shot.

Kelliher.—While out hunting in the woods near here, John A. Aamodt sat down on a log to read a letter. He rested his gun across his leg, the muzzle pointing toward his stomach. While absorbed in the contents of the latter Aamodt's foot came in contact with the trigger of the gun and it was discharged, the load of heavy shot tearing a gaping wound in his body. A passerby heard the report of the gun, came over and found him writhing in agony on the ground. He died before assistance could be reached.

Killed by Steam Shovel.

Moorhead.—Sivert Siverson, twenty-eight years old, was killed by a steam shovel with which he was working near Muskoda. The accident happened about midnight and owing to the darkness is not exactly known how it occurred. In some manner the man was caught between the big scoop of the shovel and the end of the machinery and as the scoop rose he was caught and crushed to death.

Homesteader Missing.

Spooner.—Henry Hunke, a young settler, formerly of Duluth, who has been living on his claim on the Rapid river near the Clementson postoffice, has disappeared. His brother, William Hunke, who was his neighbor, believes that the missing man was murdered. Henry Hunke has been a sufferer from tuberculosis and two years ago came to this part of the state from Duluth to take the outdoor cure.

Silver Fox Trapped.

Fosston.—The first silver fox trapped in Minnesota for many years was captured recently on the Red Lake reservation. The skin has been sent to Knute Rierson of this place, who will dispose of it. The skin is of good size and quality and at the current rate of quotations probably will bring $200.

NEWS NOTES.

Minneapolis.—Bandits scarcely 15 years old and well versed in the art of robbery from reading dime novels, held up Charles Haugen in an alley back of the Tribune building, robbing him of $6, his entire cash supply.

Duluth.—At a distance of two and a half miles southeast of Hibbing, A. B. Coales of Virginia and A. M. Miller, Jr., of Duluth have shown up what is described as the largest bessemer ore body that has been found in several years on the Mesaba range. The deposit is estimated at 10,000,000 tons.

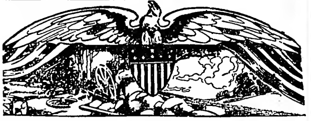
Red Lake Indian Agency.—John Morrison, Jr., has tendered his resignation as superintendent of the Cross Lake Indian school, which was established three years ago. Mr. Morrison leaves the service to engage in private business. His successor is Mr. Davis, an employe in the Indian service.

Rochester.—The dead body of an infant was found floating near a dam in the Zumbro river in North Rochester by two boys who were fishing. The body evidently had been in the water for several months, as it was in an advanced state of decomposition. No clue has been found as to the identity of the baby.

Belle Plaine.—To the little neighbor girl who sang to him as his life was ebbing away, and who devoted hours of her time to making him comfortable in his last days, James O. White has willed his entire estate. Miss Beatrice Stepaneck is the beneficiary, and the estate is valued at upwards of $10,000.

Washington.—A certificate to begin business with a capital of $25,000 was issued to the First National Bank of Biwabik.

Slayton.—By a vote of 102 to 18 Slayton voted $10,000 to build an addition to its schoolhouse.



Town's First Great Day of Decoration

Mr. Timothy Sullivan came down from Water Glen, Minn., and settled at Boomer, Okla., among the first comers, and the first thing he missed was the G. A. R. post. There were many other things that Boomer lacked, but the cheerful one-armed veteran did not mind these. They were merely bodily comforts and conveniences or the improvements of civilization, but the absence of a G. A. R. post struck him in his most salient spot. It hurt his one romantic vanity and injured him in his one cherished pride. He loved the G. A. R., and he loved the old flag, and his honest, cheerful, hard working soul lived from year to year in good natured unimportance to bask for one day in the deserved honor that was his on Decoration day. On that one day he had always been, at Water Glen, the proudest of the proud, as he marched at the head of the little procession to the resting place of the veterans of Kiowa county. His armless sleeve was none the less empty because he lost his arm in the Water Glen sawmill and not in battle. The arm, however lost, was a veteran arm, and had a bullet in it.

Not that he cared about the arm itself. It was a left one, and he had his pension, and his tastes were simple. He could have lived well enough in [illegible] county at Water Glen, but his friend Foley got the Oklahoma fever, and Sullivan went with him, taking a [illegible] claim in Boomer.

The first Decoration day at Boomer passed tamely for Timothy Sullivan. There was no band, no flag, no flowers, no minister to open the exercise, no exercises to be opened, not even a holiday. There were no schools to close. There was no town to speak of. There was not much of anything but stakes to mark the claims, tents, and a pump, but when the second Decoration day drew near Timothy Sullivan grumbled audibly.

"I've a mind to send home to Water Glen for my arm," said Sullivan. "'T could come in a box by the express company, and no harm done. 'Twould be a fine object lesson to the town of Boomer to have the arm of a soldier with a bullet of a rebel in it buried near by."

"'Twould so," Foley agreed, with as much enthusiasm as he could show while lighting his pipe. "'Twould so. 'Twould be the next best thing to having yourself buried here, Tim."

"Get me a pen, ink and paper," said Sullivan, "till I write for it."

He wrote this letter to his friend, Larry Casey, at Water Glen.

"Dig up and send me the left arm of me," he wrote, "by express, to be paid for at this end. 'Tis buried in the back yard of my old shanty, under the horseradish bed, in the big tin box. And I hope you are the same. Timothy Sullivan."

Larry Casey did the work well, and in due time a box arrived at Boomer. Sullivan did not open it, and he and Mike Foley buried it privately at the rear southwest corner of Sullivan's claim. They did not attempt nor even dream of anything ceremonial in the act. It was merely that Sullivan, as one might say, was getting himself together. No one likes to be scattered about the United States. They simply buried the box in the most conventional place and went about their business, which was principally doing nothing and waiting for Boomer town lots to rise in value.

But as Decoration day drew nearer Sullivan dwelt more regretfully upon the absence of memorial exercises. He felt a little delicate about himself proposing exercises to memorialize his own arm. It seemed a little like seeking to sing his own praises, and he felt a natural reticence about proposing a procession. He was glad, therefore, when Foley spoke of the idea as of one that had been fully decided upon. Foley opened the subject by saying:

"'Twill be hard to find flowers to decorate the arm on Decoration day, Tim. Missus Schwartz will lend the loan of her geranium plant, but there be no others, except we pick the wild ones off the prairie."

"Have ye spoke to any one else, Mike, of the procession, and all?" asked Sullivan, brightening up.

"Schwartz will be proud to belong to it," said Foley, "with his accordion. And the Chaykas will be in it, though for why they don't know, except 'tis a custom of their country, and them having took out their first papers. And the Rooshun Schmernoffs will contribute themselves and 11 of their kids, two being sick with the measles, or there would be 13. And Ole Olson is one of them that will do honor to the left arm of ye. Not one did I find to back out, Tim."

Foley, surprised at his own loquacity, puffed vigorously at his pipe and frowned.

"And all of them," he added, when he had got the pipe to burning normally again, "all of them would have ye be grand marshal of the day, Tim."

"I could borrow a sash ribbon off of one of the Schmernoff young ones," said Sullivan, and that was accepted by Foley as consent.

Decoration day was fresh and clear, and Tim Sullivan was early in the public square making his few arrangements for the day. The shanty and tent town known as Boomer was a sizzle of excitement. Schwartz was sitting in his doorway practicing on his accordion. The 11 Chayka children were having their faces washed. Ole Oleson was polishing the toes of his shoes, for there was not enough blacking in Boomer to go all the way round his large feet. At ten precisely the procession formed, with Schwartz at the head, and to the strains of the "Watch on the Rhine" marched once around the square. In front of Sullivan's they came to a halt, and the grand marshal of the day mounted his doorstep and faced them. At a signal from the grand marshal the band rendered the patriotic air "The Shoemaker Has My Slipper Lost" on the accordion, and then Sullivan took off his hat and made the address.

"Gentlemen and Mrs Chayka and kids," he said. "'Tis Decoration day, but I am no fancy speaker. I have to make the speech because I am the only veteran here but Schwartz, and he is a foreigner and don't count. We are going to decorate with these beautiful flowers." He pointed to the geranium that Mary Chayka was holding.

"With these beautiful flowers," he continued, "the resting place of part of one that fought to save the Union. 'Tis the left arm of him. And 'twas as brave a left as ever lived. I speak with knowledge, for I accompanied that same wherever it went in the war. Let us," he said, "give three cheers for it."

They gave three hearty cheers.

"In conclusion," said Sullivan, "before I go on with my speech I will say this much for it—it never took to its legs and run away, no matter how bad the fight was, and when 'twas shot with a rebel bullet it had to be carried off the field. Many's the time when its poor comrade was tired out it took the musket in its own hand. 'Twas a good arm, and no one knows it better than Timothy Sullivan, for 'twas my own, and the muscle on it was like a chunk of iron. I honor that arm," he declared earnestly, "and I honor the other one that still fills its sleeve, and I honor the two legs of me that tramped the many weary mile for the fine old flag, and I'm not ashamed of it."

Foley led the cheer that followed.

"Arms and legs!" said Sullivan, "and does any one say we should not decorate where they lie. In the war there was armies, and regiments, and companies, and squads, and a general over all. An in the soldier there do be the head for the general, and th' parts of him be the regiments and companies and squads, every part doing its duty for the flag the best it can, and one-tenth of a man that sticks up for the flag is more of a man any day than a dozen whole men that do not. Ye may be asking why do I come decorating me own arm, and am I full of vanity, like. Think shame, then, to think it! 'Tis but an arm, but 'tis the arm of an old soldier, and was it th' arm of any other soldier I would do the same. 'Tis the honor and memory of the grand old army I am thinking of. 'Tis but the part of a soldier ye come decorating to-day, but Tim Sullivan is getting old, and one of these days ye'll have the whole of him to decorate. Do so! Not for old Tim, but for the memory of all the boys that went to the front. 'Tis a grand country and free, and united, and we will now go to my backyard and decorate the place where rests the part of one that fought to keep it so."

He stepped to the ground, but the enthusiasm that had glowed on his face had departed. Here were no old comrades, the last three or four hardy survivors, to grasp his hand, but only alien faces, faces full of good will and faces that would be prompt to glow with patriotism should a new danger menace the republic, but still they were alien faces, but faintly grasping the grand meaning of this one day of the year. Sullivan steadied himself against the house.

"Go on home," he said; go on home! 'Tis kind of ye to be comin' out to humor an old man, but 'tis but an arm, anyhow. 'Tis but an arm and 'twould be wrong to spend the flowers on an arm that should be kept for a soldier. Go on home, and mebby, come next year, 'twill be a soldier's grave ye will have to decorate."

He sank down on the bench that stood beside his house, and the procession, understanding, went away. Only Foley remained.

"Are ye feelin' ill, Tim?" he asked anxiously.

"Ill!" said Sullivan, "Yes, ill, Mike! I feel they'll sure have a soldier to decorate next Decoration day. They'll not be disappointed next year, Mike."

"Sure, I hope they'll not be," said Foley, consolingly.—New York Herald.

"BIRD PARTY" IS PRETTY

Splendid Idea for Hostess Who Is Seeking Some Novelty for the Entertainment of Her Guests—Rhymes in Which Answers Are Cleverly Concealed.

One of the prettiest parties to be given this month is described here. The idea is not original with the hostess, but was given to her by a friend who also sent her the rhymes which I have copied for the benefit of all the department readers. The scheme is so clever that I am sure many a hostess will find it just the very thing she is looking for.

Each invitation will be decorated with birds, two of a kind, one to be sent to a man, the other to a woman, so partners or mates will be easily found when all have arrived. Vines, flowers in season, palms, ferns, and quantities of artificial flowers will transform the rooms into veritable bowers and cages containing canaries and parrots will enhance the woodland effect. Of course these will be borrowed and a number will be rented from a near-by store.

Stuffed birds, owls, etc., will perch upon branches of trees in a most realistic manner.

The place cards or favors are to be tiny nests filled with candy eggs, a little bird perched on the nest. Little booklets, with "Echoes from Birdland" painted on and a flock of birds decorating the cover, will contain the following rhymes, the hostess keeping the "key," which will be read after three-quarters of an hour, and a prize of a real live canary awarded to the person guessing the most; a toy bird rattle or whistle is to be the consolation prize.

A flash of sky on the wing.—(Bluebird.)

Oh! shall I call thee bird,
Or but a wandering voice?
Thy notes from household clocks are heard,
And children's ears rejoice.—(Cuckoo.)

King of the water, as of the air,
He dives and finds his prey.—(Kingfisher.)

Thy plaintive cry announces punishment.
And warns the luckless boy for whom 'tis sent.—(Whippoorwill.)

You introduce yourself throughout your song
And tell the world your brief old-fashioned name.—(Phoebe.)

"Bob White" you call
Along the marshy coast.
Speak not so loud
Or you will be on toast.—(Quail.)

Cooing 'neath the rafters,
Pouting sometimes, too,
Rippling like child laughter
All the winter through.—(Pigeon.)

An English emigrant, bird of the street,
So common that thou art not much liked at all,
Yet in the Good Book we are told
The Father He careth if one should but fall.—(Sparrow.)

Red-breasted harbinger of spring
We wait and hope to hear thee sing.
—(Robin.)

Yellow captive in a cage,
Silver notes thou giv'st as wage.
—(Canary.)

A flash of white upon the sea,
And yet 'tis not a sail,
A "little brother of the air"
Hath dared to ride the gale.
—(Seagull.)

Black robber of the corn fields, oh, beware,
The farmer can do other things than scare.—(Crow.)

We know how long ago
You frightened Mr. Poe—
Black prophet of adversity.—(Raven.)

Black-winged, in crimson thou art dressed,
Fine feathers make fine birds, it is confessed;
And none more fine than thou,
Oh, brilliant beauty of the bough.
—(Scarlet Tanger.)

Oh, singer famed by thousands, sweet the strain
That ripples from thy pulsing throat like rain.—(Nightingale.)

You imitate the foe who does you harm,
And so to the world give alarm.
—(Catbird.)

A symbol of perfect love
Sent from above.—(Dove.)

I supplicate
At heaven's gate,
And rest on wing
Where angels sing.—(Lark.)

I'm always offered a cracker,
And though I like it well,
I think some other viands
Would do me just as well.—(Parrot.)

An enormous pie is to be the centerpiece; around the rim there will be a circle of cunning little Japanese paper birds. The rhyme on each card attached to the ribbon leading to the places is as follows:

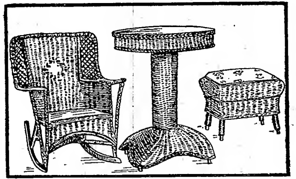
When the pie was opened
The birds began to sing!
That is where we'll fool you
For we'll not do any such thing.

When at the signal the ribbons are pulled each guest is to receive a card on which a Mexican feather bird is mounted. Any small favor will do though, if these are not obtainable.

The refreshments are to be chicken salad, sandwiches, ice cream in bird shapes, bird cookies and coffee.

MADAME MERRI

For the Summer Cottage



The cut illustrates some new designs in wicker and grass furniture, the first sketch showing a comfortable and well-shaped rocker in grass furniture painted an artistic green. The table depicted is convenient for the porch or living-room and has a sufficiently broad base to hold a lamp, a large fern bowl or any such ornament.

The little stool is both decorative and useful and the shapes may be had either in all wicker or with a cretonned cushioned top.

VEILS OF ALL KINDS

Queen of Them All Is One of Very Finely Woven Lace—Many Novelties Shown in Patterns.

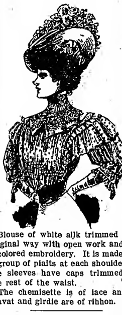
Again the veils are triumphant. Floating behind or draping from the chic hats of the year, they are like Peter Pan's shadow—quite indispensable to perfect happiness. The queen of 1907 in veils is of real lace, a finely woven lower border as pretty as a labor-loving lace weaver knew how to design it and then a surface sprinkled with the Brussels lace open dots and then an upper-edge of woven lace simpler than the lower edge. These tempting bits of finery begin at a yard in length and reach two yards. Any price at all may be paid, according to the quality of the lace weaving.

Next to this supreme veil are those of very fine Brussels net or another strong cobwebby lace with a sewn lace border. These come handsome and expensive, depending on the lace sewn on and the work in tucks or neatly stitched velvet or narrow satin ribbon.

Lace veils are draped on the small hats and fall from the large brims in becoming drapery. The milliner usually pins on a veil when she sells a hat and thus the proper style goes with the hat. Frequently a priceless veil is used to drape the crown of a fine straw hat, which is to be worn on informal occasions. White lace, cream and black are the regulation colors for stock veils. Brown, blue and pearl are the novelties which come to match costumes and these, too, are sold in exquisite quality and are too pretty to pass by.

The all-over pattern in veils is a novelty that goes only with a pretty face and high color. The all-over patterns left over from the lacemaking days of our grandmothers are to be treasured and when now and then one can be found at a high-class shop in imitation lace it is not to be despised, but should be picked up post haste.

WHITE SILK WAIST.



Blouse of white silk trimmed in an original way with open work and multi-colored embroidery. It is made with a group of plaits at each shoulder and the sleeves have caps trimmed like the rest of the waist.

The chemisette is of lace and the cravat and girdle are of ribbon.

In voile and similar sheer stuffs one finds many one-tone stripe designs, with stripes of varying width achieved in the weaving, or often with satin finished stripes. Lovely sheer voiles are shown, too, with big satin finished dots in self tone at rather wide intervals over the voile surface.

EGYPT'S NEW RULER

SIR ELDON GORST, BRITISH CONSUL IN NILE COUNTRY.

Succeeds Lord Cromer, Who Held the Post for Twenty Years—A Conservative, But Was Appointed by a Liberal Government.

London.—As the successor of Lord Cromer, the man who, for 20 years, has been the real ruler of Egypt, though nominally merely the British consul general there, Sir Eldon Gorst has a most difficult post to fill. Lord Cromer has been fittingly described as "the maker of modern Egypt." He found her almost ruined, her people desperate with suffering, her very existence in peril from the Dervishes; he leaves her in splendid prosperity, her population increasing in numbers and happiness, her finances established on a firm basis, her taxes lightened, her people freed from the tyrannies that so long oppressed them. To maintain such a huge standard of achievement and carry forward the work of Egyptian regeneration demands a statesman of the highest caliber.

Sir Eldon Gorst does not lack admirers who declare that he will prove the right man in the right place. He is the eldest son of a remarkably able man, Sir John Eldon Gorst, who is still living. He was named after his father long before, of course, it was known that he had inherited his father's brains. When his ability brought him a knighthood he dropped his first name that there might not be two Sir Johns in the family. But in Egypt everybody still speaks of him as "Johnnie" Gorst. He went there when 26 as an attache, and rose rapidly through the diplomatic grades. Great administrative talents and conspicuous social gifts commended him to Lord Cromer, and within an extraordinarily short time he had become under secretary to the ministry of finance, and again adviser to the ministry of the interior. "Adviser" in Egypt is a euphemism for the British official who is really the boss, but nominally the subordinate of the minister at the head of a department. He was financial adviser to the Egyptian government when, in 1903, he was summoned to London to assist the foreign office in the negotiations which resulted in the Anglo-French agreement that so largely contributed to giving England a free hand in Egypt. His services were rewarded by giving him one of the most responsible positions in the permanent civil service, that of under secretary of state for foreign affairs.

His selection as Lord Cromer's successor affords a significant illustration of the difference between English and American methods in making appointments of great responsibility and power. It was under a Conservative government that Sir Eldon won distinction and presumably he is a Conservative. Yet it is a Liberal government that makes him the new ruler of Egypt. The question of his politics is not taken into consideration. He is chosen for the task because he seems the man best fitted to fill the position.

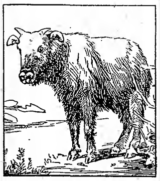
Sir Eldon knows all the ropes in Egypt, is personally acquainted with everybody who counts there and speaks Arabic and the native dialects fluently. Lord Cromer has wrought a marvelous work in Egypt. It may be doubted whether any single statesman has ever accomplished more striking results in any country. But it is his very success that renders all the more necessary, perhaps, a new and younger head to deal with the new conditions that result from that success. For Lord Cromer has created a nation—a nation which naturally wants to largely run itself. With these aspirations Lord Cromer has no sympathy. His ideal of Egyptian rule is that of a benign dictator. England is pledged not to reduce Egypt permanently to the condition of a protected Indian state. Sooner or later a beginning must be made with the work of teaching Egypt to rule itself. It is expected that Sir Eldon's administration will take the direction of paving the way for some form of constitutional government. It is a most difficult task requiring the utmost tact, firmness and judgment. Nothing would be more fatal than undue haste. Sir Eldon is 46. He has time in which to make for himself a name that will rival that of Lord Cromer. But should he succeed in setting Egypt on its own legs he will be exposed to the most scathing fire of hostile criticism while doing it. For many in England who most loudly proclaim their patriotism believe that it is only white races which are fitted for any measure of self-government.

SIR ELDON GORST.
(Successor to Lord Cromer as Ruler of Egypt.)

STRANGE ANIMAL OF FAR EAST.

Cross Between Ox and Antelope Found in Eastern Himalayas.

Chicago—The strange animal depicted in the illustration is scientifically known as the takin, and commonly is called the bull antelope of the Eastern Himalayas. He is a link between the ox and the antelope; and, according to Prof. Ray Lankester, there is nothing deceptive or misleading about the animal except its name, and this, after all, is only the name given to it, without intention to offend, by the natives of the Mishmi Hills on the northern frontier of Assam, whence the first specimen was obtained by Brian Hodgson 40 years ago from native hunters. It occurs also in the mountainous regions of western China, where a pale-colored variety of the species was discovered by Pere David, and in Thibet. The takin is not rare in the high mountainous regions where it occurs. Collecting at certain seasons in herds, it is said to seek protection in the high forests and to feed on grassy downs from which the snow is melted by the winter sun. It has rarely until to-day been shot by sportsmen on account of the political as well is physical difficulties presented to exploration in the country which it inhabits. The recent British expedition in Thibet resulted in some further expeditions across the frontier, and a few specimens of the takin have thus come to hand.



The Takin.

The scientific interest attaching to the takin depends on the fact that it furnishes one of the numerous links between the antelopes and the more familiar sheath-horned ruminants which we know as cattle (ox, buffalo, bison), sheep and goats.

The takin has in the adult broad tumid bases to the horns, which nearly meet in the middle line, and a curvature which is not unlike that presented by the horns of the gnu. There is, however, one northern cavicorn—the musk ox of the arctic circle—which in the general character of the horns and limbs, with large lateral hoofs, presents marked resemblance to the takin.

It is probable that the takin is an offshoot of the antelope stock which ultimately produced the musk ox, just as the chamois, the serow and the goral are probably remnants of another antelope line of ancestry which gave rise to the goats and sheep.

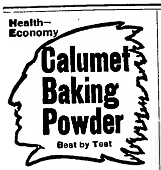
GATEWAY OF THE ALHAMBRA.

Famous Spanish Structure That Is Going to Ruin.

London.—The Alhambra, which is reported as rapidly goin to ruin, is one of the famous structures of the world, and, though mutilated and in decay, is said to be the best proof of the artistic character of the Moorish dominion in Spain. It stands on a hill north of Granda and is surrounded by a wall built of red brick. The structure was in times long past the fortified palace citadel of the Moorish kings, and all that remains is now grouped about two principal oblong courts, known as the Court of Blessing and the Court of Lions. In the latter is an arcade supported by 124 white marble columns. There is a network of smaller apartments, and all the surfaces are decorated with what has been built between 1248 and 1354, the first work having been done by King Mohammed Ibn-el-Ahmar. It was mutilated by Charles V. and Philip V., and was damaged by fire in 1890.

The Alhambra Gateway.

When you are on a visit, and the woman of the house makes you believe you are no trouble, that is tact, for, of course, you do make trouble.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QUICKER THAN LIGHTNING.

Action of the Human Body Outstrips Everything In Motion.

"As quick as lightning" is a phrase colloquially used to express the maximum of rapidity, but, according to a well known scientist, electricity itself is outstripped by that old fashioned machine, the human body, by which it appears powers can, so to speak, be generated in the brain, transmitted through the nerves and developed in the muscles in an infinitesimal fraction of a second.

It is stated that a pianist in playing a presto of Mendelssohn played 5,595 notes in four minutes and three seconds. The striking of each of these, it has been estimated, involved two movements of the finger and possibly more.

Again, the movements of the wrist, elbows and arms can scarcely be less than one movement for each note. As twenty-four notes were played each second and each involves three movements we would have seventy-two voluntary movements per second.

Again, the place, the force, the time and the duration of each of these movements were controlled. All these motor reactions were conditioned upon a knowledge of the position of each finger of each hand before it was moved, while moving it, as well as of the auditory effect to force and pitch, all of which involves equally rapid sensory transmissions.

If we add to this the work of the memory in placing the notes in their proper position as well as the fact that the performer at the same time participates in the emotion the selection describes and feels the strength and weaknesses of the performance, we arrive at a truly bewildering network of impulses coursing along at inconceivably rapid rates.

Such estimates show, too, that we are capable of doing many things at once. The mind is not a unit, but is composed of higher and lower centers, the available fund of attention being distributed among them.—Pearson's Weekly.

CONTROL OF ENERGY.

Is It Possible For the Human Race to Avert Extinction?

The only conceivable way in which the human intelligence can ever succeed in averting the "procession of the great year" is not by postponing the issue, but by reversing the process. The question is this: While energy is being dissipated in accordance with the natural law, can we so manipulate things as to accumulate energy, making the unavailable available—notwithstanding the fact that cosmic processes seem to be essentially irreversible? Now there is assuredly no inherent reason why we should not accomplish this. It is true that hitherto all the atomic evolution that has been observed is atomic disintegration. We may speak now, indeed, of the analysis of the elements. But so it was, we may remember, that the older chemistry began, and yet analytic chemistry was the precursor of synthetic chemistry. We began by breaking up compounds, but now we can make them—can, indeed, make compounds hitherto unknown in nature. Similarly, it is more than probable that we shall ere long learn to achieve the synthesis of the elements as well as their analysis. No energy is ever lost. Even when the radium atom, itself the child of the uranium atom, breaks down and dissipates its energy, ending, it is supposed, as the dull atom of lead, the original energies are not destroyed. Why should they not be gathered up again and thus again become available? Are matter and energy to go on their way, ultimately destroying the human race? For myself, I incline to the view that victory will rest at last with "man's unconquerable mind."—C. W. Saleeby, F. R. S., in Harper's Magazine.

LIZARDS OF BARBADOS.

They Can Change Color and Drop Their Tails at Will.

The green lizards which swarm on every tree certainly have the hardest life of any creatures in Barbados, since their flesh is so delicate that everything eats them which can catch them. Cats, fowls, birds, monkeys and snakes all devour the poor lizards, which have only two methods of defending themselves, both very inadequate for the purpose. One is their power of changing their color, whereby they can appear bright green at one moment on the leaf of an aloe and then dark chocolate brown on a piece of damp earth. If this does not conceal them from their enemy they drop their tails. The caudal appendage jumps from the ground and makes a frantic dance all by itself, and if the pursuer is deluded into seizing it the lizard avails itself of the chance to escape and grow another tail.

For the rest the poor lizards are harmless things, with pathetic eyes, in which lurks an expression of weariness and disillusion, as though they were as old as the world itself and had found it all vanity and vexation of spirit. They are fond of plaintive music and will enter at the open windows when a piano is playing and sit listening and nodding their queer flat heads and looking out of those wistful eyes at the player till he or she, if of an imaginative temperament, might fancy she were playing to an audience of transmigrated souls.—Chambers' Journal.

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DIET DELUSIONS.

They Come Down to Us From the Old Barbarous Tribes.

Some diet delusions are of most modern date, while others are of most respectable antiquity. Among the latter is that very ancient survival, the notion that particular foods are "good" for particular things or effects.

This is an almost direct descendant of the notion, held with greater or less unanimity by nearly all savage and barbarous tribes, that the flesh or viscera of birds and animals possessing particular qualities will be likely to produce the same qualities in those who eat them.

Thus Nero used to banquet on nightingales' tongues in the hope of improving his voice, and the savage cut out and devoured the heart of the bear, the liver of the buffalo, etc., believing that the strength and courage of these animals would thereby be transferred to himself.

It is probable that the most gruesome of ancestral rites—cannibalism—was largely due to the same belief, although, of course, in Neanderthal days primitive man would have no more hesitancy about eating his enemy after he had killed him than he would in devouring a bear or a deer.

In fact, the early converts of the missionaries in the South Sea islands referred to their favorite dish as "long pig." Every known race has at some time been cannibal.—McClure's Magazine.

Magyar Music.

Of Magyar art music seems to have gained the widest admiration, and it is certain that musical executants of the first order, and in the case of Liszt of unique grandeur, have justified part of the expectations with which musical Europe has long looked upon Hungary. Magyar music can be likened to nothing more aptly than to the exclusively Hungarian river Theiss. Capricious and majestic, teeming with life and silting up for miles, surrounded by charming fioriture of water lilies and alder trees and suddenly again by poisonous marshes and swamps, such is the Theiss, such is Hungarian music—stirring, bewildering, unspeakably saddening, inexpressibly exhilarating. It is the music of rhapsodic souls, of intoxication, of the battlefield, of wild war dances after the victory. But, like the great river, it cannot be regulated. —Nineteenth Century.

Sunlight For All the Leaves.

The telegraph plant of India has a method all its own for catching the sunshine. Each of its leaves is composed of three leaflets. The larger terminal one erects itself during the day and turns sharply down at night, while the other two smaller leaflets move constantly day and night, describing complete circles with a peculiar jerking motion like the second hand of a watch. Occasionally they rest for a period and then go on again, thus bringing every part of every leaf to the full action of the sunlight.

Mere Trifles.

"Folks all well this morning, Tommy?" asked a friend of the family.

"Yes'm," replied Tommy.

"I am glad to hear it. The last time I heard from them your papa was suffering from rheumatic gout and your mamma had neuralgia."

"Oh, yes, they've still got 'em. I thought you meant wse any of us sick."

The Gentleman.

It is possible for every man to assume an elegant manner, but the true gentleman is nature's own nobleman, who never forgets to be polite to every one, and it is as easy to discern the assumed from the innate good breeding as it is to distinguish paste from diamonds.—Dickens.

The Test.

The Soulful Girl—What is the true test of poetry? The Poet—Well, if one can get a poem accepted that is written on both sides of the paper he may rest assured that it is a good thing.

Every man is valued in this world as he shows by his conduct that he wishes to be valued.—Bruyere.

The Osprey.

Allusion is often made, especially in fashion journals, to "osprey" feathers. Few words have been more loosely bandied about than this bird name. The Roman author Pliny's "ossifraga" (bone breaker) has been identified with the lammergeyer, a vulture that is reputed to break up bones too big for it to devour whole by dropping them from a height upon rocks. But both "ossifrage" and "osprey," a newer form, came to be applied to quite another bird, the fish hawk, which is now the true "osprey." Yet the "osprey" feathers—more properly egret feathers, or aigrettes—do not come from this bird, but from the egret, or lesser white heron.

With a Home.

The great millionaire looked up impatiently.

"Well," he said, "what is it?"

"I desire, sir," the young man faltered, "to marry your daughter, provided"—

The other frowned.

"Provided what?"

"Just provided," murmured the youth.

Vocabularies.

The English language, according to a German statistician who has made a study of the comparative wealth of languages, heads the list with the enormous vocabulary of 260,000 words; German comes next, with 80,000 words; then Italian, with 75,000; French, 30,000; Turkish, 22,500, and Spanish, 20,000.

PINK LEMONADE.

The Story of Its Introduction to the Circus Public.

"Old Peter Conklin, the clown," said a circus official, "was the first to give pink lemonade to the world.

"It dates back to 1857, when Conklin was traveling in the south with Jere Mabie's big show. Conklin had a dispute with Mabie and jumped the show down in Texas. I've had the story right from his own lips. He bought a couple of mules and an old covered wagon, some tubs, tartaric acid, a lemon, a bushel or two of peanuts and started in the refreshment business. He followed the circus with his wagon, and every time the tents were pitched he would mount a box and harangue the crowd with:

"Here is your ice cold lemonade,
Made in the shade.
Stick your finger in the glass;
It'll freeze fast.

"The lemonade sold splendidly, and he couldn't wait on the people fast enough. One day he was surrounded by a mob scrambling for 'the juice,' when his water supply ran out. There were no wells or springs at hand. He rushed into the big tent, but there was ne'er a drop of water to be had. In his excitement he invaded the dressing tent. Fannie Jamieson, the bareback rider, was wringing out a pair of pink tights, the aniline dye coloring the water a very pretty shade. Conklin didn't stop to ask any questions. He grabbed up the tub and ran. Into the tub he threw some acid and the property lemon and called out:

"'Come quickly. Buy some fine strawberry lemonade.'

"His sales were doubled that day, and since then no well regulated circus is without pink lemonade. However, we do not make it the same way now, and sometimes strawberries are used as well as lemons."—Exchange.

BRUNSWICK STEW.

A Gastronomic Triumph With a National Reputation.

This celebrated stew originated in Brunswick county, Va., from which it takes its name—a county most famous in antebellum days for its perfect cuisine and gastronomical predilections. The originator was either Mr. Haskins or Mr. Stith, each claiming during a long life the distinction of having made the first stew and dying without a proper adjustment of the controversy. While made everywhere in the habitable globe, it is seldom made properly. It was introduced in Paris by Judge John T. Mason of Virginia. Only in Brunswick county is this stew so appetizing, so piquant in the seasoning to be found in all its perfection. To this remark of the writer made to a gentleman in the far south he replies, "The egotism of a Virginian suggests perfection in all things there, and the slow pace of the state ample time to arrive at it." The recipe is as follows: One of three kinds of meat is used—lamb, chicken or squirrel. If chicken, it is first parboiled, cut up as if to fry, the outer skin removed, then put on in hot water—a-plenty to cover it—a large onion cut fine, a large slice of middling meat cut fine, black and red pepper in abundance and salt. After cooking until the bones can be extracted, and hot water added if not enough, corn cut off the cob and tomatoes chopped fine are added, with half a pound of butter, more pepper and salt. Before serving add stale light breadcrumbs. Never add Irish potatoes or butter beans or any vegetable save corn and tomatoes. Serve in a tureen. It should be the consistency of thick soup and very highly seasoned. It is considered one of the finest of stews and has a national reputation.—Richmond Times.

"Americanisms."

"Fired out," commonly supposed to be an "Americanism," has been traced home to Shakespeare. In one of his sonnets he says:

Yet this shall I ne'er know, but live in doubt
Till my bad angel fire my good one out.

"Say," as an exclamation to attract attention to the beginning of a remark, is common enough and not very elegant. At least so thought a school teacher who resolved to break his pupils of the habit of using it. A bright one quoted, however, this from "The Star Spangled Banner:"

Oh, say, can you see?

If the American people sing "say!" in the national hymn, say, why not say "Say?"

As to Bow Legs.

A bow legged man usually possesses more than ordinary strength. Why? Because his legs in supporting great weight can bend in one direction only, whereas the man with straight legs is inclined to be wabbly. Such being the case, why should not a knock kneed man be stronger than a bow legged one? His knees, being braced against each other, ought to be more steadfast than legs bending outward. Yet we all know that the knock kneed man generally goes into consumption and is at all times weaker than his bow legged brother.—New York Press.

Optimistic Sure.

Newberry—Is Sanford of an optimistic temperament? Baldwin—I should say he is. I have known him to go into a restaurant without a cent in his pocket, order a dozen oysters and feel satisfied that he could pay his bill with a pearl.—Life.

Just Playing Possum.

"So you are going to retire from politics?"

"Yes," said the municipal boss, "I'm going to retire. But I'm not going to sleep so soundly that I can't be awakened."

Men ought not to investigate things from words, but words from things.—Myson.

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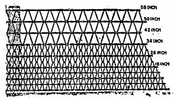

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The Busy Store **Red Lake Falls, Minn,**

Thos. Germo was at Crookston Saturday, representing some Lambert farmers in their protest against the construction of Judicial Ditch No. 7, which is now under way. It is claimed that the ditch will bring too much water from the lands above onto the farm land in Lambert.

J. S. Hanson arrived in the city Tuesday from Bemidji and went to Red Lake Falls to transact business for the Crookston Lumber company. Mr. Hanson was connected with the local offices of the Crookston Lumber company a few years ago and is known here by a wide circle of friends.—Crookston Times.

John Patnode, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marcil Patnode of Louisville town, died at the home of his parents last Monday morning at 6 o'clock. He had been a sufferer of that dread disease, consumption, for some time. At the time of his death he was 24 years of age. The funeral services was held Tuesday and interment were made in the cemetery west of town. A large number of friends paid tribute to the remains of one of their number.

Mrs. Arthur Zaiser went to Crookston last evening to be present at the wedding of her sister, Miss Flora Eickhoff, to J. Arthur Williams, of Grand Eorks, to take place, June the third. Miss Eickhoff is well known here, having visited in the city on several occasions, and her many friends will wish her much happiness. The young couple are planning on taking a wedding trip and will be "at home" after July 10 in Grand Forks.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher came over from Grand Forks Friday and spent Saturday and Monday in the city at Dr. Wilkinson's office attending to dental duties. The Gazette received a communication from the doctor to announce his coming but in some manner was misplaced, the people in the city being entirely unaware of his presence until they saw the genial doctor. However, next time, it won't occur, and the public will receive sufficient notice.

About twenty young boys and girls gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Toupin last Saturday evening: complimentary of Miss Dora Toupin's sixteenth birthday and spent a very pleasant evening. Games were played and the affair wound up with a dainty luncheon. Miss Dora was the recipient of a handsome souvenir spoon.

Miss Flora Eickhoff was honor guest at a parcel shower given Monday evening by Miss Mary Engstrom. The evening was pleasantly spent with games. Miss Thora Hagen winning the prize in the guessing game. Miss Eickhoff was the recipient of many pretty gifts appropriate to the occasion. There were about twelve guests present.—Crookston Times.

Dan Bray received injuries last Sunday evening that will lay him up for some time to come. While out riding with several companions on the Northside the team ran away and Dan fell out of the buggy landing on his left arm breaking it at the elbow. He was immediately taken back to town and Dr. Wilkinson called to set the injured member. He also received several other injuries on the face. He is getting along nicely at present.

It is learned from an authentic source that the elevator which the Red Lake Falls and Crookston Milling company lost by fire at Benoit station some years ago is to be rebuilt this summer and will be ready to receive the crop this fall. This will be good news to the farmers in that vicinity as it will mean a closer market for their grain this fall and will also mean strong competition for the elevator people which cannot help but result in good to the farmers.

Prosper Grandbois, for the past thirty years a resident of Lake Pleasant township, died at the city hospital in this city Monday, at the age of 88 years, of old age. Deceased came to this county in 1878 settling in what is now Lake Pleasant town. The town received its name from a lake on Mr. Grandbois' land. The funeral services were held yesterday from St. Joseph's church, Rev. Father Fayolle officiating, and the remains were interred in the cemetery east of the city. A large number of friends were present to pay respect to the last sad rites.

The first outdoor band concert of the season took place in the city hall square Tuesday evening and there was a large crowd out. Before the concert the band paraded the streets and played several good selections. The concert numbers were rendered with usual precision and under the the able direction of L. P. Berthon are maintaining the reputation established. Following the concert the band dispersed to the city hall where a few hours of rehearsal was had for the Memorial Day exercises.

A pleasant afternoon party was given yesterday at the K. of P. hall when Mesdames Tracy, Gaass and Wilkinson were the hostesses. The first pleasing event was a set of riddles, the answers being the names of some cloth. In this contest Mrs. Robert Bourdon was winner of the prize, a handsome souvenir pin cushion. It wat in the second event that the ladies were mystified as to its outcome. Each guest was required to bring a pen knife. A bottle was passed among them and later some corks. They were then instructed to cut tho corks to fit the bottle. In this contest Mrs. Wm. Harlow won the prize—a bottle of perfume. At the conclusion of the contests Miss Ina Linnihan recited and Miss Alice Erickson rendered several vocal solos, accompanied on the piano by Misses Wilson and Igna Hamry. Freund's orchestra also assisted in the musical program. Refreshments were served and at the close of this and the guests departed for their homes.

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THE LOCAL FIELD

ITEMS OF INTEREST DURING THE WEEK

J. G. Weeks, of Thief River, was in the city Sunday.

Damon's Colored Musical Company. Opera house, June 4.

S. J. Larson, of Wylie, was in the city on business Tuesday.

CANDY—If it comes from SPILLANE'S it must be good.

Chas. W. Latta, of Plummer, was in the city on business Monday.

Joseph Helm transacted business at Crookston over Monday night.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for Farm loans. Rate 7 percent.

Dr. Langevin, of Crookston, was here Tuesday on professional matters.

Garceau & Zaiser shipped two carloads of potatoes to Grand Forks this week.

H. H. Zaiser went to Grand Forks yesterday morning returning in the evening.

J. B. Armstrong drove to Plummer Monday and from there took the Soo for the cities.

Fresh fancy cookies, a big stock just received at Freund's. Call in and see them.

Mrs. Fred Cyr went to Crookston last Saturday and visited with friends until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Skarud departed today for an extended visit at their old home at Ada.

James Egan returned yesterday morning from a trip to North Dakota on land business.

M. O. Sortedahl went to Northwood, Iowa. last Thursday and expects to return tomorrow.

The finest line of candies and confectionery in the city can always be found at Freund's.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Hall spent Sunday at Crookston, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Selvan Hall.

C. L. Hanson was a passenger for St. Hilaire Monday after spending Sunday in Crookston.

Freund's orchestra furnished music for the Antlers's club dance at Thief River last Friday night.

Deputy Dairy Inspector Winkjer was in the city Monday, attending to matters at the creamery.

Damon's Colored Musical company, with a cast of 12 members, will show at the opera house on Tuesday evening, June 4.

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Information regarding good farm that is for sale and which can be bought of owner. No agents need answer. Wish to hear from owner only willing to close his own deal and save buyer paying big commission and fancy price to some agent. Would also like to hear of good small business for sale by owner.

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T. A. Momrak, a prominent farmer of the town of Gervais, was a pleasant caller at the Gazette office Monday.

Damon's Colored Musical company at the Metropolitan opera house, in this city. Tuesday evening, June 4.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter went to Thief River Falls yesterday morning to visit with relatives and friends until Friday.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson went to Wylie Tuesday to visit at her home and to attend a meeting of the Ladies Aid society.

Mrs. John Draper arrived in the city Tuesday from Thief River Falls and will visit here for a time with old friends.

Verne Healy and H. H. Zaiser attended the dance given by the Antler's club at Thief River last Friday night.

Mrs. Chas. N. Bourdon returned Monday morning from Crookston, after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. H. E. Nesne.

Frank Jaen, of Brooks, was in the city Monday and dropped in The Gazette office and ordered the paper sent to him at Brooks.

Mrs. J. E. Argue departed Friday for Duluth, where she will visit for a week or ten days with her friend, Miss Laura Hollinshead.

John A. Rothsten, street commissioner of Plummer, was in town Tuesday on business at the court house with the county auditor.

A. H. Ackre, of Thief River, was tranacting business in the city Tuesday and spent a few pleasant hours at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Floan.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, June 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

T. F. Lowry, E. A. Mills and J. Laughlin went up the line to Greenbush in a special car Tuesday morning, returning to Crookston in the evening.

Miss Laura Lizee arrived home Saturday from Crookston, where she is attending the Crookston College. She returned to her studies Monday evening.

E. G. Storaasli arrived in the city yesterday where he is manager of the Globe Realty company. Mr. Storaasli says he has a nice business in the cities. He returned last evening.

J. Drew Marshall departed last Friday, via Plummer, for St. Paul. From St. Paul he was sent to Friend, Nebraska, where his company have a contract to install an electric light system. Mr. Marshall will manage the work.

L. C. Simons returned home yesterday morning from the cities. Mrs. Simons went on to Granite Falls and will visit there for a time before returning home.

Verne, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bronillet, is quite seriously ill with pneumonia. It is hoped that the little one will be restored to his natural health shortly.

Conductor James Byrnes, who has been running a passenger on the Duluth line out of Crookston, has began punching tickets on the Greenbush line. Conductor Clark will go back to the day run between Crookston and Barnesville.

Frank Brouillet returned Monday morning from Rochester, having been there for an affliction of the lip. Frank states that he is feeling well under the conditions. Anyhow he looks it with the nice beard he has grown during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere departed last evening for Crookston, where Mrs. LaBissoniere will visit while Theo. is attending the initiation exercises of a class of Knights of Columbus at Fargo this evening. They expect to return tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Padden and L. D. Padden drove to Crookston last Friday afternoon. They returned in the evening accompanied by S. M. Sivertson. The roads between here and Crookston are in very fine condition, it is said the best for several years.

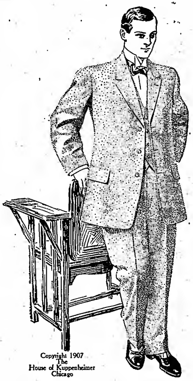
Mr. and Mrs. James H. Cross arrived in the city Saturday evening from Grand Forks, to spend Sunday with Mrs. Cross' parents. Mr and Mrs. P. E. Pirath. Mr. Cross is employed on The Press at Grand Forks. They returned to their home Monday.

Mrs. Tony LaBriere, of Drayton, N. D., and her cousin, Miss Mamie Regan, who have been in this city since the death of Mrs. LaBriere's father, Timothy Regan, left this morning for Red Lake Falls, where Mrs LaBriere will be a guest at the home of Miss Regan for a few days.—Crookston Times.

Theo Jacobson held an auction sale of his live stock and machinery last Tuesday on the farm he recently disposed of to C. E. Patterson, of Marshall, Minn., and yesterday he commenced hauling his household effects to the city to be shipped to Lyon county. He will take up his residence in Marshall.

John A. Pokezwinski returned Saturday from Moorhead, having testified in a case against the Northern Pacific railroad. About three months ago the plaintiff in the case, a Mrs. Mary Cummings, of Barnesville, was standing on the depot platform at Perham awaiting the arrival of a train, and when it came up the mail clerk threw out a pouch which struck her foot, causing such injuries that the member had to be amputated. She sued for $20,000 and got a verdict of $6,528.76.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

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CHAPTER XXXIV.—Continued.

But Prudence was not there, and he wondered with dismay if she had joined the rest of the village and gone out to meet the prophet. He had seen the last of them going along the dusty road to the north, men and women and little children, hot, excited and eager. It did not seem like her to be among them, and yet except for those before him working about the bowery, and a few mothers with children in arms, the town was apparently deserted.

Even as he waited he heard the winding alarm of a bugle, and a scurrying of hacks in the dusty haze far up the road. The Wild Ram of the Mountains gave a few hoarse commands for the very final touches, called off his force from the now complete bowery, and a solitary Gentile was for the moment left to greet the oncoming procession.

Presently, however, from the dark interiors of the log houses came the mothers with babies, a few aged sires too feeble for the march, and such of the remaining housewives as could leave to a little time the dinners they were cooking. They made but a thin row along the little street, and Follett saw at once that Prudence was not among them. He must wait and see if she marched in the approaching procession.

And the mounted escort was coming into view, four abreast, captained by Elder Wardle, who, with a sash of red and gold slanted across his breast, was riding nervously, as his seat could be kept only by the most skilful horsemanship, a white mule that he was known to treat with [illegible] disrespect on days that were not great. Behind the martial Wardle was Peter Peterson, Peter Loud Peterson, and Peter Long Peter Peterson, the most martial looking men in Amalon after their leader; and then came a few more fours of prominent mounted Saints.

After this escort, separated by an interval that would let the dust settle a little, came the body of the procession. First a carriage containing the prophet, portly, strong-faced, easy of manner, as became a giant who felt kindly in his might. By his side was his wife, Amelia, the reigning favorite, who could play the piano and sing "Fair Bingen on the Rhine" with a dash that was said to be superb. Behind this float of honor came other carriages bearing the prophet's counsellors, the apostles, chief bishop, bishops generally, elders, priests and deacons, each taking precedence near the prophet's carriage by seniority of rank or ordination. Along the line of carriages were outriders, bearing proudly aloft the banners upon which suitable devices were printed:

"God Bless Brigham Young!"

"Hail to Zion's Chief!"

"The Lion of the Lord."

"Welcome to our Mouthpiece of God!"

Behind the last carriage came the citizens in procession, each detachment with its banner. The elderly brethren stepped briskly under "Fathers in Israel"; the elderly sisters gazed proudly aloft to "Mothers in Israel." Then came a company of young men whose banner announced them as "Defenders of Zion." They were followed by a company of maidens led by Matilda Wright, striving to be not too much elated, and whose banner bore the inscription, "Daughters of Zion." At the last came the children, openly set up by the occasion, and big-eyed with importance, the boy who carried their banner, "The Hope of Israel," going with wonderful rigidity, casting not so much as an eye either to right or left.

But Prudence had not been in this triumphal column, nor was she among any of the women who stood with children in their arms, or who rushed to the doors with sleeves rolled up and a long spoon or fork in their hands.

Then all at once a great inspiration came to Follett. When the last dusty little white-dressed girl had trudged solemnly by, and the head of the procession was already winding down the lane that led to Elder Wardle's place, he called himself a fool and turned back. He walked like a man who has suddenly remembered that which he should not have forgotten. And yet he had remembered nothing at all. He had only thought of a possibility, but one that became more plausible with every step; especially when he reached the Rae house and found it deserted. Whenever he thought of his stupidity, which was every score of steps, he would break into a little trot that made the willows along the creek on his left run into a yellowish green blur.

He was breathing hard by the time he had made the last ascent and stood in the cool shade of the comforting pines. He waited until his pulse became slower, wiping his forehead with the blue neckerchief which Prudence had suggested that she liked to see him wear in place of the one of scarlet. When he had cooled and calmed himself a little, he stepped lightly on. Around the big rock he went, over the "down timber" beyond it, up over the rise down which the waters tumbled, and then sharply to the right where their nook was, a call to her already on his lips.

But she was not there. He could see the place at a glance. Nothing below met his eye but the straight red trunks of the pines and the brown carpet beneath them. A jay posed his deep shining blue on a cluster of scarlet of sumac, and, cocking his crested head, screamed at him mockingly. The canyon's cool breath fanned him and the pine-tops sighed and sang. At first he was disheartened; but then his eyes caught a gleam of white and red under the pine, touched to movement by a low-swinging breeze.

It was her hat swaying where she had hung it on a broken bough of the tree she liked to lean against. And there was her book; not the Book of Mormon, but a secular, frivolous thing called "Leaflets of Memory, an Illuminated Annual for the Year 1847." It was lying on its face, open at the sentimental tale of "Anastasia." He put it down where she had left it. The canyon was narrow and she would hardly leave the waterside for the steep trail. She would be at the upper cascade or in the little park above it, or somewhere between. He crossed the stream, and there in the damp sand was the print of a small heel where she had made a long step from the last stone. He began to hurry again, clambering recklessly over boulders, or through the underbrush where the sides of the stream were steep. When the upper cascade came in sight his heart leaped, for there he caught the fleeting shimmer of a skirt and the gleam of a dark head.

He hurried on, and after a moment's climb had her in full view, standing on the ledge below which the big trout lay. There he saw her turn so that he would have sworn she looked at him. It seemed impossible that she had not seen him; but to his surprise she at once started up the stream, swiftly footing over the rough way, now a little step, now a free leap, grasping a willow to pull herself up an incline, then disappearing around a clump of cedars.

He redoubled his speed over the rocks. When she next came into view, still far ahead, he shouted long and loud. It was almost certain that she must hear; and yet she made no sign. She seemed even to speed ahead the faster for his hail.

Again he sprang forward to cover the distance between them, and again he shouted when the next view of her showed that he was gaining. This time he was sure she heard; but she did not look back, and she very plainly increased her speed.

For an instant he stood aghast at this discovery; then he laughed.

"Well if you want a race, you'll get it!"

He was off again along the rough bed of the stream. He shouted no more, but slowly increased the gain he had made upon her. Instead of losing time by climbing up over the bank, he splashed through the water at two places where the little stream was wide and shallow. Then at last he saw that he was closing in upon her. Soon he was near enough to see that she also knew it.

He began at that moment an extended course of marveling at the ways of woman. For now she had reached the edge of the little open park, and was placidly seating herself on a fallen tree in the grove of quaking aspens. He could not understand this change of manner. And when he reached the opening she again astounded him by greeting him with every manifestation of surprise, from the first nervous start to the pushing up of her dark brows.

"Why," she began, "how did you ever think of coming here?"

But he had twice hurried fruitlessly this hot morning and he was not again to be baffled. As he advanced toward her, she regarded him with some apprehension until he stopped a safe six feet away. She had noted certain lines of determination in his face.

"Now what's the use of pretending?—what did you run for?"

"I?—run?"

Again the curving black brows went up in frank surprise.

"Yes,—you run!"

He took a threatening step forward, and the brows promptly fell to a serious intentness of his face.

"What did you do it for?"

She stood up. "What did I do it for?—what did I do it for?"

But his eyes were searching her and she had to lower her own. Then she looked up again, and laughed nervously.

"I—I don't know—I couldn't help it." Again she laughed. "And why did you run? how did you think of coming here?"

"I'll tell you how, now I've caught you." He started toward her, but she was quickly backing away into the opening of the little park, still laughing.

"Look out for that blow-down back of you!" he called. In the second that she halted to turn and discover his trick he had caught her by the arm.

"There—I caught you fair—now what did you run for?"

"I couldn't help it." Her face was crimson. His own was pale under the tan. They could hear the beating of both their hearts. But with his capture made so boldly he was dumb, knowing not what to say.

The faintest pulling of the imprisoned arm aroused him.

"I'd 'a' followed you till Christmas come if you'd kept on. Clear over the divide and over the whole creation. I never would have given you up. I'm never going to."

He caught her other wrist and sought to draw her to him.

With head down she came, slowly, yielding yet resisting, with little shudders of terror that was yet a strange delight, with eyes that dared give him but one quick little look, half pleading and half fear. But then after a few tense seconds her struggles were all housed far within his arms; there was no longer play for the faintest of them; and she was strained until she felt her heart rush out to him as she had once felt it go to her dream of a single love,—with the utter abandon of the falling water beside them.

His voice came to her in a dull murmur, and the sound of the running water came, again like the muffled tinkling of little silver bells in the distance. Both his arms were strong about her, and now her own hands rose in rebellion to meet where the kerchief was knotted at the back of his neck, quite as the hands of the other woman had rebelliously flung down the scarf from the balcony. Then the brim of his hat came down over her hair, and her lips felt his kiss.

They stood so a long time, it seemed to them, in the high grass, amid the white-barked quaking aspens, while a little wind from the dark pines at their side, lowered now to a yearning softness, played over them. They were aroused at last by a squirrel that ran half-way down the trunk of a near-by spruce to bark indignantly at them, believing they menaced his winter's store of spruce cones piled at the foot of the tree. With rattle after rattle his alarm came, until he had the satisfaction of noting an effect.

The young man put the girl away from him to look upon her in the new light that enveloped them both, still holding her hands.

"There's one good thing about your marriages,—they marry you for eternity, don't they? That's for ever—only it isn't long enough, even so—not for me."

"I thought you were never coming."

"But you said"—he saw the futility of it, however, and kissed her instead.

"I was afraid of you all this summer," he said.

"I was afraid of you, too."

"You got over it yesterday all right."

"How?"

"You kissed me."

"Never—what an awful thing to say!"

"But you did—twice—don't you remember?"

"Oh, well, it doesn't matter. If I did it wasn't at all like—like—"

"Like that—"

"No—I didn't think anything about it."

"And now you'll never leave me, and I'll never leave you."

They sat on the fallen tree.

"And to think of that old—"

"Oh, don't talk of it. That's why I ran off here—so I couldn't hear anything about it until he went away."

"Why didn't you tell me you were coming?"

"I didn't think you were so stupid."

"How was I to know where you were coming?"

But now she was reminded of something.

"Tell me one thing—did you ever know a little short, fat girl, a blonde that you liked very much?"

"Never!"

"Then what did you talk so much about her for yesterday if you didn't? You'd speak of her every time."

"I didn't think you were so stupid."

"Well, I can't see—"

"You don't need to—we'll call it even."

And so the talk went until the sun had fallen for an hour and they knew it was time to go below.

"We will go to the meeting together," she said, "and then father shall tell Brigham,—tell him—"

"That you're going to marry me. Why don't you say it?"

"That I'm going to marry you, and be your only wife." She nestled under his arm again.

"For time and eternity—that's the way your church puts it."

Then, not knowing it, they took their last walk down the pine-hung glade. Many times he picked her lightly up to carry her over rough places and was loth to put her down,—having, in truth, to be bribed thereto.

"I Never Would Have Given You Up— I'm Never Going To."

CHAPTER XXXV.

The Rise and Fall of a Bent Little Prophet.

Down in the village the various dinners of ceremony to the visiting officials were over. An hour had followed of decent rest and informal chat between the visitors and their hosts, touching impartially on matters of general interest; on irrigation, the gift of tongues, the season's crop of peaches, the pouring out of the Spirit abroad, the best mixture of sheep-dip; on many matters not unpleasing to the practical-minded Deity reigning over them.

Then the entire populace of Amalon, in its Sunday best of "valley tan" or store-goods, flocked to the little square and sat expectantly on the benches under the green roof of the bowery, ready to absorb the droppings of the sanctuary.

In due time came Brigham, strolling between Elder Wardle and Bishop Wright, bland, affable, and benignant. On the platform about him sat his Counsellors, the more distinguished of his suite, and the local dignitaries of the Church.

Among these came the little bent man with an unwonted color in his face, coming in absorbed in thought, shaking hands even with Brigham with something of abstraction in his manner. Prudence and Follett came late, finding seats at the back next to a generous row of the Mrs. Seth Wright.

When they had settled into their seats, the Wild Ram of the Mountains arose and invoked a blessing on those present and upon those who had gone behind the veil; adding a petition that Brigham be increased in his basket and in his store, in wives, flocks, and herds, and in the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

They sang another hymn, and when that was done, the little bent man arose and came hesitatingly forward to the baize-covered table that served as a pulpit. As President of the Stake it was his office to welcome the visitors, and this he did.

There were whisperings in the audience when his appearance was noted. It was the first time he had been seen by many of them in weeks. They whispered that he was failing.

The words of official welcome spoken, he began his discourse; but in a timid, shuffling manner so unlike his old self that still others whispered of his evident illness. Inside he burned with his purpose, but, with all his resolves, the presence of Brigham left him unnerved. He began by referring to their many adversities since the day when they had first knelt to entreat the mercy of God upon the land. Then he spoke of revelations.

"You must all have had revelations, because they have come even to me. Perhaps you were deaf to the voice, as I have been. Perhaps you have trusted too readily in some revelation that came years ago, supposedly from God—in truth, from the Devil. Perhaps you have been deaf to later revelations meant to warn you of the other's falseness."

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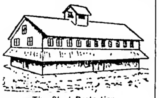
ROAD AND FARM IMPROVEMENT

SHED PROTECTION FOR BARN.

Floor Joists Extended Six Feet Beyond Sides of Barn to Support Roof.

An Iowa correspondent sends a sketch of his method of attaching a shed roof to the side of his barn in such a way that it protects the doors and enables the owner to pass from one door to another without being obliged to expose himself unduly to severe weather, says Prairie Farmer. When the barn was built the correspondent says that he had the floor joists extended six feet on the outside of the barn so as to enable him to erect this shed roof, as shown in the illustration. Rafters were used to connect the outer end of this joist with the siding so as to permit a half pitch roof. He is well pleased with the plan.



The Shed Protection.

BETTER HIGHWAYS.

The Use of Tar and Oil in Road Improvement.

In all parts of the civilized world men are testing various materials that can be used in road improvement. In most countries the matter of road dust is something that excites the concern of people. It is one of the great inconveniences of living in the country. In the United States the country roads are all wide and all have more soil uncovered by verdure than in perhaps any other country. These wide roads give a large surface for dust production and in some localities the dust blows in clouds from the roads, till the verdure is anything but green. It gets into the houses and permeates every nook. To get rid of this nuisance is a task worthy of our best thought.

Some road experiments have been in progress in the neighborhood of Jackson, Tenn. Most of the tests were made on roads in the city, but some also on the neighboring country roads. The tar was applied during hot weather to the repaired, cleaned and thoroughly dried surfaces of roads in and near the city. The tar was kept at a temperature of 200 degrees while being conveyed over the roads in a tank wagon, from which it was distributed over the road surface by a hose with a special nozzle and spread evenly in a thin layer by laborers using stiff brooms. The tar was absorbed by the road in eight or ten hours, after which a light coat of sand or screenings was evenly spread over the surface and the road rolled by a steam roller. The average amount of tar used per square yard was 45 hundredths of a gallon. The labor cost less than one-tenth of a cent per square yard. These roads stood well for at least seven months, says Farmers' Review. The tar surrounded the stones and gravel and formed a hard surface about one to two inches in thickness.

In other places some experiments have been made with oil and tar, both of which are fairly good under right conditions. On the dusty country highway, however, the oil is too light for permanent results, but tar proves to be very effective wherever used.

BEANS AND CORN FEED.

It Makes an Excellent Combination to Feed the Pigs.

This is an excellent combination in pig feeding. Beans strong in protein and corn in fat. Young hogs thrive rapidly on such a combination. Prof. Shaw has this suggestion as to the preparation and feeding of beans. He says:

"Beans can be fed to swine only in the cooked form. The pig seems to be unable to utilize beans which are at all hard or firm, even though they have been boiled for some time, hence it is very essential that they be thoroughly cooked. To supply a single feed of half-cooked beans to a pen of hogs, robs them of their appetites and relish for their food, if indeed it does not put them off feed. The cooking should be conducted in an even more careful manner than it would be in preparing them for human food. It will materially shorten the cooking period and give better results, if the beans are soaked an hour or two, or better, over night, before the cooking proper is begun.

"Pails used should be rinsed after each feeding and especial care should be taken to clean the kettle or barrel after each cooking and not allow sour or moldy material to collect about the food receptacle. More than one case of supposed hog cholera has been traced to ignorant or careless neglect in allowing old swill to accumulate in a barrel instead of emptying the barrel each time before the new material is dumped into it."

Harrowing the Corn.

It won't hurt the corn to harrow it until it is three or four inches high, that is, if too much trash or corn stalks have not been left in the ground.

THE COWPEA.

Gives Heavy Yield of Fine Hay for Stock Feeding.

No field crop is increasing in popularity so fast in this locality as the cowpea, writes an Indiana correspondent of Orange Judd Farmer. This is on account of its profitableness in mixed farming and stock feeding, as well as in the fact that it is an excellent substitute for clover. Of late years, clover has not been as sure a crop as it was formerly. It is a difficult matter to secure a good stand. Even when a stand is secured, there is some sort of blight or insect pest that destroys the crop and this interferes with the farm rotation.

The increasing popularity of the cowpea is due to the fact that it gives a heavy yield of the very finest hay for stock feeding that can be produced upon the farm and at the same time is a soil renovator. It is grown very cheaply in a cowpea, wheat, grass and corn rotation. One good breaking of the land in spring is sufficient not only for the pea crop, but also for the wheat that should follow it. After the pea crop is exhausted the ground is loose and the only preparation necessary for wheat is to disk and drag down, this giving a perfect seedbed and splendid conditions to insure a paying crop of wheat.

The hay is relished by all kinds of farm stock, including swine and poultry, and comes nearer being a complete ration than any other crop that can be raised on the farm. One thing I notice is that the farmer who gives it a test is sure to adopt it somewhere in his regular rotation. It is a crop that has come to stay in this part of the country.

There is no hurry about starting the crop in spring. Land should be deeply and thoroughly plowed and worked down. Some time the latter part of May or first of June the seed is sown, about a bushel and a peck to the acre. It may be sown broadcast or with the drill. From 100 to 200 pounds of good fertilizer should be used per acre.

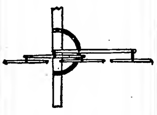
The time to harvest comes along the latter part of the summer when conditions are usually perfect for haymaking. The peas are cut when the seed pods are hard, if both hay and grain are desirable. If for hay alone, cut a week sooner. A rain will not injure the hay as it does clover. After it is cut, allow it to remain in the swath until cured and then move away. A longer time is required for curing properly than for clover hay, but it is much more valuable. It is almost indispensable in the dairy, and will reduce the expense of bran buying to the minimum. Some persons advise the sowing of oats with peas to hold them up, but this is not necessary or satisfactory.

It will pay to grow peas for pasture, for they come in when the grasses fail, either on account of drouth or overstocking. Those who have never given cowpeas a trial should give them a test this season and be convinced of the profitableness of the crop.

USING THREE HORSES.

How It Can Be Done by Use of an Offset Iron.

When three horses are used for heavy hauling, a double tongue is sometimes used. But for farm work, an offset iron may be put on the tongue of the wagon or almost any farm implement. The offset should be made of iron, two inches wide. The draw-hole in it should be ten or 12 inches from the tongue as shown in the cut. It is easily and cheaply made, says Farm and Home, and very quickly put on or taken off when one wants to change from two to three horses or back again.



The Offset on Wagon Pole.

FARM GLEANINGS.

It may seem unseasonable, but nature knows her business.

One thing we have always noticed: A good corn year nearly always has a dry spring for a starter.

There is no great loss without some small gain. If it is too cold for crops to do well we can console ourselves by thinking that the weeds are getting a set-back, too.

In a dry time it is always a good plan to get the seed down on solid ground. Planted in the loose ground left by the sub-soiler, it is apt to dry out if the weather continues dry. If the planter puts it down to the bottom it is pretty certain to come.

There is one thing becoming more certain every day. It is: A cow can no longer be kept at a profit when all she brings in is a calf each year. The price of stock cattle late years, together with the high price of land, is fast settling that question.

If hogs are kept in a dry pen they are either kept at a loss or else the bill for shorts is a big one. Shorts at $20 per ton are high in price compared with corn, but they must be fed in a dry pen or the hogs will be at a standstill. Corn alone will stunt any growing pig.

WORN TO A SKELETON.

A Wonderful Restoration Caused a Sensation in a Pennsylvania Town.

Mrs. Charles N. Preston, of Elkland, Pa., says: "Three years ago I found that my housework was becoming a burden. I tired easily, had no ambition and was fading fast. My complexion got yellow and I lost over 50 pounds. My thirst was terrible, and there was sugar in the kidney secretions. My doctor kept me on a strict diet, but as his medicine was not helping me, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They helped me at once, and soon all traces of sugar disappeared. I have regained my former weight and am perfectly well."

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When Chappie got up the other morning he wandered around his apartment in his pretty pink pajamas, the very picture of woe.

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"I don't know, Alphonse," he groaned; "I passed a most unhappy night."

Alphonse looked him over carefully.

"Oh, sir," he exclaimed, "I know what was the matter. The trousers of your pajamas were not creased. You must be more careful, sir. Those I had prepared for you were hanging across the foot of the bed."—The Bohemian.

ITCHING RASH 18 YEARS.

Girl's Rash Spread and Grew Worse Under Specialist's Care—Perfect Cure by Cuticura Remedies.

"When my daughter was a baby she had a breaking out behind the ears. The doctor said that she would outgrow it, and it did get somewhat better until she was about fifteen years old, and after that she could get nothing that would drive it away. She was always applying something in the way of salves. It troubled her behind the knees, opposite the elbows, back of the neck and ears, under the chin, and then it got on the face. That was about three years ago. She took treatment with a specialist and seemed to get worse all the time. We were then advised to try the Cuticura Remedies, and now I don't see any breaking out. M. Curley, 11-19 Sixteenth St., Bay City, Mich., May 20, 1906."

The Money Devil.

"It's my candid opinion," he said, "that money is infested with seven devils, and I shouldn't wonder if 70 wouldn't be more correct. There is trouble and a world of worry in the very name of it! When I haven't got it, I'm worrying as to where I'll get it, and when I get it I worry about what to do with it; if I put it in the bank I worry because it don't grow fast enough, and if I spend it I worry because I got rid of it so soon; so you see, it's a world full o' trouble anyway you take it! The poor bless and curse it; the rich don't know what to do with it; there isn't a handful of happiness in a ton of it. Here comes a bill collector now, to get what little I haven't got. Stay here and entertain him while I climb to the roof!"—Atlanta Constitution.

NO KISSING IN CHURCH.

Galician Peasants Punished for Untimely Osculation.

Twenty Ruthenian peasants belonging to Ispas, in Galicia, have been sentenced to various terms of imprisonment, from a week to a month, for kissing each other in church.

A feud has arisen between two parties in the town, and the priest preached a sermon in which he urged the peasants to make friends before they came to church again. They took him at his word, and on the following Sunday the two hostile parties marched up the church side by side, and kissed the altar. Then they solemnly shook hands and kissed one another on both cheeks in the Polish fashion to seal the reconciliation.

The kissing scene excited loud laughter among the members of the congregation, and the priest prosecuted the peasants for unseemly conduct in church. The court held that a church is no place for kissing and found the peasants guilty.

FIT THE GROCER

Wife Made the Suggestion.

A grocer has excellent opportunity to know the effects of special foods on his customers. A Cleveland grocer has a long list of customers that have been helped in health by leaving off coffee and using Postum Food Coffee.

He says, regarding his own experience: "Two years ago I had been drinking coffee and must say that I was almost wrecked in my nerves.

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"One day my wife suggested that inasmuch as I was selling so much Postum there must be some merit in it and suggested that we try it. I took home a package and she prepared it according to directions. The result was a very happy one. My nervousness gradually disappeared and to-day I am all right. I would advise everyone affected in any way with nervousness or stomach troubles, to leave off coffee and use Postum Food Coffee."

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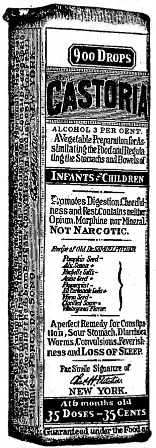

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AFFECTS GOVERNMENT

Rise in Cost of Paper Felt in Post-office Department and Prices Are Increased

The increased cost of paper seems to affect the government as well as the public generally, and commencing July 1 the federal authorities will charge more for stamped envelopes, wrappers, etc. Business men can save the difference by placing their orders before that date for what may be needed in this respect in the transaction of their business.

No notice has yet been given of any advance in the price of stamps to the public.

The collectors are extremely anxious for the Jamestown stamps, and it looks as if the supply would soon be exhausted. The only denominations issued are one, two and five cents. The designer has placed considerable in small space.

Six Will Graduate

Announcements of the commencement exercises are being sent out this week. The exercises will be held at the opera house next Monday evening and the occasion is being looked forward to with a deal of interest by friends of the school. Following is the program:

(a) March......"Floating Along"
.......................Buffington
(b) Flower Song, "Tulips and and Pansies"......C. W. Bennet
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Miss Pauline Nieland
Salutatory.................Oration
"Lest We Forget"
Alice L. Ericson
Oration ..."Pursuit of Happiness"
Paul T. Brunelle
Saxaphone Solo..........Maritano
"Grand Fantasia"
Mr. Leland Healy
Oration..............."Preparation"
Viola A. Longtin
Class History and Will, "By the Fireside"
Edna C. Swanson
Vocal Duet ....Smith
"O! That We Two are Maying"
Mesdames Marshall and Knox
Class Prophecy..............Poem
Ina M. Linnihan
Oration................Validictory
"The Last Leaf"
Lucy B. Hunt
Cornet Solo ....John Hartmann
"Grand Fantasia, Pretty Jane"
Mr. Clement Brunelle
Presentation of Diplomas......
......Prof. E. W. Chamberlain
Vocal Solo..............Selected
Mrs. Dr. Hendricks
Benediction.......................
Overture,................Solomon
"Reminiscences of the South"
Orchestra

Additional Local...

Manager J. L. Tracy of the band organization received word last week from R. C. Hogue, at Council Bluffs, Iowa, that he had jumped the contract to direct our band. He had written Mr. Tracy that he was coming and started from Des Moines, his home, bound for here, and undoubtedly fell into something on the journey. It will not put the band out much, however, as several other directors have been corresponded with and have expressed a willingness to come. In the meantime L. P. Berthon, of flute fame, will continue the good work.

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Death of Little Mina Swanson.

Rhoda, Minn.,
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Editor Gazette:

On the morning of May 17th, the angel of death called at our fireside and removed from our flock, the dearest in the fold, our beloved little Mina. Oh how sad. When thus we are called upon to part with our beloved ones, it is indeed hard, too hard indeed to know, and no one can imagine or realize how sore and painful such inflictions are until you have passed thru the ordeal, and been an eye witness to death's parting. Then, and not before, do we know what it is to suffer the loss of a friend or a loved one, the dearest in the fold. Little Mina was indeed one of God's little angels, though her mission on earth it was short, she decked it with childish love and sweetness to the very last moment, and her kind little acts will forever be remembered cherished and loved. Though it was a sad parting, we can scarcely now think of begrudging her of her sweet little heavenly joys. May her kind little spirit, always be with us, to help us and guide us to the heavenly home above, and away from this vale of sorrow and tears.

"Thus do we walk with her and keep unbroken
The bood which nature gives;
Thinking that our remembrance, though unspoken,
May reach her where she lives."

In bringing her little life chapter to a close, fond memories come again before one, and in the midst I can see her and seem to hear the echoes of her childish little prattles as of old, with little arms around my neck fondly clasped, time and again she did ask, "Papa, shall we go to heaven, too?" God has heard her little prayer, and she has journeyed on, now, may I so live and journey through the rest of my life, that when the summons come, that again, her sweet little prayer may be answered, in the sweetness of the Lord, I come,

W. A. Swanson.

POSTAGE ON PAPERS

The Gazette Will Come 50 Cents Higher to Canadian Subscribers.

The amendment made recently in the Postal Convention between Canada and the United States provides that on and after May 8th, 1907, the rate on newpapers and periodicals shall be 1c for each 4 oz. calculated on the weight of each paper and prepaid by means of stamps affixed. The rates on United States publications entering Canada are to be similarly rated.

Each copy of the Gazette mailed to its Canadian subscribers will cost one cent or 52 cents per year. The postage on a daily newspaper like the Minneapolis Journal would amount to eight or ten dollars a year sent thru the mails to a Canadian subscriber.

THE APACHES.

This Tribe Holds the Record as Bad Indians.

Scarcely a tribe of our American Indians but what have engraved their record of crime and infamy high up on history's wall, yet above them all is the Apaches'.

From 1540 to 1853 New Spain and Mexico carried on a so called warfare with these people. The Apaches were vastly outnumbered by the Mexican soldiery, but what they lacked in numbers was more than made up in courage and craftiness. The Apache ever had a thorough contempt for the Mexican soldier, and in later years, when they were fighting with firearms as well as arrows, they would not waste cartridges on the Mexicans, but would kill them with arrows, spears and stones, saving their cartridges for other and more worthy foes.

When this southwest region became a part of the United States the Apaches were a serious problem with which we had to contend. Our government vacillated between a simpering peace policy and the other extreme, their extermination.

Their zone of wandering being intersected by the international boundary line further complicated matters. They would raid down into Mexico and then rush back with the plunder to our side of the line, out of reach of the pursuing soldiers. Next it would be a raid on the Arizona side and a flight into the wild mountains of Sonora. The Mexican government attempted to assist their miserable army by giving a scalp bounty, and for years they paid out their gold coin for Apache scalps. Scalp hunting became a recognized industry. The horror of this was that to the Mexican official all scalps looked alike, whether from the head of a hostile or a friendly Indian. The price was $100 for a man, $50 for a woman and $25 for a child. It is small wonder that the tribe sank deeper into savagery than ever when we stop to think that the men knew there was a price set on the scalps of their wives and children, and there was a horde of human fiends, white in color, but more savage than the savage himself, who were hunting them as they would a cougar of the mountains.—E. S. Curtis in Scribner's.

A QUEER POKER GAME

IT WAS PLAYED BY TWO STOCKMEN IN A DENVER HOTEL.

The Turn That Came When the Fortunes of Both Men Were Piled on the Table—A Side Bet and a Card That Was Not Shown to the Board.

The old St. James hotel in Denver was one of the landmarks of the city for over a quarter of a century, and many famous sporting men were among its guests. Numerous stories are told of the "stiff" poker games that used to be played there in the late eighties and early nineties of the last century.

A game was played one night between two stockmen, a banker and a mining man. The story goes that the mining man and the banker played until they were "all in," leaving the two stockmen to battle it out. It came up to the "consolation" jack pot, and those who had lingered to see the finish were not disappointed when they expected something spectacular to take place. The stakes were running high, the ante being $500, with no betting limit. One of the stockmen opened for $2,500 and was promptly raised before the draw. Then there followed a series of raises and counter raises until the pot contained $11,600 before cards were drawn.

"Gi' me that one," blandly announced the man who had "seen" the last raise. The dealer slipped one card across the table, laid the deck down, relighted his neglected cigar and said unconcernedly, "I'll play these."

Then the betting commenced in earnest. The player had opened, and he led off with $2,500 as a "feeler." The dealer raised a like amount, and the other fellow followed suit. It was plain that one or the other of the men was going to lose his fortune. Checks were written, torn up and made out for larger amounts, and finally mortgage papers on real estate and cattle were passed into the pot. Finally one men said to the other:

"Say, Henry, I'm going to stay with you until everything I've got, right down to the clothes on my back, is represented on the table. Now, I'm in doubt as to some of my property holdings, so I'll make you a proposition. Give me until tonight (it was then 4 a. m.) to find out just where I stand and we'll play the hand out. Meantime let us seal up my hand in one envelope, yours in another and the deadwood in still another. We'll leave the three envelopes in the office safe, to be delivered to both of us together."

The other player agreed, and envelopes and sealing wax were sent for. The hands and remaining cards in the deck were duly sealed and deposited as per arrangement.

Meantime friends of the two players endeavored to get the men together on some sort of compromise proposition, knowing full well that neither could afford to bank his entire fortune on a poker hand, leaving his family destitute, but both men were obdurate and would listen to no proposition to split the pot. An interested and expectant group gathered in the lobby about 8 o'clock in the evening, among them being the man who had opened the pot. They talked together in a friendly manner, speculating upon what would happen when the man who went to look up his assets returned. While they were talking he walked in.

"Well, Henry, I'm ready to resume our little argument," he announced in a matter of fact tone. Then the crowd repaired to the room where the game had been played. The man announced that he had $33,000 to "play back." Securities and certified checks representing this amount were piled on the table. Then, and not until then, did either of the men show signs of nervousness. The opener had drawn a check for $33,000 and started to tear it out of the book when the other man said in a slow, deliberate voice:

"Looks a little strong for either of us, doesn't it, Henry?"

"Well," rejoined the other man, toying with the check, "what would you consider a fair proposition at this stage of the game?"

"It's not gambling, I know," said the other, "but if you want to split the pot and"—

"She's split," calmly announced the man who had opened for $2,500. The currency, gold, checks, mortgage papers and securities were equally divided. Not a word was spoken. Silently the men who opened took up the envelopes, tore them open and laid the two hands on the table, faces downward.

"Bet you a cigar I had you beat," he bantered.

"You're called," said the other, turning over four cards, jacks and sixes. The opener also turned over four cards. They were jacks and sixes.

"I'll bet you," said the dealer, "a thousand dollars that I've still got you beat."

The other man peeped at a corner of his buried card, toyed a moment with a stack of currency and shoved $1,000 to the center. Then, without waiting for the man he had called to show his hole card, he turned up a four spot. The dealer looked at it, smiled, touched the bell and put his hand in the deck. He never told what the other card was.—Denver Times.

Lights of London.

A farmer who visited London for the first time was walking along Oxford street, filling his pipe, when a matchboy came up to him with the usual "Lights, sir?" The farmer took a box from the boy, extracted a match, lit his pipe and handed the box back to the astonished lad, passing on with the remark, "Lor, what a wunnerful place Lunnon is, to be sure!"

SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water coves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open well. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescedo cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

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TWO BALL GAMES

Red Lake Falls Plays Twice and Loses Same Number in the Past Week.

The local base ball team has played two games of ball during the past week, and on both occasions has received a drubbing, although not very badly beaten.

The first game was with Thief River Falls on the diamond of the up river burg Sunday, and nearly a hundred fans accompanied the team to the north end baliwick to see the game.

The week previous the Thief River team played here and were beaten by a score of 6 to 5. They expressed themselves as being well pleased with their treatment here, and the entire team conceded that a square deal had been given them in all cases.

However, the fans of the up-river town were not satisfied, and using our friend Bagley, of the Press, as a catspaw, insinuated all manners of crookedness on the part of Red Lake Falls and made a solemn vow that when the Red Lakers invaded the north end park there would be a change in tune, etc., and freely predicted that they would win—if not legitimately, why——?

The game was called early in the afternoon, and for the first four innings was as pretty a contest of ball as was ever witnessed anywhere, despite the fact that Red Lake Falls was playing against ten men. Along in the middle of the game the continual nagging and rotten decisions of his "umps" got some of the local players "up in the air" figuratively speaking, and before the fireworks ceased six Thief Riverites crossed home plate. Harry Healy went in the box after that and the boys steadied down to work and kept the tenth man from allowing Thief River any more runs. Red Lake Falls scored three runs during the game, making the final score 6 to 3 in favor of Thief River Falls.

The locals have no kick coming, any more than they were given several (we might say numerous) very rank decisions at the hands of the umpire, but as Thief River Falls was determined to win at all hazards the boys here feel satisfied.

There is talk of the "rubber" of the series being played at St. Hilaire at some date in the near future.

The second game of the week was played on the home grounds yesterday afternoon between the Crookston club and the locals, and while the score was close, 7 to 8 in favor of Crookston, it does not tell half the story. The game was really a "comedy of errors" from start to finish, and the Red Lake Falls team played the leading part in the comedy. There were some very good plays made on both sides, as well as some decidedly rank ones, and the details are really too horrible to repeat here. Several times during the game the locals threw the thing deliberately away by bad mistakes and while the Crookston boys played very fair ball, yet the locals should have won out handily. In the last inning the score was 8 to 4 in Crookston's favor when Red Lake Falls came to bat, and by good hitting and sensational base running three scores were made, and Harry Healy was caught at home after having stolen way around from first. He made a great slide but the crowd was so near that he couldn't see the catcher and he was nabbed by a narrow margin, ending the game with Crookston leading by one run. The contest was entirely free from rag chewing or dissension of any sort, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the spectators, although at times the groans at the rank errors could be heard a mile.

The score by innings was as follows:

Crookston—1 0 2 0 1 0 1 1 2—8.
R. L. F.—0 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 3—7.

Louis Seiff, George Bender and R. H. Bourdon left last evening for Billings, Montana, and expect to put in the summer there.

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Roadmaster Regan of Great Northern Goes To Moorhead.

E. J. Regan, assistant roadmaster of the northern division of the Great Northern railroad, who has had charge of the work on this line for several years past, has been transferred to Moorhead and left Monday for that place to assume his new duties. J. A. Gibson, who has been assistant at Moorhead takes Mr. Regan's place here.

Mr. Regan has lived here with his family for the past two years, and during this time has made many friends among the people of this city. He is one of the best railroad men in the business, and during the past severe winter kept this part of the Great Northern system open, when nearly every other branch and main line was entirely tied up. He has been with the Great Northern practically all of the time for the past twenty seven years and stands high in the opinion of the officers of that company. His new work is in the nature of a substantial promotion, as he will have charge of the work from Crookston to Breckenridge, an important line. His family will remain here most of the summer. The Courier joins with the people in the wish that Ed may continue to prosper.

Obituary.

Alexis Grandbois, who died Tuesday of last week, was born at St. Anne, Canada, and was eighty-seven years of age at the time of his death He came to the United States when a young man and lived in various places in the east and west, settling down finally in Lake Pleasant township, twenty-eight years ago. Here he lived until a few years back when he went to Gervais, with his son Treffle, finally coming to town three years ago and remaining here until the time of his death. He leaves two sons, Treffle who resides in Gervais, and Prosper, a resident at the old home in Canada; several grandchildren also reside in this neighborhood. The old gentleman had always enjoyed good health and his death was caused by a general breakdown due to old age. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's last Wednesday the remains being laid at rest in the Catholic cemetery, east of town.

NEW LEADER HERE.

H. G. Maxwell, of New York City In Charge of Band.

H. G. Maxwell, an experienced band and orchestra leader and director from New York city, arrived here Saturday morning to assume the leadership of the local band organization, having been engaged last week by Manager Tracy.

Mr. Maxwell comes recommended as a first-class man in all respects, and at Tuesday evening's rehearsel took hold of the work like an old hand at the business. He plays both cornet and clarinet, and while he will not do much playing and will give his time to directing, yet he is able to help out when needed.

Mr. Maxwell is pleased with conditions as he finds them, and sees no reason why the Red Lake Falls concert band can't easily sustain their well-earned reputation as the prize band of the valley.

Pitcher's Castoria.

J. O. GJERBERG DEAD.

Old Resident Passes Away Yesterday Morning.

J. O. Gjerberg, an old and highly respected resident of Red Lake Falls died at his home on the north side yesterday morning after a lingering illness with catarrh of the stomach.

Mr. Gjerberg had been confined to his home for several months past, but prior to that time had attended regularly to his duties as janitor at the court house, although his health had failed rapidly for several years past.

Mr. Gjerberg was born in Norway Sept. 12, 1836, being nearly seventy one years of age. He was married forty-eight years ago to Miss Julia Solberg, and in 1882 they came to America, settling in Polk county, removing later to a farm near this city. They came into town sixteen years ago, and when Red Lake was set off from Polk county Mr. Gjerbeug was appointed janitor at the court house, a position he held with all the faithfulness of an honest servant up until the time his illness compelled him to retire from active work a few months ago.

Deceased leaves a wife and four children to mourn him, one son, John, and one daughter, Mrs. H. Kriel, reside here, a son resides in Washington and his eldest daughter is still in Norway. Besides these Mr. Gjerberg leaves seven brothers and sisters behind. He was the oldest of a family of eight children, and his is the first death to occur among them.

Mr. Gjerberg was of a kind and generous nature, and his life was filled with good deeds towards his fellowmen. No task was too great for him to undertake when it meant an accommodation for a friend, and today in Red Lake Falls there is a general sorrow that the familiar figure and pleasant voice of friend Gjerberg will be forever absent henceforth.

The funeral services will be held from the family home at 10 o'clock Friday morning, conducted by Rev. H. W. Knox, of the Presbyterian church. The remains will be laid at rest in the cemetery east of town.

The Junior Banquet.

The annual banquet of the Junior class of the Red Lake Falls high school occurred at the I. O. O. F. hall last evening, when the class of 1908 feasted and feted their advanced class mates, who had just completed the high school course.

The banquet was an elaborate one the menu being served in several courses. Between courses appropriate toasts were given, Leland Healy officiating as master of the ceremonies. Eight members of the class of '09 assisted as waiters. The local orchestra was present and discoursed sweet music while the banquet was in progress, and altogether the evening was one of great enjoyment to those present.

By the big ad on the first page of today's paper it will be seen that Julius Pleth, the popular Plummer land man, has bought out the clothing store of Berthon and Armstrong of this city and will close the same out in the Kaus building at cost price. Mr. Armstrong will remain with Mr. Pleth until the stock is sold out. Julius is a hustler and the people here know of no one they would rather see succeed Jim and Paul than the same Pleth. He intends to close out the stock at once and the people will get some rare bargains while they last.

KNOX WILL LEAVE

Presbyterian Pastor Has Been Offered Fine Field at Green Bay, Wisconsin.

Rev. Herbert W. Knox who has been pastor of the Presbyterian church for three years past, has been called by the church at Green Bay, Wisconsin, and has signified his willingness to accept, provided the Presbytery sees fit to release him.

The meeting of the Adams Presbytery will be held at Crookston, on the 17th inst, when the matter of Rev. Knox's resignation will be taken up, and as the new field means so much in advancement to Rev. Knox, it is very probable that he will be released.

Green Bay is a city twenty-five thousand people, beautifully located and is at present growing rapidly. The Presbyterians have an elegant church and manse there, and the new field offers a fine opportunity for Mr. Knox.

The people here are loath to see him leave, as he has been eminently successful in his church work at Red Lake Falls, but they feel that inasmuch as he will be greatly benefitted by the change, they can not reasonably expect to keep him here.

Rev. Knox expects to leave for Green Bay about July 1st, providing arrangements can be completed so that he can get away at that time.

CONSOLIDATE SCHOOLS

Graded School Advantages Given Rural Pupils at No Added Expense.

The question of rural school consolidation is being discussed at almost every meeting of school men. The plan is growing in favor wherever it has been tried. It is claimed for the plan that greater educational advantages is given the pupils and that the added expense is very light, if any, after the plan has been put in operation. The The plan has been in operation in Iowa and in other states, and in several cases in southern Minnesota, and is meeting with success. There are several localities in Red Lake county where the consolidated school plan might be operated very successfully. The plan was discussed at the recent state meeting of county superintendents held at St. Cloud. The Journal-Press says:

One of the interesting subjects taken up at the recent convention of the county superintendents was the consolidation of two or more school districts. The idea is to consolidate the school districts so that instead of having a small one-room school, semi-graded or even graded schools can be installed. According to the present system the rural schools have but one room and one teacher must teach seven or eight grades at once. If the districts are brought together there will be more pupils for each school and consequently more money to pay for the expenses. Two or three teachers can be employed and it is believed that more attention will be given to the pupils attending. At the present time there are only two or three instances of consolidated districts in the state. Supt. Howard of Olmstead county reported that there are two or three cases of this kind in his county. He reports that the new system is meeting with great success and the taxpayers would not change back to the old system even if the expense were smaller. He states that when the pupils live very far from the schools omnibusses are used to convey them to the school and home again.

In some sections of the state the plan is meeting with opposition. Many of the farmers object because of the method of conveying the pupils. This is only true, however, in some sections. The school men stated at the convention that they would take the matter up with the people.

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BRIEF NEWS NOTES FOR THE BUSY MAN

MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

ROUND ABOUT THE WORLD

Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest from All Parts of the Globe—Latest Home and Foreign Items.

Actions against Klaw & Erlanger for damages for injuries and loss of life in the Iroquois fire were dismissed in New York court because the plaintiffs' attorneys delayed in preparing their cases.

Indiana supreme court ruled that the liquor traffic is lawful and constitutional unless prohibited by the state, the decision reversing lower courts. Right of cities to restrict the traffic to certain areas also is upheld.

The New York senate, under spur of Gov. Hughes, passed a bill in the interest of W. R. Hearst, providing for a recount of the New York mayoralty vote in 1905.

Dr. Long has written to the president, citing proof of the truth of his animal stories and demanding a public apology.

Wealthy clubwomen, of Rockford, Ill., aided the escape from a hospital of a mother accused of murdering one of her twin babies, an automobile being provided for a wild dash to the train.

Mrs. Delia E. Dalrymple, of Worcester, Mass., whose husband, a preacher, fled to Chicago, has made public a letter written by a young woman confessing her relations with the minister.

Floyd Pegg, cowboy, arrived at Washington on horseback, covering the distance from Chicago to the capital on a pony.

Thomas D. Jordan, former controller of the Equitable Life Assurance society, was indicted at New York for forgery.

A friend said Howard Gould would reply to wife's charges; chose to fight case before giving wife $4,000,000.

Uprising in China gains in strength and inhabitants flee to Swatow, a fortified coast town, for protection.

The loss of valuable art treasure from a church at Perugia, Italy, is laid to an American.

Discrimination against the blue jacket of the navy has led to complaint to naval secretary, Jamestown exposition management claiming it has no jurisdiction.

Attack on Japs in San Francisco may be settled by cabinet's explanation that the strike was responsible.

Chief Dinan, of San Francisco, is charged by Prosecutor Heney with approaching graft witnesses and possible jurors.

Employes of the Chicago South Side traction lines decide to withdraw their wage demands and vote to accept two cents increase voluntarily offered by the company. Action means general peace among traction interests.

President Roosevelt left Washington Tuesday to attend Mrs. McKinley's funeral and to speak at Indianapolis and Lansing.

Mayor McClellan, of New York, disapproved the utilities bill on the ground that it confers too great powers on commissioners. The measure will be repassed by the legislature without his signature.

No summer weather is in sight, declares the weather bureau at Washington; frost conditions are general and snow falls as far south as Texas.

Herman LeRoy, a prisoner at Fort Sheridan, escaped his guard and later was shot and killed by two negro troopers.

The supreme court of the United States handed down several important decisions before adjourning until October 14.

In the senate inquiry into the Brownsville, Tex., riot one army officer flatly contradicted the testimony of another.

According to a ruling of the supreme court West Virginia must pay a proportion of the Virginia debt incurred before the separation of the state.

One hundred thousand railway employes may lose positions through general retrenchment order caused by lack of business.

Wonderful operation of putting capsule in eye restored sight to Miss Carrie Leidlein, of Saginaw, Mich., blind for 33 years.

Serious revolt aiming at overthrow of dynasty has started in Canton and neighboring provinces in China; foreigners have narrow escapes.

The admiralty court at Hamburg has decided that the wreck of the Hamburg-American line steamer Prinzessin Victoria Luico near Kingston, Jamaica, December 16, was due to Capt. Brunswig's mistake. The captain committed suicide at the time of the wreck.

Fearing loss to South Chicago of the Illinois Steel mills, Senator Clark will urge a measure which if adopted will make an inducement to the corporation to retain its plant as at present.

A conservative tariff revision was advocated by manufacturers of St. Louis, Mo., and Indianapolis, Ind.

A heavy snowstorm from Sault Ste. Marie to Ootario tied up shipping and damages Michigan farmers. Severe weather is reported in many other sections.

Plan of Hindu rebels against Great Britain was to call on Japs for aid, according to information from Lahore.

The king and queen of Norway were enthusiastically greeted by French officials and people in Paris.

The funeral of Theodore Tilton was held in Paris with simple ceremonies.

President Cabrera, of Guatemala, to avert war with Mexico may spare lives of men accused of plotting against him.

Widespread rain has aided Russian wheat and is boon to famine district.

The orthodoxy of half a century ago is about gone and the change is for the better, Dr. Borden P. Bowne, of the Methodist Theological seminary, says in an address to Cincinnati ministers.

President Roosevelt and a party were caught in a storm while horseback riding to Mount Vernon and returned to Washington drenched and mud bespattered.

Charges are made in New York that post office employes, on the order of an inspector, tampered with the mail of Mrs. Howard Gould.

Police of a score of cities are searching for a Chicagoan and two others believed to have been involved in the murder of the New York priest whose body was found in a trunk. Arrest of a man in Chicago failed to throw light on the mystery.

Attorneys for plaintiffs in actions for personal damages and loss of life in the Iroquois theater fire ask the United States circuit court in New York to postpone the trials until the October term of court. Defendants will ask that the cases be dismissed if plaintiffs are not ready at calling in June.

Gov. Deneen signed the two-cent passenger fare bill, with the statement that he believes it will cause much litigation. He also signed the bills legalizing railway mergers in 1882 and removing the present bond limitation of the sanitary district.

Defense in Haywood murder case claimed Sheriff Hodgins is endeavoring to pack the jury.

Homer E. Grafton, acquitted by court martial of murder charge in the Philippines and convicted for same affair by civil court, was freed by high tribunal.

The treasury is alarmed by Wall street's latest made to order "panic" for speculative purposes; west now financial center and is loaning money in New York.

British premier will announce the government's programme for the Irish bill, and is then expected to drop it. Ireland will revive the bitter struggle against the government.

Principal corporations of the United States, numbering 320, will disburse in interest and dividends in the month of June the sum of $70,000,000, according to a report from New York.

Mrs. William McKinley died at Canton after many years of invalidism and sorrow, death being hastened by a recent stroke of paralysis.

Archbishop Ireland, in Memorial day speech, decried ignoble peace and glorified a just war.

Interstate Commerce Commissioner Clements advocated prison term for railroad jugglers.

May Irwin was wedded to Kurt Eisfeldt, her manager, at the star's summer home in the Thousand Islands.

After five years of waiting the government is said to be ready to take action against coal trust.

Overthrow of the Chinese government is said to have been aim of J. Edward Boeck, wanted in New York.

A man claiming to be a mining engineer from Mexico was arrested at New York on charge of larceny of $3,000.

Harry D. Sellers, aged 20, member of an old and wealthy Pittsburg family, was found dead in his bedroom in his residence, 1422 Wightman street, Squirrel hill. The family claims the death of young Sellers was an accident, but it is believed he committed suicide, and the coroner is making an investigation.

John Redmond said the death of the Irish council bill cleared the way for home rule campaign.

Japanese in Tokio are reported not to be worked up over the latest outrage in San Francisco.

District Attorney Jerome declared New York is morally a model for other cities.

The body of a murdered New York priest was found in a trunk in a rooming house as security for a rent bill. Police are searching for two men who occupied the room. Chicagoan is said to be trunk owner.

The ringing of the farm dinner gong by a pet collie saved the family of William Beattie, a farmer near Oxford, Pa., from being burned to death. The fire began in one of the back rooms and the dog grasped the bell cord. Neighbors, hearing the noise, ran to the rescue.

Giacomo Puccini has definitely decided to compose the music of an opera based on the life of Marie Antoinette, the libretto of which will be prepared by Illike Schumenn.

Bands of armed rebels tried to capture Ambato and Latacunga, in Ecuador, but were surprised and disarmed by a detachment of troops from Latacunga. Revolutionary movements are reported in almost all parts of the country.

Philip Schwartz, known as the "Duke of Shantytown," who is under indictment at Cincinnati for murder in the first degree for shooting Policeman Satters, paid $650 to the widow. Mrs. Satters had sued for $10,000, claiming that was the value of her husband's service to his family. The $650 was a compromise.

Ernest Doll, five years old, shot and killed his mother, Mrs. Frank Doll, at their home in Airville, Pa. A shotgun was left standing in the room and the boy, who had seen his father load the weapon, did the same during his mother's absence. As his mother returned the boy turned the weapon upon her and pulled the trigger, killing her instantly.

The Belgian, Van Houvaert, won the Bordeaux-Paris bicycle race, his time being 19:39:27.

H. C. Frick denied as absurd the story that he is to erect a $5,000,000 art academy in Pittsburg in rivalry to Carnegie's gift.

Several hundred strikers at Buenos Ayres attacked a refrigerating and meat-packing factory in which they had been employed. They were repulsed by soldiers and police after a fight in which four persons were killed and many wounded.

Charles F. Grotefend, former paying teller of the Washington National bank, St. Louis, who fled to Sweden last year, short $3,000 in his accounts, was brought back to St. Louis.

Sixty thousand persons celebrated the centenary of primitive Methodism with services on the lonely Mow Cop mountain at Hanley, England. The meeting lasted from early morning till late at night.

"Citizen of St. Paul" filed complaint with the commerce commission accusing the Pullman company of discriminating against occupants of upper berths.

Abe Hummel admits that he often warned Mrs. Gould that she was being followed by detectives, but did not know they were connected with police.

Liang-Hsun, Chinese charge d'affaires and consul general to Mexico, has received word from Sir Chen Tung Liang Cheng, Chinese minister to the United States and Mexico, of the recall of the latter to Peking.

The San Francisco grand jury returned 89 indictments against Mayor Schmitz, Abe Ruef and officials of the street railway and other companies.

Pupils of St. Louis high school have been ordered to keep their trousers down and stop wearing loud socks.

Attorneys closed argument in the preliminary fight to compel an accounting by trustees of Mrs. Eddy.

A plot to kill the German emperor was foiled by the Berlin police. Thirty-five Russian anarchist students were arrested.

An American named Lourie Reynold was killed in the forest of St. Germain, France, by being thrown from his horse.

Eight persons were killed and 40 wounded in an Austrian election riot.

Police Captain McLaughlin, of New York, accused of aiding the Gould divorce case, resigned from the force.

Senator Pettus says the senate is acting without power in investigating the Brownsville affair.

A great demonstration of the Ulster unionists unanimously condemned Mr. Birrell's Irish bill, which was characterized as "settling nothing and unsettling everything."

John Burroughs defends President Roosevelt from the criticisms of Rev. William J. Long, whom he terms an upstart writer.

The action of President Cabrera of Guatemala in sentencing 19 alleged conspirators to death again arouses Mexico.

The Mohonk conference on arbitration decided not to recommend international disarmament to The Hague conference.

Famine kills 14,000 in eastern Russia, and 250,000 in one province are being fed at soup houses.

London socialists welcomed their brethren from Russia. Englishmen are urged not to loan money in Russia.

Chicago labor leaders plan a great demonstration July 4 to publicly spurn socialism and anarchy.

W. F. Walker, absconding treasurer of a New Britain, Conn., savings bank, was, it has been learned, a passenger on the steamship Doris on her last voyage to the Orient. He is reported to have landed at a Chinese port and disappeared

Rev. Joseph Easter, a Dunkard preacher, was called out of his house in Carroll county, Virginia, and shot dead. He would have been an important witness in pending cases of illegal liquor selling.

Bank Commissioner Smock was notified of the failure of the State bank of Manitou, Okla., capital $10,000.

During the term of the supreme court of the United States which began last October and closed May 27, 438 cases were disposed of.

Father James Hayes, of Liverpool, died at Rome. He was appointed last September assistant general of the congregation of the Society of Jesus for the Anglo-Saxons.

Joseph Barteck, aged 80 years, committed suicide at Eastport, N. Y., hanging himself to a rafter in a shed near his house. Before he ended his life he wrote this note: "The Lord would not kill me, so I killed myself."

Miss Achha Clark, a native of Baltimore, reputed to be worth several million dollars, died at Bellingham, Wash., aged 90 years. She owned property in every Pacific coast city. Miss Clark was the first woman to cross the plains to California in '49.

King Carlos has conferred the title of baron on A. Patterson, manager in Portugal of the business of the Standard Oil company, in recognition of his personal effort to develop commercial relations between Portugal and the United States.

Ex-Judge Hargis was acquitted of the Cockrill murder in famous feud case at Lexington, Ky.

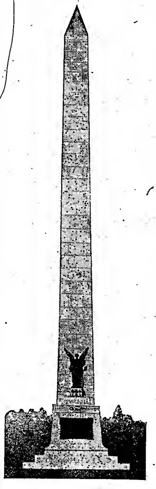
Railroad Gazette in New York declares that the United States Steel corporation, actuated by greed for profits, deliberately turns out imperfect rails, which break and cost many human lives.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

The Vicksburg Shaft.

Vicksburg, Miss.—Fully 2,000 people clustered around the Minnesota circle in the Vicksburg National Military park to witness the sixth dedication of a state memorial, the event being the unveiling of the imposing granite obelisk that stands 90 feet upon its base, placed here in commemoration of the Minnesota soldiers who fought here during the war.



Governor Johnson and General Hubbard of Minnesota and Governor Vardaman of Mississippi delivered addresses. The monument was unveiled by Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Vardaman.

Never Touched Him.

St. Paul.—Elmer Hodgins, fourteen years old, residing at Gladstone, miraculously escaped death beneath the wheels of a freight train at the Osgood Blodgett plant, East Seventh street. He is employed at the plant and was sitting on a platform near the tracks when he lost his balance and fell between the rails of a spur track just as a string of box cars was being backed past the platform.

Young Hodgins fell directly in front of the cars, three of which passed over him before the train could be brought to a stop. The train was uncoupled and the rescuers expecting to find a mangled corpse picked up Hodgins very much alive and only slightly scatched. He had fallen directly in the center of the track and the cars had passed over him without touching his body.

Boy Lost.

Solway.—John, the three-year-old son of William Shepherd, disappeared from his home near this place and not a trace of him has been found. It is feared he has either perished from hunger and exposure or has been devoured by wild beasts. Hundreds of men and boys with dogs have scoured the country for miles around. The county officials have offered $100 reward for the return of the boy dead or alive.

Body Stops Engine

Hibbing.—The lifeless body of Joseph Pavovich, engineer at the Stevenson mine at Stevenson, was found wrapped about the shafting of his engine, which was stopped. It is presumed that his clothing caught in the gearing and his body drawn after it. The stopping of the engine caused an investigation to be made, which resulted in the finding of the body.

Girl Goes to Prison.

Minneapolis.—Estelle Swift, a pretty 20-year-old girl, was sentenced by Judge H. D. Dickinson to one year in state prison. She had pleaded guilty to grand larceny in the second degree. The girl admitted that she had already served two sentences for grand larceny.

Town Wiped Out.

Mankato.—The recent burning of W. L. Hoover's store, house and barn wipes out the last building at old Nashville Center, southeast of here. A dozen years ago the place was a village of considerable importance. In recent years fires have been frequent and of peculiar destructiveness. This was the fifth fire that had occurred in the Hoover store. Two village halls have been burned, and every other business place has been wiped out, one after another. Mr. Hoover will not rebuild.

Drainage Fund Apportioned.

St. Paul.—Appropriations for state drainage work during the current year have been made by the state drainage board. The new law authorizes spending state money in two ways—on state ditches built on the assessment plan, and in state aid for county ditches. The following appropriations were made for state ditches:

Completion of Roseau river channel, $31,003.02; Kittson county, $10,000; Marshall county, Stranquist ditch, $2,500; Beltrami county, $2.143; Koochiching county, for ditches near International Falls and Northome, subject to investigation by the state engineer, $15,750; Itasca county, $6,000; St. Louis county, $10,000; Aitkin county, $500.

Engineer Ralph estimates that for every dollar the state spends on these ditches $2 will be paid in assessments by private land owners, so that the work will command three times as much money as the state appropriates.

The members of the commission will inspect the work on the Roseau river June 26 and 27.

Appropriations in aid of county drainage work were made as follows;

Aitkin county, for Mississippi river cutoff, $8,000 a year for two years.

Wilkin county, two ditches, $6,000.

Todd county, Long Prairie river ditch, $3,000; Wing river ditch, $3,000.

Wabasha county, Zumbro river cutoff, $3,000.

Norman county, $3,000.

Polk county, $3,000.

Traverse county, Misstinka river cutoff, $5,000.

Steele county, $5,000.

Nicollet county, Rush river ditch, $7,500.

Wadena county, Leaf river ditch, $2,000.

Engineer Ralph was instructed to investigate as to the proposed drainage of Heron Lake, in Jackson county, and two proposed ditches in Stevens county.

NEWS NOTES.

Ashville, N. C.—The National Library association in session here, decided to hold its next session in Minneapolis, Minn.

Minneapolis.—Joseph Cohen, a 12-year-old boy, fell from a log in the Mississippi river at the mouth of Minnehaha creek and was downed.

Melrose.—Thomas Rurke, a Great Northern engineer, while operating a steam shovel got his foot caught in the machinery. The foot was seriously crushed, resulting in the loss of three toes.

Moorhead.—The one-and-a-half-year-old child of Ole Ferder, foreman on the Benedict farm near here fell into the Buffalo river and was drowned. The body was recovered about half an hour after the child was missed.

Sauk Centre.—Bert Rice, twenty-two years old, was found dead in his brother's barn. He had been dead several hours. Circumstances indicate suicide, but no cause has been suggested. Rice was in perfect health.

St. Paul.—Errors and omissions in the gross earnings reports of the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad for 1897 to 1905, the tax upon which amounted to $2,935, were reported to the state treasurer by Public Examiner Anton Schaefer.

Winona.—In United States court the jury returned a verdict of $7,750 in the suit of John Moore against the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for broken limbs caused by the breaking of a derrick on a car on which he was working.

Winona.—Pine creek farmers awoke one morning last week to find nearly all the dogs in the neighborhood killed and a horse valued at $175 so badly bitten that shooting was necessary. The cause was a large dog said to be afflicted with rabies, which had visited the vicinity in the night and which left before it could be overtaken.

Faribault.—Edwin Sherwin, a hardware merchant of Nerstrand, in the eastern part of Rice county, committed suicide by shooting himself with a revolver. It is supposed that he committed the deed while in a fit of despondency over business trouble. He was in partnership with a brother who was in the store when the shot was fired, but in another part of the building.

Duluth.—Extensions of the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg road from Virginia to Duluth, seventy miles, is expected to be ready for business in 1907. The line will give a direct route from Winnipeg to Duluth by way of International Falls. The length of the road will be 170 miles. It has traffic relations with the Canadian Northern. Extensive terminals will be made at Duluth.

Owatonne.—At the annual boys' contest in declamation at Pillsbury academy, first place was won by Neal Kellogg of Milwaukee, and second by Harold Green of Dodge Center. In the young ladies contest, first place was won by Miss Helen Berrier of Flesher, and second by Miss Eve Hart of Browerville.

Winona.—Andrew Gazell was run down by a train, while picking up coal droppings near the depot of the St. Paul railroad. One foot was badly crushed and cut. He was taken to the hospital. Amputation of the foot at the ankle may be necessary.

Nothing I Ate Agreed With Me.

MRS. LENORA BODENHAMER.

Mrs. Lenora Bodenhamer, R. F. D. 1. Box 99, Kernersville, N. C., writes:

"I suffered with *stomach trouble* and indigestion for some time, and nothing that I ate agreed with me. I was very *nervous* and experienced a continual feeling of *uneasiness and fear.* I took medicine from the doctor, but it did me no good.

"I found in one of your Peruna books a description of my symptoms. I then wrote to Dr. Hartman for advice. He said I had catarrh of the stomach. I took Peruna and Manalin and followed his directions and can now say that I feel as well as I ever did.

"I hope that all who are afflicted with the same symptoms will take Peruna, as it has certainly *cured me.*"

The above is only one of hundreds who have written similar letters to Dr. Hartman. Just one such case as this entitles Peruna to the candid consideration of every one similarly afflicted. If this be true of the testimony of one person what ought to be the testimony of hundreds, yes thousands, of honest, sincere people. We have in our files a great many other testimonials.

"Whiskers."

"Whiskers" was a word formerly used to designate the hair on the upper lip. Scott more than once speaks of "whiskers on the upper lip" and so does Defoe in "Robinson Crusoe." Johnson defined a "whisker" as the hair growing on the upper lip or cheek unshaven; a mustachio." It seems to have taken its name from a fancied resemblance to a small brush, to "whisk" properly meaning to sweep, and a "whisker" having been a particular kind of feather brush—also, in the slang at a former time, a switch or rod. In the seventeenth century a "whisker" signified among other things a brazen lie, a "whopper."

A Benefactor.

"Why don't you do something for literature and art?" "I have done something for them," answered Mr. Dustin Stax. "My corporations have helped magazine writers and illustrators more than anything else that ever happened."

Supplied.

"Don't you want to get a talking machine for your home?" "Thanks; I have a wife at home now."—N. Y. Herald.

PALE, WEAK PEOPLE

MADE STRONG AND ENERGETIC BY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

General Breakdown Caused by Deficient Blood Quickly Corrected by This Tonic Remedy.

A feeling of general weakness, poor appetite, loss of breath after the slightest exercise and broken sleep are some of the symptoms of general debility. You may think that they have no relation to each other and that you will worry along, hoping all the time to feel better soon. This is a mistake, for every one of the symptoms is caused by bad blood, which must be made pure and new before health will be restored again. A tonic treatment is necessary and for this purpose there is no better remedy than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

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ON THE GREEN DIAMOND

Edward A. Walsh

Star "Spit-Ball" Pitcher of the Chicago American League Team.

"Big Frank" Bowerman a Veteran on the Diamond

Much of Credit for Development of Christy Mathewson Due to Giants' Catcher.

A shining example of the benefits of outdoor life is Frank Bowerman, baseball player in the good old summer time and muskrat hunter in the winter time. At present Mr. Bowerman is covering himself with a mantle of glory and a batting average of fine texture. He may be seen first-basing or catching wherever the New York Giants play.

"Big Frank" is not so old as men go, but in point of baseball service he is a veteran. Stars rise and fall, "phenoms" come and go, but the Michigan farmer bobs up every season. He is getting to be almost as much of a fixture as George Van Haltren was. A lot of young "fans" used to think that Van Haltren invented baseball. Bowerman has done a long stretch in New York. He went there from Pittsburg some seven or eight years ago.

The value of playing the game with all one's might is a good way to become popular in baseball. Nobody ever accused Bowerman of not working hard enough or of shirking any of his duties. His hands are gnarled and twisted with wounds he received while officiating behind the bat, but he never remained out of the game a minute longer than was necessary. He does everything as well as he knows how. He hits the ball with all his might, and he throws just as hard. Catching a ball is no child's play when he heaves it.

Bowerman has been the close friend and associate of Christy Mathewson for years. Up till two years ago he caught all of Mathewson's games. To him is due much of the credit for developing this wonderful pitcher. It may not be generally known that Bowerman is one of the best baseball scholars in the big leagues. You can not talk to him on the subject of baseball very long without discovering that he has studied the game a great deal. He knows what to do with the ball when he gets it and seldom makes an error in judgment.

His good nature and that well known grin help to make Bowerman popular with baseball patrons. They know he always tries hard.

In the old days Bowerman had the reputation of being a "bad actor" on the ball field, but there is no player who gets into less trouble than he. He makes his kicks, but knows how to keep his head, and the umpires seldom bother him.

Off the field Bowerman is a quiet person who can converse intelligently on any subject. He is very fond of home life, and when the Giants are in the west he always manages to run up to his farm near Romeo, Mich., to spend a day with his wife and children. City life is not attractive to him. He never tarries in New York a day longer than necessary. His chief pleasure is found in hunting and trapping in the Michigan forests.

The "Fans'" Paradise.

The Baseball Fiend lay on his bed,
  His life was nearly ended,
While to his knees, with bended head,
  The minister descended.

"Now," quoth the Fiend, "ask not for me
  A seat 'mid sainted creatures;
Above, as here, content I'll be
  To sit among the bleachers.

Peculiarity of Minors in the Major Leagues

Former Left-Hand Hitters Nearly Always Hit to Right Field in Fast Company.

"Every spring, while on our training trips, I have noticed many peculiarities of the minor league ball players," says Clark Griffith.

"I have noticed that whenever a player who in the minors was a pronounced left-hand hitter struck the major league, he became unable to hit anywhere but right field, and this continued even after he returned to the small fry. Now, there is a reason for this, and I think that I have figured it out.

"In the minor leagues, where each club has about one good pitcher, while the others are only ordinary, the batsman gets a toe hold and takes a full swing at the ball meeting it before it is upon him, with the result that he pulls it into left field. Now, in the major leagues the youngster finds himself up against first-class twirlers day in and day out, with the result that if be takes his long swing he probably does not touch the ball at all, or hits it into right field, because they have more speed and quicker shoots on the ball. The result is that he shortens his hold on the stock, and in order not to be fooled by any quick break the ball may make, hits later, with the result that if he meets the ball it goes toward right field.

"Major league clubs employ scouts to go through the minor leagues in search of material. It is my judgment that not enough time is taken to look over this material. A fellow watches a player in two or three games and then either brands him ripe for the majors or unfit for anything but the minors. Now, it is my opinion that many a lemon has broken into fast company, and many a good player has been kept in the minors as a result of this hurry to size up players."

AMONG THE MINORS

The Louisville club has released Catcher Lou Dillon.

Schnelberg, the pitcher turned over to Milwaukee by Detroit this spring, is making good.

The Haverhill club has released Third Baseman Patrick Ginley.

The Baltimore club has signed Catcher Tom Dillon, of Newark, N. J.

Third Baseman Jack Frost has been released by the Sioux City club, of the Western league.

President Lucas has appointed John Priest, of Massachusetts, a Northwestern league umpire.

The St. Louis club has traded Pitcher Carl Druhot to Altoona for Pitcher Charles Shields.

The Vicksburg club, of the Cotton States league, has released Pitcher Jones, and signed Outfielder Cary, of Detroit.

The Cincinnati club has released Frank Leary, the "spit ball" pitcher, to the Harrisburg club, of the Tri-State league.

The Springfield club, of the Central league, has sold Pitcher Charles Alberts to the Zanesville club, of the P.-O.-M. league.

Leo Sage, the big pitcher of the Milwaukee club, has been sold to the Oshkosh club, of the Wisconsin league.

THREE PRETTY ENTERTAINMENTS

Recipe Luncheon Recently Given Has the Merit of Originality—Ruby Wedding Anniversary Not Often Celebrated—Good Luck Party as Farewell to Traveler Just Leaving.

At a recent luncheon given by an ingenious hostess who always manages to give an original turn to all her affairs each guest was asked to bring a favorite recipe written out carefully on the sheet of paper enclosed. These papers were collected by the hostess. After the dessert and before rising from the table slips of paper and pencils were passed; the ladies were asked to write down the odds and ends left in their ice boxes after dinner. These slips were collected and passed again so that each one received another's paper. They were then required to write a menu or a recipe from the list of articles on that paper. When all had finished they were read aloud, and the one whose menu received the most votes as being the best was awarded the budget of recipes which had been brought by the guests. Being on uniform sheets the hostess had slipped them into a pretty portfolio marked "Our Favorite Recipes." Each lady inscribed her name therein and in some instances an appropriate quotation.

A Good Luck Party.

This unique evening was arranged for a young woman who was leaving for an extended trip. The invitations were bordered with pen and ink sketch of horseshoes, wishbones and four-leaf clovers. A card ornamented with a row of horseshoes was enclosed in each invitation and the request to write in rhyme a sentiment for the departing friend. Gilt, silver and green emblems of good luck were conspicuous throughout the rooms and tiny gilt horseshoes were tied to baby ribbon making showers. These were suspended from gas jets and over the dining-room table.

One effective bit of decoration was the screen in the dining-room. It was covered completely with pink and white clover blossoms. A flat floral horseshoe was the table centerpiece. The doilies under the side dishes and candlesticks were four-leaf clovers cut from green paper. Horseshoes formed from small flowers surrounded the place plates and even the table was in form of this symbol of good luck. The cookies were cut with a clover form and in the center of each was a gilded chicken wishbone.

Gilded wishbones tied with colored ribbons were matched to find partners for refreshments and afterwards there was a funny contest to see who could make the best doll from a wishbone. Japanese dollheads, crepe paper, bits of ribbon and lace with paste was provided. Then there was a hunt for four-leaf clovers. These had been cut out of bright green glace paper and hidden in all sorts of places. For the man who found the most there was a clover stickpin, and a wishbone of gold for the lady.

The toasts written by the guests were read at the table and then each one was asked to relate the best piece of luck they had ever had. On departing the hostess presented a brand new unused "good luck" penny to each one.

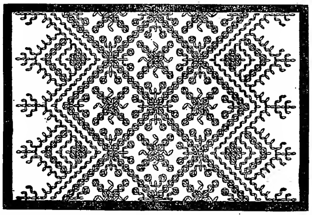
The Ruby Wedding.

In the list of wedding anniversaries there is a skip generally from the "silver" to the "golden." However, I believe that some people must celebrate the fortieth anniversary, which is the ruby wedding, as there have been several requests for a description of this function. As I have never personally attended such an affair I would be very glad to hear of any unique features known to the readers of the department.

Of course there is the lovely red Bohemian glass that would be appropriate for one or two gifts, but no housekeeper wants much of it. Rubies are beyond the pocketbooks of the average guests. Red roses and carnations would be the decoration with red candles. Seems to me that the thirtieth anniversary is celebrated as the "pearl" wedding. If any one has witnessed such an affair, please let us hear about it.

MADAME MERRI.

Border: Italian Stitch



This is a very distinct and pretty pattern that may be worked with ingrain cotton or washing silk. Many articles may be ornamented with such a pattern, for instance, ends of sideboard cloths, towel covers, stripes for bedspreads alternated with strips of lace, etc. Linen, canvas, or some material the threads of which can easily be counted, should be used for the foundation.

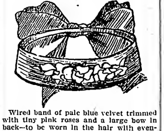
FOR THE COMPLEXION

Pure Water and Plenty of It Is One of the First Necessities for a Clear Skin.

It is not too much to say that unless she will drink enough water and take it as she should no woman can have a good complexion.

It serves to flush and clear the whole system and will carry off impurities at a rate to save a visit to a physician.

This may seem like an exaggeration, but it is not, and the theory is easily understood.



Wired band of pale blue velvet trimmed with tiny pink roses and a large bow in back—to be worn in the hair with evening gowns.

The stomach will not contain a large amount of water and as the liquid is sent from the body it does scavanger work in taking off germs or matter that may cause illness.

Every person should drink at least two quarts of water a day. One may take more if desired, and there is no danger of its being fattening if drank as it should be, not with meals but between them.

If one will have patience to masticate food properly no water will be required with it and the gastric juices will do their work well. Few individuals, however, are content with this and to them the less liquid of any kind you absorb with your food the better, if you are striving to keep down flesh.

It is obvious that the water treatment is to be used at odd times, as it were. Iced water in quantities is not to be approved. If with the meals one wishes cold liquids they should not cause harm if only a sip or two be taken at a time. But when drinking a glassful at once, as the treatment requires, the temperature should never be lower than a chill. This is refreshing and is not unhygienic.

Begin the day by taking a glassful of hot or cold water. It should not all be poured down the throat at once; neither should it be sipped, for the quantity should go into the stomach at once that it may be ejected soon.

Occasionally some person raises the objection that hot water in the morning makes one ill. This is most unlikely to happen if the water is hot; tepid water is decidedly nauseating.

If, however, there is the slightest reluctance to taking hot water. cold may be substituted, and to a glassful in the morning add a pinch of powdered charcoal. This is excellent for the stomach. A similar glassful should be taken on going to bed. The rest of the two quarts may be drunk whenever one wishes.

It is a good thing to take a glassful at a time and none later than half an hour before a meal or earlier than half an hour before eating. Otherwise it is likely to interfere with digestion.

When water is to be drunk daily in this quantity one can not be too particular to have it pure.

For those who can afford them there are bottled spring waters, but the city water may be made wholly hygienic by boiling and then cooling it, placing in glass jars and keeping next to the ice.

Curls matching the hair to be sewed under the hat.

These water bottles should be scalded without fail once a week in strong soda water to keep them fresh.

TOGA FOR STEPHENSON

WISCONSIN SOLONS FINALLY ELECT A SENATOR.

Successor to Spooner Is Well-Supplied with Worldly Goods—Served Three Terms in Congress—Sketch of His Career.

Madison, Wis.—Isaac Stephenson of Marinette, multi-millionaire, and prominent in political and financial circles of Wisconsin for more than half a century, has been elected United States senator to fill the unexpired term of John C. Spooner, which ends in March, 1909, after a prolonged deadlock.

The new senator is nearly 78 years old and most of his life he has spent in Wisconsin. He knows the Badger state from its peak in Lake Superior to its base in lower Lake Michigan. He knows its people, their families in many instances, and their histories.

Mr. Stephenson is no tyro in matters legislative. He served three terms in the lower house of congress, beginning in 1882, and gained during that time a thorough knowledge of what one needs to be and not to be if he would represent his state well and successfully. He lived several years at the Ebbett house in Washington, and used to come in close contact daily with the late William McKinley, who as a representative from Ohio put up for years at the same ancient hostelry.

Senator Stephenson is a many-sided man. He is a banker, a lumberman, a promoter of great industries, a farmer, a yachtsman, a fisherman, a devotee of out-of-doors sports such as horse racing, and a philosophical man of affairs. He believes in churches, though not himself a member of any denomination. He has contributed thousands of dollars to Roman Catholic, Episcopal, Presbyterian, Methodist and other religious societies. He has built new church edifices and bought belfray chimes galore.

The bulk of Mr. Stephenson's fortune of $10,000,000 was made in lumber. He was one of the pioneers in the upper lake region to assail the virgin forests with ax and saw and to ship the manufactured product in sailing boats from Marinette, Escanaba, Flat Rock, Menominee and other centers of sawmill industry to the great port of Chicago.

Mr. Stephenson was born June 18, 1829, in York county, near the city of Fredericton, N. B. His father was of Scotch-Irish extraction, and his mother was a native of England.

Of rugged health and able to meet all sorts of hardship, young Stephenson at 18 was a six-footer and over. He could handle a cant-hook, peavey and pike pole with any experienced logging boss on the Menominee or Escanaba rivers, and that was something. When 21 years old Stephenson was bossing logging crews. In summer he sailed the lakes and carried board, lath and shingles to Chicago in schooners and luggers. In the summer of 1853 he had a controlling interest in the Schooner Cleopatra, which was lost that year in a fearful gale a mile or so off of Chicago. In 1848 he accompanied Jefferson Sinclair and Daniel Wells to the first public sale of land in the northern peninsula and assisted in purchasing large tracts for a nominal cost. Later these lands produced millions in money for their owners.

ISAAC STEPHENSON.
(Wisconsin Man Who Will Fill Unexpired Term of Senator Spooner.)

In 1858, when only 29 years of age, he bought a quarter interest in the mill owner by the N. L. Ludington company, a corporation still in existence. This was the basis of his great fortune, for within ten years he had made over half a million dollars, and was in sight of several millions more.

Mr. Stephenson is the largest stockholder in the Stephenson National bank of Marinette. He owns several large farms, among them being one near Marinette, another seven miles north and up river, and a third of 900 acres near Kenosha. Mr. Stephenson with others own the big paper mills bordering the river at Marinette. The Marinette Croesus also has extensive possessions in the far west and in the Canadian country. He owns a steam barge and several smaller boats and also a trim steam yacht, the Boniza.

PEACEFUL AFRICANS.

The Moundans Carry Farming Tools Instead of Warlike Weapons.

New York.—That the native African is not always and invariably a poor, half-naked brute has been proved by the reports and photographs brought back to France by the "Moll Mission," an expedition sent to the French Congo about 18 months ago for the purpose of determining some unsettled boundary questions. South of Lake Chad Commandant Moll discovered a peaceful race of agriculturists and shepherds, intelligent and hospital, ripe for civilization, living in pastoral simplicity. Everything about the Moundans is picturesque and interesting. They are a vigorous and handsome race, and very brave, but, contrary to the almost universal practice of the Africans in regions where white rule has not been established, they never carry arms. On the contrary, the implement oftenest seen in their hands is a hoe.

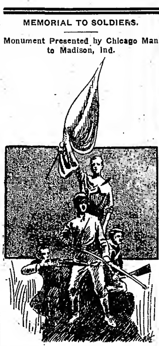
African Village of Lere.

Nevertheless, they appear to have descended from warlike ancestors, and were probably driven southward from their original mountain home by some conquering chief. Reminiscences of this past may be seen in their semi-military architecture, which does not resemble that of any of the neighboring peoples. At a little distance one of their villages looks like a fortified city.

The Moundan village, of which Lere is an excellent type, is inclosed by a series of round towers connected by walls from two or three metres in height. Inside, parallel to the inclosing walls, is a circle of cupolas, each one pierced with a single hole. These are the granaries, the most important buildings of the town. They are erected on piles supported on great stones, which places them beyond the reach of termites and rodents, as well as of dampness, and the only entrance is through the hole in the vaulted roof. Between the outer wall and the granaries are the homes of the people, while the residence of the chief faces the entrance.

MEMORIAL TO SOLDIERS.

Monument Presented by Chicago Man to Madison, Ind.



Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument.

Madison, Ind.—The accompanying illustration is a picture of the soldiers' and sailors' monument given to the city by George Middleton of Chicago. It will cost when completed $10,000. Mr. Middleton was a member of the Third Indiana cavalry and he has taken this method of remembering his dead comrades.

The four figures represent three private soldiers and a sailor, of the four different branches of the service—infantry, artillery, cavalry and navy. The figure of the cavalryman, standing, drawing a saber, is seven feet high. The sailor, holding the flag aloft, is also seven feet high, and the others in the kneeling positions, in the act of firing, are in proportion. The granite base will be 12 feet high, and the bronze cast, from the base to the top of the flag, about the same height, making a total of 25 feet.

The sculptor is Sigvald Asbjornsen. The monument will be ready for dedication about September 1.

Think Cave was Outlaws' Lair.

Workmen blasting rock for ballast on the side of Turkey mountain, about five miles south of Tulsa, on the Midland Valley, discovered what is believed will turn out to be one of the largest caves in the country. On the wall to the right near the entrance was transcribed "J. A. Cox, 1864." Cox was the leader of a notorious band of outlaws in the early days of the territory, and it is thought that this cave was the lair of his gang.—Kansas City Journal.

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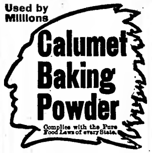
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WHAT ABOUT THE SIMPSONS?

The Minneapolis Journal has been running an article asking "where should the Simpsons go," and in reply received a bunch of answers from different parts of the country, including many from this neighborhood.

In the Journal several weeks back Mr. J. Q. Simpson stated that he had retired from business in the mill city and had some $12,000 to invest in business somewhere in the Northwest. There are several conditions attached to Mr. Simpon's letter however. He stated that he was a man with a family of growing children, and aside from a place where he could invest his capital where it would briag returns, he desired to locate where he could make a home where his children could be brought up right, and where he might be glad to settle down for good and all.

Replies to Mr. Simpson's letter were sent in from all parts of the Northwest, townsmen uniting in letters setting forth the advantages of their respective localities. One of the best replies was from Ed. L. Healy, of this city and instead of attempting to tell on its own book why the Simpsons should come to Red Lake Falls, THE GAZETTE prints Mr. Healy's letter in full as it was printed in last Sunday's Journal:

Red Lake Falls, Minn., May 18—I note your letter to The Journal, the best paper in the Twin cities, saying that you have $12,000 that you want to invest, and wonder where is the best place.

Now, Mr. Simpson, Minneapolis a great big city, is it not? What has made it so? Its water powers, with its broad-guaged men have made Minneapolis the manufacturing city it is today.

Now we have the water power power and I will inclose you a cut of it. The photo from which this cut is made was taken on the last day of December, 1905, midwinter. So you can see that with this dam, 300 feet long and a 500 barrel flouring mill, and another dam in the city nearly as large with a larger flour mill, is a good starter for the future manufacturing city of Northwestern Minnesota.

Our city is the county seat of Red Lake county, of about 2,500 inhabtants and located in the midst of one of the richest farming couutries in this grand old state. We have about a dozen creameries and cheese factories in the country.

Lands are a very good investment in a countty like ours, and especially so near RedLake Falls. Again I could show you a business consisting of general merchandising, in which a half interest could be bought that would bring a large annual income.

We haye elegant school advntages, as well as churches. Our city is very orderly, not an arrest having been made in 1907, for disorderly conduct. Red Lake Falls is noted for the health of its people.

Your children would grow up robust and happy, and you would be pleased with this beautiful city, nestling as it does among the hills at the junction of the Red Lake and Clearwater rivers.

The scenery is grand and you can pick out a home in our city, on the one side out on the smooth prairie or on the other, in the groves of of oak and poplar on an elevation overlooking the sparkling waters of the Clearwater, ninety feet below or yet in the center of the city on, the banks of the stream at a lower level. Red Lake Falls is worth looking over and we invite you to visit us before selecting your future home.

—Ed. L. Healy.

If there are any who think Mr. Healy has overlooked any good points why the Simpsons should come to Red Lake Falls, THE GAZETTE would be pleased to receive their opinions for publication.

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THE AMERICAN FLAG

An Address to the People of the United States by National Patriotic Instructor.

Friday, June 14th, will be the one hundred thirtieth anniversary of the birth of the flag of the United States. The flag was designed for a nation of thirteen colonies, stretched like a belt along the Atlantic coast, made up of less than three millions of people, without common traditions or language, drawn together only by common danger from savages within and oppression without, which threatened their existence and liberties. That flag now waves over a great nation, extending from the Gulf of Mexico to the Lakes, from the Atlantic to beyond the Pacific sea, and inhabited by nearly ninety millions of people who speak a common language.

Our flag is now—in form—the oldest flag of civilized nations. The resolution by congress for the adoption of the Stars and Stripes on June the 14th, 1777, was as follows: "Resolved, That the flag of the United States be thirteen stripes alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation." The design of this flag is credited to George Washington and in part was taken from his family coat of arms. Such is the origin of a flag dedicated to the proposition that "all men are created free and equal." Let us honor the natal day of our national flag—displaying it from our public buildings, schools and homes in recognition of this memorable day.

The men of the Grand Army of the Republic, who preserved the nation in the greatest war of modern times, and made vital the Declaration of our fathers, call upon all who live under the flag to recognize this day by patriotic observances in schools and—on the Sunday preceding—in churches. To this end we suggest that the governor of every state by proclamation announce the day and promote its recognition; that the press scatter this call as seeds of patriotism broadcast over the land. Such recognition will nourish the greatness of our nation, inculcate noble citizenship, the principles of civil liberty, and be an object lesson to the new generations that have come up on the state since the civil war.

—Warren Lee Goss,
National Patriotic Inst'tor, G. A. R.

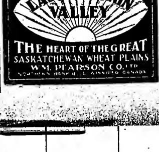
POSTMASTERS RAISED

Red Lake Falls Office Will Pay $1,600 Per Year After the First of July.

Third Assistant Postmaster General Hitchcock has announced changes in salaries of the presidential postmasters in Minnesota based on receipts at their respective postoffices for the four quarters ending March 31st and to become effective July 1st. Most of the increases are for $100, the only $200 raise in the northern part of the state being at Bemidji, where the postmaster will receive $2400 instead of $2200 as heretofore. Red Lake Falls will hereafter pay 1,600 instead of $1,500. Following are the offices in the northern part of the state which will pay an increase of $100 on next year's salary, and the new salary:

Aitkin $1800, Akeley $1600, Hibbing $2500, Alexandria $2100, Lake Park $1300, Bagley $1200, McIntosh $1200, Blackduck $1500, Bovey $1,400, Crookston $2700, East Grand Forks $1800, Eveleth $2200, Red Lake Falls $1600, Fertile $1200, Frazee $1300, Roseau $1200, Grand Rapids $1900, Staples $1800, Stephen $1300, Thief River Falls $2000, Warren $1700, Wadena $1900, Walker $1100.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.



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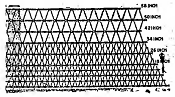

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Joseph Paradis was a visitor at East Grand Forks Tuesday, attending to some business matters.

N. J. St. Aubin and family expect to move to Crookston within the next few few weeks. Mr. St. Aubin wil' work in the O'Brien hardware there.

Miss Osina Kaasa, of Northwood, North Dakota, arrived here Saturday and is taking the place of her sister, Miss Gina, as stenographer in the real estate office of V. M. Highinbotham while Gina is visiting with her parents at Northwood.

Fred Richards left last evening for Hamilton, Montana, where he has a good position in view and will remain during the summer. Ned Taylor, a former Red Lake Falls boy is located at Hamilton and is doing well.

The officers of the Presbyterian church met last evening with the pastor and took up the matter of Mr. Knox's resignation. They will endeavor to secure a pastor to take hold of the work here and expect to have regular Sunday services as usual during the summer mouths.

The Misses Alyce Boyd, Mollie Allard, Lillian Buse, Albina Lemieux, Etta Hennemuth, Etta Garceau, Ellen Brady, Mayme Erickson, Gertie Hennemuth will entertain some two hundred guests at the Metropolitan opera house next Wednesday evening, June 18. Dancing will be the feature of the evening and a thoroughly enjoyable time is looked forward to.

Banns were published at St. Mary's church last Sunday for the marriage of Charles J. Kruse and Miss Margaret Weiland. two north side young people, which will occur at St. Mary's next Tuesday, the 11th inst. Mr. Kruse is an old resident here and has many friends among the people. The bride-to-be recently moved here, but is spoken of as a charming young lady, and a fitting companion to the man of her choice.

Tuesday afternoon occured the wedding of Miss Winnifred Herren to Mr. Harry Purdy, both of Thief River Falls at that place. The wedding was one of the social events of Thief River Falls, and a large number of friends of the couple were in attendance. Mr. Purdy is an engineer on the Soo road and Miss Herron is the daughter of prominent people of that place. Father Adolph performed the ceremony. The happy couple left last night on the Soo for Winnipeg where they will visit for some time after which they will go east for an extended honeymoon trip.

Auctioneer Belair, Clerk Toupin, and several others from here were out to the Prudhomme home Tuesday, attending the big auction sale. This sale was one of the biggest ever held in southern Red Lake county, and was attended by a large crowd of people. Between sixteen and seventeen hundred dollars worth of property was sold, and everything put up brought a good price. Mr. Prudhomme will move to Red Lake Falls within a short time to take charge of the City Hotel property which he recently purchased.

A special train bearing a party of "big guns" of the Great Northern road, went through here Sunday night on the north trip and back again early Monday morning. They were on a tour inspection of the Great Northern system and had a fully equipped train. In the party were H. P. McGuigan, second vice-president; J. E. Ward, general manager; J. M. Robinson, and D. E. Legan, division freight agents; T. E. Lowry, division superintendent: M. Laughlin, roadmaster; E. A. Mills, master carpenter, and several other prominent railroad officials.

Warren Register: Roseau is playing in hard luck. It is positively stated by those who are in position to secure inside information that the Great Northern will not this year extend its Greenbush line through Badger and Roseau to Warroad. This news will sorely disappoint the Roseau people, as they had been hoping for years for railroad connection with the rest of the country and it certainly seemed that their hopes were to be realized this year. No reason is given for the Great Northern's apparently sudden determination to do no building beyond Greenbush in 1907. The people might use the new railroad grade up there for wagon road if it is smooth enough.

THE LOCAL FIELD

ITEMS OF INTEREST DURING THE WEEK

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Frank Laplante spent Sunday at Crookston.

Lew Padden visited at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Albert Lizee was a Crookston vistor over Tuesday night.

Register of Deeds Quist spent Sunday at Thief River Falls.

S. M. Sivertson was a Crookston visitor last Thursday evening.

Julius Pleth and Joe Morisette were in from Plummer Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. Argue returned home Monday from a ten days' visit with friends at Duluth.

Miss Alice Hanson, of Fertile, was a guest of here sister, Elene, Monday and Tuesday.

Hon. Marcus Johnson spent several days here this week, looking after his interests.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Floan and children spent Sunday with Thief River Falls friends.

Dr. J. E. Argue went to St. Hilaire yesterday on his regular weekly professional visit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kankel spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Kankel at Terrebonne.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Germo and Miss Willson spent Monday with friends at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson was a guest of friends at Duluth several days of last week returning Monday.

Miss Lulu Fletcher is expected home from Ely this week to spend the summer with her parents here.

James Egan left Tuesday evening to spend a few days at North Dakota points looking after his real estate interests.

Miss Lou Green returned to her home in Equality Tuesday, after having spent the past school year in the city.

Miss Thea Eickhoff, of Grand Forks is a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Arthur Zaiser, here this week.

A. C. Rasmussen, of Thief River Falls, was a guest at the homa of his cousin, Sheriff Nelson, Monday and Tuesday.

Miss Mayma Erickson will arrive home the latter part of this weak from Fergus Falls, to remain here for the summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Skaurud went down to Ada last Thursday evening and spent several days with relatives and friends there.

The Damon company failed to put in an appearance this week and did not show at the Metropolitan, Tuesday night as they were advertised.

E. A. Moran went down to the cities Saturday with a car of fat cattle returning home Tuesday. Ed has been doing a lot of business in the cattle line this spring.

J. R. Patnode, Joe Schusser and several others from here, who were employed on the Red Lake river drive, have returned home, having got the logs safe at their destination.

Mrs. Dr. Hendrickson, of Fertile, who rendered several vocal selections at the commencement exercises Monday evening, was a guest of Miss Elene Hanson, while in the city.

Theo. Schmitz, of the Red Lake Falls brickyard, shipped out several cars of brick during the past few weeks. Tuesday he shipped one to Bemidji and has orders for considerablo more for that point.

C. A. Greenleaf, travelling auditor for the Robertson Lumber company, was here last week and checked up the accounts of local agent Crompe. As usual he found everything in ship shape at the local yard.

The teachers in the city schools have al returned to their homes, this week to spend the summer vacations. Miss Hanson went to Fertile; Miss Lamb, to Moorhead; Miss Coughlin to St. Cloud: Miss Trudo, to Sauk Rapids.

Mrs. William Findeisen went to Winona last Thursday and will this week attend the commencement exercises of the Winona Normal school. Her daughter, Miss Maude, graduates this year, and will return home with Mrs. Findeisen next week.

Miss Martha Altstadt returned home Monday from Loman, Itasca county, where she has been teaching school for the past nine months. Miss Martha gave very good satisfaction in her school work over there, and expects to return to that neighborhood again this fall.

Miss Lorraine Longtin came over from Oberon, North Dakota, Monday to attend the commencement exercises at the opera house that evening. Miss Lorraine is teaching out there and her duties compelled her to return to that place Tuesday night.

Hubert Cardinal, one of Lake Pleasents foremost farmers, is hauling out material this week for the erection of a fine new residence on his farm. He will make other extensive improvements on the place this spring and will have one of the finest homes in the country when he gets through.

Mrs. L. A. Nelson went up to Thief River Falls Saturday and remained with relatives until Monday. She was accompanied home by Mrs. J. J. Rollis and daughter Mabel, who are spending the week here.

Carl Krueger came over from Antlers, North Dakota, Monday, and and will remain here until after the firemen's tournament two weeks hence. Carl is well pleased with his Dakota home, but likes to get back here occasianally.

Fruend's orchestra went out to Plummer Saturday evening and played for a big dance there that night. Fruend's bunch of music makers are always in demand, and whenever a good orchestra is wanted these boys are called upon.

Henry W. Anderson went down down to St. Paul Saturday evening to spend a week with his parents and friends there, and incidently to buy a quantity of new goods for his store here. Miss Lillian Buse is in charge of his place while Andy is away.

Dan Linnihan came up from Royalton Monday and remained with family and friends here until last evening. Dan reports work on his railroad contract as moving along in fine shape, and says that the Soo people are in a hurry to get their line completed by fall.

Fred Craig, the rustling East Grand Forks citizen, was looking after his business interests here last Thursday. Incidently Fred was boosting East Grand Forks' contemplated fourth of July celebration and stated that it would be the biggest thing of the kind ever held in that valley.

David Person, formerly a resident of Gervais, but who has been at Minneapolis for the past year and a half, returned this week with a bonny bride and will make his home on his farm in Gervais in the future. Mr. Person has many friends in this section of the country who will join in wishing him unbounded success.

Theo. Jacobson and family left last Thursday evening for Marshall, Lyon county. The Jacobsons moved here from there a few years ago, but recently sold their farm here at a handsome figure and returned to their old home Mr. Jacobson was a good citizen and the people here will wish him all kinds of success in the future

Misses Myrtle Armstrong and Ethel Reed left Tuesday evening for Staples, where Miss Myrtle will spend several months at the Reed home. Myrtle will not return here again, but this fall will go with her mother to the new home at Missoula, Montana. She has many young friends here who will miss her but will join in the wish that she may be happy in her western home.

J. P. Harren departed Tuesday evening for St. Cloud and other potnts in Stearng county, and will visit with relstives and friends there until Saturday, when he will proceed to Faribault to represent the North Star Court, C. O. F., at the state convention to be held in that city several days of next week, commencing Tuesday. Mr. Harren will be away until about the 15th, and expected to have an enjoyable trip.

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

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CHAPTER XXXV.—Continued.

He was still uneasy, hesitating, fearful, but he saw interest here and there in the faces before him. Even Brigham, though unseen by the speaker, was looking mildly curious.

"You remember the revelation that came to Joseph in an early day when there was trouble in raising money to print the Book of Mormon,—'Some revelations are from God, some from man, and some from the Devil.' Recalling the many chastenings God has put upon us, may we not have failed to test all our other revelations by this one?"

Deep within he was angry at himself, for he was not speaking with words of fire as he had meant to; he was feeling a shameful cowardice in the presence of the Prophet. He had seen himself once more the Lute of the Holy Ghost, strong and moving; but now he was a poor, low-spoken, hesitating rambler. Nervously he went on, skirting about the edge of his truth as long as he dared, but feeling at last that he must plunge into its icy depths.

"In short, brethren, the Book of Mormon denounces and forbids our plural marriages."

Even this astounding declaration he made without warmth, in tones so low that many did not hear him. Those on the platform heard, however, and now began to view his obvious physical weakness in a new light. Yet he continued, gaining a little in force.

"The declarations on the subject in the Book of Mormon are so worded that we cannot fail to read them as denouncing and forbidding the practice of the Old Testament patriarchs in the matter of the family life."

In rapid succession he cited the passages to which he referred, those concerning David and Solomon and Noah and Riplakish, who 'did not do that which was right in the sight of the Lord, for he did have many wives.'"

There were murmurings and rustlings among the people now, and on his right he heard Brigham stirring uneasily in his chair; but he nerved himself to keep on his feet, feeling he had that to say which should make them hail him as a new prophet when he was understood.

"But besides these warnings against the sin there are many early revelations to Joseph himself condemning it."

He cited several of these, feeling the amazement and the alarm grow about him.

"And now against these plain words, given at many times in many places, written on the golden plates in letters that cannot lie, or brought to Joseph by the angel of the Lord, we have only the one revelation on celestial marriage. Read it now in the light of these other revelations and see if it does not too plainly convict itself of having been counterfeited to Joseph by an evil spirit. Such, brethren, has been the revelation that the Lord has given to me again and again until it burns within me, and I must cry it out to you. Try to receive it from me."

There was commotion among the people in front, chairs were moved at one side, and a low voice called to him to sit down. He heard this voice through the ringing that had been in his ears for many days, like the beating of a sea against him, and he felt the strength go suddenly from his knees.

He stumbled weakly back to his chair and sank into it with head bowed, feeling, rather than seeing, the figure of Brigham rise from its seat and step forward with deliberate, unruffled majesty.

As the Prophet faced his people they became quite silent, so that the robins could be heard in the Pettigrew peach trees across the street. He poured a glass of water from the pitcher on the table, and drank it slowly. Then, leaning a little forward, resting both his big cushiony hands on the green of the table, the Lion of the Lord began to roar—very softly at first. Slowly the words came, in tones scarce audible, marked indeed almost by the hesitation of the first speaker. But then a difference showed; gradually the tone increased in volume, the words came faster, fluency succeeding hesitation, and now his voice was high and searching, while his easy, masterful gestures laid their old spell upon the people.

"It does not occupy my feelings to curse any individual," he had begun, awkwardly; "in fact, I feel to render all thanks and praise for the discourse to which we have just listened, but I couldn't help saying to myself, 'Oh, dear, Granny! what a long tail our puss has got!'"

An uneasy titter came from the packed square of faces in front of him. He went on with rising power:

"But it is foretold in the Book of Mormon that the Lord will remove the bitter branches, and it's a good thing to find out where the bitter branches are. We can remove them ourselves. We can't expect the Lord to do all our dirty work. Now hear it once more, you that need to hear it—and damn all such poor pussyism as sniffles and whines and rejects it! We don't want that scrubby breed here!—Listen, I say. The celestial order of marriage is necessary for our exaltation to the fulness of the Lord's glory in the world eternal! Where much is given much is required. Understand me,—those that reject polygamy will be damned. Hear it now once for all. I will give you to know that God, our Father, has many wives, and so has Jesus Christ, our Elder Brother. Our God and Father in heaven is a being of tabernacle, or, in other words, He has a body of parts the same as you and I have. And that God and Father of ours was Adam."

Again there was a stirring below as if a wind swept the people, and the little man in his chair cowered for shame of himself. He had meant to do a great thing; he had thrilled so strongly with it; it had promised to master others as it had mastered him; and now he was shamed by the one true Lion of the Lord.

"Hear it now," continued Brigham. "When God, our Father Adam, came into the garden of Eden, he came into it with a celestial body, and brought one of his wives with him,—Eve. He made and organized this world. He is Michael, the Archangel, the Ancient of Days, about whom holy men have written and spoken. He is our Father and our God, and the only God with whom we have to do. I could tell you much more about this; but were I to tell you the whole truth, blasphemy would be nothing to it, in the estimation of the superstitious and over-righteous of mankind. But I will tell you this, that Jesus, our Elder Brother, was begotten in the flesh by the same character that was in the garden of Eden, and who is our Father in Heaven."

"O God, I Am Tired and Ready! Take Me and Burn Me!"

He turned and went to his seat with a last threatening gesture, amid many little sounds of people relaxing from strained positions.

But then, before another could arise, a wonder came upon them. The little man stood up and came quickly forward, a strange new life in his step, a new confidence in his bearing, a curious glow of new strength in his face. Even his stoop had straightened for the moment. For, as he had listened to Brigham's last words, the picture of his vision in the desert had come back,—the cross in the sky, the crucified Savior upon it, the head in death-agony fallen over upon the shoulder. And then before his eyes had come page after page of the New Testament with a wash of blood across two of them. He felt the new life he had prayed for pouring into his veins, and with it a fierce anger. The one on the cross who had been more than man, who had shirked no sacrifice and loved infinitely, was not thus to be assailed. A panorama of wrong—wrong thinking and wrong doing—extended before his clearing gaze. For once he seemed to see truth in a vision and to feel the power to utter it.

There was silence again as he stood in front of the little table, the faces before him frozen into wonder that he should have either the power or the temerity to answer Brigham. He spoke, and his voice was again rough with force, and high and fearless, a voice many of them recalled from the days when he had not been weak.

"Now I see what we have done. Listen, brethren, for God has not before so plainly said it to any man, and I know my time is short among you. We have gone back to the ages of Hebrew barbarism for our God—to the God of Battles worshipped by a heathen people—a God who loved the reek of blood and the smell of burning flesh. But you shall not—"

He turned squarely and fiercely to the face of Brigham.

"—you shall not confuse that bloody God of Battles with the true Christ, nor yet with the true God of Love that this Christ came to tell us of. Once I believed in Him. I was taught to by your priests. War seemed a righteous thing, for we had been grievously put upon, and I believed the God of Israel should avenge our wrongs as He had avenged those of His older Zion. And hear me now—so long as I believed this, I was no coward; while you, sir—"

A long forefinger was pointed straight at the amazed Brigham.

"—while you, sir, were a craven, contemptible in your cowardice. I would have fought in Echo canyon to the end, because I believed. But you did not believe, and so you were afraid to fight. And for your cowardice and your wretched lusts your name among all but your ignorant dupes shall become a hissing and a scorn. For mark it well, unless you forsake that heathen God of Battles and preach the divine Christ of the New Testament, you shall come to hold only the ignorant, and them only by keeping them ignorant."

The commotion among the people in front was now all but a panic. On the platform the sires of Israel whispered one to another, while Brigham gazed as if fascinated, driven to admiration for the speaker's power and audacity. For the feverish, fleeting moment, Joel Rae was that veritable Lion of the Lord he had prayed to be, putting upon the people his spell of the old days. Heads were again strained up and forward, and amazed horror was on most of the faces. Far back, Prudence trembled, feeling that she must be away at once, until she felt the firm grasp of Follett's hand. The speaker went on, having turned again to the front.

"Instead of a church you shall become justly hated and despised as a people who foul their homes and dishonor beyond forgiveness the names of wife and mother. Then your punishment shall come upon you as it has already come for this and for other sins. Even now the Gentile is upon us; and mark this truth that God has but now given me to know: we have never been persecuted as a church,—but always as a political body hostile to the government of this nation. Even so, you had no faith. Believing as I believed, I would have fought that nation and died a thousand bloody deaths rather than submit. But you had no faith, and you were so low that you let yourselves be ruled by a coward—and I tell you God hates a coward."

He stopped, waiting as if he were not done, but the spell was broken. The life, indeed, had in the later moments been slowly dying from his words; and, as they lost their fire, scattered voices of protest had been heard; then voices in warning from behind him, and the sound of two or three rising and pushing back their chairs.

The little bent man tried again to smile, hoping for a friendly glance, perhaps a hand-clasp without words from some one of them. Seeing that he was shunned, he stepped down off the platform at the side, twisting his hat in his long, thin hands in embarrassment. A moment he stood so, turning to look back at the group of priests and Elders around the Prophet, seeking for any sign, even for a glance that should be not unkind. The little pained smile still lighted his face, but no friendly look came from the others. Seeing only the backs turned toward him, he at length straightened out his crumpled hat, still smiling, and slowly put it on his head; as he turned away he pulled the hat farther over his eyes, and then he was off along the dusty street, looking to neither side, still with the little smile that made his face gentle.

But when he had come to the end of the street and was on the road up the hill, the smile died. He seemed all at once to shrink and stoop and fade, —no longer a Lion of the Lord, but a poor, white-faced, horrified little man who had meant in his heart to give a great revelation, and who had succeeded only in uttering blasphemy to the very face of God's prophet.

From below, the little groups of excited people along the street looked up and saw his thin, bent figure alone in the fading sunlight, toiling resolutely upward.

Other groups back in the square talked among themselves, not a few in whispers. A listener among them might have heard such expressions as, "He'll be blood-atoned sure!"—"They'll make a breach upon him!"—"They'll accomplish his decease!"—"He'll be sent over the rim of the basin right quick!" One indignant Saint, with a talent for euphemism, was heard to say, "Brigham will have his spirit disembodied!"

To the priests and Elders on the platform Elder Wardle was saying, "The trouble with him was he was crazy with fever. Why, I'll bet my best set of harness his pulse ain't less than a hundred and twenty this minute."

The others looked at Brigham.

"He's a crazy man, sure enough," assented the Prophet, "but my opinion is he'll stay crazy, and it wouldn't be just the right thing by Israel to let him go on talking before strangers. You see, it sounds so almighty sane!"

Back in the crowd Prudence and Follett had lingered a little at the latter's suggestion, for he had caught the drift of the talk. When he had comprehended its meaning they set off up the hill, full of alarm.

At the door Christina met them. They saw she had been crying.

"Where is father, Christina?"

"Himself saddle his horse, and say, 'I go to see some of those marks.' He say, 'I see you plenty not no more, so good-bye!' He kissed me," she added.

"Which way did he go?"

"So!" She pointed toward the road that led out of the valley to the north.

"I'll go after him," said Follett.

"I'll go with you. Saddle Dandy and Kit—and Christina will have something for you to eat; you've had nothing since morning."

"I reckon I know where we'll have to go," said Follett, as he went for the saddles.

CHAPTER XXXVI.

The Little Bent Man at the Foot of the Cross.

It was dusk when they rode down the hill together. They followed the canyon road to its meeting with the main highway at the northern edge of Amalon. Where the roads joined they passed Bishop Wright, who, with his hat off, turned to stare at them, and to pull at his fringe of whisker in seeming perplexity.

"He must have been on his way to our house," Prudence called.

"With that hair and whiskers," answered Follett, with some irrelevance, "he looks like an old buffalo bull just before shedding time."

They rode fast until the night fell, scanning the road ahead for a figure on horseback. When it was quite dark they halted.

"We might pass him," suggested Follett. "He was fairly tuckered out, and he might fall off any minute."

Down out of Pine valley they went, and over more miles of gray alkali toward a line of hills low and black in the north.

They came to these, followed the road out of the desert through a narrow gap, and passed into the Mountain meadows, reining in their horses as they did so.

Before them the meadows stretched between two ranges of low, rocky hills, narrow at first but widening gradually from the gap through which they had come. But the ground where the long, rich grass had once grown was now barren, gray and ugly in the moonlight, cut into deep gullies and naked of all but a scant growth of sage brush which the moon was silvering, and a few clumps of shadowy scrub oak along the base of the hills on either side.

Instinctively they stopped, speaking in low tones. And then there came to them out of the night's silence a strange, weird beating; hollow, muffled, slow, and rhythmic, but penetrating and curiously exciting, like another pulse cunningly playing upon their own to make them beat more rapidly. The girl pulled her horse close in by his, but he reassured her.

"It's Indians—they must be holding the funeral of some chief. But no matter—these Indians aren't any more account than prairie dogs."

They rode on slowly, the funeral drum sounding nearer as they went.

Then far up the meadow by the roadside they could see the hard, square lines of the cross in the moonlight. Slower still they went, while the drum beats became louder, until they seemed to fall upon their own eardrums.

"Could he have come to this dreadful place?" she asked, almost in a whisper.

"We haven't passed him, that's sure; and I've got a notion he lied. I've heard him talk about this cross off and on—it's been a good deal in his mind—and maybe he was a little out of his head. But we'll soon see."

They walked their horses up a little ascent, and the cross stood out more clearly against the sky. They approached it slowly, leaning forward to peer all about it; but the shadows lay heavy at its base, and from a little distance they could distinguish no outline.

But at last they were close by and could pierce the gloom, and there at the foot of the cross, beside the cairn of stones that helped to support it, was a little huddled bit of blackness. It moved as they looked, and they knew the voice that came from it.

"Oh God, I am tired and ready! Take me and burn me!"

She was off her horse and quickly at his side. Follett, to let them be alone, led the horses to the spring below. It was almost gone now, only the feeblest trickle of a rivulet remaining. The once green meadows had behaved, indeed, as if a curse were put upon them. Hardly had grass grown or water run through it since the day that Israel wrought there. When he had tied the horses he heard Prudence calling him.

"I'm afraid he's delirious,' she said, when he reached her side. "He keeps hearing cries and shots, and sees a woman's hair waving before him, and he's afraid of something back of him. What can we do?"

At the foot of the cross the little man was again sounding his endless prayer.

"Bow me, bend me, break me, for I have been soul-proud. Burn me out—"

She knelt by his side, trying to sooth him.

"Father—it's all right—it's Prudence—"

But at her name he uttered a cry with such terror in it that she shuddered and was still. Then he began to mutter incoherently, and she heard her own name repeated many times.

"If that awful beating would only stop," she said to Follett, who had now brought water in the curled brim of his hat. She tried to have the little man drink. He swallowed some of the water from the hat brim, shivering as he did so.

"We ought to have a fire," she said. Follett began to gather twigs and sage brush, and presently had a blaze in front of them.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

When Honeymoon Ends.

"How," said the young man who had been in the matrimonial game for nearly a week, "can I tell when the honeymoon is over?"

"It will be over," answered the man who had been married three times, "when your wife stops telling things and begins to ask questions."

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SAHARA GROWING DRYER.

French Observer Says the Oases Are Shrinking and Will Disappear.

C. F. Gautier, a French explorer, is authority for the statement that the Sahara is continuously becoming drier to such an extent that the oases are perceptibly drying up and will disappear altogether in a relatively short time. He quotes historic records and physical signs to show that springs were at one time more plentiful than now, and that the extent of the patches where vegetation flourishes were much greater even 50 to 100 years ago.

As the climate of the region has undergone no change in perhaps thousands of years, he believes that the disappearance of the water must be due to purely mechanical causes. He considers that it is due to the continual advance of the great sand masses to the north, thus forming an impenetrable barrier against the watershed of the Atlas mountains.—N. Y. Sun.

BABY ITCHED TERRIBLY.

Face and Neck Covered with Inflamed Skin—Doctors No Avail—Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

"My baby's face and neck were covered with itching skin similar to eczema, and she suffered terribly for over a year. I took her to a number of doctors, and also to different colleges, to no avail. Then Cuticura Remedies were recommended to me by Miss G—. I did not use it at first, as I had tried so many other remedies without any favorable results. At last I tried Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent Pills, and to my surprise noticed an improvement. After using three boxes of the Cuticura Ointment, together with the Soap and Pills, I am pleased to say she is altogether a different child and the picture of health. Mrs. A. C. Brestlin, 171 N. Lincoln St., Chicago, Ill., Oct. 20 and 30, 1906."

Ghosts of Dead Lakes.

In the great basin between the Rockies and the Sierra Nevadas lie the ghosts of many dead lakes. Rivers still flow down to the dry edge of these one-time great reservoirs and are licked up by evaporation and the chinook winds. Of all the lakes that once lay there, only Great Salt Lake, Lake Tahoe and Bear Lake are left. The Southern Pacific rolls for 165 miles across the bed of what was once Lake Lahontan, and the passengers gazing idly from the windows may see the terraces and wrinkles in the crust of the fossil lake which nature robbed and defrauded of its crystal treasures ages ago.—Exchange.

No Time for Extras.

Tiny Sister (rushing into big sister's room)—Please hurry, Lulu; Mr. White is downstairs. Lulu (very grandly, while she dabs her face with the powder puff—Very well, dear; I'll be down. Tiny Sister (nervously)—Oh, please don't wait to shave!—Woman's Home Companion.

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"Have you made arrangements to prevent fraud in the election?" "No," answered Senator Sorgbum; "I couldn't quite manage that. But I've done the next best thing to defeat the opposition's iniquity. I've made arrangements that'll make their fraud so insignificant by comparison that it won't be noticed."

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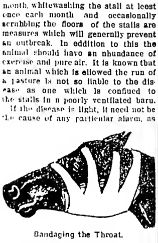
CURING DISTEMPER.

How This Infectious Disease Should Be Dealt With.

Distemper is an infectious disease and can be prevented if the quarters are kept free from the infection. Washing the trough with soft soap suds or carbolic acid solution twice each month, whitewashing the stall at least once each month and occasionally scrubbing the floors of the stalls are measures which will generally prevent an outbreak. In addition to this the animal should have an abundance of exercise and pure air. It is known that an animal which is allowed the run of a pasture is not so liable to the disease as one which is confined to the stalls in a poorly ventilated barn.

If the disease is light, it need not be the cause of any particular alarm, as it will be a benefit rather than a detriment. Colts which have it are generally immune thereafter. If there is a serious outbreak, the best remedy is to apply salve or poultices to the affected parts. One of the best salve mixtures is olive oil, four parts and acetic acid, one part. Bathe the swollen parts freely twice each day with this mixture. As a poultice, nothing is better than hot bran, using about a half gallon of the bran for each horse. To this should be added two tablespoonfuls of the following mixture: Neatsfoot oil, one quart; spirits of camphor, eight ounces; pulverized mustard, six ounces.


Bandaging the Throat.

The illustration accompanying this article shows how the bandage should be fastened on the head. Take a common grain sack and cut the ends into four strips, but leave the middle of the sack whole.

Place the poultice on a white cloth under the swollen part, then under it place the whole part of the sack, says Journal of Agriculture. Securely sew the ends of the strips together over the top of the head, allowing one band to rest in front of the eyes, another between the eyes and ears and the remaining two over the neck back of the ears.

One fourth of a pint of Glauber salts may be administered twice each day in the soft feed. If there is a great deal of fever, give a half teaspoonful of iodide of potash once each day in the food.

GENERAL PURPOSE HORSE.

Best Results Obtained from Medium Weight Animals.

I get the best results from horses weighing 1,200 to 1,300 pounds, writes a farmer in Orange Judd Farmer. These horses are used for general purposes. They must have good action, be compactly built, something on the old Morgan type, but a little larger. Such horses are large enough to haul a reasonable load and can do a good day's work on the average farm. They are useful on the road for light work. The most useful horses for my general work are good, snappy creatures.

I have but little trouble in breaking our colts, as we treat them kindly, handling them considerably while they are young. We never have any trouble with them when they are old enough to break. I believe in giving good care to colts as well as work horses. In my experience, a horse not properly cared for as a colt does not develop as early as one that receives proper attention. Horses should also be housed in bad weather. I believe in giving plenty of good, wholesome food. Horses should have special attention, and the man who succeeds is the one who keeps a close eye on the individuals.

Individual Hog Houses.

The folly of keeping a large number of hogs in a small inclosure is shown by the unusual fatality this season. The old notion that hogs could take most any sort of treatment has been responsible for heavy losses this season. Hogs are subject to colds and lung troubles. Whenever we permit them to crowd into tight sheds, in large numbers, we are inviting such calamity. The sensible way to house either hogs or the breeding sows, is to build small houses and scatter them about the fields. With farrowing sows, each one should be provided with an individual house, but with the other hogs six or eight can bunk in one of these houses very nicely. Build a half-dozen or more and try them.

Don't Crowd the Sheep.

Those who keep sheep, and especially beginners, should be careful not to house them too closely. The chief protection that the mature sheep wants is from winds and falling storms. Give them such protection and a dry bed and from choice they will usually prefer to lie in the yard, unless they have been accustomed to lie within by shutting them in at night.

PIG RATIONS AND RESULTS.

What Has Been Determined by Experiments in Connecticut.

The Storrs agricultural experiment station of Connecticut gives in bulletin 43 the following conclusions on pig feeding rations:

The pig among farm animals is noted for his great capacity for assimilation. But with the animal the economy of gain is greatly affected by the character of the ration.

One lot of three pigs required 2,739 pounds of skim milk containing 230 digestible nutrients for 100 pounds of gain. Eight lots, of 28 pigs required 1,086 pounds of skim milk and 253 of shorts, containing 258 pounds of digestible nutrients, for 100 pounds of gain. And one lot of three pigs required 445 pounds of shorts containing 294 pounds of digestible nutrients for 100 pounds of gain.

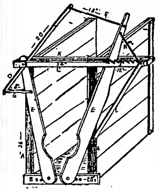
Milk is an easily digestible food. When fed alone in the above trials, 100 pounds of gain were made from the least amount (230 pounds) of digestible nutrients. When shorts were substituted for a portion of skim milk, more nutrients (258 pounds) were required for 100 pounds gain in weight. When shorts were fed alone the most nutrients (294 pounds) were required for the same gain.

The reader should bear in mind that the financial problem is not here considered. It is admitted that while skim milk is easily digested, it is too bulky in character. The capacity of the pig to digest and assimilate is greater than its capacity to consume this watery fluid. At ordinary market prices, a pound of digestible nutrients would cost twice as much in skim milk as in shorts. Experience shows that from a financial standpoint, the most economical gains are made when skim milk and grain are fed in the proportion of three-fourths to one. But the trials show, from a physiological standpoint, that less nutrients are required for a given gain when the ration consists of easily digested foods. The conclusion seems warranted that the food requirements for maintenance and for production (milk or growth) depends not only upon the composition and digestibility of a ration but also upon the facility with which it is digested and assimilated.

BOX FOR RINGING HOGS.

Device Which Will Hold Them Securely Down During Operation.

Herewith I submit a sketch of a hog ringing box which I have found to be very successful, writes a correspondent of Prairie Farmer. ACA represents the end of the box, four feet long, 28 inches wide and 36 inches high with the boards nailed on the inside. Two-by-fours make the frame, being bolted together. EE are pieces 1x8 bolted to B, which has several holes so that EE can be changed to suit the size of the hog when necessary. F is a rod 18 inches long and attached by a bolt to the upper end of D and E.G. is a rod bolted to each side of the lower end of D and the upper portion of E. H is a piece of iron eight inches long, made to work in the notches at I which are protected by properly made iron attached to the right end of CC and K are two pieces with a space between for EE to work in as illustrated in the cut. L is a brace to hold the upper works firm to the box.



The Box Complete.

The cut shows the box ready for the hog to enter from the rear and be held by EE. As soon as the rings have been inserted the clamp may be released and the hog allowed to go. The operator is then ready for the next one. This box should have guide fences at the rear, so the hogs can be driven in with as little excitement as possible.

STOCK NOTES.

Broken colts are less valuable than trained ones. Note the difference.

It is not what horses are worth now, but what they are likely to be worth four years from now that should regulate the number of colts to be raised next year.

It is almost impossible to destroy hen lice when they once get a start on the horse. Horses should not be quartered near a hen house, nor should chickens be allowed to roost over the horse's stall.

It has been said that there is not a section of the country where a leguminous crop cannot be raised or where a domestic animal cannot be kept to eat the legume. The live stock belt is as wide and long as the nation.

There is one horse to each family in the United States. In other words, there are enough horses in the nation, if each one were hitched to a double seated surry and five people were put in each surry, to haul the population of the country.

THE NEW INSURANCE AGENT.

He Comes In With the New Law—Paul Morton on His Opportunity.

The new insurance law of the State of New York has opened up a promising field for both men and women with brains and energy in the sale of life insurance. The law now provides standard forms of policies, each of which practically bears the hall mark of the State of New York, and this new order of things has established the sale of life insurance on a correct basis.

The prohibition against rebating and extravagant allowances to agents has driven out of the business the old type of insurance agent, who in many cases virtually bought business, with large rebates, instead of selling it. His place is being taken by professors, lawyers, school teachers of both sexes, and others, who find that being a life insurance agent under the new system offers greater reward than their previous vocations. The law has reduced commissions but all of the commission now goes to the agent. Life insurance is something that everyone needs and under the present system its sale is being conducted with becoming dignity and propriety.

Paul Morton, president of the Equitable Life Assurance Society, has taken the lead in building up an agency organization that is in keeping with the demands of public sentiment, and the standard he has set for his company. He says: "We want new agents, both men and women, but none except energetic, able and truthful people need apply. For such there is a splendid opportunity."

Mr. Morton's policy of injecting new and vigorous blood into the agency force of the Society is meeting with success in all parts of the country.

WORK OF TRUE GENIUS.

Rivers' Ingeniously Baited Trap Was Worthy of Success.

Rivers was sitting at his desk, with an unfinished page of manuscript before him, deeply absorbed in thought.

Brooks entered the room.

"What's the matter, old chap?" asked Brooks.

Rivers looked up with a heavy smile.

"I am struggling with a conundrum," he said.

"Let's have it."

"It isn't finished yet."

"How far have you got?"

"All I've written is the answer: 'One is a planked shed, and the other is a plaided shank.' I've got to have a question for it."

"That's easy. All you need is something Scotch, isn't it?"

"By George!" exclaimed Rivers, grabbing his hat. "I believe you're right. Thanks, dear boy! I'll make it a hot scotch."

Brooks glared at him, but he took him out.—Chicago Tribune.

One Hundred Years Ago.

Gen. Zebulon Pike was discovering the peak that bears his name. "The reason why I know I'm the first white man that ever saw it," he said, "is that it hasn't got any patent medicine signs on it." Regretting that he couldn't spare the time to stop and discover the gold that lay hidden all around him, he took a parting look at the snowy summit of the peak and resumed his toilsome march.

Squaring Accounts.

The man was near starving to death. The world owed him a living and he was trying to collect. He accosted the world thus: "You see, nature is pressing me for what I owe her and so I ask you to square up what you owe me." The world laughed: "You pay the debt of nature first and then I'll come across."—Kansas City Times.

Afraid.

"Don't you want to hold the baby?" asked the fond young mother. "No, thank you," promptly replied the old sea captain, backing off. "Don't you like babies?" "Not much, ma'am. The last time I held one it got—er—seasick."

"Pshaw!" exclaimed May Pechie, "I wonder what makes these gloves of mine so tight. "Ah!" sighed the lovelorn youth, "I, too, would be intoxicated were I a glove upon that hand."

DR. TALKS OF FOOD

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An Artist.

"The man who painted that spurious picture was an artist, at all events," said the connoisseur. "I don't know about him," answered Mr. Cumrox, ruefully, "but the dealer who sold it to me was."

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"The dinner was delightful, I assure you," said her guest, a charming woman who would cheerfully have perished at the stake rather than utter a tactless word: "I have rarely tasted such tender gravy."

Not So Long.

There was so much ceremony connected with a church cornerstone laying in New York city a few weeks ago that the moving picture machine man felt warranted to take a couple of miles of photographs.

These pictures proved to be very good, and large crowds were delighted with the exact reproduction of the dedicatory exercises.

"I like the moving pictures better than I did the original service," confessed a prominent member of the congregation.

"You do," gasped a devout elder. "I'm surely pained to hear you say so. Why should you prefer the pictures?"

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On the Scent.

Crimson Rambler—"Are you burning gasoline in dat automobile, mister?" Sparks—"No, my friend; I'm trying alcohol just for an experiment." Crimson Rambler—"I thought so. Would you mind me hangin' on behind fer a mile or so, jest fer de smell?"—Puck.

Her Answer.

"Now, children," said the kindergarten teacher, "I have explained to you how many trees give us food, in the way of fruit, and in other ways. You remember that I said men taps the maple trees to get maple sirup. Where does the tapioca come from, then?" "I guess," said Olive, after a pause, "that you tap the oaks, don't you?"—Judge.

Return of the Prodigal.

"I do play in tough luck sometimes," declared the impecunious girl. "Last night, you remember how it rained. I happened to be in the neighborhood of some friends of mine whom I had not seen since the last hard rain. I concluded to call. Before they asked me in they grabbed the umbrella I carried, hurried across the room with it, placed it in a closet there and locked the door on it. "Thank heaven!" they cried. "At last! Our long lost umbrella!"

About Even.

"Do you think an editor or an orator stands the better show as a candidate?" "It's about an even thing," answered the cynical citizen. "One runs the risk of writer's cramp, and the other takes a chance on clergyman's sore throat."

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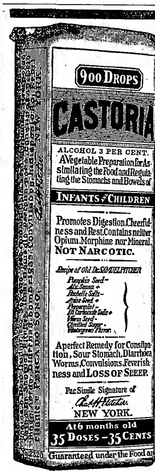
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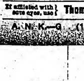
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Happy School Days Over

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From a stage beautifully decorated with their class colors, banked with ferns and potted plants, and in the presence of an exceptionally large crowd of admiring friends, five young ladies and one young man of this city comprising the class of '07 participated in the final program of their high school life, and received the handsome diplomas they have labored so diligently to procure, at the Metropolitan opera house Monday evening.

On the stage with the graduates were Dr. N. M. Watson, Theo. Garceau, H. Hennemuth, T. A. Crompe and S. M. Sivertson, members of the board of education, Superintendent E. W. Chamberlain, Elene Hanson, Laura Willson and Louise Twinum, high school teachers. The decorations of the mammoth auditorium were very pretty and elicited favorable comment. Directly over the front of the stage was the class motto, "Immer Autwarts" made of large maize letters with a sky blue back ground, the class colors, and the back ground was also scattered with a profusion of violets, the class flower. The stage was banked with ferns and potted plants. On either side in the balcony were the lower classes of the high school with the balcony appropriately draped with their respective colors. The pillars throughout the hall were prettily wound with the high school colors.

The exercises of the evening opened with the rendition of two selections by the band orchestra, "Floating Along" and "Tulips and Pansies." This elite musical organization clearly proved themselves artists of the first quality. Their efforts were most liberally applauded.

Rev. H. W. Knox then invoked the aid of He who ruleth all things well, and Miss Alice L. Erickson, salutatorian of the class, arose and after a very touching greeting to the board, class and teachers, delivered a masterly oration entitled, "Lest We Forget." Her remarks showed that she carried her subject well in hand and close attention was paid to all she said, her efforts being responded to enthusiastically by the large audience.

Paul T. Brunelle followed with an oration, "Pursuit of Happiness," and his remarks showed careful preparation and an exceptionally worthy topic.

The next number was a saxaphone solo, Grand Fantasia, "Maritana," by Leland E. Healy. Mr. Healy is surely a master on the instrument judging from the comparatively short time he has had it. He was accompanied on the piano by Miss Lillie Zaiser.

Viola L. Longtin was next with an oration entitled "Preparation." Miss Longtin touched on the importance of what confronted her classmates, and her oration was very well prepared and delivered in an excellent manner.

Edna C. Swanson followed with the "Class History and Will." Her amusing history of the important events was exceptionally well received by all. She then read the last will and testament, in which the property of the class were willed to the members of the lower classes. Her paper showed clever preparation, and was exceptionally meritorious.

Ina M. Linnihan was Class Prophet and Poet. Her prophecy predicted much joy and happiness in store for her classmates.

Lucy B. Hunt, valedictorian, was the last of the class members and delivered a pleasing oration entitled "The Last Leaf," following with a touching farewell to the board, teachers, pupils and public. Her final appearance as a member of this deserving class of young people was the occasion of much applause by the audience.

Mrs. J. Hendrickson, of Fertile, sang two vocal solos, "Mattinata" and "Hosanna," and made an excellent impression.

Superintendent E. W. Chamberlain, in a few well chosen remarks, presented the members of the class with the beautiful diplomas that had been procured. Mr. Chamberlain congratulated the class on their successful finish of a course of diligent labors, and wished them all the greatest success in their battles with the world's work.

Clement E. Brunelle played a cornet solo, "Pretty Jane," which was extremely difficult and was rendered with Mr. Brunelle's usual precision. He responded to an encore.

Rev. H. W. Knox delivered the benediction and the band orchestra played the overture, "Reminiscences of the South," while the friends and relatives of the young people flocked to the stage to present their hearty congratulations.

The class of 1907 is a thing of the past from a standpoint of school life and they go now to take up their parts in the carrying on of the business and social enterprises of the world. It is a source of great satisfaction to all to feel that each individual member of a class whose career has been so successful is especially fitted for what will be taken up in the school of life. They are deserving of all good things of life, and their friends earnestly trust that every problem encountered on their journey down the devious pathway of existence, may be met with the same spirit of determination and energy that has marked their career as scholars.

MISS EICKHOFF WEDS

Sister of Mrs. Arthur Zaiser of This City Was Married in Crookston Monday.

Monday afternoon at four o'clock in the presence of about forty relatives and intimate friends, occurred the wedding of Miss Flora Eickhoff daughter of Christ Eickhoff, and John Arthur Williams, of Grand Forks, at home of the bride in Crookston. Rev. W. S. Ward of the Presbyterian church officiated. The rooms were prettily decorated. The parlor, where the ceremony was performed, was in green and white and the dining room in purple and white. The white twisted loops used from the corners of the room to the center were caught here and there with the purple iris, while bowls of the iris graced the buffet. The bride was all one could ask of a blushing June bride in her white Persian lawn bridal gown which was trimmed in valenciennes lace. In her hands she carried a bunch of bridal roses. Her bridesmaid, Miss Anna Eickhoff, was dressed in a becoming gown of blue voile and carried pink roses. The groom was dressed in the conventional black and was attended by his brother Earl Williams of Grand Forks. Miss Frankie Eickhoff, sister of the bride, played the wedding march. Mr. and Mrs. Williams left Monday evening for the Twin Cities and will visit in various places before going to housekeeping in Grand Forks. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Zaiser of this city, John Eickhoff and daughter, Thea, of Grand Forks, and Earl Williams of Grand Forks. Mr. and Mrs. Williams received many beautiful wedding presents. The bride has always been very popular among the younger set and takes with her the best wishes of a host of friends.

A New Club.

The Freshman class of the Red Lake Falls high school, having by their study in Zoology and Botany become interested in these branches of science, have organized a club called "Naturalist Club of Red Lake Falls High School." The following are the names of the officers and the members of various committees:

President, Lou Green; vice-president, Isabel Helm; secretary, Napoleon Lemieux; treasurer, William Linnihan.

Field committe: Chairman, Graham Kinseth; Thomas Majeres, Isabel Helm, Florence Hennemuth, Robert Zaiser.

Committee to formulate at data: Chairman, Alfred Floan; Lillian Brady, Laura Zaiser.

Outing committee: Chairman, Beatrice Emard, Alice Zaiser, Geo. Tanberg.

Refreshment committee: Chairman, Pearle Grey; Lydia Gerlach, Florence Regan, Walter Garceau, Alice Columbus.

Committee on constitution and by-laws; Chairman, Paul Brunelle; Eda Lizee, Mary Pahlen, Lou Green, Alfred Floan.

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SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open wall. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

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THE CLUB WILL FEAST

A Large Crowd of Citizens Will Banquet at Grand View Tonight.

At the meeting of the Commercial Club Monday ovening it was decided to have a business men's banquet at the Grand View Hotel this evening, and according to all signs the affair will be one of great enjoyment.

Some seventy-five plates will be laid and a feast such as only mine host Krueger can preparo will be provided.

The ovening will bo given over to toasts and remarks, and the following subjects havo been assigned: "The President," Fred L. Farley; "Our Guests," N M. Watson; "Army and Navy," Thomas Germo; "The Professions," Law—C. E. oughton; medicine, Dr. I. Lemieux; Dr. Wilkinson; Dr. Argue; "Our City—past, present and future," J. A. Duffy, A. P. Toupin; "Our Banking Interests," Theo. Garceau, Samuel Gibeau, P. F. Pouliot; "Our Educational Institutions," John B. O'Brien; "The Press" John E. King, Sam S. Haislet; "Music," H. G. laxwell, Leland Healy; "The Ladies," Noel Delorme, H. H. Zaiser, eo. F. Hennings; "Our Host and Hostess," by several members.

A Freak Coming

Phil Barney, of East Grand Forks was here yesterday and made arrangements to exhibit a freak attraction during the toutnament week. He will be located south of the Kaus block, and will have on exhibition these four days a three-legged colt, six weeks old and as spry as a dollar. The colt was born with but three legs but was otherwise healthy and has grown as any other colt. Mr. Barney says tho colt can run, kick and cut up capers as any other colt that nature dian't haudicap and that he hardly seems to miss his fourth "pin' at all. Mr. Barney will exhibit him here all four days of tho tournament weok, and it is more than probablo that the crowd will all take a look at him.

A Big Sale.

E. L. Wichterman, who lives in the town of Gully, twelve miles east of Lambert, will hold a big auction sale at his place on Saturday, June 29. Mr. Wichterman has a very large list of live stock and farm machinery and this sale will be one of the biggest ever held in that neighborhood. Joseph Belair, the veteran auctioneer of this city will cry the sale, and A. P. Toupin will officiate as clerk. The big bills issued this week will give you full particulars,

Ball Game Sunday.

Manager Padden announces that the McIntosh and Red Lake Falls base ball teams will cross bats on the local diamond Sunday afternoon. The McIntosh team has the reputation as champions of the valley, and the game will undoubtedly be a hotly contested one. A good crowd should turn out to see the contest.

Change In Time.

The Northern Pacific railroad announces a change in the departure of their south-bound train, which leaves here at 5:45 p. m. now instead of ot 6:05 as formerly. The change went into effect last week. The north bound train is not affected.

HANSON BRANCHES OUT

C. L. Hanson Buys More Bank Property at St. Hilaire Last Week.

On last Tuesday a deal was concluded whereby a majority of the stock of the First State Band of St. Hilaire was purchased from J. K. Haaney by C. L. Hanson, who was elected president of the bank the same day by the board of directors, says the St. Hilaire Spectator.

What is now the First State Bank was started by J. K. Hanney as a private bank in the fall of 1898 The business was a successful one, and in 1901 was incorporated as a state bank. At the present the bank has a pay-in capital of of $10,000, and a surplus of $2,000. It has $15,460.20 on deposit, subject to check, $1,207,10 subject to demand and $36,208.47 on time deposit, making a total deposit of $52,875.81. The bank is in a very prosperous condition and the only reason, we understand, for the sale is that Mr. Hannay wishes to join his family in Washington where they have located permanently.

The new president, C. L. Hanson, who is also president of the Merchant State Bank, located here last July, having purchased from L. C. Simons a controlling interest in the Merchants State Bank. Mr. Hanson was not, however, a stranger, as he had been in the county since 1900 and had an extensive acquaintance with the people of Red Lake county. Since taking charge of the Merchants State Bank, Mr. Hanson has shown marked ability, and the increased deposits and business of the bank during the past year show that he has the confidence of the people and plenty of business ability. Mr. Hanson also has strong financial backing so that he will be able at any time to finance any deal that might come up in the business affairs of this community. The stockholders and depositors are also assured that under his managment the affairs of both banks will be so run as to render their interests absolutely safe and secure.

B. E. Burke, the present cashier of the First State Bank, will continue in his position as cashier, of the First State Bank while K. O. Gigstad will continue to officiate as cashier at the Merchants State Bank.

It is possible that in the future the two banks may be consolidated into one stronger and larger institution but that remains for the futrre to decide.

C. L. Hanson has a host of warm personal friends in Red Lake Falls who will learn the above with more than ordinary pleasure. For several months Mr. Hanson was connected with the First State Bank of this city, and during his residence here he built up a friendship among the people that will be everlasting. He has been very successful since removing to St. Hilaire, and that he acquired control of both banks there must surely be pleasing to the residents of that place.

Frank Mahara's Minstrels.

It is hardly necessary to introduce the Mahara Brothers to the theater going public as they have always been high in their estimate as first class purveyors of minstrelsy and ragtime opera for the past sixteen years. This year with a new palace car, twenty five colored artists, a magnificent compliment of scenery and costumes, striking electrical effects and a combination of of specialty artists, dancers and sweet-voiced singers, Mahara Brothers seem to be able to substantiate their claim that they have reached the achme of minstrelsy. At the Metropolitan Opera house, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, June 18—19.

DITCH TURNED DOWN

Judge Watts Dismisses Petition For Proposed Judicial Ditch Number 7.

The adjoined hearing on the proposed Judicial ditch No, 7 was held at Crookston before His Honor Judge Watts last Saturday, and County Attorney Germo went down to represent the farmers out east who opposed the new waterway.

The petition for the new ditch called for its construction through parts of both counties, starting in Polk couny and emptying into Lambert ditch No. 1. The Lambert people objected strenously to the building of this waterway, on the grounds that the present ditch No. 1 was not sufficiently large to carry off the additional water that would be brought down by the new ditch and to make it larger would necessitate the tearing out of their bridges and in much other harm.

At the hearing last Saturday they made their case so strong that the Judge dismissed the petition without further consideration.

It is understood that the farmers of eastern Polk county will build a state ditch instead, getting aid from the state to complete the work, and will arrange it so as not to damage any lands whatever.

Minstrels Coming.

Success is often covered by mistakes; human nature is on the whole generous, or at least good-tempered. It is willing to forgive faults which it can afford to forget but failure does not with any certainty entail condemnation, for again mankind is generous, and nowhere more so than with show people. If you are successful you are a big success, and the rapid strides that Richards & Pringles Famous Georgia Minstrels have made puts them in the front ranks of the minstrel field. They have a recognized standing as being in a clase of their own, diffearnt from all others, but yet a minstrel show. Others with plenty of merit have been failures. Cause —A mistake in management. "A generous public did not crave for it." It is a funny proposition to say the least, but it is a truth and people will continue to go to see the Georgia Minstrels and the forty funmakert at the Opera House on Monday June 24. and after the show will say, "Best I ever saw."

WE BEAT ADA.

Local Ball Team Plays Good Game Sunday.

The local ball team went down to Ada last Sunday and crossed bats with the Ada team on their own diamond.

The game was a good one, and while Red Lake Falls won out it was anybody's contest until the last inning was played.

Pokezwinski and Healy divided honors as slab artists for Red Lake Falls and both did credible work. Sommers, the Ada whirlwind, was in the box for the Adaites and pitched a good game, although the Red Lake Falls boys found him quite often.

The game was a very clean one, and was entirely devoid of rag-chewing. The locals speak in high terms of the Ada boys as entertainers and were delighted with their trip.

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HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

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THE HAYWOOD TRIAL.

Alfred Horsley, alias Harry Orchard, the actual assassin of Frank Steunenberg, went on the stand at Boise, Idaho, as a witness against William D. Haywood, and made public confession of a long chain of brutal, revolting crimes, done, he said, at the inspiration and for the pay of the leaders of the Western Federation of Miners.

Through James H. Hawley, senior of the group of prosecutors, the state of Idaho made the opening statement against William D. Haywood, whom it charges with the murder of Frank Steunenberg, and then began the presentation of testimony by which it hopes to prove the indictment laid against him.

The Haywood jury at Boise was completed and the 12 men sworn in.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The petition of the three trustees to whom Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy had transferred her property, asking that they be substituted as plaintiffs in place of "next friends" in the suit to secure an accounting of Mrs. Eddy's property, was denied by Judge Robert N. Chamberlain at Concord, N. H.

H. H. Tucker, Jr., secretary of the Uncle Sam Oil company, accused three federal judges of conspiring with the Standard Oil company to put his concern out of business, and was sent to jail at Leavenworth, Kan., for three months for contempt of court.

In a court petition filed at Toledo opposing the confirmation of the sale of the Toledo Railways and Terminal company, J. Pierpont Morgan and his associates were accused of conspiracy to fix the price of the company at $2,000,000 and prevent outsiders from bidding.

Philip W. Kampien, whose arrest was sought by officials of the Capitol National bank of St. Paul, for the alleged defalcation of $10,000, was arrested at Seattle.

Mayor Sherburn Becker, of Milwaukee, declined an offer of $1,000 a week to go on the stage.

A Turkish sailing vessel, laden with contraband ammunition and bound for Tripoli, was blown up in the vicinity of Port Zarziss. Her entire crew, as well as 80 fishermen who were alongside at the time, were drowned. It is believed the captain fired his vessel to avoid capture.

William Curtis, a wealthy cattleman, was killed on his farm in the Osage Nation, Okla., in a quarrel with a young farm hand named Shabler.

Fire caused $10,000 damage to business buildings in Atlanta, Mo.

Richard Croker won the Epsom derby with his colt Orby, ridden by Johnny Reiff.

Blood poisoning caused by a prick of a brass pin resulted in the death at St. Louis of Augustus C. Halsey.

Miss Helen Dent Wrenshall and Chaffee Grant, of San Diego, Cal., grandson of Gen. U. S. Grant, were married at Washington, Pa.

W. M. R. French, director of the Chicago Institute of Fine Arts, was elected president of the American Association of Museums.

One man was killed and several children made ill at Trucksville, Pa., by eating pie in which arsenic had been put by mistake.

Fire destroyed the building in the heart of the financial district of Philadelphia occupied by John R. Hathaway & Brother, printers; G. W. Jackson, printer, and others. Loss, $100,000.

Americus C. Dally, former auditor of Indiana and founder of the Lebanon National bank, died at Lebanon.

Charles Menzemer, former assistant teller of the failed Enterprise National bank of Pittsburg, was found guilty, as indicted, upon eight counts, charging the abstraction and misapplication of funds of the bank.

In the United States district court at Portland, Ore., indictments were returned against 180 furniture dealers in Oregon, Washington, Idaho and California for alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

The parliamentary committee of Italy refused a $40,000,000 appropriation for a new navy.

Mrs. Griscom, wife of Lloyd C. Griscom, American ambassador to Italy, gave birth to a son.

The cornerstone of the $3,000,000 Roman Catholic cathedral was laid at St. Paul with impressive religious and civic ceremonies and a monster parade.

P. H. Morrissey, head of trainmen's order, denied that labor unions were subversive of discipline or contributing cause of train wrecks.

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific passenger train No. 27 was wrecked near Union, Mo. No one was injured.

George Kadelbach murdered his sister-in-law on his farm near Minneapolis and disappeared, sending by mail a confession of the crime.

Eugene Zimmerman has decided to give his son-in-law, the duke of Manchester, a job on the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton railway.

Fifty-seven persons were injured by the wrecking of a Southern railway passenger train near Lebanon, Tenn.

A squadron of hussars in the czar's palace at Tsarskoe-Selo mutinied, but were disarmed and arrested.

Eleven yachts sailed from Gravesend bay on a 600-mile race to Bermuda.

Marvin and Don Mathers, brothers, fought a duel at Ashland, Miss., the former being killed and the latter fatally wounded.

The rules of the national civil service commission have been so amended as to prohibit all persons in the classified civil service from taking an active part in political campaigns.

Nelson Saylor, a prominent Cincinnati attorney, died, aged 73 years.

Johnson R. Morris, of St. Louis, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary and fined $6,100 for selling colored oleomargarine without paying the government tax.

Three men were killed, and ten injured at Reddick, Ill., by the explosion of a freight car loaded with gasoline.

Sawing their way through the steel bars of their cell in Castle William, three army prisoners escaped from Governor's island. A boat is missing from the island, and the men carried the steel window bars with them as weapons.

Accidental discovery of a bomb in the shape of a box filled with dynamite and fulminating powder and in train with a fuse, in the home of Joseph Kennell, a police judge of New Durham, N. J., prevented probably the destruction of the house with its dozen inmates. The attempt to kill Mr. Kennell is laid to criminal Italians, of whom he has sent to prison a score or more for theft and blackmail.

A syndicate with headquarters at Rhinelander, Wis., has purchased the properties of the Spanish River Pulp & Paper company for $2,500,000.

One hundred armed confederate veterans from Tennessee, carrying the stars and bars, were denied admission to the United States capitol until they had lowered their flag and disarmed.

A special dispatch from Hongkong says that Mr. Pollard, a Methodist missionary at Chaotungfu, has been mercilessly beaten by the Chinese. His lung was pierced by a weapon.

The bursting of an air motor at No. 14 colliery of the Pennsylvania Coal company, at Port Blanchard, Pa., killed two men, fatally injured two others and caused minor injuries to eight more.

William S. McChesney, Jr., general manager of the Terminal Railroad association of St. Louis, announced plans for three new freight yards in St. Louis, to cost about $10,000,000.

The jury was completed for the trial of Mayor Eugene Schmitz on the first of the five indictments returned against him by the Oliver grand jury, charging extortion.

Judge W. H. Munger, of the United States circuit court, decided in favor of the city of Omaha the suit brought by the Omaha Water company to compel the city to purchase its plant at the price fixed by a majority of the board of appraisers, $6,263,295.49.

The Ohio supreme court in a decision in the suit of the city of Cleveland against William Reynolds gave a great victory for the Cleveland Consolidated Railways company and a blow at low fares, upholding the validity of the company's franchises.

The plant of the Knoxville (Tenn.) Sentinel was seriously damaged by fire, the loss being estimated at about $20,000.

Pope Pius has ordered that the honorary degree of doctor of laws should be conferred on Edward Bok, the editor of the Ladies' Home Journal through the Augustine college of Villanova, just outside of Philadelphia.

Reports are current in New York that the Carnegie Trust company, with Leslie M. Shaw at its head, is to be the nucleus of a $50,000,000 merger.

The name of the baby prince of Spain has been entered upon the roll of a regiment and the infant wears the number of it in a gold pin.

Capt. Ainsworth, of the revenue cutter Rush, has informed the treasury department in Washington that he seized the British sealing schooner Charlotta G. Cox, found catching seals illegally in Alaskan waters.

Two detectives were killed and two soldiers and three other persons were wounded by the bomb of a terrorist in Lodz, Poland.

Thirty-two defendants in the Honduras lottery cases pleaded guilty at Mobile, Ala., and Judge Toulmin imposed fines aggregating $284,000.

Three farmers, Neil Ferris, Washington Griffith and Byron Bereher, were drowned in Silver lake, three miles south of Cement City, Mich.

Prominent citizens of Lincoln, Ill., were summoned before a federal grand jury to tell what they knew about Rev. James R. Kaye, in whose possession were found molds of United States coins.

Signboards reproducing famous pictures in the Carnegie institute, but with advertisements on them for bathtubs and beer, raise a protest in Pittsburg from people who think true art should not be debased to the level of commercialism.

Rabbi Hirsch, of Chicago, was elected to the board of governors of the Hebrew Union college at Cincinnati.

The tip comes from New York that the Democratic leaders have decided on Joseph W. Folk, of Missouri, for their presidential candidate in 1908 and John A. Johnson, of Minnesota, for his running mate.

The bandit, Raisuli, has been offered a pension by Morocco if he will retire. This he will probably do and appear in vaudeville in England and the United States.

Losses aggregating nearly $70,000 were caused in Oshkosh, Wis., by fire and water.

The extended strike of the French seamen virtually came to an end with the capitulation of the strikers.

Harry Hamlin, one of the best known and wealthiest citizens of Buffalo, N. Y., was killed in an automobile accident. He was 50 years old and the son of the late Cicero J. Hamlin, famous breeder of trotting horses.

A statue of Jefferson Davis, the gift of the Daughters of the Confederacy, was unveiled at Richmond, Va., the ceremony being the culminating feature of the Confederate Veterans' reunion.

Gen. Thomas H. Ruger, U. S. A., (retired), died at his home in Stamford, Conn., of heart failure. He had a long and brilliant army record.

Because they could not tell him the address of a young woman, Patrick Reardon, aged 23 years, shot Thomas Morton and M. M. Moorhead and then committed suicide in Pittsburg, Pa.

Charles F. Grotefend, defaulting teller of the Washington National bank of St. Louis, Mo., was sentenced to five years' imprisonment by Judge Trieber in the United States district court.

The supreme court at Denver, Col., affirmed the decision of the district court in the case of Leonard Imboden and James A. Hill, who were convicted on December 19, 1905, of irregularities in banking which caused the failure of the Denver Savings bank, and were sentenced to the state penitentiary for nine years each.

Mrs. Robert M. Laughlin committed suicide at McMillen sanitarium, Columbus, O. She poured oil from a lamp all over her and set herself on fire.

Interviewed at Dublin concerning the newspaper reports that he cherished ambitions to enter the British parliament as a nationalist member, Richard Croker said: "I have no intention of ever entering politics again."

Fifty mothers of Philadelphia presented to the coroner a petition signed by 500 mothers asking him to arrest G. F. Baer, because of numerous fatal railway accidents at a grade crossing there.

The American Flag Day association selected June 14 as "flag day" throughout the United States.

Mrs. Catherine Killeran, wife of James Killeran, a foreman of laborers in tunnel construction, was found dead in her home in the Bronx, New York, with half a dozen knife wounds in her body. Her husband has been arrested.

About 2,000 machinists employed in shops where the employers had refused to grant the union demand for a nine-hour day went on strike in Cleveland.

United States Pension Agent Horace Thompson, aged 49 years, and well known throughout Wisconsin, dropped dead from heart disease at Marinette.

Edwin C. Pendleton, until recently in command of the battleship Missouri, entered upon his duties as commandant of the League island navy yard, Philadelphia. He succeeds Rear-Admiral Tilley, who died in March.

Ten persons were injured in an elevator accident at the plant of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber company at Akron, O.

Edward Payson Weston, of Portland, Me., who walked 1,256 miles from that city to Chicago in 1867 in 30 days, will attempt to repeat the feat, beginning Oct. 29. He is 70 years old.

President Roosevelt is said to feel certain that Republicans will name a man who will carry out his policies and is more firmly fixed than ever in his determination not to accept a third term.

J. Pierpont Morgan arrived at Arezzo, Italy, from Perugia. He visited several churches and inspected the works of art and antiquities for which the city is famous. Later he left for Florence.

The Berlin statistical bureau draws attention to the decline in the birth rate in that city, which has been almost constant since 1876, when there were 240 births for every 1,000 married women. In 1906 the rate was only 109. Illegitimate births have steadily increased until now they nearly are 17 per cent., as compared with 15 per cent. in 1901 and 12 per cent. in 1875.

Grace Dillon, 18 years old, of Champaign, Ill., was killed by a shock from an incandescent electric light bulb.

Army worms are so numerous between Campbell, Mo., and Nemons, Ark., that traffic on the St. Louis, Kenneth & Southeastern railway has been interrupted. When the car wheels mash them the track is put in a worse condition than if it had been thoroughly soaped.

Recent rumors that Richard Croker was ambitious to enter the British parliament as an Irish nationalist are declared baseless by friends, who say the former Tammany chief will never give up his American citizenship.

Pastor and old friends of Mrs. McKinley joined in memorial services in church.

Decaying ties, rusty nails and dilapidated equipment of the Southern Pacific, a San Francisco man says, were responsible for the fatal accident near Bradley, Cal. After an investigation of the track he asserts the road has been negligent.

Bank clearings in Chicago touched another new high mark for May, the total for the month being in excess of $1,120,000,000, or more than $55,000,000 higher than the last preceding record total.

ORCHARD IS WITNESS

STEUNENBERG'S SLAYER CONFESSES TO MANY MURDERS.

TALE SICKENS HEARERS

Wrecking of Mines, Brutal Killing of Men and Plots Against Others Related in Boise Trial.

Boise, Idaho.—Alfred Horsley, alias Harry Orchard, the actual assassin of Frank Steunenberg, went on the stand Wednesday as a witness against William D. Haywood, and made public confession of a long chain of brutal, revolting crimes, done, he said, at the inspiration and for the pay of the leaders of the Western Federation of Miners.

An undertaking by the special prosecutors for the state that they would, by later proof and connection, legitimatize his testimony opened the way like a floodgate to the whole diabolical story and throughout the entire day Orchard went on from crime recital to crime recital, each succeeding one seemingly more revolting than those that had come before.

Orchard confessed that as a member of the mob that wrecked the Bunker Hill and Sullivan mill in the Coeur d'Alenes he lighted one of the fuses that carried fire to the giant explosion; confessed that he set the death trap in the Vindicator mine at Cripple Creek that blew out the lives of Superintendent McCormick and Foreman Beck; confessed that because he had not been paid for his first attempt at violence in the Vindicator mine he had been treacherous to his associates by warning the managers of the Florence & Cripple Creek railway that there was a plot to blow up their trains; confessed that he cruelly fired three charges of buckshot into the body of Detective Lyte Gregory, of Denver, killing him instantly; confessed that for days he stalked Gov. Peabody about Denver, waiting a chance to kill him; confessed that he and Steve Adams set and discharged the mine under the depot at Independence that instantly killed 14 men, and confessed that, failing in an attempt to poison Fred Bradley, of San Francisco, he blew him and his house up with a bomb of gelatin.

And he has more brutal crimes to tell that will bring his bloody career down to its end at Caldwell, where with a great bomb he killed Gov. Steunenberg.

The story was told to a tense-nerved, rigid crowd that watched with staring eyes for every move and word of the confessing witness; a crowd that was sickened and weary of its disgusting details long before James H. Hawley, pleading illness of himself at three o'clock in the afternoon, secured adjournment for the day.

TUCKER JAILED FOR CONTEMPT.

Uncle Sam Oil Company Secretary Accuses Federal Judges.

Leavenworth, Kan.—Judge W. C. Hook, of the United States circuit court, Wednesday sentenced H. H. Tucker, Jr., the indicted secretary of the Uncle Sam Oil company, to serve three months in the Leavenworth county jail for contempt of court, the contempt being a sensational affidavit filed by Tucker alleging a conspiracy between Federal Judges Pollock, McPherson and Philips and the Standard Oil company to drive the Uncle Sam company out of business.

Judge Hook delivered a terrific arraignment of Attorney Albert L. Wilson, of Kansas City, who prepared the affidavit. He said the only purpose of filing the affidavit was to create a sensation in the papers and influence the public sentiment. Hook declared there was no precedent for such an affidavit and the clerk of the court was criticised for placing it on file. It was stricken from the files by order of Judge Hook.

Tucker commenced serving his sentence Wednesday night. The bankruptcy proceedings were continued until a judge can be found who can sit in the case. Judge Pollock will not preside.

Many Injured in Train Wreck.

Nashville, Tenn.—Southern railway passenger train No. 2, leaving Nashville at 10:30 a. m., plunged off a 15-foot embankment at Black Branch, near Lebanon, Tenn., and 33 miles east of Nashville, shortly after 11 o'clock Wednesday morning, injuring 57 people.

Wealthy Cattleman Slain.

Coffeyville, Kan.—William Curtis, a wealthy cattleman, was killed early Wednesday on his farm in the Osage Nation, Okla., 35 miles from here, in a quarrel with a young farm hand named Shabler.

Prison for Oleomargarine Fraud.

St. Louis.—Johnson R. Morris was sentenced Wednesday to imprisonment in the penitentiary for two years and was fined $6,100 by Judge Treiber in the United States district court, for selling colored oleomargarine without paying the government tax.

Prominent Ohio Attorney Dies.

Cincinnati.—Nelson Saylor, one of the most prominent attorneys practicing in this city, died Wednesday at his home in Home City, near here, aged 73 years.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Bobcat Attacks Rider.

Crookston.—Joseph Dobias, a farmer of Tabor township, had an exciting adventure with a bobcat and perhaps would have been killed but for the intervention of his dog. Dobias was riding from his farm to Angus and the first intimation he had of the animal's presence was when it suddenly sprang at him from the side of the road and bit viciously at his foot.

The animal which Mr. Dobias was riding was a colt, and it became frenzied at the presence of a wild cat and, throwing its rider started to bolt. The bobcat was about to leap upon the prostrate man when the dog interfered and sprang gamely at the creatures throat. A fierce contest ensued in which the dog was getting the worst of it. By this time, however, Dobias had picked himself up and secured a club. With this weapon he waded into the melee and between the man and the dog the cat was soon killed. It was a big fellow, measuring 5 feet 4 inches in length and standing 2 feet 3 inches high.

Horse Kills Child.

St. Paul.—Struck down by a horse her father was riding, little Erna Zimmerman, the five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Zimmerman, received injuries from which she died a short time after the accident. Mr. Zimmerman had mounted a horse to drive a herd of cattle to a neighboring farm, the little girl and her sister following a few paces in the rear. As the start was made one of the animals bolted for the pasture gate and Mr. Zimmerman wheeled his horse to head off the runaway. In a stride the horse was upon the two little girls. One managed to escape but the other received a blow from the horse's hoof that fractured her skull, and she died in less than an hour.

Old Mystery Solved.

International Falls.—John Shaw, a native of Ellsworth, Wis., settled on a claim on Bear river, thirty miles west of here, in the fall of 1903. The following June while following a trail from his trading place to his homestead he became lost, and despite the efforts of his relatives and neighbors no trace could be found of him. Log drivers have just found the skeleton of the old man on the banks of the Bear river a short distance from his trail, they being identified by a watch and a compass. Nothing was found to indicate foul play and it is more than likely that the aged homesteader died from exhaustion and exposure. The bones were buried on the homestead and thus ends a mystery that has for three years been a subject of interest in this locality.

Two Brothers Drown.

Akeley. — Henry Fegre, and Ole Fegre, aged twenty and twenty-seven years, respectively, were drowned in Akeley. In company with three other young men they were crossing the lake in a small rowboat, which was capsized. Three clung to the boat and were rescued. The Fegre boys struck out for shore, but the distance was to great and they disappeared before help could reach them. The bodies have been recovered.

Boy Killed in Runaway.

Taylors Falls.—In a collision between two run-away teams the five-year-old son of Dave Connores of Osceola was killed, his skull being fractured. Postmaster C. D. Emery of St. Croix Falls, sustained three broken ribs; several others were slightly injured. The accident occured while on the return from a ball game and while the teams were going down a steep hill.

Two Boys Suffocated.

St. Paul.—Left alone in the house while their father and older brother had gone to a wedding, the three youngest sons of Sam Kopilovich were suffocated by smoke from a fire which broke out in their home at 348 Chestnut street. Two of the boys died while being removed in the ambulance. The third was taken to the city hospital and will recover.

Ends Life With Paris Green.

Willow River.—I. W. Paap, employed by the Atwood Lumber company of this place, committed suicide by taking a dose of paris green. Ill health is the only cause given for the act. He leaves a wife and three children.

Lost Boy's Body Found.

Solway.—The dead body of little "Nickie" Shepherd, three years old, who wandered away from his home near this place and became lost, was found about a mile from home in a swamp by Frank Klingbeil, a neighbor of the Shepherds.

Arrest Murder Suspect.

Minneapolis.—Theodore Wicherski, wanted in Little Falls on a charge of murder, was arrested in Minneapolis by Detectives Lyons and Purcell, in company with Sheriff Frank Long of Little Falls. Some months ago Wicherski attended a celebration near Little Falls and while intoxicated got into an altercation and pulled a revolver and fired into the crowd. An elderly woman was struck and fatally wounded. Wicherski made his escape and was discovered working in a mill in Minneapolis.

State Fair Attractions.

Hamline. — Vice-President C. M. Griggs of the State Fair who is chairman of the committee of amusements, is home from a trip to Chicago and other points where he has been in touch with the best things now obtainable for amusement features, and is ready to announce, practically complete, the program of specialties for the fair of 1907.

One of the great specialties secured is a troup of eight Bedouin Arabs who are expert acrobats. These are genuine Arabs wearing the costume of the desert and showing the great agility of a people trained to constant muscular activity and tremendous endurance under all conditions.

A very clever act will be presented by Willis and Hassan who are, perhaps, the best equilibrists now before the public. Their specialty is head balancing with ladders etc.

Some exceedingly fine work in the contortion line will be presented by La Carmontella an Italian contortionist of European repute and "Norman the Frog Man" so called because of his ability to assume the most grotesque shapes and positions.

Comedy will be represented by Fink's mules—exceedingly funny—Marzella and Mallay who do a comedy bar act and a comedy wrestling match, and the Johnny Jones Country Circus, a laughable burlesque in which goats, pigs, geese, dogs, cats, donkeys and other domestic animals take a prominent part.

Something much above the average in trained animal showing will be seen in Howard's dogs and ponies. They put on an act in which a man and a woman and four dogs and four ponies participate in showing the remarkable attainments possible for dumb brutes.

Several fine acts will be of the aerial class. The Zamora Family is regarded as the finest trapeze troupe now possible to be engaged and the Weitzman are the premiers of the high-wire. Greatest of all is Diavolo the high diver who descends from an immense height and disappears in a lake of fire, a most horribly realistic piece of work.

The most sensational of all the acts, however, is the marvelous automobile which not only leaps a great gap after descending a steep incline at high speed, but turns a complete somersault in the air before reaching the ground.

Victim of Reckless Driving.

Staples.—As the result of the alleged reckless driving of John Udach, Mrs. Peter Kelly is dead and her daughter and granddaughter are in serious conditions from injuries received in a runaway.

Mrs. Kelly and her daughter, Mrs. Howard Huff, with the latter's child, were driving into town when the team they were driving took fright from being run into by a team of mules which were driven along the road by Udach at a furious clip. The neckyoke of the Kelly team broke, allowing the pole to drop to the ground, and throwing the wagon into the ditch. The occupants were thrown violently out, Mrs. Kelly's head striking a stump. She was dead when picked up. Mrs. Huff and her child were badly cut and bruised.

Udach was arrested, but claimed to remember nothing of the runaway.

Shoots His Arm Off.

Willow River.—While out hunting and fishing Peter Solak accidentally discharged a shotgun which he was taking from a boat where he had been fishing, the contents entering his left arm near the shoulder, almost severing it from the body. He was brought to this place immediately, where the physicians found it necessary to amputate the arm. Mr. Solak is in a very weak condition and may not recover. He has a wife and four small children.

Found Dead in a Cabin.

Spooner.—A man named Davis, who used to teach school on the Canadian side of the lake, was found dead in a cabin on Hacket Island, one of the islands in the Lake of the Woods, by a cook on Capt. Beaudro's boat. The body of Davis, on which were night clothes, lay on the floor. It seemed as if he had tried to kindle a fire, but died before it could be done.

NEWS NOTES.

Little Falls.—Ten cans of brook trout, containing about 50,000 trout minnows, have been planted in various streams within a radius of a few miles of this city. The trout were sent from the Glenwood hatchery at the request of local anglers.

St. Paul.—A patrolman who had an alarm clock in his hat to arouse him once an hour was removed by the police board.

Cottonwood.—Fire totally destroyed the large barn on the J. C. Gray farm three miles south of here, together with nine horses, five cows, grain and machinery owned by T. Loland, the tenant. The barn was insured for $600, about one-fourth of its value, while Loland's loss is total. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Minneapolis.—A state convention of the Christian churches of Minnesota will be held in Minneapolis June 17, 18 and 19. The sessions are to be held in the Portland Avenue Church of Christ. Delegates to the number of 400 are expected to attend.

RAN THE FIRST ENGINE

ENGINEER OF FAMOUS "ROCKET" IS STILL ALIVE.

Edward Entwistle, of Des Moines, Ia., Has Unique Claim to Distinction —Recalls Building of Locomotive and Trial Trip.

St. Louis.—The engineer who ran the famous Rocket of George Stephenson, the first passenger locomotive to draw a passenger train in the world, is still alive, in good health, and celebrated his ninety-second birthday a few weeks ago at his home in Des Moines, Ia. Edward Entwistle is the name of the man who has this unique claim to distinction.

Entwistle was a lad not 16 years of age when Stephenson completed his plans, secured a charter for the railroad between Liverpool and Manchester, laid his track and was ready to run the train. Entwistle was recommended to Stephenson by no less a personage than the duke of Bridgewater, whose steward informed his highness that Entwistle was the best mechanic in the shops.

Mr. Entwistle, in his humble home, delights to live over the old days and tell the story of the preparations and the trial trip, the events of which are fresh in his mind from frequent iteration. His story is told in this manner:

"I was born at Tilsey's Bank, Lancashire, England, March 24, 1815. When less than 15 years old I was apprenticed for seven years to the trade of mechanical engineering in the [illegible] works of George Stephensoa and his son Robert, at Newcastle.

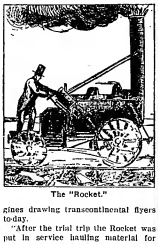
"In 1825 the Liverpool & Manchester Railway company began building a railroad across Chat Moss, an im[illegible] between the two cities. Steam carriages had been in use for some time carrying light merchandise at a low speed over the ordinary roads. The Stephensons believed the engines could be made to run on iron rails at high speed. The directors of the railway company were decidedly skeptical, but finally decided to offer a prize of $2,500 for an engine, conditioned that of six tons' weight it must consume its own smoke, draw, day by day, 20 tons weight, including its own water tank and tender, at ten miles per hour, with a steam pressure not exceeding 50 pounds per square inch, and must be delivered at the Liverpool end of the road before Oct. 1, 1829, the price not to exceed $2,750.

"My employers, the Stephensons, decided to compete for the prize, notwithstanding the opinion of the leading engineers of the country that not only a high speed engine, but the building of the road, would be a failure. The elder Stephenson contracted to construct the railroad across the bog, a huge nudertsking.

"The locomotive was coastructed in the shops where I wns employed, I heing eagaged for some weeks on various parts of its mechanism and assistlag in putting it togethor at the last. I was then hut a mere lad, hut had good mechanical lagenuity and understood machinery thoroughly, having a special kaack snd fancy for it.

"When our locomotive was completed it was named the Rocket, was given a trial trip, nnd won the prize against three competitors, settling the question for all time whether horse traction or steam traction was to be used on railroads.

"By the skill aad laveative genius of George nnd Robert Stephenson that first engine took on the form in all essentials mnintained la the great engines drawing transcontinental flyers to-day.


The "Rocket."

"After the trial trip the Rocket was put in service hauling material for construction of the road. The gauge was four feet eight and one-half inches, or that of the regular wagon road, Stephenson intending that if his locomotive failed on iron rails to run it on dirt roads. It is a singular fact that the gauge of the Rocket has been the standard gauge of railroads all over the world. Other widths have been tried, but abandoned.

"When the railroad was completed, Sept. 13, 1830, was set for the date of the trial trip drawlag passenger cars. The train consisted of two double-decked carriages, each seating 18 persons—nine on the upper deck nnd nine below. The weight of the traiu was not quite ten tons. The average speed was 14 miles an hour, although at times we got as high as 29 miles an hour."

Mr. Entwistle has not seen the Rocket since it was exhihited at Philadelphia, and greatly regrets that he was uuable to go to St. Louis two summers ago and see his pet once more before he dies.

"HELLO" GIRLS OF MANILA.

The Work Attracts Members of Aristocratic Filipino Families.

Manila.—Manila telephone subscribers feel that, though living in what the average American believes to be a semi-barbarious land, the rest of the world has no "edge" on them in being served by comely maidens as "hello girls."

A "Central" Office in Manila.

The Filipino telephone operator comes from the best families of her land and takes her work more seriously than her fair-skinned sister of the occident. She has her servant, who is also her chaperon, to accompany her to the office, carrying her lunch, and who calls to chaperon her back to the security of her home when [illegible] on her day's work. The Spanish custom of never permitting an unmarried woman above the age of 12 years to leave the portals of her casa unaccompanied, still prevails with both Spaniards and Filipinos of the better class, and their employment as telephone operators permit no relaxation of the watchful care.

The fact that the field of labor, aside from domestic service, for the Filipino girl is so limited, makes employment in this line especially desirable and much sought after by the daughters of the well-to-do Filipinos. Hence, to be n "hello girl" in the Philippines is an honor carrying with it prestige and enters into the best society.

To serve as "central" in Manila, a girl must speak and understand English, Spanish and Tagalog, nnd some of them possess n "working" knowledge of Chinese, Japanese and other oriental tongues.

The chief operator—an American woman—of the recently established Manila line states that the Filipino girls employed as operators nre very apt and intelligent and are rapidly developing a most satisfactory service. They receive, as beginners, n salary of 20 pesos ($10) per month, which is increased to twice that amount on their becoming proficient.

As the word "hurry" is an unknown one in the far east, so likewise it is often necessary for an impatient subscriber to curb his temper when telephoning. But the tones of the dulcet-voiced operator, "Dhe lyne ees heesea senor," soothes his soul to patience.

NEW HEAD FOR PATENT OFFICE.

Grit Makes Edward B. Moore of Michigan Commissioner.

Washington.—Edward B. Moore of Michigan has been appointed hy the president to succeed Frederick I. Allen as commissioner patents. Mr. Moore, who is the present assistant commissioner, won his appointment through pure grit. Moore came to Washington when a boy to visit his brother, who was secretary of the Spanish claims commission. While playing ball on a scrub team, a senate page told him he had resigned his place. Young Moore immediately hustled down to the senata chamher, and tackled Senator Morrill of Maine for the job. In 1876 President Grant appointed him inspector of internal revenue, and he had a lot to do with the expose of the whisky frauds. After that be wns appointed to a position in the patent office, and in 1900

EDWARD B. MOORE.
(Recently Appointed Commissioner of Patents.)

was sent to the Pnris exposition. While nhsent he was made assistant commissioner by President McKinley, and reappointed hy President Roosevelt.

Too Much System.

Every large manufacturing concern now considers "system" as one of the commandments. But it can he overdone. Soma ten years ago there was not enough of it; now it seems to he in danger of running mad.—Engineering Times.

THE ERROR OF INTERRUPTION.

"Gracious, Smith, hut you have a fierce cold. How did you catch it?"

"Hang me if I know how. I've taken off—"

"You idiot! And you don't know how you caught it! Why, a child could tell you. I am surprised that n man of your intelligence, or supposed intelligeace—"

"I don't see any occasion for such an outhurst as that. You act as though I had committed a crime. I was simply going to say I've taken off—"

"And you don't know how you caught the cold! Why, it's a wonder pou're not in the hospital with pneumonia! I didn't suppose n man like you would do that. You read the papers, don't you? Every day you see interviews with doctors—"

"Excuse me, old man. I try to be patient with everyhody, hut you are taxing my temper to the limit. I start to tell you I've taken off—"

"Yes, and you ought to he ashamed to confess it. Don't you see interviews with our best doctors, urging people not to take off their fiannels until—"

"Who ssid anything nhout taking off his flannels?"

"Why, you did. You said you'd taken 'em off—"

"I didn't say anytbing of tha kind. But I did try to say that I didn't know how I had caught this cold hecause I bave taken awful good csre of myself all this spring."—Chicago Journal.

Not Pride, But Caution.

Sweet Girl—Mother, Mr. Nicefellow is comiag to take me out riding this afternoon. I may go, mayn't I?

Mother—If he drives up with a span of spirited horses, you can go; hut if he comes witb that hroken-down old nag he had last time, you sha'n't.

"Why, mother, I didn't suppose you would ever bave such a foolish pride."

"My dear, a young man who comes with a pair of spirited borses expects to drive with both hands."—N. Y. Weekly.

Fool Editors.

Mrs. Gruhher—Well, well! What fools tbese editors be!

Mr. Grubber—Eh?

Mrs. Grubber—Here I writ a letter to the editor of the Punkinville Trumpet, askin' what would be a proper an' inexpensive thing to git fer a weddin' present; an' here in the paper he's printed a list of ahout a hundred things what folks give as weddin' prsents, an' there nin't one of 'em costs lass than a dollnr.—N. Y. Weekly.

Side Lights on History.

Gen. Sherman was on his memorahle mnrch to the sea.

"Everything seems to he going smoothly thus far," he said/ "but something seems to tell me that the end will he disastrous!"

Years nfterward, when he found be couldn't go anywhere without hearing the hrass hands playing "Marching Through Georgia," he realized that his forebodings had been only too well founded.

Far From It.

"Dora, dearest, I love—"

"O! O!"

"Do you interrupt me, Dora, hecause you don't want to hear it?"

"That wasn't intended as an iuterruption, George. Go ahead."—Chicago Tribuue.

NOT JUST WHAT HE MEANT.

Owner—Are you lads aware that no one is allowed to fish here?

Boy—Why we saw yer fishin' 'ere yerself t'other day!

Arousing Him.

The cuckoo clock announced the hour when graveyards yawn and specters whita hold carnival.

"Clarence," yawned the weary girl, "I wish you would end your visits like you end your letters."

"Why, how is that?" asked Clarence, in surprise.

"Why, 'In haste.'"

And then Clarence called for his hat and cane.—Chicago News.

Making Progress.

Neighhor—How'a your hoy, Milton, getting along at college?

Uncle Hayeroft—Fine. Milt's goin' to ha a reg'lar orator. He can talk about the personal equation, an' other things, heing equal, an' questions for acadamic discussion, an' all that sort o' lingo, jest like an old hand.—Chicago Trihuna.

Possihly.

Kikker—There's just one thing I like about this restaurant. They don't keep me waiting for my check.

Nokker—No; the waiters prohahly hava found thnt there's no use in holding it till you ara ready to go—you naver tip 'em, anyway.—Chicago Tribune.

THEIR LAST HOUR.

The lovely maiden shuddered involuntarily, and drew closer to her lover. A look of unutterahle sadness came over her face, and a tear drop, welling from her azure eye, stole down her nose and made a hlister on the young man's fresh white collar.

"Why are you sad?" he murmured, sneezing violently as her wayward tresses tickled his left nostril.

"I was thinking," she said, gulping down a sob and a marshmellow simultaneously, "that this will be our last evening together until to-morrow!"

For truly love hands us a lemon with every caramel—Cleveland Leader.

Transformation.

He has ceased to call her "Darling,"
She has ceased to call him "Dear;"
He has ceased composing sonnets
To her "little shell-like ear."

She has ceased to hurry madly
To the mirror, when he calls:
He has ceased to buy her chocolates
And ice-cream at concert halls!

This is not because these lovers
Have been mixed up in a row—
No, the simple truth is that they
Are a married couple now:
—Sloper.

THE SAFER CAUSE.

Gerald—Marriages are made in heaven.

Geraldine—But to make sure of me, don't you think you had better taka me here on earth?

Urban Ignorance.

Mrs. Hayfork (who had summer hoarders)—Yes, Mrs. Hayseed, the ig'rance of city folks about country life is just amusin'. Ye know I had two families from New York last season.

Mrs. Hayseed—Yes. I seed 'em galavantin' around.

"Well, it's an actual fact, them peopla hrought tooth-brushes with 'em, jest as if we were such savages out here as not to have sich a simple thing as a tooth-hrush in the house."—N. Y. Weekly.

Offended.

Stern Housewife—Too weak to cut thnt log of wood? Why, you drone, you look like Hercules.

Tired Timothy—Please, mum, yer can say dat I look like Atlas, hut not Hercules.

Stern Housewife—And why not Hercules?

Tired Timothy—Because Hercules was de guy dat did de 12 lahors.—Chicago Daily News.

A Good Work.

"My friend," said a solemn man, "bave you ever done aught to make the community in which you live tha hetter for your living in it?"

"I have done much," replied the other, humbly, "to purify the homes of my fellow-heings."

"Ah!" continued the solemn man, with a plessed look; "you distrihute tracts?"

"No; I clean carpets."

One Favor Asked.

Poor Author—And is this all I am to have from the sale of my hook?

Wealthy Publisher—Thnt is the regular percentage, sir. What more do you want?

"Um—well, I'd like the loan of your turnout and coachman for an hour or so."

"H'm! Where do you want to he taken?"

"To the poorhouse."—N. Y. Weekly.

Lucky One Got Left.

"Miss Scrapper's engagement has heen announced."

"Indeed. Who's the lucky man?"

"Jimson."

"She is going to marry him, is she?"

"No; she jilted him. She's going to marry Johnson."—Chicago Journal.

Advantages of Modern Drama.

Panic-stricken Audience (at the theater)—Fire! Fire!

Manager (rushing in)—There is not a particle of danger, ladies and gentlemen. Put on the cork jackats you will find under the seats and wa'll let loosa the tank.—N. Y. Weekly.

Simple Synonym.

His Wife (writing)—Which is proper, "disillusioned" or "disillusionized?"

Her Hushand—Oh, just say "married" and let it go at that.—Chicago News.

On a Strike.

Jim—Say, Molka, is Pat out on shtrika?

"Yis; he shtruck for mora pay, thin ha shtrnek th' hoss, thin he shtruck a copper, an' now he's shtrikin' shtone!"

FOR THE HOSTESS

Some New Ideas In Seasonable Entertainments and Answers to Perplexing Questions.

An English Garden Party.

This "month of roses" is just the time for an English garden party which is nothing more nor less than an old-fashioned lawn party only this name sounds "sort of grand and foreigny."

If the weather should prove inclement, of course the affair mnst he held in tha house. Spread rugs on the porches and lawn, with palms on the steps and on tahorettes conveniently placed. Two or three stringed instruments should furnish the music, hut a good harpist will be sufficient. Tea and iced beverages are served from small tables shielded by huge Japanese umbrellas; young womeu are asked to do honor at these tahles, assisted hy one or two servants. English muffins, oat cakes, orange marmalade and sweets like candied ginger, preserved fruits and stuffed dates. There may he tennis and croquet tournaments, for the latter game has been received again into favor along with many so called old-fashioned games and customs. The girls wear their prettiest gowns, lingerie hats and the men appear in two-piece suits, soft shirts and no gloves.

For a Church Society.

Will Madame Merri kindly tell us how we may entertain nhout 60 young people, members of a church organization? "COMMITTEE."

To entertain so large a company I should ask the girls to come representing the title of a song; ask the boys to hring some musical instrnment, anything from a Jew's harp to a hand organ. If a "song" is so well disguised as to remain unguessed, the girl must sing one verse accompanied by one or more of the instruments she may select; the result is amusing, in the extreme.

The secret of success at any of these entertainments is to have each person individually interested with n part to do. A cake made from this "Scripture" recipe could he served; it is very good and would add interest to the occasion. The recipe could be type written and sold for a small sum.

Recipe for Scripture Cake.—Take four cups of First Kings, fourth chapter, and twenty-second verse.

One cup of Judges, fifth chapter, twenty-fifth verse, last clause.

Two cups of Jeremiah, sixth chapter, twentieth verse.

Two cups of First Samuel, thirtieth chapter, twelfth verse.

Two cups of Nahum, third chapter, twelfth verse.

A pinch of Leviticus second, thirteenth verse.

One-half cup of Judges, fourth chapter, nineteenth verse, last clause.

Two teaspoons of Amos, fourth chapter, fifth verse. (Baking powder.)

Season to taste with Second Chronicles, ninth chapter, ninth verse.

"Hard Times" Party.

Will you please suggest entertainment and refreshment for a "hard times" party to occur the latter part of June, the occasion heing a seventeenth anniversary. "BAB."

A "poverty" or "hard times" party has heen described so often in this column that it seems as if all readers must know ahout such nn affair. Use a red tahlecloth, wooden chairs and henches, candles, tin and wooden dishes, and have inexpensive prizes for the worst and hest costume. Articles to he found at a fiva and ten-cent store are the kind to get. Bean-hags, soap-hubbles and old-time games are suitahle pastimes. For a centerpiece have an unfrosted sponge cake with candles.

Form for Invitations.

I wish to give a party soon, especially for three or four young married couples of our village. How shall I word the invitations? Shall I say "In honor of so nnd so?" What form of an invitation is used for afternoon card parties? D. A. B.

Mention the name of each couple. A good form is this:

"Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Brown will entertain at dinner (mention day and date) in honor of (hera write the uames)."

For the card party, use your visiting card with "Cards" written in the lower left hand corner, also the time, day and date.

Dear Madame Merri: I am to he best man at a coming wedding; on the occasion of the groom's "stag" dinner I know I shall he expected to give a toast pertinent to the happy event. Will you suggest something short. RURAL.

In point of brevity I think the two sentiments given will serve your purpose:

"True love and friendliness
Hallow thy happiness."

"This is a lucky day, boy."
MADAME MERRI.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY

Reasons Why the One Is Absolutely Essential to the Acquirement of the Other.

Do not hathe when tired, hungry or immediately after eating. This especially applies to the tuh hath.

Is heauty skin deep? No, beauty is hlood deep, for heauty is huilt on health, and health on purity of hlood.

The brain workers need comparatively little of Carbohydrates—that is, starches and fats; much less, indeed, than one employed at manual labor requires.

A little time devoted to exercise every day is better than a little more time every other day. It is the steady dropping of water that wears away stone.

Nature never intended that all the nutrition of the body should be derived from any one class of foodstuffs, which would require the use of certain juices and imply the disuse of others which normally are present.

Breathing through the nostrils, with the mouth closed is the proper and only way to hreathe. It is right hecause it is the primary function of the nostrils. If all persons breathed through the nostrils nasal catarrh would become unknown.

A sallow or muddy complexion is indicative of poor health, poor digestion and poor circulation. Cleanse the body inside as well as outside, and then seen that you have an abundance of fresh air. Avoid tea, white bread, and milk or cream in coffee—in fact, anything that overtaxes the liver aud stomach.

The muscles of the face may he developed nnd made firm by careful manipulation. Nutritious food should he eaten to supply the muscles of tha face the same as the other muscles of the hody. Muscles that are not worked lack firmness; therefore I would suggest a light massage for the cheeks, using the thumb and forefinger vigorously, but not so as to bruise the flesh.

Avoid a draft when warm. It may he comfortable indeed, but that comfort will be short lived. It must he understood that a breeze or moving air is not necessarily a draft. The precaution is given for the purpose of a too sudden checking of perspiration.

FOR THE SLIPPERS.

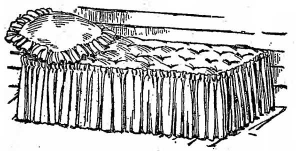
Tulle pompons trimmed witb spangles for the slippers.

Feathers in New Forms.

Ostrich fenthers are more worn than ever, and the newest thing is very narrow pin fentbers made up into aigrettes. But the new thing of the season is a boa like hat trimming mnde nll of "Casoar" plumage, which is very much like paradise feathers, only shorter and curled. These cost from $10 up to nearly three figures, so they nre not likely to be common.

Don't be afraid to ohey. A mnn must learn to ohey before he mny hope to command.

Pretty Couch for the Summer Piazza



For the summer piazza one of the most convenient piecas of furnitura is a folding couch that can he raised up and fastened to the side of the house somewhat similar to a mantel folding hed.

Tha illustration shows such a couch that is attached to the weather boards of the house at the inner side, hy means of large strap hinges, while the outer edga is supported on legs fastened to the under side of tha woodwork.

An old hair mattress can he employed as the topping, and it should he laid on tha platform and held down hy means of denim, which is drawn down all around the edges and tacked securely to the wood.

The tufted effect shown in the illustration is ohtained by making holes in tha wood, and with a long pack needle string is drawn up through the mattress and tied at the top through the edge of a metal or cloth-covered hutton.

Where tha string is tied the matress is depressed so the button is deep seated.

A valanca of the denim is made and gathered around the front and two ends, as shown.

In rainy weather or when more piazza space is required the couch can he raised, valance tucked in and the whole thing fastened to the weather boards hy means of a strap.

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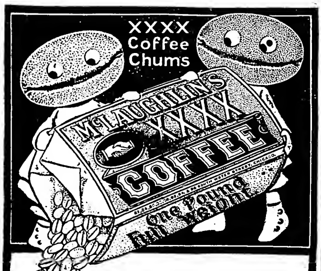

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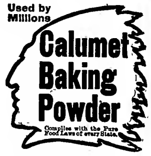
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Badger

Messrs Fred Berry and Havens and Families were guests Sunday.

Mr. Peter Lachance anosister Miss Rose, spent Sunday evening as guests of the Misses Annie and Rose Jolly of Terrebonne. A good time is reported

A few friends spent Sunday evening at M. Quesnell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Laurent and daughters, Mammie and Annie of Red Lake Falls, called at the home of A. Laurent of this place Sunday afternoon.

Among those qransaeting businoss at the Falls last Saturday were Messrs Adelard and Dolphis Champeau and wives, Mrs. Roy Walter, Mr. Ovila Robillar and Edward St. Ives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Boyd entertained a few friends at their home Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Kankel of Red Lake Falls crossed the Badger limits Sunday afternoon on their way towards Terrebonne.

Messrs Adelard Laurent and Michael Quesnell and wives were guests at the homes of Robert and Stephen Quesnell home of Southern praire over Sat. and Sun.

Mrs. Phillp LaCourclere and sister Mrs. Tomas Boisvert both of Lambert visited with their parents Mr. and Mrs . Jos. Ducharme Sunday and Monday.

Mrs' Adelard Champeau and infant daughter Mildred visited a few days of last week at the home of Joseph Laurent of Terrebonne.

Mr. and Mrs. Franeor's Lambert of of the village of Lambert called on Mr and Mrs. Joseph Ducharme Saturday on their way to Red Lake Falls, Mr. Lambert has purchased a residence at Red Lake Falls, and expects to move at his new home in the near future.

Miss Lizzie Quesnell is at present a guest at the home of her unele M. Quesnell.

Joseph Dandaneau formerly of this place, but now a resident of Terrebonne, had the misfortune of loosing the best mare he had on his farm last week. We all sympathize with him deeply.

Mr. Dolphis Champeau was seriously ill a few days last week with rheumatism but is now improving greatly.

Mrs Dan Boyd transacted business at the Falls last Friday.

"Baptiste and Francois", two prominent railroad men from St. Paul, are expected to arrive here Saturday June 15th and will discuss their railroad argument. Meeting will take place on the Badger Bridge.
Both gentlemen have all-ready given us a call and talked that railroad matter over but did not agree so of course all are anxious to find out how things will turn out Saturday. Better come all of yous.

BRAY.

Most of the farmers of this vicinity have finished seeding except some barley.

A cattle buyer from Iowa was around here last week buying cattle which he shipped to Iowa.

O. A. Akerlund drove to Wylie Saturday.

Alfred Jonnson was at St. Hilaire last Wednesday.

Ray Linquist who was on the sick list last week has fully recovered.

Thomas Larson transacted business at St. Hilaire Tuesday.

The Wylie baseball nine defeated the Bray nine in a game of ball last Sunday.

J. B. Hanson transacted business at St. Hilaire Friday.

Everything around looka more pleasant since Mother Earth put on her coat of green.

Alfred Olson, P. A. Hogstrom and Iver Johnson transacted business at St. Hilaire last Friday.

The town board met on Tuesday and sold out a few "road jobs" which are to be combleted during the summer.

Edwin Crown and son August drove to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Swan Scholin transacted business at the county seat Monday.

Loyd and Willie Crown came home from Thief River Falls Sunday for a visit with their parents.

John Scholin was at Wylie Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Erick Johnsou of Black River visited at their son-in-law Iver Johnson's place on Tuesday.

MORE LOCAL......

"Bad Bill" Ittner came up with his extreme width and breadth from Minneapolis Monday, and will spend a few weeks, at least, with his mother and with his many admiring friends. Will is contemplating going out with an engineering crew for the summer, but has not fully decided as to when he will go. "Bad Bill" has but one more year to attend the 'varsity to complete his course as a full-fledged civil engineer, and while under the new three year rule he is barred from further star performances on the 'varsity gridiron, nevertheless he will have acquired a profession at which he cannot help but be eminently successful.

At the Metropolitan opera house last evening the Misses Alyce Boyd Etta Gareeau, Mollie Allard, Albina Lemieux, Etta Hennemuth, Gertie Hennemuth, Ellen Brady, Mayme Erickson and Lillian Buse were hostesses at a delightful social function and fro n early evening until a late hour a large crowd of people partock of their hospitality. The young ladies decorated the large auditorium in a pleasing manner, only as these artistic decoraters could do, and to sweet strains of music provided by Freund's orchestra the people danced away several happy hours. Frappe was served during the evening by the Misses Rosalba Lemieux, Helen Erickson, and Lenora Garceau, and at midnight ice cream and cake were provided. The party was one of the most enjoyable of the year and the young ladies placed themselves in the front rank as entertainers.

Frank Mahara does not believe that the theatre-going public has lost entirely its old taste for minstrel shows. There are others holding the same belief, for the Grand was crowded last evening when the minstrel troupe bearing the Mahara name, sang, joked and danced through a program of merit. The usual "first part" was presented in in the old half-circle style, with four huge moutbed, noisy fellows on the ends. The singine both vocal and chorous, was a large part of the program and easily the best. The specialties have been presented before in Salt Lake, and for that reason were not strong, as they might have been regarded. James Harris has his hoops under control but the act is hold. Maria Bostwick worked earnestly to please the audience, and her songs and skits won applause. Shaw and Clinton with jokes and poplar song shared the audience's favor. James Harris earns his salary, making his first bow as an end msn, next as a hoop artist and finally as a trombone virtuoso. He was clever in all three stunts. John Pamplin, dressed as satan, did some devilish fine juggling. Salt Lake, Utah, Herald, Sept. 21, '06. At the metropolitan opera house, Tuesday and Wednesday, June, 18-19.

Teachers' Meeting Postponed.

Owing to the conflict between the date set for the meeting of the Teachers' Protective Association and the date for the Fire Tournament at Red Lake Falls, and in view of the fact that the Summer school begins only a week from that date, it is considered best to postpone the meeting until a later date.

The teachers attending the summer school can then decide as to what time would be most suitable for the meeting. It is hoped that this arrangement will prove satisfactory to the members of the Teachers' Protective association.

—Committee.

Winnipeg Exhibition.

The greatest exhibit of high class horses will be seen at the coming Winnipeg Exhibition, July 13-20, that has been assembled in Western Canada. Beyond the increase of high grade horses there is the incentive to horse owners to have the stock judged by such an authority as Mr. Arthur Gibson, the renouned stock judge of Nottingham England, who will act as judge in Clydesdale and Short-horn classes.

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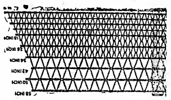

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THE LOCAL FIELD

ITEMS OF INTEREST DURING THE WEEK

Lew Padden was a visitor at Grand Forks Monday.

Otto Zaiser drove to Thief River Falls on business yesterday.

Otto Kankel spent yesterday in the city, a guest of his son, G. A.

Rev. Father Adolph, of Thief River Falls spent Tuesday in the city.

W. A. Schreiter was a business visitor at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

G. Stark, a prominent Bray farmer, called here on business Saturday.

Schmitz Bros. have shipped out several car loads of brick again this week.

Miss Lila Craig, of East Grand Forks, is a guest at the Hennemuth home here this week.

Sheriff Nelson, accompanied by his little son, spent Sunday with relatives at Thief River Falls.

Joe. Mosleth and Ed. Ralston, two Thief River Falls business men, spent Monday night in the city.

Miss Laura Willson left Friday evening for her home at Rochester. Miss Willson will not return here next fall.

Dan Latendresse returned home Tuesday from a weeks' business and pleasure trip to Bigfork and immediate points.

Mrs. E. Besse, of Grand Forks, is a guest this week at the home of of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Bray of this city.

Julius Pleth was in from Plummer Saturday watching thn progress of his opening sale, held here in the Kans block that day.

Miss Mayme Ericksson arrived home Monday from Fergus Falls, where shn has been teaching the past year, and will spend the summer here.

Ralph Healy, who is attending the U. of M. will not return home until about July 15, having remained at the 'varsity to take some work at the summer session.

Harry and Lelnnd Healy went over to Grand Forks Thursday evening and played with the Crookston band at the U. C. T. convention there the following day.

The Misses Mayme DeCamp and Cassie Cummings of Grand Forks, spent several days of this week in Red Lake Falls, guests of Mrs. Omer Hall and Miss Albina Lemieux.

WANTED

Information regarding good farm that is for sale and which can be bought of owner. No agents need answer. Wish to hear from owner only willing to close his own deal and save buyer paying big commission and fancy price to some agent. Would also like to hear of good small business for sale by owner.

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Mrs. R. Webber, of Park River, North Dakota, arrived here yesterday for a several days visit with her friend, Mrs. H. N. Johnson, who is a guest at the Toupin home here.

Hay in large quantities has been shipped from this point during the past couple of weeks. The hay market is decidedly short, and a big price is being paid for good hay now.

The Commercial Club held an interesting session at the city hall Monday evening. A good sized crowd was present and matters of importance to the city were discussed.

Miss Hazel Healy came up from Minneapolis Saturday to spend the summer at her home here. Miss Hazel has attended the Central high school at Minneapolis during the past school year.

Frank A. Grady went down to St. Paul Tuesday evening, to represent the Clearwater lodge, I. O. O. F., at the grand lodge meeting being held there this week. He will return home tomorrow.

Miss Laura Lizee came over from Crookston Saturday and spent the day with her parents here. She was accompanied on her trip by her cousin, Miss Mayme Lizee, of Argyle, who spent the day here.

Miss Agnes Garceau arrived here Monday from Tacoma, Washington, to spend a month or so with her relatives and many old-time Red Lake Falls friends. She will be a guest at the Theo. Garceau home while in the city.

E. L. Wichterman of Gully, has purchased the Sciff livery barn and outfit at Plummer and will take possession at once. Mr. Wichtermaa is well known in Red Lake county and will without doubt make a success of the venture.

V. K. Knight came down from Big Fork Monday evening and is spending several days with his many Red Lake Falls friends. "Vic" reports himself and family as decidedly prosperous, which is pleasing news to the people here.

Dan Bray was able to get out Tuesday, after being confined to his bed a couple of weeks with a broken arm. The arm is still very sore but is healing nicely. It will be some timn, however, before Dan can use it to any advantage.

Roy Blake is expected to arrive here Saturday from Castleton, North Dakota, to spend tournament week with his parents and many Red Lake Falls friends. It is nearly a year now since Roy weat to work for the Tri-State Telephone company, and by close application and first class work he has advanced very fast, today holding a responsible position at a very handsome salary. He was only able to secure one week's absence, hence his visit will be brief but nevertheless highly enjoyable.

Miss Elizabeth Cushing arrived here from Sandstone, this state, Tuesday, and will spend the sum at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain.

Rev. Father Ambrose, pastor of St. Mary's church has been very ill several days of the past week. He contracted a very severe cold, and for a while was threatened with an attack of pneumonia. He is reported as improving at the present writing.

Joseph Toupin arrived home Monday morning from Minneapolis to spend the summer vacation with his parents and friends here. Joe is very well pleased with his first year of work at the university and looks forward to the rest of the work with pleasure.

A case was tried in Justice Toupin's court law Saturday between Berthon & Armstrong vs. James Connaughty. The case arose out of a garnishment of Connaught'y wages by the plaintiffs. Judgment was found for the plaintiffs in the sum demanded.

Mrs. L. Loy, of St. Paul, arrived here Tuesday for a visit of three weeks or a month with her sister, Mrs. James Blake. It has been quite a while since these ladies have been together and it goes without saying that Mrs. Loy's visit will be mutually enjoyable.

H. N. Johnson, of Lankin, North Dakota will be here next week to take in the big fireman's tournament. "Jing" will be accompanied by Dr. Schram, of Park River, who is also well known here, and it is quite safe to presume that they will both enjoy themselves immensely.

Henry W. Anderson returned home Friday morning from St. Paul where he has been visiting with his parents and buying goods. While in the cities he purchased one hundred and fifty new phonograph records for Anderson & Wander and the people have been enjoying a musical treat every day since.

L. P. Berthon and J. B. Armstrong have loaded their goods into an N. P. car this week and have shipped their belongings to the new home at Missoula, Montana. Mr. Berthon expects to leave here within a few days, but Mr. Armstrong will remain in charge of the Pleth sale until the stock is disposed of.

Dan Linnihan, of this city, was given the contract for constructing ditch No. 69, in Polk county, last Saturday, having submitted the lowest bid for the work. Dan used to do more ditching in this part of the state than all contractors put together, and it looks as though he intended getting back into the business in earnest.

A case was tried in justice court before Justice Swanson last Saturday, in which Joseph Belair was plaintiff and O. Rock, of Terrebonne defendant. The case arose out of payment for the service of a horse. Belair was represented by Attorney Boughton and Rock by Germo and Farley. A judgment was rendered in favor of Belair.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Peter Nimesgern returned home last Thursday from Oklahoma, where he had spent the past six weeks looking over the country. Mr Nimesgern made a thorough investigation of conditions there and was very well pleased with what he found. He will not return at present, however, but unless he changes his mind before then will move his family to that part of the country in the fall.

Thief River Press: Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Linda Rohbecke to Dr. George W. Booren. The wedding ceremony will take place at the home of the bride's parents, on Wednesday, June 26th. Miss Rohbecke is the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Rohbecke and one of the popular young women of the town. Previous to her marriage a number of delightful entertainments will be given in honor of the bride-to-be.

Thief River Press: The Tri-State Telephone company has filed a bill in equity in the United States court at Fergus Falls, asking that a receiver be appointed to take charge of the Fant telephone system in this city, claiming that the system is being allowed to deteriorate and that their mortgage against the plant is likely to become of little value by the time the mortgage expires. The company alleges that the system is paying nearly double the amount of the operating expenses but that the surplus is not expended in improving the plant.

With a matinee and evening performance today Frank Mahara's colored minstrels will terminate their three night's engagement at the Grand. The show is one of the best colored companies which has visited this city in several months. —Tribune, Salt Lake city, Utah, Sept. 23, 1906. At the metropolitan Tuesday and Wednesday, June 18 and 19.

Romeo St. Marie, formerly of Terrebonne, but more recently of Crookston, died at a hospital in that city last Saturday, from the effects of an operation for appendicitis a day or two previous. Mr. St. Marie was well known in this part of Red Lake county, his wife being a daughter of X. Suave of Terrebonne. His wife and two small children survive him. The funeral services were held Monday.

The Thief River ball team defeated Warren on the Thief River grounds last Sunday, in a hotly spirited contest, the score being 4 to 2. Warren has a fast team this year, but Thief River secured the services of Pitcher Lizee, of Argyle and also the Argyle catcher, and this combination was too strong for Warren. This man Lizee, who is a nephew of Nightwatchman Lizee of this city, has earned a great reputation as a pitcher the past two seasons, and his work this year is said to greatly outshine all previous efforts. It is expected that he will play with one of the visiting teams here tournament week.

Work of building the new cement sidewalk along the east side of block 9, from Dr. Lemieux's corner to the Robertson Lumber company's property, was commenced this week by Contractor Lindtner, and will be pushed rapidly. The walk will be six feet wide, with curb and gutter, and will make a substantial improvement to that part of the city.

Grand Rapids Independent: Miss Emily LaFreniere, who has been teaching the Deer Lake school the past year completed her duties on Wednesday last. She came to Grand Rapids Friday last and has been a guest at the home of ye editor. She left yesterday in company with A. L. LaFreniers and Master John for a visit at Northome and Red Lake Falls.

Through a curious oversight, or it was intentional, the new passenger rate bill which went into effect recently will compel all babies to pay fare on the 'choo choo' cars. The provisions of the bill are that all passengers over twelve years of age may ride for two cents per mile and all below twelve must pay half fare. Heretofore, any children between six and twelve years of age were obliged to pay, while those under six were carried free. The new law does not discriminate in children but will treat all alike and the railroads, which have made up their minds to comply with the strict letter of the law, and which do not care to incur any liabilities for violating its plain provisions, will charge the nursing infant one cent per mile fare.

Of Course You Are Coming to the Tournament

Be sure to visit the greatest value giving store in the county—THE BIG STORE. We are making preparations for the greatest clearing sale this city has ever seen. This tournament week will wind up the spring business with us. Everything in the line of spring goods will be placed on tables with a closing price on ....

Men's Clothing

A magnificent display of KUPPENHEIMER clothes, the clothes of national reputation for fit and quality. We also offer 50 suits from past season's at ½ price. These 50 suits must be closed out between now and July 1st. These are men's and boys' suits of good quality, many being all wool.

Men's Straw Hats

A new stock at all prices. Last years hats at 25c each, many worth up to $1.50.

Ladies' Skirts

All wool skirts worth from $5.00 to $8.00. All must go at 2.98. All sizes. And they must go. Shirt waists, beautiful waists at $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50. The famous DuBrok waists, best fitting waist made. Slightly soiled waists at 29c, 75c to $1.50 values. They too must go.

Remnant Sale

All short lengths in the store will be offered for sale at ½ their value.

Shoe Bargains

$3.50 shoes for $2.50. Men's, boys and misses muleskin slippers at 75c to $1.15 from $1.00 to $1.50. 10 per cent discount on patent leather slippers and oxfords. Come in and visit us anyhow even if you have nothing to buy. We will have resting seats for you and plenty of ice cold water to refresh you. So we say: "We will see you at the tournament."

Theo. LaBissoniere

The Big Store

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New Hardware Store **G. A. KANKEL** *Red Lake Falls, Minn.*

THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

BY HARRY LEON WILSON AUTHOR OF THE SPENDERS

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CHAPTER XXXVI.—Continued.

By the light of the fire the little man could see their faces, and he became suddenly coherent, smiling at them in the old way.

"Why have you come so far in the [illegible]" he asked Prudence, taking one of her cool hands between his own [illegible]

"[illegible] you poor little father! Why have you come when you should be in bed? You are burning with [illegible]"

"Yes, yes, dear, but it's over now. It's the end. I came here—to be here. I came to say my last prayer [illegible] lady. And they will come to [illegible] me here. You must go before they come."

"Who will find you?"

"They, from the church. I didn't mean to do it, but when I was on my feet something forced it out of me. I knew what they would do, but I was ready to die, and I hoped I could [illegible] some of them."

"But no one shall hurt you."

"Don't tempt me to stay any longer, dear, even if they would let me. Oh, you don't know, you don't [illegible] and that devil's drumming over there [illegible] madden me as on that other night. But it's just—my God, how [illegible]"

"Come away, then. Ruel will find your [illegible], and we'll ride home."

"It's so late—don't ask me to leave [illegible] now. It would only follow [illegible] this way that night—the [illegible]—the beating got into my blood and hammered on my brain till I didn't know. Prudence, I must tell [illegible] everything—"

He glanced at Follett appealingly, as he had looked at the others when he left the platform that day, be[illegible] some expressions of friendliness.

"Yes, I must tell you—everything." But her face lighted as Follett interrupted him.

"You tell her," said Follett, doggedly, "how you saved her that day and kept her like your own and brought her up to be a good woman —that's what you tell her." The gratitude in the little man's eyes had grown with each word.

"Yes, yes, dear, I have loved you like my own little child, but your father and mother were killed here that day—and I found you and loved you, such a dear, forlorn little girl—will you hate me now?" he broke off anxiously. She had both his hands in her own.

"But why, how could I hate you? You are my dear little sorry father—all I've known. I shall always love you."

"That will be good to take with me," he said, smiling again. "It's all I've got to take—it's all I've had since the day I found you. You are good," he said, turning to Follett.

"Oh, shucks!" answered Follett.

A smile of rare contentment played over the little man's face.

In the silence that followed, the funeral drum came booming in upon them over the ridge, and once they saw an Indian from the encampment standing on top of the hill to look down at their fire. Then the little man spoke again.

"You will go with him," he said to Prudence. "He will take you out of here and back to your mother's people."

"She's going to marry me," said Follett. The little man smiled at this.

"It is right—the Gentile has come to take you away. The Lord is cunning in His vengeance. I felt it must be so when I saw you together."

After this he was so quiet for a time that they thought he was sleeping. But presently he grew restless again, and said to Follett:

"I want you to have me buried here. Up there to the north, 200 yards from here on the right, is a dwarf cedar standing alone. Straight over the ridge from that and half-way down the other side is another cedar growing at the foot of a ledge. Below that ledge is a grave. There are stones piled flat, and a cross cut in the one toward the cedar. Make a grave beside that one, and put me in it—just as I am. Remember that—uncoffined. It must be that way, remember. There's a little book here in this pocket. Let it stay with me—but surely uncoffined, remember, as—as the rest of them were."

"But, father, why talk so? You are going home with us."

"There, dear, it's all right, and you'll feel kind about me always when you remember me?"

"Don't—don't talk so."

"If that beating would only stay out of my brain—the thing is crawling behind me again! Oh, no, not yet—not yet! Say this with me, dear:

"'The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want.

"'He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters.'"

She said the psalm with him, and he grew quiet again.

"You will go away with your husband, and go at once—" He sat up suddenly from where he had been lying, the light of a new design in his eyes.

"Come—you will need protection now—I must marry you at once. Surely that will be an office acceptable in the sight of God. And you will remember me better for it—and kinder. Come, Prudence; come, Ruel!"

"But, father, you are sick, and so weak—let us wait."

"It will give me such joy to do it —and this is the last."

She looked at Follett questioningly, but gave him her hand silently when he arose from the ground where he had been sitting.

"He'd like it, and it's what we want —all simple," he said.

In the light of the fire they stood with hands joined, and the little man, too, got to his feet, helping himself up by the cairn against which he had been leaning.

Then, with the unceasing beats of the funeral drum in their ears, he made them man and wife.

"Do yoo, Ruel, take Prudence by the right hand to receive her unto yourself to be your lawful and wedded wife, and you to be her lawful and wedded husband for time and eternity—"

"Oh! Oh! My Poor Sorry Little Father—He Was So Good to Me!"

Thus far he had followed the formula of his church, but now he departed from it with something like defiance coming up in his voice.

"—with a covenant and promise on your part that you will cleave to her and to none other, so help you God, taking never another wife in spite of promise or threat of any priesthood whatsoever, cleaving unto her and her alone with singleness of heart?"

When they had made their responses, and while the drum was beating upon his heart, he pronounced them man and wife, sealing upon them "the blessing of the holy resurrection, with power to come forth in the morning clothed with glory and immortality."

When he had spoken the final words of the ceremony, he seemed to lose himself from weakness, reaching out his hands for support. They helped him down on to the saddle blanket that Follett had brought, and the latter now went for more wood.

When he came back they were again reciting the psalm that had seemed to quiet the sufferer.

"'Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.'"

Follett spread the other saddle blanket over him. He lay on his side, his face to the fire, one moment saying over the words of the psalm, but the next listening in abject terror to something the others could not hear.

"I wonder you don't hear their screams," he said, in one of these moments; "but their blood is not upon you." Then, after a little:

"See, it is growing light over there. Now they will soon be here. They will know where I had to come, and they will have a spade." He seemed to be fainting in his last weakness.

Another hour they sat silently beside him. Slowly the dark over the eastern hill lightened to a gray. Then the gray paled until a flush of pink was there, and they could see about them in the chill of the morning.

Then came a silence that startled them all. The drum had stopped and the night-long vibrations ceased from their ears.

They looked toward the little man with relief, for the drumming had tortured him. But his breathing was shallow and irregular now, and from time to time they could hear a rattle in his throat. His eyes, when he opened them, were looking far off. He was turning restlessly and muttering again. She took his hands and found them cold and moist.

"His fever must have broken," she said, hopfully. The little man opened his eyes to look up at her, and spoke though absently, and not as if he saw her:

"They will have a spade with them when they come, never fear. And the spot must not be forgotten—300 yards north of the dwarf cedar, then straight over the ridge and half-way down, to the other cedar below the sandstone —and uncoffined, with the book here in this pocket where I have it. 'Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.'"

He started up in terror of something that seemed to be behind him, but fell back, and a moment later was rambling off through some sermon of the bygone year.

Slowly, then, the little smile faded —the wistful light of it dying for the last time. The tired head fell suddenly back and the wan lips closed over lifeless eyes.

From the look of rest on the still face it was as if, in his years of service and sacrifice, the little man had learned how to forgive his own sin in the flash of those last heart-beats when his soul had rushed out to welcome Death.

Prudence had arisen before the end came. Follett was glad she did not see the eyes glaze nor the head drop. Then he sprang quickly up and put his arm about Prudence.

"Come, sit here close by the fire, dear—no, around this side. It's all over now."

"Oh! Oh! My poor, sorry little father—he was so good to me!" She threw herself on the ground, sobbing.

Follett spread a saddle blanket over the huddled figure at the foot of the cross. Then he went back to take her in his arms and give her such comfort as he could.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

CUT OUT FOR A DIPLOMAT.

Quick Wit Extricated Young Man from Difficult Situation.

Most people take things lightly at the seashore, so that probably accounted for the fact that a certain young man found himself engaged to two charming girls at one and the same time while enjoying his vacation during the past summer.

One day he was seated, half dozing, on the deserted piazza of the hotel where all three of the interested parties were stopping when suddenly two little hands were clasped tightly over his eyes, and a sweet voice whispered, "Guess who?"

Was it Clara or Nan? Should he say one of the names and chance it? These thoughts were flashing through his brain, when an inspiration struck him.

"It's the dearest, sweetest, prettiest little girl in all the world," he said.

"Oh, you dear old Jack boy!" she whispered, satisfied and delighted, and the hands dropped from his eyes to his shoulders.

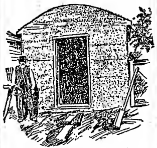
Impossible.

They say that politicians steal
And wealth is always tainted—
This world could never be, we feel,
As bad as it is painted.
—Washington Star.

A CONCRETE MILK HOUSE.

Any Farmer May Make One at Small Expense.

A house for keeping milk cool in the summer and storing fruit and vegetables in the winter may be constructed out of concrete from floor to roof. A man in a little Missouri town built one in the following manner, says the Kansas City Star. An excavation was made in the ground four feet deep the desired length and breadth of the building. Two posts were then set in the ground at each corner, leaving a space between them the thickness of the walls. Inch boards a foot wide were placed on the inside of these posts next the ground. The first layer of concrete which was made from cement and tolerably coarse gravel was put between them. After this was finished another round of boards was put just above the first ones and these were filled between with concrete also. Then another course of concrete was put above this and so on until the desired height was reached. As the concrete hardened the boards were removed. The door frame was set between the boards in one end of the building when the walls had been built up to a level with the top of the ground, and it was made secure by long bolts extending from the sides of frame into the concrete walls. The roof was made an oval shape by semicircle rafters, the ends of which rested on the top of the side walls. After being covered over with boards a layer of concrete was spread on, leaving a place for a cement chimney at the center of the roof. The rafters and sheeting were left to give strength to the concrete. The floor was also made of cement and inclined slightly toward one corner where an eight-gallon jar had been sunk, into which any water might drain. The doors of the house were made double, one opening inward and the other outward. When shut they kept out the heat in summer and the cold in the winter.



Home-Made Concrete Milk House.

WHERE HOLSTEINS ORIGINATED.

Brief History of This Type of Dairy Animal.

The cattle known in America as Holstein-Friesians belong to the short horn, low-land race, native to the low-lying, fertile lands of Europe bordering on the North Sea, of which race, from the dairy standpoint, the Holstein-Friesian family is the most highly developed. These cattle might have been better named Friesian, since Friesland, and the neighboring provinces of Holland, is the central home from which this breed of cattle has been so widely disseminated over the old world, and from which some 10,000 head of foundation stock has been brought to America. The Friesian people are among the most conservative of the Germanic race, still holding to and speaking among themselves the old Friesian language, although also able to speak Dutch, the official language of Holland. They have been equally conservative in holding to their ancient industry of cattle rearing, an occupation for which their low-lying lands are especially fitted, and, as the Roman historian Tacitus speaks of them nearly 1,900 years ago as cattle breeders, paying a tribute in cattle and hides to the Roman empire, so we find them to-day making dairy husbandry their main industry. Holding mainly to one occupation down through the centuries, and passing the business from father to son, it would be strange indeed, says Farmers' Review, if their breed of cattle did not reach a very high degree of development; so it is in no way surprising that we should find these Friesian dairymen possessed of a breed of cattle which, as an all-around dairy breed, is superior to any other breed known.

DAIRY NOTES.

Never use musty or dirty litter.

We are often inclined to mistake lack of "gumption" for "hard luck."

Keep the stable and dairy room in good condition, fresh air, dry and clean.

The imitation gives just as good satisfaction as the genuine as long as a difference is not known.

Good judgment is of more value than either knowledge or skill, although each is desirable.

When calves are fed skim milk it should be warmed to blood heat before giving or it may cause scours.

If every person were to receive credit for intentions instead of actions, many a one would be judged differently than under the present plan.

FEEDING THE DAIRY CALF.

Careful Attention Needed to Produce a Strong, Profitable Cow.

One of the most delicate operations, and one that requires the closest and most careful attention on the part of the dairyman or the breeder of dairy cattle, is the feeding of the dairy calf. It has been well said that on the first 18 months or two years of the calf's life does its future usefulness depend, says the Farmer's Guide. We want to go just a little farther than this and say to all who are raising calves for the dairy business, whether it be to make butter, cheese, selling whole milk or cream, or supplying a condensing factory or creamery; raise calves from strictly dairy breed of cattle. If you have not the pure bred cows, get yourself at least a pure bred sire of good breeding and the better record his dam has the better he is; that is the better will his calves be. Now, whichever breed you choose, stick to it and don't go to trying crosses, or you lose money. If you select a Jersey sire at first, stick to the Jerseys, and you will soon have a profitable, well-bred and nice-looking herd. The same is true with the Guernseys and Holsteins.

The cow should be well fed when she is carrying the calf. That is, before the calf is born, so that the calf may be well nourished and the cow return a good margin over the expense of feed and care. When the calf is born, place it and its dam in a clean, dry, well-bedded place and in a comfortable temperature not below 50 degrees F. It is a good plan to let the calf stay with its dam for the first 48 hours. The first milk, or colostrum, is very necessary for the calf as it acts as a physic and cleans its bowels. After the first 48 hours the calf may be removed and fed by hand (after it has been taught to drink) and this, with some calves, is no small undertaking. It takes patience and perseverance, for it is very necessary that the calf has the regular amount of milk twice a day, hence the starving-it-to-it proposition don't go, although one may be tempted to let it go till it will drink. Three pounds of milk, twice a day, is enough for the first week or even two. Care must be taken to see that the milk is warm and the buckets always clean and sweet. If you see to this and have a dry, clean, well-lighted and bedded place for the calf you will never be troubled with calf scours. After the calf is two weeks old it can take four pounds of milk twice a day. This milk should be weighed every time and they will never drink too much. A pair of spring balances hung in a convenient place will solve this problem.

As soon as the calf will eat it should have all the oats and bran it will eat as well as bright clover hay. There is nothing that will take the place of oats for young calves raised for the dairy. Water should also be provided for the calves at all times. It is a good plan to have a large bucket to set before them all the time and they will never drink too much at one time. After the calf is six weeks old it may be changed to warm, sweet skim milk. If you have a hand separator, this is the ideal way to raise a calf. It should not fall off in flesh or stop growing at all, nor will it, if you give it good care. It is well to add a little oil meal to the skim milk when the change is made. The change should also be made gradually, as half a pound of skim milk replaces so much whole milk, till the change is completed.

In feeding oil meal one should not feed too much at first. Just a little pinch and increase to a small handful. The skim milk can be increased as the calf grows older, so that a six-months-old calf may take seven or eight pounds at a feed. Silage may be added to the ration at six months old and bran take the place of oats entirely, because of its being cheaper. It is the good, liberal feeder that makes money in the dairy business. It is well, however, to figure so as to feed as cheap a ration as possible as long as it is good.

HOW RECORDS HELP.

Farmer Can More Intelligently Determine From Which Cows to Breed.

If a dairy farmer has at his command carefully kept statistics concerning the yields of his cows, he is in a much better position to decide from which cows it is advisable that he should rear than the farmer who has not that definite information at hand. For, assuming that a heifer-calf is brought up in an orthodox manner, two factors control its eventual usefulness as a dairy cow, namely, the quantity and the quality of the milk produced by its ancestors. The fact that a good (quantity) milker is but rarely bred from a poor milker, and that a heavy milking dam is likely to produce a good milking offspring, has long been realized, but the fact that a poor quality producing cow invariably impresses upon her progeny the same failing is a point that is often overlooked. The truth of both these rules cannot be too strongly emphasized. They hold true, not only direct from female to female, but also from female through male to female. There are quite as many reasons why record of quality should be kept, as there are for the keeping of records of quantity, and there is every reason for keeping both.

We must conclude that the sluggish spirited, dull eyed man must have a poor chance in this world when we remember that even the old cow must have a bright eye and a highly strung nervous system in order to be a success.

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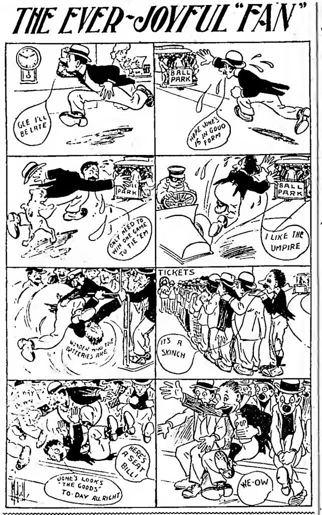
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Tribute to Baseball by Supreme Justice Harlan

Well-Known Jurist, 74 Years Old, Plays in Game and Wins by Making a Home Run.

In a recent baseball contest in Washington between two local teams the score was tied in the last half of the ninth inning. With two strikes and three balls on him, Harlan hit one over the center fielder's head, and before the ball could be returned to the plate he had made a home run. This would have been an exploit worth while for any player, but it attains to the marvelous when it becomes known that the Harlan who made this winning drive is a man 74 years old, no less a person than Justice Harlan, of the United States supreme court.

Harlan, like Senator Gorman, Judge McPherson and former Gov. Pattison, of Pennsylvania, was a ball player in the early days of the national game, and no absorption in statecraft and legal lore has sufficed to take his mind completely off his favorite sport. Hence, when, at the annual shad-bake of the Washington Bar association, it was proposed to have a baseball game, Justice Harlan was one of the first to volunteer as a player. In making his home run, Harlan had to run every inch of the way. His was not the experience of the hitter who knocks a ball over the fence and has only to jog around the bases to get the credit for it. His hit was within the ground, and to make the circuit before it got to the plate he had to go. That he was able to do so shows that there is plenty of agility in the veteran yet.

The average citizen, remembering the old axiom about a sound mind in a sound body, will be ready to have more faith in the mental workings of a man who has kept his body young, despite the passing of time. Far from detracting from the dignity of the distinguished incumbent of the supreme court seat, the ability of Harlan as a hitter will add to it. That home run is a human touch, a specimen of Americanism that will go far toward popularizing the venerable judge. How Theodore Roosevelt, who instinctively seems to know how to do the thing that pleases the people, came to overlook the diamond and its opportunities is a mystery.

NATIONAL LEAGUE NEWS

The Cincinnati club has turned Pitcher Bill Essick back to the Portland club.

The Cincinnati club is reported as negotiating with St. Louis for Pitcher Charles Brown.

President Dovey has scouts out on the trail for two good catchers. That's a scarce article.

Big Dan Brouthers thinks that the New York Giants have the best staff of pitchers in the country.

Burke, the outfielder that McGraw turned over to Boston, is making a very favorable impression.

Up to May 15 Christy Mathewson had won 155 victories in the National league and had met defeat 83 times.

It is stated that McGraw has given up his billiard room at Broadway and Forty-second street, New York city.

Brooklyn has released Pitcher McLane, formerly with Fordham, to Wilmington, the tail-ender of the Tri-State league.

Lobert is without doubt one of the greatest finds of the last two years, and reminds one very much of our old friend Herman Long.

Manager Hanlon, of Cincinnati, states most emphatically that he is not thinking of either trading Mike Mowrey or returning him to the Eastern league, whence he came.

Cantillon's Career as an Indicator Wielder

Two Stories About the Umpiring Days of the Washington Club's New Manager.

Manager Lajoie, of Cleveland, has a fund of stories about Joe Cantillon's career as an umpire. Here are a couple: "Philadelphia was playing Washington one day and Win Mercer was pitching for the Senators. We scored about eight runs in the first four innings, when Cantillon, who was umpiring, happened to give Washington the worst of a close decision at second base. As Cantillon came back to the pitcher's box Mercer protested the decision. 'I suppose, Joe, you gave it as you saw it, but to see the play properly you were in the wrong position.' 'Judging from the looks of the score board, Win, you have been in the wrong position ever since the game started,' retorted Joe. Another day Joe put Harry Davis out of the game and Davis at once slammed his glove to the bench and started to follow it. 'Come back here,' yelled Cantillon. 'Get your glove and go back to first base. You are too blamed willing to quit.'

"Joe during his last year as an umpire entertained a grudge against Lew Criger. We were playing at Boston one day, and with Joe umpiring. It was agreed that in case of a line drive going along the foul line the catcher then working should call whether it went foul or fair, inasmuch as the umpire when standing behind the pitcher could not have a good view. Well, the game went along to the seventh inning. Fultz led off with a single and Dick Cooley followed with a three-bagger along the right foul line. Fultz scored, and as Cooley pulled up at third Criger yelled, 'Foul.'

"Well, that settled it, we failed to score, and Boston won in the fourteenth inning. But that night the Boston right fielder and Nig Cuppy told Cantillon that the ball was hit a foot and a half fair. He never could forgive Criger, and I'll bet that Criger never drew anything but strikes when he was at bat and Cantillon was umpiring. One day Criger made an awful kick about a strike that Cantillon called on him, but all the satisfaction he received was this shot: 'It was a foul ball, was it?'

"'Won't you ever forget that?' asked Criger.

"'Not in 1,000 years,' replied Cantillon."

MINOR LEAGUE DOINGS

Capt. Whitmore has resigned as captain of the Wisconsin baseball team to play professional ball with the Madison State league team.

The Bloomington management is trying to strengthen and has secured a new outfielder by the name of Donavan. Donavan was formerly with Evansville and is said to be a good sticker.

Grover Lowdermilk, a young college man, six feet four inches tall, and a pitcher, has been signed by Manager Reed, of Decatur.

Roxy Walters is not a shining light as a manager. His team at Green Bay is at the bottom of the heap in the Wisconsin league.

The Waterbury club, of the Connecticut league, has released infielder Charles McEaroe and outfielder Curtiss.

Outfielder Jimmy Hart, of the Minneapolis club, has been signed as manager of the Sioux City (Western league) club.

The Cleveland club is reported as having secured to a contract the signature of Deschon, the star pitcher of Cornell college.

A WONDERFUL GAIN.

A Utah Pioneer Tells a Remarkable Story.

J. W. Browning, 1011 22d St., Ogden, Utah, a pioneer who crossed the plains in 1848, says: "Five years ago the doctors said I had diabetes. My kidneys were all out of order, I had to rise often at night, looked sallow, felt dull and listless and had lost 40 pounds. My back ached and I had spells of rheumatism and dizziness. Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me of these troubles and have kept me well for a year past. Though 75 years old, I am in good health."

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ALMOST FELT ENVY PANGS.

Great Cricketer's Simple Tribute to His Own Worth.

In 1885 there was a great celebration in London in honor of Dr. Samuel Johnson, and among those in attendance was the Australian "crack" cricketer, Bonner, then at the height of his fame.

As one of the guests, says the compiler of the recently published "Letters" of the late Dr. George Birkbeck Hill, Bonner's health was proposed. His response was noteworthy.

"After seeing the way in which Dr. Johnson's memory is revered," he said, with great simplicity, "I am not sure that I would not rather have been such a man than have gained my own greatest triumphs in cricket."—Youth's Companion.

SORES AS BIG AS PENNIES.

Whole Head and Neck Covered—Hair All Came Out—Cured in Three Weeks by Cuticura.

"After having the measles my whole head and neck were covered with scaly sores about as large as a penny. They were just as thick as they could be. My hair all came out. I let the trouble run along, taking the doctor's blood remedies and rubbing on salve, but it did not seem to get any better. It stayed that way for about six months; then I got a set of the Cuticura Remedies, and in about a week I noticed a big difference, and in three weeks it was well entirely and I have not had the trouble any more, and as this was seven years ago, I consider myself cured. Mrs. Henry Porter, Albion, Neb., Aug. 25, 1906."

HOW HE BROKE A RECORD.

Took Last Jump from Forgotten Rubber Home Plate.

Billy Powell, greatest hurdler the west has produced, was referring to his college days on the Berkeley track.

"There were five in the race. I drew the extreme outside lane, which gave me a bad finish stretch. But I got a peach of a start, swept the curve like a yacht on her beam ends and came down the straight taking the jumps in beautiful style. I felt I had a varsity record in me at that clip, and I threw all my power into the final strides. Springing for the ninth hurdle I fairly flew through the air, and, dashing to the finish, broke the tape, the world's record for the low hurdles, for the 220-dash, and for the running broad jump, the time being 21 flat, and my last jump over two hurdles at once, clearing 43 feet and some inches.

"Whew!" exclaimed Olle Snedigar, "why weren't the records ever allowed?"

"Well," continued Powell, "when they went to measure that leap, Col. Edwards started to shove his cane in, to indicate my foremost spike mark, and the stick jumped out of his hand. They scraped the short grass away and found a solid rubber home plate imbedded where the varsity battery used to practice."—San Francisco Chronicle.

CHILDREN SHOWED IT

Effect of Their Warm Drink in the Morning.

"A year ago I was a wreck from coffee drinking and was on the point of giving up my position in the school room because of nervousness.

"I was telling a friend about it and she said, 'We drink nothing at meal time but Postum Food Coffee, and it is such a comfort to have something we can enjoy drinking with the children.'

"I was astonished that she would allow the children to drink any kind of coffee, but she said Postum was the most healthful drink in the world for children as well as for older ones, and that the condition of both the children and adults showed that to be a fact.

"My first trial was a failure. The cook boiled it four or five minutes and it tasted so flat that I was in despair but determined to give it one more trial. This time we followed the directions and boiled it fifteen minutes after the boiling began. It was a decided success and I was completely won by its rich delicious flavour. In a short time I noticed a decided improvement in my condition and kept growing better and better month after month, until now I am perfectly healthy, and do my work in the school room with ease and pleasure. I would not return to the nerve-destroying regular coffee for any money."

"There's a Reason." Read the famous little "Health Classic," "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

A Sad Mistake.

In my father's native village lives Mr. S., a very deaf old man. During the summer months he lets his spare rooms to some of the many pleasure-seekers who frequent the place, says a Boston Herald writer, and one day last summer, while Mr. S. was in his garden, a young man of the village chanced by, and the following conversation took place:

"Good morning, Mr. S."

"Mewnin'."

"You've got your house full of boarders this summer."

Mr. S. was picking potato bugs off from his plants, but he managed to stop long enough to answer, "Yes."

"Some nice looking young ladies among them," continued the young man.

Mr. S. stood up and eyed the potatoes critically, then answered:

"Well, they'd ought to look purty good. I just picked two quarts of bugs off 'em."

Stolen Naps.

"How do you like that office boy I sent around?" asked the banker.

"Don't think much of him," replied the broker. "He isn't wide awake."

"But you told me the last office boy you engaged was too forward and you wanted one who was retiring."

"Yes, but this one is too retiring. Every time I slip out for a few hours I find that he retires on top of the big safe and snores until I return."

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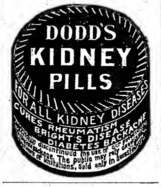

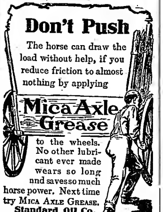

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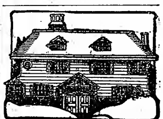

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On Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday next the thirteenth annual Tournament of the Northern Minnesota Firemen's Tournament Association will be on in full blast in this city, and that the firemen and crowds that accompany them will be right royally entertained is a dead sure conclusion.

Not in the territory embraced by the association is there another town so ideally situated for a tournament of this sort, and were it not for the fact that custom makes it necessary to pass this tournament around, Red Lake Falls would be the ideal spot for a permanent place for holding these annual gatherings. Situated as it is in the woods and among the hills, with beautiful streams of water flowing directly through the city, with numerous inviting shady spots ever at hand, with a people noted far and wide for their hospitality, with a program of exciting events calculated to please all, it is easy to expect that the people of the north country will not pass up this opportunity to have the time of their lives, and from all information at hand it is reasonable to expect one of the largest turnouts in the history of the association.

Crookston will send their running team, ball team and a large delegation of fun lovers. Warren is coming with a band, team, and a big bunch of citizens who are anxious to show us that they appreciated the big turn out Red Lake Falls gave them last year. Thief River Falls will come with a running team, and as they are the bidders for next year's tournament it is highly probable that they will send a big representation of citizens.

Bemidji and Hallock are also expected to send teams and big crowds of people, and there will surely be a jolly crowd of firemen. Aside from the teams there is St. Hilaire, Fertile, McIntosh, Fosston, Ada, Middle River, Greenbush and many other tributary points that will contribute to the crowd of sightseers, and unless all signs fail there will be people enough to keep things moving along in good shape.

And Red Lake Falls is anticipating a big crowd. The big grand stand at the race track is ready for occupancy, the grounds are in fine shape, the track and ball grounds have been given finishing touches, and while there are a lot of minor details to be looked after yet, Red Lake Falls is practically resting on its oars waiting for the tournament dates. Down town all is bustle getting in shape. Several lunch counters are being fixed up, the decorations have already been commenced and by Monday next week will also be all done, ready for the crowd of merry-makers. Several of the churches will serve meals during tournament week. The Presbyterian ladies will serve in the [illegible] building next to the post office, while St. Mary's society will serve in the Woodman hall. These societies are both known for their serving abilities and will no doubt both be well patronized. Aside from these there will be many eating houses and none will be let go hungry. The committee in charge has secured a large number of good rooms and an information bureau will be run for the accommodation of visitors.

There is not a detail but what has been looked after and all that is needed now is to touch the button and send the ball rolling on its merry way.

The official program for the four days is as follows:

TUESDAY, JUNE 18th.

8:00 to 10:30 a. m. Reception of visitors.

11:00. Address of welcome at the opera house, Mayor J. A. Duffy.

11:30. Address. Hon. Halvor Steenerson.

AFTERNOON

2:30. Base Ball. Crookston vs. Thief River Falls. Purse, $75.00.

5:25. Reception of Visitors.

8:00. Executive Committee Meeting.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 19th.

11:00. General Parade.

Fire company having greatest number of men in line (Red Lake Falls not competing) $25.

Fire company presenting best appearance (Red Lake Falls not competing) $25.

2:00. Association hose race. Prizes: 1st, Championship banner, value $75.00, and cash $50.00. Total $125.00. 2nd, $35.00. 3rd, $20.

Coupling contest. Prizes: 1st, $15.00. 2nd, $10.00. 3rd, $5.00.

100-yd dash for firemen only. Prizes: 1st, $15.00. 2nd, $10.00. 3rd, $5.00.

Tug of war.

THURSDAY, JUNE 20th.

9:00. Association Hook and Ladder race. 1st, $60.00, 2nd, $40.00. 3rd, $20.00.

Ladder Climbing Contest. Prizes: 1st, $15.00. 2nd, $10.00. 3rd, $5.00.

AFTERNOON

1:30. Combination Hook and Ladder and Hose Race, Prizes: 1st, $75.00. 2nd, $45.00. 3rd, $20.00.

3:00. Flag race. Prizes: 1st, $20.00. 2nd, $15.00.

4:30. Ball Game. Warren vs. Red Lake Falls, purse $100.

8:00. Grand Ball at Opera House, free to visiting firemen.

FRIDAY, JUNE 21st

9:00. Hub and Hub Race. Prizes; 1st, $60.00. 2nd, $30.00. 3rd, $20.00 Special Races.

AFTERNOON

1:00 Service Wet Test, down town. Prizes: 1st, cash $60.00 and silver trumpet valued at $25.00, total $85. 2nd, $30.00. 3rd, $20.00.

3:00. Ball Game. Hallock vs. Red Lake Falls, purse $100.00.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, July 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

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Large amount of money to loan on farms.—Simons & Co.

HUNT AN-EATING TIGERS.

Sportsmen Face Many Dangers In Shooting Ferocious Beast.

Men who shot the "big cats of the Indian jungle" all emphasize the difference between an "ordinary tiger" and a man eater." One varies from the other as much as a domestic pussy from a wildcat. The man-eater, when it catches sight of a hunter is at once all aflame with the passion to devour him. It has tasted human flesh and knows its sweetness.

When the Britisher in India goes tiger hunting, therefore, he looks first of all to his own safety. Having learned that a tiger rarely looks upward, he seeks a position at some distance from the ground, as, for instance the howdah of an elephant, or a machan or leaf-covered box in a tree.

The tiger usually keeps its eyes on the ground because it finds its prey there and its enemies also. The natural inhabitants of the trees, the birds and the monkeys, it holds in contempt. But on the ground, besides the sweet-fleshed man, lives the water buffalo, its most formidable foe. In combat the buffalo most times kills the tiger.

The peculiar sagacity of the elephant is of great assistance to the man who hunts tigers from the howdah. At the approach of the big cat the pachyderm trumpets an alarm, and if properly trained it will snatch its master with its trunk, should he be on the ground, and lift him into the howdah on its back. It then seeks the shadow of some tree and stands perfectly still, as if knowing that this way it will steady the hunter's aim.

When one shoots tigers from the machan or tree ambush he usually picks a place where the beast is wont to retreat when alarmed. With a companion he hides himself in his nest. In his hand he holds a magazine rifle loaded and cocked, while in his belt he carries a half dozen pistols for instant use should the gun fail him. Then he sends out a score or more of natives as beaters to drive the beast toward him. Encircling the region, the beaters begin to rap on the trees and to shout, and these noises, because of their strangeness, frighten the animal.

To the Legal Voters of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota:—

Notice is Hereby Given, That a petition is on file in my office, signed by legal voters of said County to the number of Two Thousand three hundred forty two praying that the County seat of said County of Red Lake be changed to the city of Thief River Falls in said County, and that a special meeting of the County Board will be held at the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minnesota, on Monday, the 1st day of July, A. D. 1907, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, to consider said petition, at which time and place any legal voter of said County may appear, in person or by counsel, and be heard.

Dated June 11th, A. D. 1907.

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County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

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PINEAPPLES.

The Juice of This Fruit Is a Great Aid to Digestion.

The word enzyme does not appear to have any connection with pineapple, yet it is the name of the chemical that gives to the luscious fruit the remarkably digestible property which it possesses. The prevailing notion that pineapple juice is excellent for the digestion is supported by medical testimony. Eat a slice of the fruit after dinner, say the doctors, and you will not suffer from dyspepsia.

If you want to see what pineapple can accomplish in the way of digestion, you can easily test it on a piece of raw steak. The action of pineapple juice on meat is to transform it into jelly and then dissolve it when in the human stomach.

Place a slice of the fruit on the raw meat as it lies on a plate, and the upper surface of the steak where the fruit touches it will soon become gelatinous. Enzyme, the active principle of the juice, can be obtained by throwing salt into the juice, thus producing a precipitate.

A good sized pineapple contains two pints of juice, a fact that gives an idea of what a slice of the fruit will do for digestion. If cooked, the pineapple loses its virtue in this respect. It may be asked whether the consumption of the somewhat woody fruit itself is beneficial or not, for that can scarcely be easily digestible.

Without doubt it is the juice which does the good, not the flesh of the pineapple, but the property of the juice is so effective that the eating of the fruit itself can do no harm and may even be beneficial, inasmuch as it takes some of the strength of the juice to dissolve it and so prevents the stomach suffering from the too violent effects of the juice.

Fighting the Current.

Papua has swift streams well stocked with fish. An explorer tells of Papuan fresh water mullet which sometimes weigh as much as fifteen pounds. "These fish are wonderfully provided by nature with an appliance which helps them to combat the extraordinary currents. At one moment you will see them being swept down resistlessly, but suddenly they shoot off into the quieter water and attach themselves to the rocks by a strong sucker near the mouth. There they hang just outside the current, their tails moving gently with it, and when they have recovered their strength they make another dash through the swifter waters."

Observance of the Sabbath.

There was the minister of Tweedsmuir who on a certain Sabbath found a salmon stranded in shallow water and who, being unable conscientiously to take it out on such a day, built a hedge of stones around it and, returning on the morrow, claimed his prize. There was the old farmer who could not go to the kirk because he had neglected to shave on the Saturday night, and he would not profane the day by the use of any edged tool.—Macmillan's Magazine.

A True Fish Story.

Here is a fish story told by a British nobleman: An Irishman had caught a big pike. Noting a lump in its stomach, he cut it open. "As I cut it open there was a mighty rush and a flapping of wings, and away flew a wild duck, and when I looked inside there was a nest, with four eggs, and she had been after sitting on that nest."

Shocking Precocity.

"What is the result," asked the teacher of the primary class in arithmetic, "when you put two and two together?"

"A kith," lisped the curly headed little girl in the front row.—Chicago Tribune.

There are many diversities of vice, but it is one never failing effect of it to live displeased and discontented.—Seneca.

THE GOLDFINCH.

Changes In Plumage That Are Puzzling to the Novice.

Most every one in America is acquainted with the goldfinch, but many people know the bird by the name of lettuce bird on account of its bright yellow color. Goldfinch is a very appropriate name, as the bright yellow of the male when in breeding plumage is like burnished gold. The female goldfinch is more modestly dressed than her mate. The changes in plumage of the male are very interesting and to the novice somewhat puzzling. Until the student becomes acquainted with the bird he may wonder why he sees no males during the winter. The truth is at this season the flocks of supposed female goldfinches are really of both sexes, the male bird having assumed in the previous fall, usually by the end of October, a plumage closely resembling that of the female and young bird of the year. The male retains this inconspicuous dress until late in February, when one can notice a gradual change taking place in some of the birds. This renewal of feathers is actively continued through March and April, and by the first of May our resplendent bird is with us again. The song period with the male goldfinch continues as long as he wears his gold and black livery, for it commences as early as the middle of March and ends late in August. Goldfinches are very cleanly in their habits and bathe frequently. Their nests are exquisite pieces of bird architecture, the inside being lined with the softest plant down. The mother bird is the builder, her handsome consort during the nest building time devoting most of his efforts to singing to cheer his industrious mate.—Philadelphia Press.

THE SOLAR SYSTEM.

Some Facts Which Give an Idea of Its Immensity.

In all the heavens, with the exception of passing meteors or meteorites, not one body occupies a position closer to earth than the moon, which is some 240,000 miles away—very far, of course, side by side with any earthly distances, but a mere fraction side by side with other astronomical distances. Next to the moon our nearest occasional neighbor is Venus, and then Mars. Both Venus and Mars, however, are often farther away from us than the sun, which remains always at somewhere about the same distance, roughly at from 90,000,000 to 93,000,000 miles.

This dividing space between sun and earth is of great importance in thinking about the stars, and it should be clearly impressed upon the mind. Next to the sun in point of nearness come the more distant planets—Jupiter, which is about five times as far from the sun as our earth is; Saturn, nearly twice as far as Jupiter; Uranus, nearly twice as far as Saturn, and Neptune, nearly three times as far as Saturn. All these planets belong to our sun, all are members of his family, all are part of the solar system. The size of the solar system as a whole, consisting thus of the sun and his planets, including our earth, may be fairly well grasped by any one taking the trouble to master two simple facts. They are these, that our earth is roughly about 92,000,000 miles away from the sun and that Neptune, the outermost planet of the solar system, is nearly thirty times as far distant from the sun as our earth is.—Chambers' Journal.

AN ODD BIRD.

The Kiwi of New Zealand Has Some Remarkable Peculiarities.

That queer bird, the kiwi, is a native of New Zealand. Its remarkable peculiarities are, first, the apparent absence of wings, as the plumage so covers the small, rudimentary, sticklike appendage of a wing that none whatever is apparent. The situation of the nostrils at the bill's extremity is a second peculiar feature. While hunting for earthworms it probes the soft ground, making a continual snuffing sound. Thus the scent is evidently of great help in finding food and the reason for the position of the nostrils quite apparent.

A third peculiarity is the very disproportionate size of the egg in comparison to the bird, it being a little less than one-fourth the bird's own weight. One kiwi's egg found weighed fourteen and one-half ounces, while the bird weighed just under four pounds (sixty-four ounces) and was about the size of an ordinary hen.

The plumage of the kiwi is a dull brown streaked with light gray, and the body resembles a miniature bay shock, rather badly hacked off at the rear part, as nature has not provided the kiwi with such decoration as a tail. The absence of wings is compensated for by its swiftness of foot, and the large, clumsy looking legs, which are sometimes used as weapons, are placed far back on the oddly shaped body.—St. Nicholas.

That Was All.

A young girl who is always trying some new thing was present once when the doctor set a neighbor's broken arm. She was sure that she knew exactly how it was done and rather anxious to put her new knowledge into practice. Some time later a hen out in the chicken yard broke its leg. The girl directly announced that she meant to set it "and make it as good as new." Accordingly it was put into a plaster cast and left for the proper length of time to knit. When the day came to take off the cast the girl ran out to the henhouse in great eagerness to see the result. Presently there was a scream that brought every member of the family to her side. The chicken was jumping miserably over the ground sidewise instead of directly forward. You know a hen's leg has a crook. Well, she had crooked it the wrong way, that was all.

Aliens In Old London.

Here is a curious report of the aliens in London in the year 1567: "There being a great increase of foreigners in the city, her majesty ordered the lord mayor to take the name, quality and profession of all strangers residing within the city of London." The list was headed by the item, "Scots, 40." Other nations were represented by "French, 428; Spaniards and Portuguese, 45; Italians, 140; Dutch, 2,030; Burgundians, 44; Danes, 2; Liegeois, 1."

Shark's Tail For Luck.

Attached to the extreme end of the bowsprit of a sailing vessel there may sometimes be seen a piece of some material that looks remarkably like leather. This seeming piece of leather is really a shark's tail. It is placed there because the sailors think that it augurs good luck, believing that pleasant voyages will be their lot while it remains there. Instead of the bowsprit the tail is at times nailed to the top of one of the masts.—London King.

Different.

"Why don't you elope with her?"

"But, good gracious, man, if you are perfectly willing for me to marry your daughter I cannot see any object to be attained by our eloping."

"Can't you? How will it be if I offer you half of what I save on the wedding?"—Houston Post.

The Main Point.

"What do you think? That boss politician says he has divorced himself from politics."

"Then I'll bet he secured alimony."—Baltimore American.

Common sense in an uncommon degree is what the world calls wisdom.—Coleridge.

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Gigantic Closing Out

AUCTION

- SALE -

Has been in full blast every day at Julius Pleth's Clothing Store, (Berthon & Armstrong.) The house has been jammed full of people from one end to the other, loads of goods going out every day. It was a carnival—a carnival of real clothing, such as Red Lake Falls never saw before. We expect them to be standing on the outside with the inside full in the next few days. Every dollars worth will be sold for just what it will bring . . . . . .

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Commencement Exercises of St. Joseph's School to be Held on the 27th Inst

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Josephine Constant.

At the Metropolitan opera house next Thursday night will occur the annual commencement exercises of St. Joseph's parochial school of this city, at which time fifteen young people will finish their labors at this institution of learning in a program that will be extremely interesting.

In the morning of that day a matinee will be given at 10 o'clock for children only, and at the evening exercises at 8 o'clock no children will be admitted unless accompanied by their parents. No admission fee will be charged at either entertainment.

St. Joseph's school has been very successful since its foundation four years ago and during that time has graduated several large classes. The success of the school can be attributed in a large measure to the Rev. Father Fayolle who has labored earnestly in behalf of the institution. The father has been very insistent upon securing the best teachers that can be obtained and the work done speaks for itself.

The program for commencement night will be as follows:

"[illegible] Summer"........................Geibel
Seventh and Eight Grade Girls
"At F[illegible] [illegible]lt"................................Owen
R[illegible] Lemieux, Emma Hance
"The W[illegible] Package"......................Griffith
Characters: Miss Boggs, school principal, Monica Zeh; Margaret Evans and Jessie Brooks pupils, Agnes Crompe and Lea Latendresse; Jennie, the maid, Clara Bourdon.
"The Young Marshal"...................... Renard
Evy Toupin.
"A Little Rag Doll"..................Harcourt
Philla Paul, Emma Hance, Rosalba Lemieux
(a) "When the Lights are Low"....Engelmann
(b) "Coquettrie".............. ....Manney
Cora Paul
The Professoral Home.......... ....Bliss
Characters: The Professor, Monica Zeh; Tax Collector, Lea Latendresse; Prima Dona, Louise Paradis; Domestic (Annie) Alma Guillemette
"Little Willie's Hearing"..............................
Maurice Brunelle
"Leaflets in the Wind"....................Bohm
Eva Paradis
"Wand Exercises". ....
The Class Girls
March from "Tannhauser".......Wagner Beyer
Eva Paradis, Cora Paul
Valedictory (French)..................................
Louise Paradis
Address and Presentation of Diplomas.........
Very Rev. Father Fayolle
"Le Te Deum des Oiseaux,.......... ....Meuge
Class
Accompanists: Eva Paradis, Cora Paul

Tommy Johnstone on Deck.

Tommy Johnstone of Crookston is here, of course. If there was a firemen's tournament within four hundred miles and the genial Tom heard of it it is a dead cinch he would be at the scene of action. There is no more enthusiastic fireman in Minnesota than this same Johnstone, and a tourney wouldn't seem right unless he was present. He is officiating as timekeeper and judge at the races, and knows the individual members of the different teams so well that he can almost tell the time of the race before the runners reach the line. Tom is there with the goods wherever you put him and will always be given the glad hand when he visits Red Lake Falls.

No Hardships.

Adrian Democrat: On account of the two-cent rate, it is said, the railroads are now planning on reducing the speed of their trains, as it is a settled fact that a slow train can be operated much cheaper than a fast one. Well, the travelling public will not be disposed to kick. A slow train on time is better than a fast one two hours late. All the difference will be we will spend a little more time on the road rather than waste our time waiting around stations.

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GOT A HORSE THIEF

Sheriffs From McLain and McHenry Counties Make Important Capture.

Late last night in this city Sheriff John A. Beck, of Washburn, McLain county, North Dakota, and Sheriff Javnagr, of McHenry county, nabbed a badly wanted member of a gang of horse thieves that has been operating in their state for several months past, and the fellow is now lodged in the county jail here awaiting a trip back to North Dakota to answer to this serious charge.

The fellow goes by the name of George E. Gray, and he had been in town since early yesterday morning. He came down from Thief River Falls in an automobile and was doing a rushing business hauling people to and fro from the grounds and about the city. It appears that he rented the automobile at Thief River and had no idea that he was being tracked.

The North Dakota sheriffs had been on his trail for several months and got track of him early this week and when they arrived here last evening his capture was an easy matter. Grey is a member of a very bad gang of crooks that has been carrying on high-handed robbery in that part of North Dakota for a year past, and the officers out there hope to round them all up before very long.

Mermaids In History.

Nearly all nations have folk-lore and fairy-tale accounts of mermaids, and some times of mermen. Even the American Indians had their "woman-fish" and "man-fish." The Chinese tell stories about their sea-women of the Southern seas. Sometimes mermaids and mermen are represented as leaving the water and living with human beings, but more frequently they are pictured as being so attractive that they sometimes will lure human beings to destruction in the depths of the sea. These myths have been utilized by many poets, and have even been used for stories "with a moral."

THIRTEENTH TOURNEY ON IN RED LAKE FALLS

Minnesota Historical Society

Ideal Weather and Big Crowds Help Make This one of the Biggest Affairs in the History of the Association---Warren Wins the Banner.

The thirteenth annual tournament of the Northern Minnesota Firemen's association is on in earnest and thanks to the graces of the weather man who gladly joined Jupiter Pluvius in giving Red Lake Falls the best of weather for the four days celebration, the meet is proving one of the best in the history of the association.

The tournament opened in earnest Tuesday morning, although the crowd began coming Monday afternoon and up to the time of going to press there is every evidence that the big crowds are thoroughly enjoying themselves.

The fun started at train time Tuesday when the Red Lake Falls band and firemen marched to the Great Northern train to meet the first contingent of visitors. The crowd on the early train was not large, but Crookston and Thief River Falls were fairly well represented from the fact that their ball teams were to meet that afternoon. At eleven thirty the crowd was led to the Metropolitan opera house where for an hour they listened to music and speaking. Hon. Halvor Steenerson, congressman of the ninth congressional district, was introduced by Mayor Duffy in a few well chosen remarks, and spoke very entertainingly for a half hour. Congressman Steenerson has a happy faculty of always pleasing his audience and he was given a rousing reception. The congressman was followed by Thomas Johnstone of Crookston, treasurer of the association, and one of the most enthusiastic firemen in the state. Tommy is always at his best when it comes to talking at a fireman's tournament and he pleased the hearers immensely with his apt remarks. Mr. Johnstone has attended every tournament ever held in the valley and is having the time of his life in Red Lake Falls at this meeting.

After dinner the band led the crowd to the ball grounds, where the game between Crookston and Thief River Falls was the attraction of the afternoon. Crookston was strengthened by three Red Lake Falls players, Harry Healy, Verne Healy and Norman Schreiter while Thief River River had six Mahnomen Indians helping them. Brown, the Crookston twirler, pitched the whole game and held the Thief River team down very nicely. Lofkins, who essays to twirl for the up-river boys on specific occasions, was in the box for Thief River and before he was convinced of his failure as a pitcher five Crookstonites had circled the bases. The Mahnomen pitcher was then put in, and after that only one Crook got to home base. The Thief River team got three runs during the game, the final score being 6 to 3 in favor of Crookston. Lizce, the Argyle southpaw, umpired the contest and gave excellent satisfaction.

After the ball game the band and crowd marched to the evening Great Northern train to meet the Warren and Thief River Falls delegations, and the crowd that poured off the train showed that the people of the Red River valley were anxious to see Red Lake Falls. After the Warren boys had been assigned to quarters the rest of the time until supper was spent in friendly greetings and sight seeing by the visitors. After supper the Red Lake Falls Concert band gave a concert of an hour on Main street and the Mahara minstrel show was the attraction of the evening. The minstrels are better this year than ever, and the big crowd that attended the Tuesday evening performance was very well satisfied. A social dance was held after the show, the minstrel orchestra furnishing the music.

Wednesday morning at eight thirty a special train from Greenbush was met, and on it were nearly a thousand people from Thief River Falls and the towns on the north line. They were escorted up town by the Warren and Red Lake Falls bands and soon mingled with the crowds until parade time. The parade feature at eleven o'clock was a "daisy" in bowery parlance and presented a very striking appearance. The fire engine led and in the parade were nearly three hundred firemen and band men. The formation of the parade was follows: Red Lake Falls fire engine and company; Warren band, executive committee, Warren fire department, Crookston fire department, Red Lake Falls band, Thief River Falls fire department, Hallock fire department, Bemidji delegates, St. Hilaire delegates, Mahara's minstrel band, Red Lake Falls fire department. The line of march was up Second street to Champagne avenue, north to first street, east to main, down main to River street, up again to sixth street west to Champagne avenue, north to Third street east to main and back to the city hall. The parade line was crowded with people and the cheers for their favorites were numerous and prolonged. The judges were stationed on the Grand View hotel porch and the parade prizes were awarded as follows. For the largest number of men in line (Red Lake Falls barred) Thief River Falls first with thirty-six; for the team presenting the best appearance, Warren first. After the parade a grand "wind-up" of the men in line was made and the applause was very pronounced.

After dinner the first races were held at the race grounds west of town, and the big grand stand was full of people anxious to see the opening contests.

Warren Wins the Championship Banner.

The first race was the association hose race for the championship banner and prizes. Thief River Falls run first and made a good run and coupling, their time being 23-2-5. Crookston run next and made it in 25-3-5. Warren came next and made it in 23 flat. Red Lake Falls run last and in some way the hose got loose and their trial was a fluke giving first place and the banner to Warren, second place to Thief River Falls and third place to Crookston.

The coupling contest was won by Lesarge, Thief River Falls, in 4 2-5; Cahill, Thief River Falls, second, 4 3-5; Harris, Crookston, third, 5 flat.

The hundred yard dash for firemen was captured by Staska, of Warren. There were four entries and the race was a pretty one from the start. Staska was behind until near the end when by a brilliant spurt he passed the rest and won the race. Cahill of Thief River Falls got second and Brady, Red Lake Falls, third.

Last evening the Warren band entertained the people with an excellent outdoor concert, after which a big part of the crowd went to the Mahara minstrel show and enjoyed themselves in various ways.

On account of the fact that the greater part of the working force of this paper is connected with band, running team, etc., the paper goes to press Wednesday night and will not give a detailed report of the Thursday and Friday races until next week.

However, the crowd is large and everyone is enjoying themselves to the limit. With the weather for Thursday and Friday as good as it was Tuesday and Wednesday the thirteenth annual tournament will go down in history as one of the greatest successes in the history of the association.

Notes of the Tourney.

Happy is here, too!

Thief River contributed a very large delegation of fun-lovers, and they were all well entertained. But Thief River will be the scene of the 1908 tourney and Red Lake Falls expects to reciprocate—and then some.

Editor J.E. Bouvette, of the Hallock Enterprise, is here with the Hallock boys and as usual is having a good time. Bro. Brouvette has taken in all of the tournaments held by the present association and has come to be a necessary fixture to tournament success.

Bandmaster George Johnson with his fine bunch of band boys, are here from Warren and have contributed in a large measure to the success of the musical part of the program. The Warren band has made a good rep. for itself during the past few years, and the popular George makes new friends for his bunch every day. Warren has reason to be proud of her band fully as much as they have to adore their fire team.

The Warren delegation did a good stunt at jollification in front of the grand stand when they won the banner race yesterday, and for fifteen minutes their band, firemen and citizens executed a "war dance" in the track in front of the grand stand. Their joy at winning the pretty banner knew no bounds, and they were certainly a happy lot. Well, they were a fine lot of boys and the people of Red Lake Falls know of none they would sooner see the banner go to.

The Bemidji running team is not with us this year, greatly to the regret of the other members of the association. Their department is represented by four jolly boys, however, in the persons of Ray Dennis, C. S. Dailey, Gus Gustafson and John Goodman and they are contributing their share of the merry-making. The rest of the "Big Bemidj" bunch are greatly missed this year and all of the firemen hope to see them in the game in 1908.

Word was received here Tuesday that a gang of counterfeiters were operating in this neighborhood and word was quickly passed around to watch for bogus bills. Several bills of small denominations were found that looked bad, and late last night a suspicious character was arrested and lodged in jail to await investigation. The officers are close on the track of these fellows and it is more than likely that the crooked work will be nipped in the bud very shortly.

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

THE HAYWOOD TRIAL.

The Haywood defense carried the cross-examination of Orchard down to the Steunenberg murder. The witness told of a plot to kidnap the children of a rich miner for ransom and said it was suggested by David Coates, former lieutenant governor of Colorado.

Harry Orchard, on the stand for his sixth day in the Haywood trial, firmly withstood all the attempts of the defense to discredit his story. He denied that the Federation leaders left him without money. He told of a plot to blow up 150 non-union men in Globeville which was stopped by Haywood.

Into the further cross-examination of Harry Orchard counsel for William D. Haywood repeatedly threw the suggestion of a great counter conspiracy, formulated and carried out by the enemies of the Western Federation of Miners, and indicated a determination to construct their main line of defense on that field. Orchard was firm in his denial of this theory.

Counsel for William D. Haywood continued their attack on the testimony of Harry Orchard and centered their strongest assault on the events beginning with the explosion in the Vindicator mine and ending with the earlier meetings between the witness and the leaders of the Federation of Miners in Denver. Orchard stood the test and strain very well and held tenaciously to the story he had related.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The army of Salvador defeated the forces of rebels and Nicaraguans that had captured Acajutla and made prisoner John Moissant, a wealthy American who organized the expedition.

President Roosevelt and his family arrived at their summer home at Sagamore Hill, being warmly welcomed by the people of Oyster Bay.

Because a nonunion band had been engaged to take part all the, union bands engaged at the Ohio Grand Army encampment at Canton withdrew just as the parade started.

Chinese insurgents attacked the village of Yungchun, in the prefecture of Weichow, where they burned the [illegible] yamen.

Sarah L. E. Read was awarded $10,750 for the loss of her husband, who was killed by a New York Central & Hudson River railroad train in New York.

An unknown man was fatally burned, Mrs. Annie Roundtree suffered a broken leg and serious burns and several others were less seriously injured as the result of a midnight fire in a Detroit lodging house.

August Gottwald, the biggest Elk in America, died at his home in Defiance, O., of pneumonia. Gottwald was 40 years old and weighed 450 pounds.

Gov. Folk of Missouri commuted the sentence of David Long, who was to have been hanged at Caruthersville on June 15, to life imprisonment in the penitentiary. Long was convicted of having killed John Still, a neighbor.

Physicians in attendance on Gov. John S. Little of Arkansas said there was no hope of his recovery.

Carrie Nation, after haranguing a crowd in front of a Washington saloon, was arrested on the charge of disorderly conduct. She was released on $20 collateral.

Mayor David S. Griffiths, of Springfield, Ill., drowned while endeavoring to ford on horseback a stream of water ten miles southeast of the city.

Walter Volz, a Swiss explorer, was captured and burned to death by natives of Liberia.

A severe wind and electrical storm passed over southern Indiana, doing much damage.

Ex-Chief Claremore, head of the Claremore band of Osage Indians, died suddenly. He had a wide acquaintance among the Indians, as well as the whites throughout southern Kansas and Oklahoma.

Frank T. Elson, a lodging house keeper in Los Angeles, Cal., shot his wife and instantly killed her and then blew his head off. They came from Oskaloosa, Ia.

William Hart Hen[illegible]nover, 86 years old, formerly mayor of Canton, Ill., and twice judge of the city court, died.

Because his mother had spanked him, Calif McCoy, aged 11 years, shot and instantly killed her at their farm, nine miles north of Bassett, Neb.

Judge Chamberlin at Concord, N. H., announced he would appoint a master to take testimony to determine whether Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy is competent to manage her own affairs.

All the saloons in Leavenworth, Kan., were closed by the authorities.

Prof. J. H. Freeman resigned as superintendent for the blind at Jacksonville, Ill.

Taking of testimony closed in the trial of Mayor Schmitz, of San Francisco, after Abe Ruef swore he gave the mayor half the money paid him by the French restaurant keepers.

Four hundred members of the American Association of Nurserymen convened at Detroit, President Orlando Harrison presiding.

New Orleans business men and wealthy Italians combined to put a stop to "Black Hand" outrages in that city.

Los Angeles Japanese, who threatened to bring mandamus proceedings against the county clerk to get the right to vote, have abandoned the attempt to become citizens.

The Japanese government has unearthed an alleged immigration graft by which 3,000 laborers were imported to work on the Grand Trunk railroad at $1.25 a day and were paid only $1.10 by the emigration company.

Robert Jolly, aged 45 years, living at 1011 North Senate avenue, Indianapolis, killed his daughter Gladys, aged nine years, by forcing carbolic acid down her throat.

Word has been received from Tientsin, China, that Chinese Boxers in America fitted out an armed expedition and are on the way to the orient in a special steamer.

Jewels valued at $10,000 were reported stolen from the yacht Adroit, owned by Russell Hopkins, a banker of Atlanta, Ga., in New York harbor.

Fire destroyed two business houses, two dwellings and an apartment house at Girard, O. The loss is estimated at $100,000.

Thomas Baldwin, slayer of four persons and awaiting trial for murder in Bloomington, Ill., was found dead in his cell.

Enforcement of the Missouri law imposing a 25 cent tax on each transaction in grain futures was enjoined by United States District Judge McPherson.

Six midshipmen and five seamen from the battleship Minnesota are believed to have been drowned in Hampton Roads, the launch in which they were returning to the vessel having been run down by a steamer.

United States Senator John Tyler Morgan of Alabama, for 30 years a member of the upper house of congress, chairman of the senate committee on the interoceanic canals, and prominent as a brigadier general in the confederate army, died at his home in Washington of angina pectoris.

The second of a series of June cyclones predicted for Southern Illinois swept over Duquoin and the surrounding country doing great damage. It was believed a man and child were killed.

The large electric swing at Electric park, a new amusement resort in Kansas City, fell to the ground with a crash, injuring eight persons, one seriously.

A steamer whose identity has not been conclusively established, went ashore in the Strait of Bertheaume, France. The boiler blew up and it is feared that all hands were lost.

While King Edward and Queen Alexandra were in attendance at a gala performance of the opera, with the king and queen of Denmark as their guests, Maj. Gen. Sir Arthur E. A. Ellis, extra equerry to the king, died suddenly.

Two women were killed and three other persons were seriously hurt in Indianapolis when a traction car struck and wrecked the automobile of J. F. Himes.

Faustino Ablen, head chief of the Pulajanes on the Island of Leyte, was wounded and captured by Lieut. Jones with a detachment of eight infantrymen and Philippine scouts. Under Chiefs Uldarice, Rota and Lucia were also captured.

Nicaragua has begun war on Salvador, Gen. Rivas, assisted by revolutionists, having bombarded and captured the Salvadorean port of Acajutla.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Baumgartner were found dead in Cincinnati after they had quarreled over an inheritance of $4,500. It is not known which fired the fatal shots.

The government prepared to file a petition against the anthracite coal roads accusing them of conspiring to kill competition.

The supreme court of Mississippi affirmed the sentence of Mrs. Angie Birdsong, slayer of Dr. Thomas Butler.

The Paris Matin publishes a dispatch from Rome saying that two wealthy American Catholics recently informed the pope that Catholicism would make great strides in America if Archbishop Ireland were made a cardinal, and that they would at once donate $1,000,000 to the church. The pope, according to the correspondent, was most indignant at the suggestion of such a bargain.

Acting Secretary of War Oliver has warned the governors of states that the militia must be reorganized to conform to the organization of the regular army by January 1, 1908.

The green bug is ruining the oats crop in parts of Ohio.

Thomas Heffner, of Sheepshead Bay, was killed in Brooklyn when his automobile collided with a carriage. James Sweeney, a hotel keeper of Saratoga, N. Y., was fatally injured and nine other persons were hurt.

President Roosevelt went to the Jamestown exposition to deliver addresses at the dedication of the Georgia building and before the National Editorial association.

Entangled in the ropes of his parachute John Puepura, an aeronaut of Utica, N. Y., met death by drowning in the Minnesota river near Granite Falls, Minn.

Illinois railroad representatives in session in Chicago to consider recent two-cent fare legislation voted to withdraw all special rates heretofore offered to convention delegates, clergymen, agents of charitable institutions, and attendants at merchants' conventions.

Justice Brewer, of the supreme court of the United States, denied an application for a writ of habeas corpus in the contempt case of H. H. Tucker, Jr., former secretary of the Uncle Sam Oil company of Kansas, on the ground that the case should have gone to the court of appeals on a writ of error.

Gustave A. Gerard, who was formerly employed in the cashier's department of the firm of G. M. Minzesheimer & Co., of 30 Broad street, New York, was arrested on a bench warrant charging him with grand larceny. It is alleged that Gerard stole $8,000 worth of bonds belonging to the firm.

The Catholic Church of the Sacred Heart at Ottawa, Ont., was destroyed by fire. The church cost about $200,000.

Count Boni de Castellane's appeal from the verdict of divorce obtained by the countess, formerly Anna Gould, of New York, has been granted by the French courts and the case will go before a higher tribunal.

Acting on instructions from Washington, United States District Attorney Thompson, at Philadelphia, will move against the so-called umbrella trust.

Clifford Kirkpatrick committed suicide in Detroit because Mrs. David Walters, whom he loved, was killed by her husband.

Thousands of dollars are being raised by the Japanese of the Pacific coast to carry out the compact they have entered into with the progressive party of Japan for the overthrow of the Saionji ministry, the annulment of the exclusion clause in the immigration bill, and the guarantee of the naturalization rights of the Japanese subjects residing in this country.

In a motor car accident at Edge Hill, near Banbury, England, a Mr. Johnston of California was killed and a Mr. Blake of Philadelphia was mortally injured. Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Blake, who were of the party, sustained grave injuries.

Georgia day at the Jamestown exposition was made notable by the second visit of President Roosevelt, who delivered two addresses.

Mayors and councils of many French towns resigned and announced a civil strike to aid the cause of the wine growers.

A stray torpedo struck and badly damaged the German coasting steamer August while she was passing the practice range at Kiel, Germany.

Six thousand dollars was demanded as ransom for eight-year-old Walter Lamana, son of a well-to-do Italian undertaker of New Orleans, who was kidnaped.

Nearly 20 persons were injured in the wreck of a Texas Pacific passenger train near Edgewood, Tex.

Six Slav miners were frightfully burned, three perhaps fatally, as the result of an explosion that took place in a boarding house at Grenwich mine No. 2 near Barnesboro, Pa.

Frank Hagerman, of Kansas City, representing 18 railroads, served notice on Herbert S. Hadley, attorney general of Missouri, that he will ask the federal court to enjoin the enforcement of the two-cent fare law.

A premature explosion of dynamite took place at Pedro Miguel, on the line of the Panama canal, and resulted in the instant death of seven men and the wounding of several others.

Rocco Laquino, 12 years old, was killed in Buffalo by an elephant he tormented in a street parade of a circus.

Frank Cook, the oldest jeweler in Wisconsin, is dead from injuries received in an automobile accident.

Application was made for receivers for Milliken Bros. of New York, large steel manufacturers and contractors, and a petition in bankruptcy was filed by the firm's creditors.

The grave of Michael Pasha, Turkish admiral, who died last January, has been desecrated by thieves, who stole the body. They expected to find jewels in the tomb.

Investigation of the International Harvester company, a corporation with business interests estimated in the aggregate at $100,000,000, will engage the attention of the federal grand jury in Chicago.

The famous Princess Anne hotel at Virginia Beach, Va., built 25 years ago and one of the handsomest summer resort hotels along the middle Atlantic seaboard, was destroyed by fire and one guest was believed to have perished.

Viscount Tani, leader of the opposition in the Japanese house of peers, demanded war with America if diplomacy fails to secure reparation for the San Francisco attacks. The Japanese of the Pacific coast and the progressives, a political party of Japan, have entered into an alliance with the overthrow of the present ministry in Japan and the annulment of the clause in the immigration bill excluding Japanese coolie labor from continental United States as the ultimate objects.

The government is about to sue prominent persons in the Indian Territory for alleged fraud in the acquiring of land from the Creek nation.

Herman Koch, his wife and baby six months old, were drowned in Beaver Dam lake, Wisconsin, and Minnie Haag and Delphia Koerring, each about 16 years old, were drowned at Belvidere, Ill.

Judge F. K. Dunn, of Charleston, Ill., the Republican nominee, was elected to the Illinois supreme court from the Third judicial district, to succeed the late Judge Jacob W. Wilkin, of Danville.

DARK KIDNAPING PLOT

ORCHARD TELLS OF SCHEME TO STEAL CHILDREN.

LAYS IT TO DAVID COATES

Explains the Poverty That Drove Him to Mean Crimes—Cross-Examination Reaches Steunenberg Murder.

Boise, Idaho.—The defense Wednesday carried the cross-examination of Harry Orchard down to the actual crime charged against William D Haywood—the murder of Frank Steunenberg—and as it progressed assailed the testimony and the theory of the state resting upon it.

The Steunenberg crime was reached at midday, and counsel for the defense directed their efforts to an attempt to cloud the earlier purposes and movements of Orchard with uncertainty and indefiniteness. Then they emphasized the abandonment of all effort to kill after Orchard first tracked Steunenberg to a hotel in Boise and, with a skeleton key had gained entrance to the very room in which the governor was living. Here they delayed for a moment to prove that Orchard twice wrote and once telephoned to Bill Easterly at Silver City to urge him to come and join in the crime, and the direct implication was that Orchard was endeavoring to inveigle another federation man into the crime which would bring discredit and dishonor to the organization.

Then the Steunenberg crime was temporarily thrust into the background and the witness carried over his long journey into north Idaho, and his crimes there, including the dark plot to kidnap and hold for ransom the Paulson children, were forcefully emphasized. Orchard swore that David Coates, former lieutenant governor of Colorado, and then a publisher in Wallace, Idaho, first suggested the kidnaping to Pettibone and himself at Denver.

Then the defense showed the witness in the commission of a series of mean crimes and reduced to poverty, in which he had to resort to a pawnshop, borrowing and theft to live for a long period.

The defense wanted to know why, if he were in Idaho on a mission of murder for Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone, and with unlimited credit from them, he did not send to them for more money, instead of borrowing and stealing.

Orchard replied that he did send a letter to Moyer at Butte and got $100, but he did not send for more because he was temporarily off the Steunenberg murder errand and away from where Steunenberg lived, and he did not want to send for more money until he could show that he was back to work

PRESIDENT AT SAGAMORE HILL.

Oyster Bay Gives the Roosevelts a Heavy Welcome.

Oyster Bay, N. Y.—President Roosevelt and his family are at home at Sagamore Hill. The trip from Washington, which was begun Wednesday morning in a drizzling rain, ended in sunshine at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

At Jersey City and Long Island City crowds surrounded the car, shouting greetings to the president, and when the train drew in here the station platform was thronged with neighbors, who extended Oyster Bay's usual demonstrative welcome.

After both the president and Mrs. Roosevelt had shaken hands with everyone, the family entered a carriage and were driven to Sagamore Hill. A chorus of cheers followed them.

INVADERS ARE DRIVEN BACK.

Salvador's Army Defeats the Nicaraguans and Revolutionists.

Mexico City.—According to a cablegram received in this city late Wednesday afternoon, the Salvadorean army has defeated the invading forces which captured the port of Acajutla Tuesday and has driven them back to the coast.

One of the leaders of the invading army was John Moisant, a former resident of San Francisco and an American citizen. He is reported to have been captured by the forces of President Figueroa.

Explorer Butchered in Liberia.

Berne, Switzerland.—The government has received information of the murder in the Hinterland of Liberia of Walter Volz, the well-known Swiss explorer. Volz was captured by natives, fettered and imprisoned in a hut in which he was burned alive. A portion of his charred body was recovered.

Severe Storm in Indiana.

Evansville, Ind.—Another severe wind and electrical storm passed over southern Indiana Wednesday afternoon, doing much damage.

Sues to Preserve Indian Graves.

Leavenworth, Kan.—Lydia B. Conley filed a suit in the United States circuit court here Wednesday to enjoin Secretary of the Interior Garfield from disturbing the graves in the Huron cemetery, Kansas City, Kan., an old Indian burying ground. Following an act of congress, Secretary Garfield recently appointed three commissioners to sell the property, and the effect of the suit will be to tie up the sale. Miss Conley is a descendant of the Wyandotte Indians and a lawyer.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

Line Up for Land.

Duluth.—Although the next land opening at the local office will not take place for three weeks, a line already has been started. Anton Daskari was the first man to take up his position in front of the office. A companion of Daskari, who has been investigating the land, returned today in time to take the second place in the line.

The land which will be opened for settlement July 1 includes 2,000 acres of ceded Chippewa Indian lands in the Fon du Lac reservation. Altogether there is land for about twelve claims. Some of the land is said to be fine agricultural land and it is likely that before the three weeks are up a half a hundred or more applicants will be in line awaiting a chance to file.

Postoffice Robbed.

Twin Valley.—Robbers broke into the postoffice and blew open the safe, getting away with several hundred dollars worth of stamps.

The robbers secured an entrance to the office by breaking the glass in the top part of the back door, which enabled them to put an arm into the aperture and draw the bolts and also turn the knob of a Yale lock which reinforced the double bolt. Using a sledge hammer and a chisel which they secured from a neighboring blacksmith shop, they knocked the dial off the safe, and inserted gunpowder. This was touched off with a fuse and the outer shell of the door was forced off. It was an easy matter to pry open the inner shell that was left, and the contents of the safe, consisting of several hundred dollars' worth of stamps and a small amount of change was taken.

Receipts From State Institutions.

St. Paul.—Receipts from the state penal and charitable institutions for May amounting to $52,903.05 have been received by the state auditor, and include the money of the inmates, as provided under the new laws. The individual receipts follow: Anoka asylum, $1,410.09; Hastings asylum, $1,501.33; Fergus Falls hospital, $3,839.05; Rochester hospital, $4,595.27; St. Peter hospital, $2,046.62; Faribault school for the feeble-minded, $4,747.77; Owatonna state public school, $1,842.35; Red Wing training school, $647.82; state prison at Stillwater, $21,199.74; twine receipts, $11,073.01.

The actual receipts from the various institutions amounted to $25,490.20, and the money belonging to the inmates totaled $27,412.85.

Mayors Must Enforce the Laws.

St. Paul.—Attorney General E. T. Young has won the St. Cloud "lid" case in the supreme court. A decision by Justice Brown was filed affirming the lower court in the quo warranto action against J. E. C. Robinson, former mayor of St. Cloud.

The decision holds that any mayor is under obligation to see that the state laws are enforced. If he fails, the attorney general may sue for civil damages, and may also bring proceedings to have the mayor ousted from office.

The Robinson case was appealed on a demurrer and will now go back to the lower court for trial. Only the civil case will be tried, as Robinson's term as mayor has expired. He is now a member of the state senate.

Aeronaut is Drowned.

Granite Falls.—Entangled in the ropes of his parachute, John Puepura, an aeronaut of Utica, N. Y., met death by drowning in the Minnesota river near this city.

Puepura, who was employed by a carnival company made the ascension at 6 o'clock in the evening. The wind quickly carried the balloon up the river, and when he had traversed about half a mile the aeronaut detached his parachute.

In some unexplained manner his arms and legs became entangled in the ropes, and when the parachute struck the water he was unable to save himself. The body was recovered later.

Pioneer Mason Dies.

Minneapolis.—Maj. Thomas Montgomery, grand secretary of the Minnesota grand lodge of Masons, died at St. Luke's hospital after a short illness.

Maj. Mason was born in Mountcharles, Donegal county, Ireland, on June 4, 1841, and came with his parents to Minnesota in 1856. He enlisted in the Seventh regiment, Minnesota volunteer infantry, in August, 1862, and served through the Indian and Civil wars. He was appointed in 1889 grand secretary of the grand lodge, A. F. and A. M., and has been elected to that office each successive year.

Fell From a Train.

Hanley Falls.—George Lowe of Cottonwood, returning from a ball game at Granite on the night train on the Great Northern, stepped off the cars into space, falling twenty-five feet, narrowly missing a rock pile on the river's edge. He thought the train was at the station when in fact it had stopped for a crossing and his coach was on the bridge crossing Yellow Medicine river. He was not discovered until late the next morning. Several broken ribs and internal injuries may result fatally.

New Experimental Farm.

St. Paul.—Minnesota is to have an experimental fruit farm, where work similar to that conducted in California by Luther Burbank may be carried on. The last legislature provided an appropriation of $16,000 to buy land, with a suitable maintenance fund, and those interested are looking for a place where the farm may be located. Two or three sites have been looked at, but none has yet been selected.

The land, which is to consist of a quarter section, is to be purchased by the board of regents of the state university, with the approval of the horticultural society. It will have to be located at some place not far from the Twin Cities, so that it may be accessible for supervision.

Changes in State Fair Officials.

Hamline.—C. N. Cosgrove, of Le Sueur, was elected secretary of the Minnesota State Agricultural society, succeeding E. W. Randall. The whole official list of the organization affected by the resignation of Mr. Randall was made up at a meeting of the board of managers at the fair grounds.

B. F. Nelson, of Minneapolis, who has been first vice president, was made president in the place of Mr. Cosgrove, who resigned to become secretary. C. M. Griggs, of St. Paul, second vice president, was put up to first vice president, while J. J. Furlong, of Austin, was appointed second vice president.

Five Scored High

St. Paul.—Five contestants tied for first place in the hand separator class in the June butter scoring contest conducted by the state dairy and food department. The final winner in this class will come as the result of a series of six of the monthly contests. The June winners had a score of 94, and they were F. C. Weis, Friedham; Wm. Maherry, Wadena; Gus Kruempel, La Moure, N. D.; W. E. Thompson, Wayzata and P. G. Wohlhuter, Fairmont.

Burned by Varnish.

Minneapolis.—Mrs. M. Krouth, living at St. Anthony Park, was seriously burned at her home. A can of varnish which she had placed on the stove exploded and caught fire. Mrs. Krouth's clothing became ignited and before neighbors, to whom she screamed for help, could extinguish the flames, she was badly burned.

NEWS NOTES.

Winona.—Herman Richter, a tailor, committed suicide while alone in his shop by shooting himself. He leaves a family.

Owatonna. — Four houses were struck by lightning and more or less damaged. The storm was one of the most severe in the history of the city.

Austin.—Golden Rule, the famous performing horse which has been traveling with a circus, dropped dead here just after the afternoon performance. Death was due to tobacco heart, the horse having been in the habit of chewing tobacco and smoking cigarettes.

Mankato.—The injuries which August Koch sustained two or three weeks ago by being caught in a belt and carried around the shaft at the tub factory have resulted fatally. He was forty years old. A widow and one child survive.

Crookston.—William Munch, the deputy game warden for this district arrested Chris Bangen of St. Hilaire, charging him with fishing with a net in the Red Lake river at that place. Bangen was taken before Judge Nelson of St. Hilaire, found guilty, and fined $25 and costs.

Minneapolis.—The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lindstrom was attacked and bitten by a vicious dog. In trying to protect her child the mother was also bitten. It is thought the girl will recover, although her face is terribly lacerated. The dog was shot by a policeman.

Northfield.—The annual commencement exercises of Carleton college were held. The graduating class numbers forty-six, the largest in the history of the college. Miss Elinor Hallowell of Northfield delivered the valedictory and an oration on "Robert E. Lee, the Patriot," and Miss Anna Cathout delivered the salutatory and an oration on "The Significance of the Electron Theory."

Duluth.—A decomposed body, found sitting upright in a stream near Spirit Lake, on the St. Louis river, has been identified as Isak Altonen, an aged Finlander, and foul play is suspected. He left Smithville with a jug of liquor one day last December and was followed by two men who had been drinking with him. It is thought they pushed him over the cliff into the stream.

Minneapolis.—Donald Babcock, a senior at the University of Minnesota is the winner of the Wyman prize of $50, offered by J. T. Wyman of Minneapolis to the undergraduate student writing the best 5,000-word essay on the subject, "The Influence of Immigration on the Development of the Northwest."

Faribault.—The dwelling belonging to Mrs. Dunham, at Millersburg, was struck by lightning and completely destroyed by fire. Mrs. Dunham lived in the house alone and barely escaped from the building. The loss is about $1,200.

THE PRESIDENT TO EDITORS

Roosevelt Delivers a Notable Address at Jamestown, Va.

Speaks Before the Delegates to the National Editorial Association---Touches Upon Important National Questions.

Jamestown, Va.—The following is the address of President Roosevelt before the National Editorial association at the exposition here:

It is of course a mere truism to say that no other body of our countrymen wield as extensive an influence as those who write for the daily press and for the periodicals. It is also a truism to say that such power implies the gravest responsibility and the man exercising it should hold himself accountable, and should be held by others accountable, precisely as if he occupied any other position of public trust. I do not intend to dwell upon your duties to-day, save that I shall permit myself to point out one matter where it seems to me that the need of our people is vital. It is essential that the man in public life and the man who writes in the public press shall both of them, if they are really good servants of the people, be prompt to assail wrongdoing and wickedness. But in thus assailing wrongdoing and wickedness, there are two conditions to be fulfilled, because if unfulfilled, harm and not good will result. In the first place, be sure of your facts and avoid everything like hysteria or exaggeration; for to assail a decent man for something of which he is innocent is to give aid and comfort to every scoundrel, while indulgence in hysterical exaggeration serves to weaken, not strengthen, the statement of truth. In the second place, be sure that you base your judgment on conduct and not on the social or economic position of the individual with whom you are dealing. There are good and bad men in every walk of life, and their being good or bad does not depend upon whether they have or do not have large bank accounts. Yet this elemental fact, this fact which we all accept as self-evident, when we think each of us of the people whom he himself knows in his business and social relations, is often completely ignored by certain public men and certain public writers. The men who thus ignore it and who attack wickedness only when found in a particular class are always unsafe and are sometimes very dangerous leaders. Distrust equally the man who is never able to discover any sins of rich men to attack and the man who confines himself to attacking the sins and shortcomings of rich men. It is a sure sign of moral and mental dishonesty in any man if in his public assaults upon iniquity he is never able to see any iniquity save that of a particular class, and this whether he is able only to see the sins of arrogance and oppression in the rich or the crimes of envy and violence in the poor.

So much for what I have to say to you in your capacity of molders and guiders of public thought. In addition I want to speak to you on two great movements in our public life which I feel must necessarily occupy no inconsiderable part of the time of our public men in the near future. One of these is the question of, in certain ways, reshaping our system of taxation so as to make it bear most heavily on those most capable of supporting the strain. The other is the question of utilizing the natural resources of the nation in the way that will be of most benefit to the nation as a whole.

Need of Foresight.

In utilizing and conserving the natural resources of the nation the one characteristic more essential than any other is foresight. Unfortunately, foresight is not usually characteristic of a young and vigorous people, and it is obviously not a marked characteristic of us in the United States. Yet assuredly it should be the growing nation with a future which takes the long look ahead; and no other nation is growing so rapidly as ours or has a future so full of promise. No other nation enjoys so wonderful a measure of present prosperity which can of right be treated as an earnest of future success, and for no other are the rewards of foresight so great, so certain, and so easily foretold. Yet hitherto as a nation we have tended to live with an eye single to the present, and have permitted the reckless waste and destruction of much of our natural wealth.

The conservation of our natural resources and their proper use constitute the fundamental problem which underlies almost every other problem of our national life. Unless we maintain an adequate material basis for our civilization, we can not maintain the institutions in which we take so great and just a pride; and to waste and destroy our natural resources means to undermine this material basis. During the last five years efforts have been made in several new directions in the government service to get our people to look ahead, to exercise foresight and to substitute a planned and orderly development of our resources in the place of a haphazard striving for immediate profit. The effort has been made through several agencies.

In 1902 the reclamation service began to develop the larger opportunities of the western half of our country for irrigation. The work includes all the states from the great plains through the Rocky mountains to the Pacific slope. It has been conducted with the clear and definite purpose of using the valuable water resources of the public land for the greatest good for the greatest number in the long run; in other words, for the purpose of putting upon the land permanent home makers who will use and develop it for themselves and for their children and children's children. There has been opposition, of course, to this work of the reclamation service; for we have been obliged to antagonize certain men whose interest it was to exhaust for their own temporary personal profit natural resources which ought to be developed through use, so as to be conserved for the permanent common advantage of the people as a whole. But there will be no halt in the work of preserving the waters which head in the Rocky mountain region so as to make them of most use to the people as a whole; for the policy is essential to our national welfare.

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The public lands of the United States should be utilized in similar fashion. Our present public land laws were passed when there was a vast surplus of vacant public land. The chief desire was to secure settlers thereon, and comparatively slight attention was paid as to exactly how the lands were disposed of in detail. In consequence, lax execution of the laws became the rule both in the land office and in the public mind, and land frauds were common and little noted. This was especially true when a system originally designed for the fertile and well-watered regions of the middle west was applied to the dryer regions of the great plains and to the mountains and the Pacific coast. In these regions the system lent itself to fraud, and much land passed out of the hands of the government without passing into the hands of the home maker. The department of the interior and the department of justice joined in prosecuting the offenders against the law; but both the law and its administration were defective and needed to be changed. Three years ago a public lands commission was appointed to scrutinize the law and the facts and to recommend a remedy. Their examination specifically showed the existence of great frauds upon the public domain, and their recommendations for changes in the law were made with the design of conserving the natural resources of every part of the public land by putting it to its best use. Attention was especially called to the prevention of settlement by the passage of great areas of public lands into the hands of a few men, and to the enormous waste caused by unrestricted grazing on the open range; a system of using the natural forage on the public domain which amounts to putting a premium on its destruction. The recommendations of the public lands commission were sound, for they were especially in the interest of the actual home maker; and where the small home maker could not utilize the land, it was provided that the government should keep control of it so that it could not be monopolized by a few wealthy men. Congress has not yet acted upon these recommendations, except for the repeal of the iniquitous lieu-land law. But the recommendations are so just and proper, so essential to our national welfare, that I believe they will surely ultimately be adopted.

In 1891 congress authorized the president to create national forests in the public domain. These forests reserves remained for a long time in charge of the general land office, which had no men properly trained in forestry. But another department, that of agriculture, possessed the trained men. In other words, the government forests were without foresters and the government foresters without forests. Waste of effort and waste of forests inevitably followed. Finally the situation was ended in 1905 by the creation of the United States forest service, which has stopped the waste, conserved the resources of the national forests, and made them useful; so that our forests are now being managed on a coherent plan, and in a way that augurs well for the future.

The mineral fuels of the eastern United States have already passed into the hands of large private owners, and those of the west are rapidly following. This should not be, for such mineral resources belong in a peculiar degree to the whole people. Under private control there is much waste from the shortsighted methods of working, and the complete utilization is often sacrificed for a greater immediate profit. The mineral fuels under our present conditions are as essential to our prosperity as the forests will always be. The difference is that the supply is definitely limited, for coal does not grow and trees do. It is obvious that the mineral fuels should be conserved, not wasted, and that enough of them should remain in the hands of the government to protect the people against unjust or extortionate prices so far as that can still be done. What has been accomplished in the regulation of the great oil fields of the Indian territory offers a striking example of the good results of such a policy. Last summer, accordingly, I withdrew most of the coal-bearing public lands temporarily from disposal, and asked for the legislation necessary to protect the public interest by the conservation of the mineral fuels; that is, for the power to keep the fee in the government and to lease the coal, oil, and gas rights under proper regulation. No such legislation was passed, but I still hope that we shall ultimately get it.

Preserve Mineral Resources.

In addition to treating aright for the benefit of the whole people the forests and the mineral beds, we should similarly try to preserve for the benefit of all the people the great stretches of public domain, some three hundred million acres in all, which are unfit for cultivation by present methods and valuable only for the forage which they supply. This vast area is now open to the free grazing of cattle, sheep, horses and goats, without restriction or regulation. When population has increased, as is now the case, such utter lack of management means that the public domain is turned over to be skinned by men whose only concern is to get what they can out of it at the moment, without any regard to whether or not it is ruined so far as the next generation is concerned. In other words, the range is not so much used as wasted by abuse; and as an incident conflict and bloodshed frequently arise between opposing users. With the rapid settling of the west the range is more and more overgrazed. Moreover, much of it can not be used to advantage unless it is fenced, for fencing is the only way by which to keep in check the absentee owners of nomad flocks which roam hither and thither, utterly destroying the pasturage and leaving a waste behind, so that their presence is compatible with the presence of home makers.

Prevention of Frauds.

For several years we have been doing everything in our power to prevent fraud upon the public land. What can be done under the present laws is now being done through the joint action of the interior department and the department of justice. But fully to accomplish the prevention of fraud there is need of further legislation and especially of a sufficient appropriation to permit the department of the interior to examine certain classes of entries on the ground before they pass into private ownership. The appropriation asked for last winter, if granted, would have put an end to the squandering of the public domain, while it would have prevented any need of causing hardship to individual settlers by holding up their claims. However, the appropriation was not given us, and in consequence it is not possible to secure, as I would like to secure, the natural resources of the public land from fraud, waste and encroachment.

So much for what we are trying to do in utilizing our public lands for the public; in securing the use of the water, the forage, the coal and the timber for the public. In all four movements my chief adviser, and the man first to suggest to me the courses which have actually proved so beneficial, was Mr. Gifford Pinchot, the chief of the national forest service. Mr. Pinchot also suggested to me a movement supplementary to all of these movements; one which will itself lead the way in the general movement which he represents and with which he is actively identified, for the conservation of all our natural resources. This was the appointment of the inland waterways commission.

The inability of the railroads of the United States to meet the demands upon them has drawn public attention forcibly to the use of our waterways for transportation. But it is obvious that this is only one of their many uses, and that a planned and orderly development is impossible except by taking into account all the services they are capable of rendering. It was upon this ground that the inland waterways commission was recently appointed. Their duty is to propose a comprehensive plan for the improvement and utilization of those great waterways which are the great potential highways of the country. Their duty is also to bring together the points of view of all users of streams, and to submit a general plan for the development and conservation of the vast natural resources of the waterways of the United States. Clearly it is impossible for the waterways commission to accomplish its great task without considering the relation of streams to the conservation and use of all other natural resources, and I have asked that it do so. Here, then, for the first time, the orderly development and planned conservative use of all our natural resources is presented as a single problem. One by one the individual tasks in this great problem have already been undertaken. One by one in practical fashion the methods of dealing with them were worked out. National irrigation has proved itself a success by its actual working. Again, actual experience has shown that the national forests will fulfill the larger purpose for which they were created. All who have thoughtfully studied the subject have come to see that the solution of the public lands question lies with the home maker, with the settler who lives on his land and that government control of the mineral fuels and the public grazing lands is necessary and inevitable. Each of these conclusions represented a movement of vast importance which would confer large benefits upon the nation, but which stood by itself. They are connected together into one great fundamental problem—that of the conservation of all our natural resources. Upon the wise solution of this, much of our future obviously depends. Even such questions as the regulation of railway rates and the control of corporations are in reality subsidiary to the primal problem of the preservation in the interests of the whole people of the resources that nature has given us. If we fail to solve this problem, no skill in solving the others will in the end avail us very greatly.

Now as to the matter of taxation. Most great civilized countries have an income tax and an inheritance tax. In my judgment both should be part of our system of federal taxation. I speak diffidently about the income tax because one scheme for an income tax was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court by a five to four vote; and in addition it is a difficult tax to administer in its practical workings, and great care would have to be exercised to see that it was not evaded by the very man whom it is most desirable to have taxed, for if so evaded it would of course be worse than no tax at all, as the least desirable of all taxes is the tax which bears heavily upon the honest as compared with the dishonest man. Nevertheless, a graduated income tax of the proper type would be a desirable permanent feature of federal taxation, and I still hope that one may be devised which the supreme court will declare constitutional.

Inheritance Tax.

In my judgment, however, the inheritance tax is both a far better method of taxation, and far more important for the purpose I have in view—the purpose of having the swollen fortunes of the country bear in proportion to their size a constantly increasing burden of taxation. These fortunes exist solely because of the protection given the owners by the public. They are a constant source of care and anxiety to the public and it is eminently just that they should be forced to pay heavily for the protection given them. It is, of course, elementary that the nation has the absolute right to decide as to the terms upon which any man shall receive a bequest or devise from another. We have repeatedly placed such laws on our own statute books, and they have repeatedly been declared constitutional by the courts. I believe that the tax should contain the progressive principle. Whatever any individual receives, whether by gift, bequest, or devise, in life or in death, should, after a certain amount is reached, be increasingly burdened; and the rate of taxation should be increased in proportion to the remoteness of blood of the man receiving from the man giving or devising. The principle of this progressive taxation of inheritance has not only been authoritatively recognized by the legislation of congress, but it is now unequivocally adopted in the leading civilized nations of the world—in, for instance, Great Britain, France and Germany. Switzerland led off with the imposition of high progressive rates. Great Britain was the first of the great nations to follow suit, and within the last few years both France and Germany have adopted the principle. In Great Britain all estates worth $5,000 or less are practically exempt from death duties, while the increase is such that when an estate exceeds $5,000,000 in value and passes to a distant kinsman or stranger in blood the government receives nearly 18 per cent. In France, under the progressive system, so much of an inheritance as exceeds $10,000,000 pays over 20 per cent. to the state if it passes to a distant relative, and five per cent. if it passes to a direct heir. In Germany very small inheritance are exempt, but the tax is so sharply progressive that an inheritance not in agricultural or forest lands which exceeds $250,000, if it goes to distant relatives, is taxed at the rate of about 25 per cent. The German law is of special interest, because it makes the inheritance tax an imperial measure, while allotting to the individual states of the empire a portion of the proceeds and permitting them to impose taxes in addition to those imposed by the imperial government. In the United State the national government has more than once imposed inheritance taxes in addition to those imposed by the states, and in the last instance about one-half of the states levied such taxes concurrently with the national government, making a combined maximum rate, in some cases as high as 25 per cent.; and, as a matter of fact, several states adopted inheritance tax laws for the first time while the national law was still in force and unrepealed. The French law has one feature which is to be heartily commended. The progressive principle is so applied that each higher rate is imposed only on the excess above the amount subject to the next lower rate. This plain is peculiarly adapted to the working out of the theory of using the inheritance tax for the purpose of limiting the size of inheritable fortunes, since the progressive increase in the rates, according to this mode, may be carried to its logical conclusion in a maximum rate of nearly 100 per cent. for the amount in excess of a specified sum, without being confiscatory as to the rest of the inheritance; for each increase in rate would apply only to the amount above a certain maximum.

WAR HEROES HONORED

MONUMENTS ERECTED TO NOTED SOLDIERS AND SEAMAN.

Statue to Gen. Lawton, Who Fell in the Philippines, Unveiled at Indianapolis by President Roosevelt.

Indianapolis, Ind.—That potriotism in this country is not at a low ebb is indicated by the number of memorials to heroes and statesmen recently erected. There is a close connection between potriotism and art. One is especially reminded of this in the study of ancient countries, and it is becoming more and more true of America. The fact has been emphasized within a short time by the unveiling of a statue of Commodore John Barry in Philadelphia and the completion by Karl Bitter of a statue of Gen. Franz Sigel for a site on Riverside Drive. Further emphasis was added with the unveiling on May 30 at Indianapolis of a statue of Gen. Henry W. Lawton, at which the president made an important address.

Gen. Lawton was a soldier of the civil war, saw service in the Spanish-American war, and was killed while fighting in the Philippines. The republic has many memorials of soldiers of the revolution and the civil war, but as yet few erected in honor of heroes of battle for the flag in the faraway islands of the east. Special interest attaches to the memorial unveiled at Indianapolis for this reason.

Gen. Lawton, who was born at Manhattan, O., in 1843, began his military career as an enlisted man in a volunteer regiment in 1861 and held the rank of major general of volunteers when his life was ended by a Filipino bullet on December 10, 1899. His commission as a brigadier general in the regular service was being prepared when he was shot. When war with Spain broke out he was in demand in the field, for he had enjoyed not only a civil war experience, but a career as an Indian fighter on the plains of the west. One of the famous episodes of his career was his pursuit and capture of Geronimo. He was in command of the second division of the fifth army corps before Santiago, and on the conclusion of peace was transferred to the Philippines.

He captured Santa Cruz, a Filipino stronghold, April 10, 1899, and San Isidro on May 15, and on June 1 was placed in command at Manila. He had begun an offensive campaign looking toward the capture of Aguinaldo when he was killed while directing an attack upon the insurgents in an engagement near San Mateo, about 15 miles from Manila. A monument was erected by American soldiers at the spot where he fell. This memorial is in the shape of a pyramid 15 feet high. On the top an old Spanish cannon is mounted, surrounded by four modern shells. The brave commander was greatly beloved by the soldiers who fought with him in Cuba and the Philippines, and his character was most highly esteemed by President Roosevelt, his comrade in Cuba, a fact that led the latter to accept the invitation to make the principal address at the unveiling ceremonies at Indianapolis.

The equestrian statute of Gen. Franz Sigel has engaged the best efforts of Mr. Bitter since he received the commission for the work about three years ago. The unveiling ceremonies will occur in October next. The site for the memorial is Riverside Drive, and it will be one more important adornment for a locality that has already come to be known as the Acropolis of New York.

Lawton Monument in Indianapolis.

The Barry statue was presented to the city of Philadelphia by the Society of Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, of which the naval hero was a member. It is of bronze and of heroic size and stands in front of Independence hall, where it was unveiled on March 16 by a great-great-grandniece of Barry, 12-year-old Miss Elsie Hazel Hepburne. Barry is often called "the Father of the American Navy," and his right to the title was defended by Rear-Admiral George W. Melville, retired, in an address which was the leading feature of the unveiling ceremonies. Barry was born in Ireland in 1745 and came to the colonies when 15 years old. He commanded the first ship that flew the continental flag and captured the first vessel taken by an American warship.

GRANT'S OLD HOME IN ST. LOUIS.

Cottage Once Occupied by Great Soldier and Traded for a Farm.

St. Louis.—While modern brick dwellings have sprung up on all sides in the vicinity of Tenth and Barton streets, there remains standing two doors west of the corner an antiquated little wooden cottage, guarded by memories so sacred that the hand of the despoiler has never dared to raise against it.

Grant's Old St. Louis Home.

The humble structure was the abode of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant, soldier, statesman and president of the United States, and, it is believed, was the birthplace of Gen. Frederick Grant, the revered soldier's son.

The fact that the cottage was once owned by Gen. Grant was brought to light by a recent article in a St. Louis paper, stating that a patriotic wave of reverence for the name of Grant had started in St. Louis and was being fostered by the Grant Cabin association, which plans to restore Grant's log cabin on the fair grounds to its original site on the Grant farm in St. Louis county, near Fenton.

Mrs. Philomena Holiweg, of 1002 Barton street, one door east of Grant's former abode, which she owns, noticed the article and communicated with the paper, stating the fact and giving what scraps of its history she recalls.

The little structure has a ground floor containing four small rooms. An attic room is reached by a narrow flight of rickety wooden stairs.

The house was occupied by Mrs. Holiweg and her husband for many years after they acquired it in 1865, for $3,025 from the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. White.

White obtained the house from Grant, according to the tradition, in exchange for the farm in the county on which Grant built in 1854 the famous log cabin.

SECRETARY STRAUS' WIFE.

Only Jewess Among Cabinet Ladies Is a Beautiful and Cultured Woman.

Washington.—The wife of the new secretary of commerce and labor is many years younger than her husband. Mrs. Straus was one of the beauties of New York Jewish circles, and her 20 years of married life have left her still a queenly and beautiful woman. She possesses rare culture and shares with her husband the genius of diplomacy. As Miss Sarah Lavenburg she was known for her graces and charities.

For many years after her marriage, Mrs. Straus devoted her entire attention to the care and education of her daughters, and it was not until President Cleveland sent her husband as minister to Turkey that she found a field for her broader sense of diplomacy. Oscar Straus and his brother, Nathan, fought hard for the election of Cleveland, and it is a strange coincidence that Oscar Straus should have accepted a cabinet position under a Republican president, though a Democrat, while his brother declined one under the president they both helped to elect.

MRS. OSCAR STRAUS.
(Wife of New Secretary of Commerce and Labor.)

Washington is the most cosmopolitan city in America and Mrs. Straus will not find thorns in the path of social success. Her own frank and open manner will win her friends, and her fine intelligence will lead her unerringly through the maze of diplomatic amenities, obligations and intricacies, in which she is already a skillful and exceptional sailor.

Sporting Gossip.

"Don't let anyone tell you Jim Jeffries will ever fight again," says Arthur Crane, former amateur middleweight champion. "He will never again draw on a boxing glove. Jim told me so, and I believe him. All the talk of Jeff's returning to the ring is just circulated to get him a few of these $1,000 refereeing jobs. It keeps his name before the public and boosts things nicely. I don't think Jeff could ever again get in shape for a battle. He is huge and soft, lazy and comfortable, and he doesn't even think of fighting. He's not broke, either—still has money put away, and has a farm worth keeping. If he takes up the boxing game in Los Angeles—runs a club there—he will make a fortune, for the people have full confidence in him and have lost faith in Tom McCarey. Tom's all right, I guess—only I was a bit puzzled by a certain fighter who, the day he reached Los Angeles, came to see me. This boy said he had seen McCarey, and that Tom said to him: 'Well, do you wish to win or lose?' What did he mean by that, I wonder?"

Adrian Joss, pitcher of the Cleveland club, of the American league, is a native of Juneau, Wis., where he was born 26 years ago. He pitched for the Sacred Heart college team, of Watertown, Wis., and after leaving that institution, taught school until he joined the Sheboygan (Wis.) club, from which he graduated to the Toledo team in 1900, remaining with it for two seasons, although farmed out for a time. In 1903 he commenced his Cleveland career and developed into one of the premier pitchers of the profession. His 1906 record was 21 victories and nine defeats, ranking third among the regulars, according to Secretary McRoy's figures. This season he won ten straight games for his team before he was beaten.

Adrian Joss.

Jack Munroe, the erstwhile fighter and the only man who ever put Jim Jeffries on his knees in a prize ring, is fast becoming a wealthy man. He has returned to the mines with profit. Munroe's jump into pugilistic fame was when, six years ago, he held his own with Jeffries, who shortly afterward put him away with ease. Later Jack Johnson made Munroe look like a novice in a six-round bout in Philadelphia. Contrary to the general opinion, Munroe is an intelligent fellow, and writes a beautiful hand. He is now in Haileybury, Ontario, the heart of the Cobalt district. Speaking of his newly found source of profit, Munroe says:

"Yes, I'm a regular miner once more. I've quit the fighting game for good. No more of the biff, bang, biff sport for yours truly. Yes, I've finished with the fighting game," he went on. "I'm up here in a cobalt district. I've got a great proposition. Myself and a couple of fellows took a chance. We went up there about two years ago on a hunting trip. You know I have worked in the mines all my life. Well, I discovered some rich silver ore. We staked off a claim, bought the land and began working it."

Again Munroe smiled.

"Good mine, you ask?" repeated Jack. "Well, any time I sell out I'll be fixed for life. I have made a fortune in two years. We are just beginning to get the real results now. I think when we counted up about a week ago we were $340,000 winner. Not bad, eh?

"I'm going back to New York some day in my own private car. They kidded me after Jeff beat me. Well, they can kid me now if they want to. I've got the coin and kidding is a pleasure now. They can talk about they'd rather be a lamppost on Broadway than a king anywhere else. Well, that stuff might go for some, but I'd rather be a little mine owner up there in Cobalt than anything else. It's great. Take it from me."

The Steubenville club, of the P.-O.-M. league, has been strengthened by the addition of infielder Otto Kruger, who played with East Liverpool last year, was drafted by Kansas City and released to Steubenville. Pitcher Buckley, of Harrisburg, and catcher McCown, of the Jersey City team, have been also secured.

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THE PRESIDENT TO EDITORS

Roosevelt Delivers a Notable Address at Jamestown, Va.

Speaks Before the Delegates to the National Editorial Association---Touches Upon Important National Questions.

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Operations of Land Laws.

The public lands of the United States should be utilized in similar fashion. Our present public land laws were passed when there was a vast surplus of vacant public land. The chief desire was to secure settlers thereon, and comparatively slight attention was paid as to exactly how the lands were disposed of in detail. In consequence, lax execution of the laws became the rule both in the land office and in the public mind, and land frauds were common and little noted. This was especially true when a system originally designed for the fertile and well watered regions of the middle west was applied to the dryer regions of the great plains and to the mountains and the Pacific coast. In these regions the system lent itself to fraud, and much land passed out of the hands of the government without passing into the hands of the home maker. The department of the interior and the department of justice joined in prosecuting the offenders against the law, but both the law and its administration were defective and needed to be changed. Three years ago a public lands commission was appointed to scrutinize the law and the facts and to recommend a remedy. Their examination specifically showed the existence of great frauds upon the public domain, and their recommendations for changes in the law were made with the design of conserving the natural resources of every part of the public land by putting it to its best use. Attention was especially called to the prevention of settlement by the passage of great areas of public lands into the hands of a few men, and to the enormous waste caused by unrestricted grazing on the open range, a system of using the natural forage on the public domain which amounts to putting a premium on its destruction. The recommendations of the public lands commission were sound, for they were especially in the interest of the actual home maker; and where the small home maker could not utilize the land, it was provided that the government should keep control of it so that it could not be monopolized by a few wealthy men. Congress has not yet acted upon these recommendations, except for the repeal of the iniquitous lieu-land law. But the recommendations are so just and proper, so essential to our national welfare, that I believe they will surely ultimately be adopted.

In 1891 congress authorized the president to create national forests in the public domain. These forests reserves remained for a long time in charge of the general land office, which had no men properly trained in forestry. But another department, that of agriculture, possessed the trained men. In other words, the government forests were without foresters and the government foresters without forests. Waste of effort and waste of forests inevitably followed. Finally the situation was ended in 1905 by the creation of the United States forest service, which has stopped the waste, conserved the resources of the national forests, and made them useful, so that our forests are now being managed on a coherent plan, and in a way that augurs well for the future.

The mineral fuels of the eastern United States have already passed into the hands of large private owners, and those of the west are rapidly following. This should not be, for such mineral resources belong in a peculiar degree to the whole people. Under private control there is much waste from the shortsighted methods of working, and the complete utilization is often sacrificed for a greater immediate profit. The mineral fuels under our present conditions are as essential to our prosperity as the forests will always be. The difference is that the supply is definitely limited, for coal does not grow and trees do. It is obvious that the mineral fuels should be conserved, not wasted, and that enough of them should remain in the hands of the government to protect the people against unjust or extortionate prices so far as that can still be done. What has been accomplished in the regulation of the great oil fields of the Indian territory offers a striking example of the good results of such a policy. Last summer, accordingly, I withdrew most of the coal-bearing public lands temporarily from disposal, and asked for the legislation necessary to protect the public interest by the conservation of the mineral fuels; that is, for the power to keep the fee in the government and to lease the coal, oil, and gas rights under proper regulation. No such legislation was passed, but I still hope that we shall ultimately get it.

Preserve Mineral Resources.

In addition to treating aright for the benefit of the whole people the forests and the mineral beds, we should similarly try to preserve for the benefit of all the people the great stretches of public domain, some three hundred million acres in all, which are unfit for cultivation by present methods and valuable only for the forage which they supply. This vast area is now open to the free grazing of cattle, sheep, horses and goats, without restriction or regulation. When population has increased, as is now the case, such utter lack of management means that the public domain is turned over to be skinned by men whose only concern is to get what they can out of it at the moment, without any regard to whether or not it is ruined so far as the next generation is concerned. In other words, the range is not so much used as wasted by abuse; and as an incident conflict and bloodshed frequently arise between opposing users. With the rapid settling of the west the range is more and more overgrazed. Moreover, much of it can not be used to advantage unless it is fenced, for fencing is the only way by which to keep in check the absentee owners of nomad flocks which roam hither and thither, utterly destroying the pasturage and leaving a waste behind, so that their presence is compatible with the presence of home makers.

Prevention of Frauds.

For several years we have been doing everything in our power to prevent fraud upon the public land. What can be done under the present laws is now being done through the joint action of the interior department and the department of justice. But fully to accomplish the prevention of fraud there is need of further legislation and especially of a sufficient appropriation to permit the department of the interior to examine certain classes of entries on the ground before they pass into private ownership. The appropriation asked for last winter, if granted, would have put an end to the squandering of the public domain, while it would have prevented any need of causing hardship to individual settlers by holding up their claims. However, the appropriation was not given us, and in consequence it is not possible to secure, as I would like to secure, the natural resources of the public land from fraud, waste and encroachment.

So much for what we are trying to do in utilizing our public lands for the public; in securing the use of the water, the forage, the coal and the timber for the public. In all four movements my chief adviser, and the man first to suggest to me the courses which have actually proved so beneficial, was Mr. Gifford Pinchot, the chief of the national forest service. Mr. Pinchot also suggested to me a movement supplementary to all of these movements; one which will itself lead the way in the general movement which he represents and with which he is actively identified, for the conservation of all our natural resources. This was the appointment of the inland waterways commission.

The inability of the railroads of the United States to meet the demands upon them has drawn public attention forcibly to the use of our waterways for trasportation. But it is obvious that this is only one of their many uses, and that a planned and orderly development is impossible except by taking into account all the services they are capable of rendering. It was upon this ground that the inland waterways commission was recently appointed. Their duty is to propose a comprehensive plan for the improvement and utilization of those great waterways which are the great potential highways of the country. Their duty is also to bring together the points of view of all users of streams, and to submit a general plan for the development and conservation of the vast natural resources of the waterways of the United States. Clearly it is impossible for the waterways commission to accomplish its great task without considering the relation of streams to the conservation and use of all other natural resources, and I have asked that it do so. Here, then, for the first time, the orderly developemnt and planned conservative use of all our natural resources is presented as a single problem. One by one the individual tasks in this great problem have already been undertaken. One by one in practical fashion the methods of dealing with them were worked out. National irrigation has proved itself a success by its actual working. Again, actual experience has shown that the national forests will fulfill the larger purpose for which they were created. All who have thoughtfully studied the subject have come to see that the solution of the public lands question lies with the home maker, with the settler who lives on his land and that government control of the mineral fuels and the public grazing lands is necessary and inevitable. Each of these conclusions represented a movement of vast importance which would confer large benefits upon the nation, but which stood by itself. They are connected together into one great fundamental problem—that of the conservation of all our natural resources. Upon the wise solution of this, much of our future obviously depends. Even such questions as the regulation of railway rates and the control of corporations are in reality subsidiary to the primal problem of the preservation in the interests of the whole people of the resources that nature has given us. If we fail to solve this problem, no skill in solving the others will in the end avail us very greatly.

Now as to the matter of taxation. Most great civilized countries have an income tax and an inheritance tax. In my judgment both should be part of our system of federal taxation. I speak diffidently about the income tax because one scheme for an income tax was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court by a five to four vote; and in addition it is a difficult tax to administer in its practical workings, and great care would have to be exercised to see that it was not evaded by the very man whom it is most desirable to have taxed, for if so evaded it would of course be worse than no tax at all, as the least desirable of all taxes is the tax which bears heavily upon the honest as compared with the dishonest man. Nevertheless, a graduated income tax of the proper type would be a desirable peramnent feature of federal taxation, and I still hope that one may be devised which the supreme court will declare constitutional.

Inheritance Tax.

In my judgment, however, the inheritance tax is both a far better method of taxation, and far more important for the purpose I have in view—the purpose of having the swollen fortunes of the country bear in proportion to their size a constantly increasing burden of taxation. These fortunes exist solely because of the protection given the owners by the public. They are a constant source of care and anxiety to the public and it is eminently just that they should be forced to pay heavily for the protection given them. It is, of course, elementary that the nation has the absolute right to decide as to the terms upon which any man shall receive a bequest or devise from another. We have repeatedly placed such laws on our own statute books, and they have repeatedly been declared constitutional by the courts. I believe that the tax should contain the progressive principle. Whatever any individual receives, whether by gift, bequest, or devise, in life or in death, should, after a certain amount is reached, be increasingly burdened; and the rate of taxation should be increased in proportion to the remoteness of blood of the man receiving from the man giving or devising. This principle of this progressive taxation of inheritance has not only been authoritatively recognized by the legislation of congress, but it is now unequivocally adopted in the leading civilized nations of the world—in, for instance, Great Britain, France and Germany. Switzerland led off with the imposition of high progressive rates. Great Britain was the first of the great nations to follow suit, and within the last few years both France and Germany have adopted the principle. In Great Britain all estates worth $5,000 or less are practically exempt from death duties, while the increase is such that when an estate exceeds $5,000,000 in value and passes to a distant kinsman or stranger in blood the government receives nearly 18 per cent. In France, under the progressive system, so much of an inheritance as exceeds $10,000,000 pays over 20 per cent. to the state if it passes to a distant relative, and five per cent. if it passes to a direct heir. In Germany very small inheritance are exempt, but the tax is so sharply progressive that an inheritance not in agricultural or forest lands which exceeds $250,000, if it goes to distant relatives, is taxed at the rate of about 25 per cent. The German law is of special interest, because it makes the inheritance tax an imperial measure, while allotting to the individual states of the empire a portion of the proceeds and permitting them to impose taxes in addition to those imposed by the imperial government. In the United States the national government has more than once imposed inheritance taxes in addition to those imposed by the states, and in the last instance about one-half of the states levied such taxes concurrently with the national government, making a combined maximum rate, in some cases as high as 25 per cent.; and, as a matter of fact, several states adopted inheritance tax laws for the first time while the national law was still in force and unrepealed. The French law has one feature which is to be heartily commended. The progressive principle is so applied that each higher rate is imposed only on the excess above the amount subject to the next lower rate. This plan is peculiarly adapted to the working out of the theory of using the inheritance tax for the purpose of limiting the size of inheritable fortunes, since the progressive increase in the rates, according to this mode, may be carried to its logical conclusion in a maximum rate of nearly 100 per cent. for the amount in excess of a specified sum, without being confiscatory as to the rest of the inheritance; for each increase in rate would apply only to the amount above a certain maximum.

WAR HEROES HONORED

MONUMENTS ERECTED TO NOTED SOLDIERS AND SEAMAN.

Statue to Gen. Lawton, Who Fell in the Philippines, Unveiled at Indianapolis by President Roosevelt.

Indianapolis, Ind.—That patriotism in this country is not at a low ebb is indicated by the number of memorials to heroes and statesmen recently erected. There is a close connection between patriotism and art. One is especially reminded of this in the study of ancient countries, and it is becoming more and more true of America. The fact has been emphasized within a short time by the unveiling of a statue of Commodore John Barry in Philadelphia and the completion by Karl Bitter of a statue of Gen. Franz Sigel for a site on Riverside Drive. Further emphasis was added with the unveiling on May 30 at Indianapolis of a statue of Gen. Henry W. Lawton, at which the president made an important address.

Gen. Lawton was a soldier of the civil war, saw service in the Spanish-American war, and was killed while fighting in the Philippines. The republic has many memorials of soldiers of the revolution and the civil war, but as yet few erected in honor of heroes of battle for the flag in the faraway islands of the east. Special interest attaches to the memorial unveiled at Indianapolis for this reason.

Gen. Lawton, who was born at Manhattan, O., in 1843, began his military career as an enlisted man in a volunteer regiment in 1861 and held the rank of major general of volunteers when his life was ended by a Filipino bullet on December 10, 1899. His commission as a brigadier general in the regular service was being prepared when he was shot. When war with Spain broke out he was in demand in the field, for he had enjoyed not only a civil war experience, but a career as an Indian fighter on the plains of the west. One of the famous episodes of his career was his pursuit and capture of Geronimo. He was in command of the second division of the fifth army corps before Santiago, and on the conclusion of peace was transferred to the Philippines.

He captured Santa Cruz, a Filipino stronghold, April 10, 1899, and San Isidro on May 15, and on June 1 was placed in command at Manila. He had begun an offensive campaign looking toward the capture of Aguinaldo when he was killed while directing an attack upon the insurgents in an engagement near San Mateo, about 15 miles from Manila. A monument was erected by American soldiers at the spot where he fell. This memorial is in the shape of a pyramid 15 feet high. On the top an old Spanish cannon is mounted, surrounded by four modern shells. The brave commander was greatly beloved by the soldiers who fought with him in Cuba and the Philippines, and his character was most highly esteemed by President Roosevelt, his comrade in Cuba, a fact that led the latter to accept the invitation to make the principal address at the unveiling ceremonies at Indianapolis.

The equestrian statute of Gen. Franz Sigel has engaged the best efforts of Mr. Bitter since he received the commission for the work about three years ago. The unveiling ceremonies will occur in October next. The site for the memorial is Riverside Drive, and it will be one more important adornment for a locality that has already come to be known as the Acropolis of New York.

Lawton Monument in Indianapolis.

The Barry statue was presented to the city of Philadelphia by the Society of Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, of which the naval hero was a member. It is of bronze and of heroic size and stands in front of Independence hall, where it was unveiled on March 16 by a great-great-grandniece of Barry, 12-year-old Miss Elsie Hazel Hepburne. Barry is often called "the Father of the American Navy," and his right to the title was defended by Rear-Admiral George W. Melville, retired, in an address which was the leading feature of the unveiling ceremonies. Barry was born in Ireland in 1745 and came to the colonies when 15 years old. He commanded the first ship that flew the continental flag and captured the first vessel taken by an American warship.

GRANT'S OLD HOME IN ST. LOUIS.

Cottage Once Occupied by Great Soldier and Traded for a Farm.

St. Louis.—While modern brick dwellings have sprung up on all sides in the vicinity of Tenth and Barton streets, there remains standing two doors west of the corner an antiquated little wooden cottage, guarded by memories so sacred that the hand of the despoiler has never dared to raise against it.

Grant's Old St. Louis Home.

The humble structure was the abode of Gen. Ulysses S. Grant, soldier, statesman and president of the United States, and, it is believed, was the birthplace of Gen. Frederick Grant, the revered soldier's son.

The fact that the cottage was once owned by Gen. Grant was brought to light by a recent article in a St. Louis paper, stating that a patriotic wave of reverence for the name of Grant had started in St. Louis and was being fostered by the Grant Cabin association, which plans to restore Grant's log cabin on the fair grounds to its original site on the Grant farm in St. Louis county, near Fenton.

Mrs. Philomena Hollweg, of 1002 Barton street, one door east of Grant's former abode, which she owns, noticed the article and communicated with the paper, stating the fact and giving what scraps of its history she recalls.

The little structure has a ground floor containing four small rooms. An attic room is reached by a narrow flight of rickety wooden stairs.

The house was occupied by Mrs. Hollweg and her husband for many years after they acquired it in 1865, for $3,025 from the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph W. White.

White obtained the house from Grant, according to the tradition, in exchange for the farm in the county on which Grant built in 1854 the famous log cabin.

SECRETARY STRAUS' WIFE.

Only Jewess Among Cabinet Ladies Is a Beautiful and Cultured Woman.

Washington.—The wife of the new secretary of commerce and labor is many years younger than her husband. Mrs. Straus was one of the beauties of New York Jewish circles, and her 20 years of married life have left her still a queenly and beautiful woman. She possesses rare culture and shares with her husband the genius of diplomacy. As Miss Sarah Lavenburg she was known for her graces and charities.

For many years after her marriage, Mrs. Straus devoted her entire attention to the care and education of her daughters, and it was not until President Cleveland sent her husband as minister to Turkey that she found a field for her broader sense of diplomacy. Oscar Straus and his brother, Nathan, fought hard for the election of Cleveland, and it is a strange coincidence that Oscar Straus should have accepted a cabinet position under a Republican president, though a Democrat, while his brother declined one under the president they both helped to elect.

MRS. OSCAR STRAUS.
(Wife of New Secretary of Commerce and Labor.)

Washington is the most cosmopolitan city in America and Mrs. Straus will not find thorns in the path of social success. Her own frank and open manner will win her friends, and her fine intelligence will lead her unerringly through the maze of diplomatic amenities, obligations and intricacies, in which she is already a skillful and exceptional sailor.

Sporting Gossip.

"Don't let anyone tell you Jim Jeffries will ever fight again," says Arthur Crane, former amateur middleweight champion. "He will never again draw on a boxing glove. Jim told me so, and I believe him. All the talk of Jeff's returning to the ring is just circulated to get him a few of these $1,000 refereeing jobs. It keeps his name before the public and boosts things nicely. I don't think Jeff could ever again get in shape for a battle. He is huge and soft, lazy and comfortable, and he doesn't even think of fighting. He's not broke, either—still has money put away, and has a farm worth keeping. If he takes up the boxing game in Los Angeles—runs a club there—he will make a fortune, for the people have full confidence in him and have lost faith in Tom McCarey. Tom's all right, I guess—only I was a bit puzzled by a certain fighter who, the day he reached Los Angeles, came to see me. This boy said he had seen McCarey, and that Tom said to him: 'Well, do you wish to win or lose?' What did he mean by that, I wonder?"

Adrian Joss, pitcher of the Cleveland club, of the American league, is a native of Juneau, Wis., where he was born 26 years ago. He pitched for the Sacred Heart college team, of Watertown, Wis., and after leaving that institution, taught school until he joined the Sheboygan (Wis.) club, from which he graduated to the Toledo team in 1900, remaining with it for two seasons, although farmed out for a time. In 1903 he commenced his Cleveland career and developed into one of the premier pitchers of the profession. His 1906 record was 21 victories and nine defeats, ranking third among the regulars, according to Secretary McRoy's figures. This season he won ten straight games for his team before he was beaten.

Adrian Joss.

Jack Munroe, the erstwhile fighter and the only man who ever put Jim Jeffries on his knees in a prize ring, is fast becoming a wealthy man. He has returned to the mines with profit. Munroe's jump into pugilistic fame was when, six years ago, he held his own with Jeffries, who shortly afterward put him away with ease. Later Jack Johnson made Munroe look like a novice in a six-round bout in Philadelphia. Contrary to the general opinion, Munroe is an intelligent fellow, and writes a beautiful hand. He is now in Halleybury, Ontario, the heart of the Cobalt district. Speaking of his newly found source of profit, Munroe says:

"Yes, I'm a regular miner once more. I've quit the fighting game for good. No more of the biff, bang, hiff sport for yours truly. Yes, I've finished with the fighting game," he went on. "I'm up here in a cobalt district. I've got a great proposition. Myself and a couple of fellows took a chance. We went up there about two years ago on a hunting trip. You know I have worked in the mines all my life. Well, I discovered some rich silver ore. We staked off a claim, bought the land and began working it."

Again Munroe smiled.

"Good mine, you ask?" repeated Jack. "Well, any time I sell out I'll be fixed for life. I have made a fortune in two years. We are just beginning to get the real results now. I think when we counted up about a week ago we were $340,000 winner. Not bad, eh?

"I'm going back to New York some day in my own private car. They kidded me after Jeff beat me. Well, they can kid me now if they want to. I've got the coin and kidding is a pleasure now. They can talk about they'd rather be a lamppost on Broadway than a king anywhere else. Well, that stuff might go for some, but I'd rather be a little mine owner up there in Cobalt than anything else. It's great. Take it from me."

The Steubenville club, of the P.-O.-M. league, has been strengthened by the addition of infielder Otto Kruger, who played with East Liverpool last year, was drafted by Kansas City and released to Steubenville. Pitcher Buckley, of Harrisburg, and catcher McCown, of the Jersey City team, have been also secured.

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SUBTERRANEAN RIVERS.

Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open wall. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

A QUEER POKER GAME

IT WAS PLAYED BY TWO STOCKMEN IN A DENVER HOTEL.

The Turn That Came When the Fortunes of Both Men Were Piled on the Table—A Side Bet and a Card That Was Not Shown to the Board.

The old St. James hotel in Denver was one of the landmarks of the city for over a quarter of a century, and many famous sporting men were among its guests. Numerous stories are told of the "stiff" poker games that used to be played there in the late eighties and early nineties of the last century.

A game was played one night between two stockmen, a banker and a mining man. The story goes that the mining man and the banker played until they were "all in," leaving the two stockmen to battle it out. It came up to the "consolation" jack pot, and those who had lingered to see the finish were not disappointed when they expected something spectacular to take place The stakes were running high, the ante being $500, with no betting limit. One of the stockmen opened for $2,500 and was promptly raised before the draw. Then there followed a series of raises and counter raises until the pot contained $11,000 before cards were drawn.

"Gi' me that one," blandly announced the man who had "seen" the last raise. The dealer slipped one card across the table, laid the deck down, relighted his neglected cigar and said unconcernedly, "I'll play these."

Then the betting commenced in earnest. The player had opened, and he led off with $2,500 as a "feeler." The dealer raised a like amount, and the other fellow followed suit. It was plain that one or the other of the men was going to lose his fortune. Checks were written, torn up and made out for larger amounts, and finally mortgage papers on real estate and cattle were passed into the pot. Finally one man said to the other:

"Say, Henry, I'm going to stay with you until everything I've got, right down to the clothes on my back, is represented on the table. Now, I'm in doubt as to some of my property holdings, so I'll make you a proposition. Give me until tonight (it was then 4 a. m.) to find out just where I stand and we'll play the hand out. Meantime let us seal up my hand in one envelope, yours in another and the deadwood in still another. We'll leave the three envelopes in the office safe, to be delivered to both of us together."

The other player agreed, and envelopes and sealing wax were sent for. The hands and remaining cards in the deck were duly sealed and deposited as per arrangement.

Meantime friends of the two players endeavored to get the men together on some sort of compromise proposition, knowing full well that neither could afford to bank his entire fortune on a poker hand, leaving his family destitute, but both men were obdurate and would listen to no proposition to split the pot. An interested and expectant group gathered in the lobby about 8 o'clock in the evening, among them being the man who had opened the pot. They talked together in a friendly manner, speculating upon what would happen when the man who went to look up his assets returned. While they were talking he walked in.

"Well, Henry, I'm ready to resume our little argument," he announced in a matter of fact tone. Then the crowd repaired to the room where the game had been played. The man announced that he had $33,000 to "play back." Securities and certified checks representing this amount were piled on the table. Then, and not until then, did either of the men show signs of nervousness. The opener had drawn a check for $33,000 and started to tear it out of the book when the other man said in a slow, deliberate voice:

"Looks a little strong for either of us, doesn't it, Henry?"

"Well," rejoined the other man, toying with the check, "what would you consider a fair proposition at this stage of the game?"

"It's not gambling, I know," said the other, "but if you want to split the pot and"—

"She's split," calmly announced the man who had opened for $2,500. The currency, gold, checks, mortgage papers and securities were equally divided. Not a word was spoken. Silently the man who opened took up the envelopes, tore them open and laid the two hands on the table, faces downward.

"Bet you a cigar I had you beat," he bantered.

"You're called," said the other, turning over four cards, jacks and sixes. The opener also turned over four cards. They were jacks and sixes.

"I'll bet you," said the dealer, "a thousand dollars that I've still got you beat."

The other man peeped at a corner of his buried card, toyed a moment with a stack of currency and shoved $1,000 to the center. Then, without waiting for the man he had called to show his hole card, he turned up a four spot. The dealer looked at it, smiled, touched the bell and put his hand in the deck. He never told what the other card was.—Denver Times.

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A farmer who visited London for the first time was walking along Oxford street, filling his pipe, when a matchboy came up to him with the usual "Lights, sir?" The farmer took a box from the boy, extracted a match, lit his pipe and handed the box back to the astonished lad, passing on with the remark, "Lor, what a wunnerful place Lunnon is, to be sure!"

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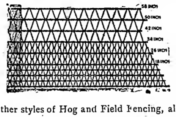

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THE LOCAL FIELD

ITEMS OF INTEREST DURING THE WEEK

Sheriff Nelson visited at Thief River Falls Monday.

Hon. Marcus Johnson was a visitor here last Friday.

C. Weiner, of Thief River Falls, was a caller here Saturday.

A. P. Toupin was a Crookston visitor last Thursday evening.

Attorney F. A. Grady was a business caller at St. Hilaire Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nap Miller of St. Hilaire are spending the week here.

Neil Kehoe spent Monday night at Crookston looking after business matters.

W. H. Krueger was a business visitor at Crookston over last Friday night.

Fred Borchers spent last Friday night looking after business matters in Crookston.

Harry E. Ives is spending the week here looking at the tournament attractions.

Joseph Juneau a Thief River Falls hotel man spent Sunday with friends in this city.

Nels Holberg and son, Arthur, are here from Grand Forks spending the week with relatives.

Mike Burns, a prominent Thief Riverite, has spent the past week here, a guest of Sheriff Nelson.

J. E. Buskirk was in from Plummer over Saturday visiting with his family and attending the ball game.

Ed Brouilet drove up from Dugdale Sunday to take in tho ball game between McIntosh and Red Lake Falls.

C. L. Hanson, St. Hilaire's bank magnate, is here attending the tournament and greeting his many friends.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher, dentist, of Grand Forks will be at Dr. Wilkinstn's office Saturday and Monday, June 22 and 24. Call on him.

James H. Cross and wife, of Grand Forks are tournament week guests at the home of Mrs. Cross' parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Pirath.

For Sale—A brand new, good weight, double driving harness, well finished. Will be sold cheap—Apply to Mrs. Anna Mikkleson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allard, of Ripple, Itasca county, arrived Monday to spend a couple of weeks with Red Lake Falls relatives and friends.

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Information regarding good farm that is for sale and which can be bought of owner. No agents need answer. Wish to hear from owner only willing to close his own deal and save buyer paying big commission and fancy price to some agent. Would also like to hear of good small business for sale by owner.

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For Sale—Cook stove, coal stove, center table, half dozen chairs, three rockers and numerous other articles to be sold at once.—See J. B. Armstrong.

Mose Verboncour, of Grand Forks, is a guest this week, at the home of his daughters in this city, and incidentally taking in the sights of the tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Brunelle came over from Blackduck Monday morning and are spending tournament week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brunelle.

Frank A. Grady arrived home Friday morning from St. Paul where he spent all of last week in attendance at the grand lodge of Odd Fellows of Minnesota.

N. A. Nelson, father of the sheriff, of Thief River, and Mrs. Holm of Roseau, a sister of Mrs. Nelson's are guests of the Sheriff Nelson home this week, taking in the tournament sights.

Attorney Perl W. Mabey came down from Thief River Falls Monday night on professional business and remained a day or two to look at the sights incident to tournament week.

M. S. Leavitt, wife and daughters, Miss Beryl and Miss Blanche, of Park Rapids, are spending tournament week at the home of Mrs. Leavitt's brother, Attorney Chas. E. Boughton.

Miss Grace Iddings who has been teaching at Langdon, North Dakota for the past year, arrived here Saturday to spend a week or so with her many Red Lake Falls friends.

Ed Moran went down to St. Paul Saturday evening with another car of fat cattle for market. Ed has been doing a rushing business in the cattle buying line this summer and ships out several cars each month.

H. N. Johnson came over from Lankin, North Dakota, Saturday and is spending tournament week with his wife and baby at the Toupin home. "Jing" is in the banking business at Lankin and reports himself as doing very well.

Miss Lulu Fletcher arrived home Monday and will spend her summer vacation with her parents and Red Lake Falls friends. Miss Lulu has been very successful in her school work at Ely, which is very gratifying to her host of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Tibbetts arrived here Saturday from Flandreau, South Dakota, and will spend several months in Red Lake Falls. Mr. Tibbetts will probably not remain so long, but expects to be here a great part of the summer.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Thomas Forde, of Northwood, North Dakota, is here attending the tournament and assisting the local band in their concert work. Tommy played with the band on two different occasions last year and made many friends among the boys.

Editor Anthony LaFreniere and wife, of Grand Rapids, Miss Emily LaFreniere who has been teaching near that place for several months past and Miss Flora Whitford of Northome, arrived here Monday evening and are spending tournament week at the home of Mrs. O. LaFreniere in this city.

The open air concert by the band last Thursday evening was listened to by a good sized number of towns-people and the music was thoroughly enjoyed by all. This was the band's first appearance under the leadership of Prof. Maxwell and a marked improvement was noticeable in the bank's work.

J. A. Bray and wife, of Blackduck are guests of Red Lake Falls relatives during the tournament week, and of course are enjoying themselves. Joe showed the Red Lake Falls boys a good time when they visited Blackduck two years ago, and the people here are pleased to return the compliment.

Rev. H. W. Knox and family expect to leave next week for Green Bay, Wis., where Mr. Knox takes the pastorate of the Presbyterian church. Green Bay is a city of 25,000 and the church work there is in good condition. With Mr. Knox' ability as a preacher and business manager there is every reason to hope for substantial growth.

Spectator: The saw mill building has been sold to the Red Lake milling company and will be taken down. Foreman Norman came up from Crookston on Tuesday and with a crew of ten men started work tearing the building down. The planing mill or other buildings are not, we understand, included in the deal.

Plummer Pioneer: S. O. Locken manager for the Clearwater Mercantile Co. arrived here on Tuesday afternoon to get ready for opening up the new store. On Wednesday the directors of the company met with Mr. Locken and began preparation for starting up in business. They have secured the Reed building, and fixtures are being constructed rapidly. Mr. Locken says he expects the store will be ready for business in another week.

Beginning July 1st all mail matters received at the local postoffice, and all other U. S. postoffices, must be counted and weighed, and a record kept of the class of each piece, whether postal card, letter, package etc. besides many other details. This work will greatly increase the labor of the postoffice force. The new ruling is made that the department may be supplied with data to ennable it to find the actual cost of handling mail throughout the country.

Henry J. Kaufer arrived here Saturday evening from Calgary, N. W. T. and is spending tournament week with his relatives and many Red Lake Falls friends. Next week Mr. Kaufer will pack his barber fixtures and ship them to Calgary, where he and Henry Bray will set up and go into business together. They have secured a very desirable location in that rapidly growing city and expect to do a great big business from the start. Mr. Knufer reports Red Lake Falls people in Calgary as well and prospering.

In addition to procuring the cream of negro talent, Richards & Pringle's Famous Georgia minstrels introduce a sensational offering in Marsh Craig, "The Human Enigma" Kirk, the Musical Acrobat; Arthur Prince, Hoop Controler; Clarence Powell, the Sidewalk Talker; Fred Simpson, Trombone Soloist; and the Big Six song and dance, belles and beaux. The vocal part of the program is claimed to be exceptionally strong while the musical numbers will excel anything attempted by the minstrel shows. Never was such a remarkable offering of novolties, embracing such a tempting array of good things as will be seen at the Opera House, June 24.

A meeting of the Adams Presbytery will be held at Crookston next Monday evening when the resignation of Rev. H. W. Knox as pastor of the Presbyterian church will be taken up and acted upon. As stated in the columns several weeks ago Rev. Knox has been made a very flattering offer to take charge of the Presbyterian pastorate at Green Bay, Wisconsin, and while he has been a very active member of the Adams Presbytery, and the members are loathe to see him leave, it is very probable that his resignation will be accepted. The new field will be a much better one for Mr. Knox and there are none who know him but what are pleased at his chance of advancement.

GETS STATE JOB

James E. Ford of this City, Appointed as Special Examiner by Capt. Schaefer.

James E. Ford of this city received word from Public Examiner Anton Schaefer that he had been appointed as a special assistant examiner under chapter 344, laws of 1907, for townships and school districts. Mr. Ford immediately sent in his acceptance and expects to go to St. Paul next week to familiarize himself with his new duties and prepare to qualify.

The Red Lake Falls people will be extremely pleased to learn of Jim's good fortune, as the appointment carries with it a very substantial salary and is work of a nature that Mr. Ford is especially fitted for. He does not expect to remove his family to St. Paul for the present at least, but probably will later in the summer.

THE GAZEELE is pleased to see Jim land this nice job, and it knows that the confidence is not misplaced. There are no better accountants or office men in the state than this same Ford and it is a modest prediction to say that he will be eminently successful.

Thief River Press: The local telephone exchange has been sold by H. Fant to J. M. Bishop for a consideration of $20,000. The deal grew out of the bill in equity filed at Fergus Falls by the Tri-State Telephone company to secure the plant on a mortgage held by the company and which they claimed was in danger of becoming of no value because of alleged acts of omission and commission by Mr. Fant. Mr. Bishop announces that the system will be improved and put in good condition and by so doing, he trusts to put at an end to all controversy over the granting of another franchise, and thus insure the city, having but one telephone system, which is enough for any town.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls, July 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

Fresh fancy cookies, a big stock just received at Freund's. Call in and see them.

The TOURNAMENT

Be sure to visit the greatest value giving store in the county—THE BIG STORE. We are making preparations for the greatest clearing sale this city has ever seen. This tournament week will wind up the spring business with us. Everything in the line of spring goods will be placed on tables with a closing price on ....

Men's Clothing

A magnificent display of KUPPENHEIMER clothes, the clothes of national reputation for fit and quality. We also offer 50 suits from past season's at ½ price. These 50 suits must be closed out between now and July 1st. These are men's and boys' suits of good quality, many being all wool.

Men's Straw Hats

A new stock at all prices. Last years hats at 25c each, many worth up to $1.50.

Ladies' Skirts

All wool skirts worth from $5.00 to $8.00. All must go at 2.98. All sizes. And they must go. Shirt waists, beautiful waists at $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.50. The famous DuBrok waists, best fitting waist made. Slightly soiled waists at 29c, 75c to $1.50 values. They too must go.

Remnant Sale

All short lengths in the store will be offered for sale at ½ their value.

Shoe Bargains

$3.50 shoes for $2.50. Men's, boys and misses muleskin slippers at 75c to $1.15 from $1.00 to $1.50. 10 per cent discount on patent leather slippers and oxfords. Come in and visit us anyhow even if you have nothing to buy. We will have resting seats for you and plenty of ice cold water to refresh you. So we say: "We will see you at the tournament."

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THE LIONS OF THE LORD

A TALE OF THE OLD WEST

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CHAPTER XXXVII.

[illegible] Carries Off His Spoil.

[illegible] later they heard the [illegible] and wheels. Follett [illegible] a light wagon with [illegible] driving into the meadows [illegible]. The driver was Seth [illegible] beside him he knew [illegible] Snow, the one they called [illegible] of Truth. The two [illegible] in Amalon, but he [illegible] names. [illegible] and went toward when [illegible] stopped, leaning casually [illegible]

[illegible] dead, but you can [illegible] bury him as soon as I get [illegible] out of the way around that [illegible] you've brought along [illegible]

[illegible] in the wagon looked at [illegible] and then climbed slowly [illegible]

"[illegible] who could 'a' left that there [illegible] the wagon?" began the Wild [illegible] the Mountains, a look of per[illegible] ding his ingenious face. [illegible] Entablature of Truth was less [illegible] for idle talk.

"[illegible] did you say you'd get out of [illegible] young man?"

"[illegible] Mrs. Rool Follett."

"[illegible] Prudence Rae?"

"[illegible] her that was Prudence [illegible]"

[illegible] faced his companion the [illegible] a [illegible] speculative [illegible] at length to his companion [illegible]

"[illegible] to this burying," he [illegible]

"[illegible]," said Follett.

[illegible] him go to Prudence, raise [illegible] ground, put a saddle [illegible] her arm, and lead her [illegible] the road around a turn that [illegible] a clump of the oak [illegible]

"[illegible]," said Wright, with a [illegible] at Entablature of [illegible] as if he had divined his [illegible]

"[illegible] know why not?" retorted [illegible]

"[illegible] has changed this [illegible]"

"[illegible] almost do itself," insisted [illegible] "What say, Rimes?" and he [illegible] to one of the others.

"[illegible] all right," answered the man [illegible] "By heck! but that's a [illegible] he carries!"

[illegible] Taggart [illegible]

"[illegible] take me, Bishop! No—[illegible] dead faces looking at [illegible] from this place. I'm haunted [illegible], like he said he was [illegible] by God! I sometimes [illegible] and my [illegible] to get away from the [illegible]

"[illegible] Well, I'll [illegible] You don't need to help." [illegible] well enough alone, [illegible]" interposed Wright. [illegible] well enough. Think of [illegible] to a low cuss of a Gen[illegible] Brigham wants her. Why, [illegible] such a caliber [illegible] Brigham didn't want [illegible]

"[illegible] they got Brother Brig[illegible] to murder now [illegible] that Allen party."

"[illegible] He'll get off."

"[illegible] will, but it's because he's [illegible] You ain't. You're just a [illegible] country bishop. Don't you [illegible] throw you to the Gentile [illegible] quicker'n a wink if he [illegible] just like he'll do with [illegible] the minute George A. [illegible] so that the chain will be [illegible] Lee and Brigham?"

[illegible] made this cuss hes got [illegible] Glines.

"[illegible] know but the girl?" Snow [illegible] "And Brother Brigham would fix her all right—is the houshold of faith to be spoiled?"

"[illegible] they got a railroad coming through it now," said Wright, "and a telegraph, and a lot of soldiers. So don't you count on me, Brother Snow, at any stage of it now or afterwards. I got a pretty sizable family that would hate to lose me. Look out. Here he comes."

Follett now came up, speaking in a cheerful manner that nevertheless chilled even the enthusiasm of the good Bishop Snow.

"Now, gentlemen, just by way of friendly advice to you—like as not I'll be stepping in front of some of you in the next hour. But it isn't going to worry me any, and I'll tell you why. I'd feel awful sad for you all if anything was to happen to me—if the Injuns got me or I was took bad with a chill or a jackrabbit crept up and bit me to death, or anything. You see, there's a train of 25 big J. Murphy wagons will be along here over the San Bernardino trail. They are coming out of their way, almost any time now, on purpose to pick me up. Fact is my ears have been picking up all morning to hear the old bull-whips crack. There were 31 men in the train when they went down, and there may be more coming back. It's a train of Ezra Calkins, my adopted father. You see, they know I've been here on special business, and I sent word the other day I was about due to finish it, and they wasn't to go through coming back without me. Well that half outfit will stop for me—and they'll see me or get pay for me. That's their orders. And it isn't a train of women and babies either. They're such an outrageous rough lot, quick-tempered and all that, that they wouldn't believe the truth that I had an accident—not if you swore it on a stack of Mormon bibles topped off by the life of Joe Smith. They'd go right out and make Amalon look like a whole cavayard of razor-hoofed buffaloes had raced back and forth over it. And the rest of the 2,000 men on Ezra Calkins' pay roll would come hanging around pestering you all with Winchesters. They'd make you scratch gravel, sure!

"Now, let's get to work. I see you'll be awful careful and tender with me. I'll bet I don't get even a sprained ankle. You folks get him, and I'll show you where he said the place was."

Two hours later Follett came running back to where Prudence lay on the saddle blanket in the warm morning sun.

"The wagon train is coming—hear the whips? Now, look here, why don't we go right on with it, in one of the big wagons? They're coming back light, and we can have a J. Murphy that's bigger than a whole lot of houses in this country. You don't want to go back there, do you?"

She shook her head.

"No, it would hurt me to see it now. I should be expecting to see him at every turn. Oh, I couldn't stand that—poor sorry little father!"

"Well, then, leave it all; leave the place to the women, and good riddance, and come off with me. I'll send one of the boys back with a pack mule for any plunder you want to bring away, and you needn't ever see the place again."

She nestled in his arms, feeling in her grief the comfort of his tenderness.

"Yes, take me away now."

The big whips could be heard plainly, cracking like rifle shots, and shortly came the creaking and hollow rumbling of the wagons and the cries of the teamsters to their six-mule teams. There were shouts and calls, snatches of song from along the line, then the rattling of harness, and in a cloud of dust the train was beside them, the teamsters sitting with rounded shoulders up under the bowed covers of the big wagons.

A hail came from the rear of the train and a bronzed and bearded man in a leather jacket cantered up on a small pinto.

"Hello, there, Rool! I'm whoopin' glad to see you!"

He turned to the driver of the foremost wagon.

"All right, boys! We'll make a lay-by for noon."

Follett shook hands with him heartily, and turned to Prudence.

"This is my wife, Lew. Prudence, this is Lew Steffins, our wagon master."

"Shoo, now!—you young cub—married? Well, I'm right glad to see Mrs. Rool Follett—and bless your heart, little girl!"

"Did you stop back there at the settlement?"

"Yes: and they said you'd hit the pike about dark last night, to chase a crazy man. I told them I'd be back with the whackers if I didn't find you. I was afraid some trouble was on, and here you're only married to the sweetest thing that ever—why, she's been crying! Anything wrong?"

"No: never mind now, anyway. We're going on with you, Lew."

"Bully proud to have you. There's that third wagon—"

"Could I ride in that?" asked the girl, looking at the big, lumbering conveyance, doubtfully.

"It carried 6,000 pounds of freight to Los Angeles, little woman," answered Steffins, promptly, "and I guess you to heft over 28 or 30 at the outside. I'll have the box filled in with spruce boughs and a lot of nice bunch grass, and put some comforts over that, and you'll be snug and tidy. You won't starve, either, not while there's meat running."

"And, say, Lew, she's got some stuff back at that place. Let the extra hand ride back with a packjack and bring it on. She'll tell him what to get."

"Sure! Tom Callahan can go."

"And give us some grub, Lew. I've hardly had a bite since yesterday morning."

An hour later, when the train was nearly ready to start, Follett took his wife to the top of the ridge and showed her, a little way below them, the cedar at the foot of the sandstone ledge. He stayed back, thinking she would wish to be there alone. But when she stood by the new grave she looked up and beckoned to him.

"I wanted you by me," she said, as he reached her side. "I never knew how much he was to me. He wasn't big and strong like other men, but now I see that he was very dear and more than I suspected. He was quiet and always so kind—I don't remember that he was ever stern with me once. And though he suffered from some great sorrow and from sickness, he never complained. He wouldn't even admit he was sick, and he always tried to smile in that little way he had, so gentle. Poor, sorry little father!—and yesterday not one of them would be his friend. It broke my heart to see him there so wistful when they turned their backs on him. Poor little man! And see, here's another grave all grown around with sage and the stones worn smooth; but there's the cross he spoke of. It must be some one that he wanted to lie beside. Poor little sorry father! Oh, you will have to be so much to me!"

The train was under way again. In the box of the big wagon, on a springy couch of spruce boughs and long bunch grass, Prudence lay at rest, hurt by her grief, yet soothed by her love, her thoughts in a whirl about her.

Follett, mounted on Dandy, rode beside her wagon.

"Better get some sleep yourself, Rool," urged Steffins.

"Can't Lew. I ain't sleepy. I'm too busy thinking about things, and I have to watch out for my little girl there. You can't tell what these cusses might do."

"There's 30 of us watching out for her now, young fellow."

"There'll be 31 till we get out of this neighborhood, Lew."

He lifted up the wagon cover softly a little later, and found that she slept. As they rode on, Steffins questioned him.

"Did you make that surround you was going to make, Rool?"

"No, Lew, I couldn't. Two of them was already under, and, honest, I couldn't have got the other one any more than you could have shot your kid that day he up-ended the gravy dish in your lap."

"Hell!"

"That's right! I hope I never have to kill anyone, Lew, no matter how much I got a right to. I reckon it always leaves uneasy feelings in a man's mind."

Eight days later a tall, bronzed young man with yellow hair and quick blue eyes, in what an observant British tourist noted in his journal as "the not unpicturesque garb of a border ruffian," helped a dazed but very pretty young woman on to the rear platform of the Pullman car attached to the east-bound overland express at Ogden.

As they lingered on the platform before the train started they were hailed and loudly cheered, averred the journal of this same Briton, "by a crowd of the outlaw's companions, at least a score and a half of most disreputable-looking wretches, unshaven, roughly dressed, heavily booted, slouch-hatted (they swung their hats in a drunken frenzy), and to this rough ovation the girl, though seemingly a person of some decency, waved her handkerchief and smiled repeatedly, though her face had seemed to be sad and there were tears in her eyes at that very moment."

At this response from the girl, the journal went on to say, the ruffians had redoubled their drunken pandemonium. And as the train pulled away, to the observant tourist's marked relief, the young outlaw on the platform had waved his own hat and shouted as a last message to one "Lew," that he "must not let Dandy get gandered up," nor forget "to tie him to grass."

Later, as the train shrieked its way through Echo canyon, the observant tourist, with his double-visored plaid cap well over his face, pretending to sleep overheard the same person across the aisle say to the girl:

"Now we're on our own property at last. For the next 60 hours we'll be riding across our own front yard—and there ain't any keys and passwords and grips here, either—just a plain Almighty God with no nonsense about Him."

Whereupon had been later added to the journal a note to the effect that Americans are not only quite as prone to vaunt and brag and tell big stories as other explorers had asserted, but that in the west they were ready blasphemers.

Yet the couple minded not the observant tourist, and continued to enlarge and complicate his views of American life to the very bank of the Missouri. Unwittingly, however, for they knew him not nor saw him nor heard him, being occupied with the matter of themselves.

"You'll have to back me up when we get to Springfield," he said to her one late afternoon, when they neared the end of their exciting journey. "I've heard that old Grandpa Corson is mighty peppery. He might take you away from me."

Her eyes came in from the brown rolling of the plain outside to light him with their love; and then, the lamps having not yet been lighted, the head of grace nestled suddenly on its pillow of brawn with only a tremulous sigh of security for answer.

This brought his arm quickly about her in a protecting clasp, plainly in the sidelong gaze of the now scandalized but not less observant tourist.

THE END.

Fatal.

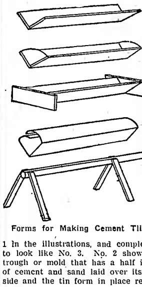
"I see some one declares that the quick lunch is responsible for many divorces."

"I don't know about that, but I know it makes lots of widows."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

MAKING TILE CEMENT.

It Is Easy Work When the Knack Has Been Learned.

It is surprising how fast one may make tile when once the knack is learned. Make a half dozen little troughs two feet long inside and three inches deep if you are to make a three-inch tile, and four inches deep for four-inch tile. These are quickly nailed together and are begun like No. 1 in the illustrations, and completed to look like No. 3. No. 2 shows a trough or mold that has a half inch of cement and sand laid over its inside and the tin form in place ready to cover with the same material.



Forms for Making Cement Tile.

After the six are filled, the first one may be set hard enough to turn out on some straw to fill again, says Farm and Home. But the tin lining must not be withdrawn until it is hard. One needs a large number of the tins, which can be made out of second-hand tin roof or any tin or stovepipe. They must be just two feet long so they will fit into the troughs.

To make them rapidly, select a sound pole and saw off six feet of it where it is three inches thick. Then nail legs to one end and at a point two and one-half feet from the other end. This leaves a horse that has a horn projecting on which the tin may be readily malleted. Shave the horse flat on top between the legs, to work on. First cut the sheet two feet long and putting the edges together, mallet it together through the middle lengthwise. Then spring it open on the horn and round it over so it will lap well at the top. It must not be riveted because it is to be sprung to take it out when the tile is hard. The tin is shown completed at No. 4 and the horse at No. 5.

The new tile must dry and season slowly so it will not check. To accomplish this sprinkle occasionally with water. I prefer tile that is triangular in shape inside as it runs a deep current of water when laid edge down and is less likely to clog and fill. If used in soil that works into the tile a little form may be cast to place over each joint or flat stones may be used.

CORN ROOT APHIS.

Treatment Which Will Secure Protection Against the Pest.

As a means of replying to very many requests received for full and precise directions for the treatment of seed corn as a protection against injury by the corn root aphis, the Illinois state entomologist, Dr. S. A. Forbes, has prepared the following careful directions. The quantities mentioned are sufficient to treat the seed corn necessary to plant about 45 acres. If a larger or smaller acreage is to be planted, each can easily figure the necessary amount for himself.

1. Mix one pint of pure oil of lemon with one gallon of denatured alcohol or wood alcohol.
2. Put one bushel of seed corn into a tub or half a barrel, or similar vessel large enough to allow vigorous stirring of the corn.
3. Measure out one and a half pints of the mixture of oil of lemon and alcohol.
4. Slowly sprinkle this mixture on the corn, at the same time stirring the latter vigorously with a stout paddle or stick. Do not let the oil collect at the bottom of the vessel for lack of stirring and thorough mixing: Stir vigorously until the oil is well distributed. It should not take five minutes to prepare a bushel of seed.
5. Put the corn thus prepared into a grain sack and it is ready to take to the field for planting. Keep this sack in the shade.
6. Do not prepare more than can be planted in a half a day, unless it is convenient to return to the crib at noon.

Certified Milk.

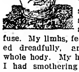
Certified milk is as clean as it is possible to make it. It is free from objectionable bacteria in quantities sufficient to do any harm and it is of uniform quality. To produce certified milk the animals must be healthy and clean, the premises must be clean, the utensils must be sterilized and every one who works with the milk must have clean hands and clean clothes. All this costs extra money, and the product must bring a higher price to make it pay.

68, BUT PERFECTLY WELL.

The Happy Experience of a New Castle, Pa., Woman.

Mrs. John Mansell, 614 So. Jefferson St., New Castle, Pa., says: "For years I was running down with kidney trouble without knowing what it was, and finally got so bad I was given up. The urinary passages were painful, sometimes scanty and again very profuse. My limbs, feet and ankles bloated dreadfully, and sometimes my whole body. My heart palpitated and I had smothering spells. A week's treatment with Doan's Kidney Pills helped me and a few boxes cured me. At 68 I am strong and well."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.



Wants the Rod Restored.

The Shanghai Times editor says: The jail has been well administered, but is fuller than it should be, due, I fear, to the abolition of the cangue and bamboo. The ordinary criminal has no great objection to repeated short visits to the jail, but shrinks from a repetition of corporal punishment. Punishment with the bamboo is in vogue throughout China, and here only has it by special edict been abolished. We deprecate the Chinese authorities making this settlement a field for experiment, and will press for the reintroduction of this salutary method of punishment.

An Artistic Idea.

"I don't mind paying for a picture if it's a good, natural likeness," said the rich man to the fashionable artist, to whom he was to sit for his portrait.

"O, it is quite characteristic and natural, I assure you," replied the artist. "I flatter myself that easy attitude with your hand in your pocket is quite a neat touch."

And so it proved when the bill came in.

Australia to Have Own Navy.

It is stated officially in London that the government has acceded to the wish of Australia to rescind her annual contribution of $1,000,000 toward a naval squadron for Australasia. The commonwealth will maintain its own navy.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Figures of Lumber Cutting.

Since 1880 more than 700,000,000,000 feet of timber have been cut in the United States for lumber alone, including 80,000,000,000 feet of coniferous stumpage estimate of the census in 1880.

Big Money for Cream.

Will pay more than you ever received for cream in summer. GET OUR OFFER. R. E. COBB, St. Paul, Minn.

No great excellence in any department of life is achieved without effort and training; attainment comes not by accident.—Bremner.

We Want Your Cream.

Write to-day for tags and prices. North Star Creamery Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Glass mirrors were known in A. D. 23, but the art of making them was lost and not recovered until 1300 in Venice.

Hides, Pelts and Wool.

To get full value, ship to the old reliable N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Many a girl's idea of doing good in the world is to marry a man to reform him.

We Pay Top Price for Cream.

Cash every day. Write for prices and tags. Miller & Holmes, St. Paul, Minn.

All men are equal—till they are found out.

Wonderful Engineering Work.

The admirable accuracy of the work of civil engineers of the best class is shown in the wonderfully slight deviation of the great Simplon tunnel from the calculations of the men who planned it and executed the work. The tunnel is 12½ miles long. It proved 31 inches longer than it was expected to be. When the two headings came together in the depths of the mountain their levels were less than 3½ inches apart.

What He Would Have Done.

Wilhelm—Well, old man, I haven't seen you for an age. And how do you find matrimony suits you?

Johann (sighing)—It's an expensive joy; if I had only known what I had to pay in millinery bills—

Wilhelm—You would have remained single, eh?

Johann—No, I would have married the milliner.—Lustige Blatter.

A Good Charger.

Client—Didn't you make a mistake in going into law instead of the army?

Lawyer—Why?

Client—By the way you charge, there would be little left of the enemy.

FITS, St. Vitus Dance and all Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for Free $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ld., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

We should do everything we can for others, if only to dissipate the thought of what they omit to do for us.—Madame Swetchine.

AFRAID OF PARALYSIS

A NERVOUS SUFFERER CURED BY DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

The Medicine That Makes Rich, Red Blood and Performs Wonders as a Tonic for the Nerves.

Why are nervous people invariably pale people?

The answer to that question explains why a remedy that acts on the blood can cure nervous troubles.

It explains why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are also for nervous people.

It is because of the intimate relation between the red corpuscles in the blood and the health of the nerves. The nervous system receives its nourishment through the blood. Let the blood become thin, weak and colorless and the nerves are starved—the victim is started on the road that leads to nervous wreck. Nervous people are pale people—but the pallor comes first. Enrich the blood and the nerves are stimulated and toned up to do their part of the work of the body. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make red blood and transform nervous, irritable, ailing people into strong, energetic, forceful men and women.

Mrs. Harriet E. Porter, of 20 Liberty avenue, South Medford, Mass., says:

"I had never been well from childhood and a few years ago I began to have dizzy spells. At such times I could not walk straight. I was afraid of paralysis and was on the verge of nervous prostration. Then neuralgia set in and affected the side of my face. The pains in my forehead were excruciating and my heart pained me so that my doctor feared neuralgia of the heart. I tried several different kinds of treatment but they did me no good.

"One day my son brought me some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and I found that they strengthened my nerves. I took several boxes and felt better in every way. There were no more dizzy attacks, the neuralgia left me and I have been a well woman ever since."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are invaluable in anæmia, rheumatism, after-effects of the grip and fevers and in sick headaches, nervousness, neuralgia, and even partial paralysis and locomotor ataxia.

Our booklet "Nervous Disorders, a Method of Home Treatment" will be sent free on request to anyone interested. Write for it today.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

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Ely's Cream Balm

is quickly absorbed.
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Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., N. Y.

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If afflicted with sore eyes, use Thompson's Eye Water

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

Is acknowledged to be the most successful remedy in the country for those painful ailments peculiar to women.

For more than 30 years it has been curing Female Complaints, such as Inflammation, and Ulceration, Falling and Displacements, and consequent Spinal Weakness, Backache, and is peculiarly adapted to the Change of Life.

LYDIA E. PINKHAM

Records show that it has cured more cases of Female Ills than any other one remedy known.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound dissolves and expels Tumors at an early stage of development. Dragging Sensations causing pain, weight, and headache are relieved and permanently cured by its use.

It corrects Irregularities or Painful Functions, Weakness of the Stomach, Indigestion, Bloating, Nervous Prostration, Headache, General Debility; also, Dizziness, Faintness, Extreme Lassitude, "Don't care and want to be left alone" feeling, Irritability, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Flatulency, Melancholia or the "Blues." These are sure indications of female weakness or some organic derangement.

For Kidney Complaints of either sex Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a most excellent remedy.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. for advice. She is the Mrs. Pinkham who has been advising sick women free of charge for more than twenty years, and before that she assisted her mother-in-law Lydia E. Pinkham in advising. Thus she is well qualified to guide sick women back to health. Her advice is free and always helpful.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

IDEAS FO THE HOSTESS

Manufacture of Potato Dolls Afforded Amusing Entertainment at One Luncheon—Celebration of Crystal Wedding—"Rag Party" a New Form of Diversion.

After a most delightful luncheon given by a talented hostess, this novel entertainment was provided. The repast had been served at small tables and we were told to retain our places while the young daughter of the house passed to each lady a well-washed potato of rather long, slender shape. Then each was given four small wire hairpins, four black-beaded tacks, two fancy paper napkins with gayly colored borders, and a supply of pins. There were scissors and tubes of library paste close at hand.

The instructions were to build a doll, a prize was offered for the best and poorest specimen. The ladies worked with amazing zeal for this going back to childhood days was thoroughly enjoyed. None of them had ever manufactured "potato" dolls before, but nearly every one confessed to the clothespin variety, and it was surprising to see the array of attractive little figures that emerged from the hands of these erstwhile creative artists.

The hairpins were used for arms and legs, the tacks made eyes, nose and mouth, and it was astonishing the variety of facial expressions achieved. All sorts of garments were made from the napkins, which were pinned and pasted into shape. There were wee babies, children, Japs in kimonas, sunbonnet toddlers, ladies of high and low degree, all acknowledging a common potato for their origin.

When the dolls were displayed upon a table the collection was so fascinating that one of the guests begged for it to be taken to a charity kindergarten in the slums. There the children hailed the treasures with delight and the teacher received an inspiration for a new diversion. The prizes awarded for the best doll was a large sweet potato pie piled high with fluffy meringue, made by a Kentucky "aunty;" the consolation offering was several quarts of new potatoes in a green basket tied with ribbon.

For a Crystal Wedding.

From a Canadian correspondent this time there comes a request for the description of the "Crystal" wedding which is the fifteenth anniversary. The invitations should be written, or, better still, engraved as for any evening party; if desired, the date of marriage and the present date may be at the head of the sheet so the guests may figure for themselves the occasion of the company.

Of course the dining-room table will be the center of attraction, and it should be kept as nearly all white as possible. Use a glass bowl filled with white roses or carnations sprinkled with diamond dust for the centerpiece; glass candlesticks with white shades. Cut glass or rock crystal (should the hostess be fortunate enough to possess it) should hold salted almonds and bonbons.

Serve a salad, sandwiches, ice cream or an ice in tall glasses. The candles placed around the rooms may be coated with diamond dust by first dipping them in mucilage; the effect is very pretty. Place cards may be treated in the same way, also tiny boxes filled with wedding cake; the monogram and date may be put on with gold paint; they make appropriate souvenirs.

Toasts to the host and hostess and a programme of well selected songs add much to the enjoyment of the evening. If desired, the bride and groom's cake may be baked in heart-shaped pans; they are newer than the round or square tins.

If expense does not enter into consideration in preparing for this occasion, the small hand mirrors (doll size) would be charming souvenirs. The date or name could be written on the glass or a card tied to the handle.

A "Rag" Party.

The word "thimbles" on the cards received by 20 young matrons who were frequently entertained at each others houses was the clew to the nature of the afternoon's occupation, but no one was prepared for the kind of sewing provided by the hostess.

"Of course you all know," she said, "that the very newest thing in the rug line is no more, no less, than the old-fashioned rag carpet of our grandmother's day? Only they are no longer carpets, but rugs." So saying she produced boxes of assorted colors of rags cut into strips. Only cotton pieces were used; bits of denim, gingham and outing flannel. They are called "Pilgrim" rugs and by some are designated as "arts and crafts." A pound and a half ball of rags weaves into a square yard rug. A very effective pattern is evolved by using blue rugs woven with a white warp and the ends finished with white knotted fringe. These rugs launder well and are especially adapted to bath and bed-rooms. There is such a rug epidemic sweeping over the land that several men I know have turned the key in their closets; one chap mournfully said that he had only one wearable set of pajamas left and one negligee shirt that "was any good," that his wife had confiscated everything else for her rugs, saying that "it was so much cheaper for her to make the floor coverings than to pay store prices." This man is still reflecting upon the queer notions his wife has of economy. At the shops these creations retail for a goodly sum, so if time is of no consequence a woman with the help of her friends at one or two "sewing bees" may furnish her chambers with very artistic and up-to-date rugs at small expense.

MADAME MERRI.

IN EMBROIDERED LINEN.

Cuffs and collars of embroidered linen to be worn with this summer's shirt waists.

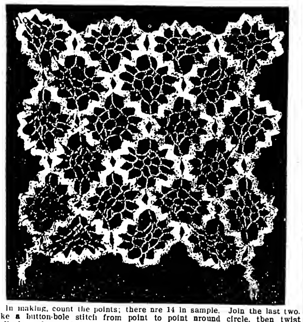
Mourning Hats.

Mourning hats have entirely changed in the last three years. Bonnets have become less frequent, as even widows are wearing hats with brims and net or grenadine veils, after three months of mourning. It is not considered necessary any longer for a woman under 50 to wear a tiny bonnet that just fits the head with its white ruching and strings tied under the chin.

For Tender Feet.

Rest the feet as much as possible by changing the shoes several times a day—even from an old one to a new one is a rest. The muscles of the foot tire in one position, and it is wonderful how a frequent change of shoes rests them. A few drops of ammonia added to the water in which you bathe your feet at night will help to make them comfortable.

Pretty Idea in Rick-Rack Lace



In making, count the points; there are 14 in sample. Join the last two. Make a button-hole stitch from point to point around circle, then twist needle in and out of the stitches (the same as overcasting a seam) all the way around. Draw smooth. It will look like a lace bar. Now make a button-hole stitch between every two points over bar, then run needle through stitches as before and draw up. You will see by the sample how to turn the braid. If you want larger circles count off more points. You can use a crochet hook the same as a needle.

CHOICE OF TWO EVILS.

Request That Was by No Means a Compliment for Papa.

A New York scientist, the father of a large and growing family, has his troubles: One evening his youngest was holding forth in her best style. The mother could do nothing with the child, so the man of science went to the rescue.

"I think I can quiet little Flora," he said. "There's no use humming to her in that silly way. What she wants is real music. The fact that I used to sing in the Glee club at Yale and sang well, too, may make a difference."

Accordingly, the professor took the child and, striding up and down the room, sang in his best manner. He had not finished the second verse of his song, when a ring was heard. The door was opened, and there stood a girl of 14, who said:

"I'm one of the family that's just moved into the flat next to yours. There's a sick person with us, and he says, if it's all the same to you, would you mind letting the baby cry instead of singing to it?"—Success.

ECZEMA COVERED BABY.

Worst Case Doctors Ever Saw—Suffered Untold Misery—Perfect Cure by Cuticura Remedies.

"My son, who is now twenty-two years of age, when four months old began to have eczema on his face, spreading quite rapidly until he was nearly covered. The eczema was something terrible, and the doctors said it was the worst case they ever saw. At times his whole body and face were covered, all but his feet. I used many kinds of patent medicines, to no avail. A friend teased me to try Cuticura. At last I decided to try Cuticura when my boy was three years and four months old, having had eczema all that time and suffering untold misery. I began to use all three of the Cuticura Remedies. He was better in two months; in six months he was well. Mrs. R. L. Risley, Piermont, N. H., Oct. 24, 1905."

PAT SET ONLY ONE LIMIT.

Would Quit When He Was Done With All Things Earthly.

A rich man out in the suburbs who owns a large place has among the many people employed to keep it in shape an Irishman of whom he is particularly fond on account of his unconscious wit, says Harper's Weekly. This Irishman is something of a hard drinker, and, as his income is limited, he is more particular as regards the quantity than the quality of his liquids. The other day the employer, who had been awaiting a good opportunity, remarked in a kind tone, as the closing sentence of a friendly lecture:

"Now, Pat, how long do you think you can keep on drinking this cheap whiskey?"

To which Pat instantly replied:

"All my life, if it doesn't kill me."

The Human Shield.

The advent of Decoration day caused Admiral Dewey, at a recent dinner, to praise the bravery of the American troops during the civil war.

"Both sides alike were brave," he said. "North and south, soldiers and sailors. And the bravery of the raw recruit was a thing to be seen to be believed.

"There used to be circulated, though, a good story about a Connecticut recruit. This young man, after he had gotten initiated, fought heroically; but in his first engagement he was very nervous.

"A chum of his was in the line ahead of him, and when the bullets began to fly, the chum began to dodge.

"Thereupon the recruit shouted excitedly:

"'Hey, Jim, don't duck. I'm behind ye.'"

Cheapens and Improves Coal.

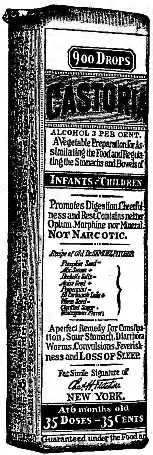
Consul General W. R. Holloway, of Halifax, says that the Canadian commercial agent at Manchester, England, reports an invention at that place for depriving soft coal of its most objectionable feature by abstracting the oils said to produce smoke, and calling the resulting article "coalite," which is something like coke in appearance and which can be furnished at one-third the present cost of coal. Five acres of land near Manchester have been purchased, and large works will be erected for its production.—United States Consul Reports.

AN OLD EDITOR

Found $2000 Worth of Food.

The editor of a paper out in Okla., said: "Yes, it is true when I got hold of Grape-Nuts food, it was worth more than a $2000 doctor bill to me, for it made me a well man. I have gained 25 pounds in weight, my strength has returned tenfold, my brain power has been given back to me, and that is an absolute essential, for I am an editor and have been for 35 years.

"My pen shall always be ready to speak a good word for this powerful nutritive food. I had of course often read the advertisements regarding Grape-Nuts, but never thought to apply the food to my own use, until, in my extremity and sickness the thought came to me that it might fit my case. The statements in regard to the food are absolutely correct, as I have proven in my own case. One very fortunate thing about the food is that while it is the most scientifically made and highly nourishing, concentrated food I have ever known, it has so delicious a taste that it wins and holds friends." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.



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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

Made for Fat Men.

One of the narrow arches in the gallery of the chapel at Columbia university is not exactly symmetrical, although the defect is not noticeable to the casual observer, says the New York Globe. The reason for the widening of the arch after its original construction had rise in a somewhat humorous occurrence. One of the early visitors was a remarkably fat man, who found himself wedged into the arch when he tried to squeeze through and was extricated with difficulty. The builders, recognizing the possibility of other fat people being numbered among the future visitors, decided to widen the arch, sacrificing symmetry and harmony to practical need, as the pier was so constructed as to bear no loss of width on one of its sides.

Mexican Province Advancing.

Yucatan, 50 years ago one of the poorest of the Mexican states, has become one of the richest. Merida, the capital, has well paved streets, well lighted and well cared for by a corps of "white wings." Well-built homes, some of them actual palaces, and all clean and newly painted, line the streets far into the country. A well-built system of mule cars extends all over the city.

Stingy.

Bill—And is he of a forgiving nature?

Jill—For giving? Say, you couldn't wring a cent out of him with a monkey wrench!

U. S. DIP, WASH AND DISINFECTANT
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1 GALLON MAKES 100 GALLONS.
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There are many who are living far below their possibilities, because they are continually handing over their individualities to others.—George Eliot.

It Cures While You Walk.
Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous, and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

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A broad-minded man never loses any sleep because another man's opinions fail to agree with his own.

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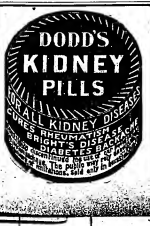
Discretion may be the better part of valor because it can run faster.



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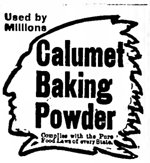
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PINEAPPLES.

The Juice of This Fruit Is a Great Aid to Digestion.

The word enzyme does not appear to have any connection with pineapple, yet it is the name of the chemical that gives to the luscious fruit the remarkably digestible property which it possesses. The prevailing notion that pineapple juice is excellent for the digestion is supported by medical testimony. Eat a slice of the fruit after dinner, say the doctors, and you will not suffer from dyspepsia.

If you want to see what pineapple can accomplish in the way of digestion, you can easily test it on a piece of raw steak. The action of pineapple juice on meat is to transform it into jelly and then dissolve it when in the human stomach.

Place a slice of the fruit on the raw meat as it lies on a plate, and the upper surface of the steak where the fruit touches it will soon become gelatinous. Enzyme, the active principle of the juice, can be obtained by throwing salt into the juice, thus producing a precipitate.

A good sized pineapple contains two pints of juice, a fact that gives an idea of what a slice of the fruit will do for digestion. If cooked, the pineapple loses its virtue in this respect. It may be asked whether the consumption of the somewhat woody fruit itself is beneficial or not, for that can scarcely be easily digestible.

Without doubt it is the juice which does the good, not the flesh of the pineapple, but the property of the juice is so effective that the eating of the fruit itself can do no harm and may even be beneficial, inasmuch as it takes some of the strength of the juice to dissolve it and so prevents the stomach suffering from the too violent effects of the juice.

Fighting the Current.

Papua has swift streams well stocked with fish. An explorer tells of Papuan fresh water mullet which sometimes weigh as much as fifteen pounds. "These fish are wonderfully provided by nature with an appliance which helps them to combat the extraordinary currents. At one moment you will see them being swept down resistlessly, but suddenly they shoot off into the quieter water and attach themselves to the rocks by a strong sucker near the mouth. There they hang just outside the current, their tails moving gently with it, and when they have recovered their strength they make another dash through the swifter waters."

Observance of the Sabbath.

There was the minister of Tweedsmuir who on a certain Sabbath found a salmon stranded in shallow water and who, being unable conscientiously to take it out on such a day, built a hedge of stones around it and, returning on the morrow, claimed his prize. There was the old farmer who could not go to the kirk because he had neglected to shave on the Saturday night, and he would not profane the day by the use of any edged tool.—Macmillan's Magazine.

A True Fish Story.

Here is a fish story told by a British nobleman: An Irishman had caught a big pike. Noting a lump in its stomach, he cut it open. "As I cut it open there was a mighty rush and a flapping of wings, and away flew a wild duck, and when I looked inside there was a nest, with four eggs, and she had been afther sitting on that nest."

Shocking Precocity.

"What is the result," asked the teacher of the primary class in arithmetic, "when you put two and two together?"

"A kith," lisped the curly headed little girl in the front row.—Chicago Tribune.

There are many diversities of vice, but it is one never failing effect of it to live displeased and discontented.—Seneca.

THE GOLDFINCH.

Changes In Plumage That Are Puzzling to the Novice.

Most every one in America is acquainted with the goldfinch, but many people know the bird by the name of lettuce bird on account of its bright yellow color. Goldfinch is a very appropriate name, as the bright yellow of the male when in breeding plumage is like burnished gold. The female goldfinch is more modestly dressed than her mate. The changes in plumage of the male are very interesting and to the novice somewhat puzzling. Until the student becomes acquainted with the bird he may wonder why he sees no males during the winter. The truth is at this season the flocks of supposed female goldfinches are really of both sexes, the male bird having assumed in the previous fall, usually by the end of October, a plumage closely resembling that of the female and young bird of the year. The male retains this inconspicuous dress until late in February, when one can notice a gradual change taking place in some of the birds. This renewal of feathers is actively continued through March and April, and by the first of May our resplendent bird is with us again. The song period with the male goldfinch continues as long as he wears his gold and black livery, for it commences as early as the middle of March and ends late in August. Goldfinches are very cleanly in their habits and bathe frequently. Their nests are exquisite pieces of bird architecture, the inside being lined with the softest plant down. The mother bird is the builder, her handsome consort during the nest building time devoting most of his efforts to singing to cheer his industrious mate.—Philadelphia Press.

THE SOLAR SYSTEM.

Some Facts Which Give an Idea of Its Immensity.

In all the heavens, with the exception of passing meteors or meteorites, not one body occupies a position closer to earth than the moon, which is some 240,000 miles away — very far, of course, side by side with any earthly distances, but a mere fraction side by side with other astronomical distances. Next to the moon our nearest occasional neighbor is Venus, and then Mars. Both Venus and Mars, however, are often farther away from us than the sun, which remains always at somewhere about the same distance, roughly at from 90,000,000 to 93,000,000 miles.

This dividing space between sun and earth is of great importance in thinking about the stars, and it should be clearly impressed upon the mind. Next to the sun in point of nearness come the more distant planets—Jupiter, which is about five times as far from the sun as our earth is; Saturn, nearly twice as far as Jupiter; Uranus, nearly twice as far as Saturn, and Neptune, nearly three times as far as Saturn. All these planets belong to our sun, all are members of his family, all are part of the solar system. The size of the solar system as a whole, consisting thus of the sun and his planets, including our earth, may be fairly well grasped by any one taking the trouble to master two simple facts. They are these, that our earth is roughly about 92,000,000 miles away from the sun and that Neptune, the outermost planet of the solar system, is nearly thirty times as far distant from the sun as our earth is.—Chambers' Journal.

AN ODD BIRD.

The Kiwi of New Zealand Has Some Remarkable Peculiarities.

That queer bird, the kiwi, is a native of New Zealand. Its remarkable peculiarities are, first, the apparent absence of wings, as the plumage so covers the small, rudimentary, sticklike appendage of a wing that none whatever is apparent. The situation of the nostrils at the bill's extremity is a second peculiar feature. While hunting for earthworms it probes the soft ground, making a continual snuffing sound. Thus the scent is evidently of great help in finding food and the reason for the position of the nostrils quite apparent.

A third peculiarity is the very disproportionate size of the egg in comparison to the bird, it being a little less than one-fourth the bird's own weight. One kiwi's egg found weighed fourteen and one-half ounces, while the bird weighed just under four pounds (sixty-four ounces) and was about the size of an ordinary hen.

The plumage of the kiwi is a dull brown streaked with light gray, and the body resembles a miniature hay shock, rather badly hacked off at the rear part, as nature has not provided the kiwi with such decoration as a tail. The absence of wings is compensated for by its swiftness of foot, and the large, clumsy looking legs, which are sometimes used as weapons, are placed far back on the oddly shaped body.—St. Nicholas.

That Was All.

A young girl who is always trying some new thing was present once when the doctor set a neighbor's broken arm. She was sure that she knew exactly how it was done and rather anxious to put her new knowledge into practice. Some time later a hen out in the chicken yard broke its leg. The girl directly announced that she meant to set it "and make it as good as new." Accordingly it was put into a plaster cast and left for the proper length of time to knit. When the day came to take off the cast the girl ran out to the henhouse in great eagerness to see the result. Presently there was a scream that brought every member of the family to her side. The chicken was jumping miserably over the ground sidewise instead of directly forward. You know a hen's leg has a crook. Well, she had crooked it the wrong way, that was all.

Aliens In Old London.

Here is a curious report of the aliens in London in the year 1567: "There being a great increase of foreigners in the city, her majesty ordered the lord mayor to take the name, quality and profession of all strangers residing within the city of London." The list was headed by the item, "Scots, 40." Other nations were represented by "French, 428; Spaniards and Portuguese, 45; Italians, 140; Dutch, 2,030; Burgundians, 44; Danes, 2; Liegeois, 1."

Shark's Tail For Luck.

Attached to the extreme end of the bowsprit of a sailing vessel there may sometimes be seen a piece of some material that looks remarkably like leather. This seeming piece of leather is really a shark's tail. It is placed there because the sailors think that it augurs good luck, believing that pleasant voyages will be their lot while it remains there. Instead of the bowsprit the tail is at times nailed to the top of one of the masts.—London King.

Different.

"Why don't you elope with her?"

"But, good gracious, man, if you are perfectly willing for me to marry your daughter I cannot see any object to be attained by our eloping."

"Can't you? How will it be if I offer you half of what I save on the wedding?"—Houston Post.

The Main Point.

"What do you think? That boss politician says he has divorced himself from politics."

"Then I'll bet he secured alimony."—Baltimore American.

Common sense in an uncommon degree is what the world calls wisdom.—Coleridge.

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SUMMER SCHOOL ON

Four Weeks' Session Starts in Charge of Conductor C. S. Yaeger.

The four weeks' session of the teachers' training school for Red Lake county was commenced Monday morning at the high school building in this city.

The school is in charge of Professor C. S. Yaeger, the popular Fosston educator, with A. M. Dunton, Mario Ring and Mary Gardener as instructors.

The attendance on the opening day was not particularly large, but was fairly satisfactory, and it is thought that after the Fourth the number of teachers attending will be materially increased.

First and second grade work is being taught and Superintendent McAnulty is desirous that all who expect to try for first grade certificates attend the training school.

Prof. Yaeger has the reputation of being one of the best training school conductors in the work, and has always been highly successful with his schools in the past. The other instructors are also recommended highly as competent people and the school this year should be one of marked success.

The Red Lake county teachers have ever been enthusiastic in their support of the summer school, and there is every reason to believe that next week will see a lot more of them in attendance.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS.

Official Proceedings of the Session of Thursday, June27

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the city hall June 27th, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers. Roll called.

Aldermen present: Borchers, Hennemuth and Paul.

Aldermen absent Crompe and Brady.

Minutes of three previous meetings read and approved.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed

[illegible] Deforge street work	$ 21.45
Chas Keihl "	17.25
Telesphore Grimbois "	15.20
Ephraim Chatel "	15.20
August Rose, for special police	8.00
H. H. Kruse, "	9.00
Robertson Lumber Co. for Lumber	146.63
John Drier, Labor	3.50
H. Irmer "	2.00
Andrew H. Ostrom Inspecting boiler	3.30
Miller Davis Printing Co. Justice Docket	7.00
H. Hennemuth, Board of equalization 3 days	9.00
Fred Borchers do	9.00
J. A. Crompe "	9.00
James Brady "	9,00
Simon Paul "	9.00
A. P. Toupin "	9.00

The application of Eliza Beausoliel for correction and abatement of taxes on lots 10 11 and 12 Block 2 in Champagne & Dows Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn., was on motion duly recommended.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President

Approved this 3rd day of July A. D, 1907.

Attest J. A. DUFFY
A. P. Toupin Mayor.
City Clerk.

Subscribe for The Red Lake Courier.

CHANGE IN HOTEL.

Krueger & Son Now in Charge of Grand View.

A change in the management of the Grand View hotel was announced Monday, when W. H. Krueger stepped out as proprietor and Fred Krueger and son Carl, as Krueger & Son assumed control of the business.

"Billy" still retains the saloon property and will devote his spare time to outside interests. His family moved into the Fred Krueger house on Champagne avenue.

The venerable Fred Krueger and his estimable wife need no introduction to the people of the northwest as hotel keepers, as for a number of years they successfully conducted the Grand View. The active management of the business will be borne by Carl Krueger, who is known as a thorough business man and popular young fellow.

THE GAZETTE trusts that both the new and old firms may continue to prosper in the rearrangement of their affairs.

A Pretty Wedding.

The Northwood, North Dakota, Gleaner, gives the following interesting account of the wedding of Carl E. Peterson, of this city, to Miss Gina Kaasa, of Northwood:

At the residence of the bride at 3:30 p. m., on Wednesday, June 26th 1907, Miss Gina Kaasa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Kaasa, was united in marriage to Carl Elmer Peterson, Rev. J. D. Runsvold officiating. The beautiful young bride was charmingly attired in white voil over taffeta, and wore white roses, while the bridesmaid, Miss Osina Kaasa, sister of the bride, was becomingly attired in white, and wore pink carnations. The groom and best man, Thomas Forde, were attired in the conventional black and wore pink carnations.

There were in the neighborhood of 125 present at the wedding, and all partook of a very sumptuous wedding dinner, and the merry-making extending far toward the small hours of the morning.

The bride has grown to womanhood among an ever-widening circle of warm friends, and is a very popular and accomplished young lady, of winning manners, and many charms, and a host of people of the vicinity and over the country will wish her joy and happiness.

The groom is a popular and prosperous young newspaper man of Red Lake Falls, Minn., where the twain will make their future home. Mr. Peterson impresses all who have met him with being a most worthy young man, of many estimable qualities, and has the well-wishes of a host of people who have made his acquaintance during his brief sojourn here.

The Gleaner joins a host of friends in congratulations, and wishes the happy young pair a wealth of happiness and prosperity. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson were the recipients of many beautiful and costly presents.

Only Right-Hander.

The crown prince of Germany is the only child to the kaiser who is not left-handed.

JOB IS CINCHED

Red Lake Falls Concert Band Will Play at Minnesota State Fair.

Word was received Tuesday from D. S. Hall, member of the Minnesota state fair board, that all arrangements were completed and the Red Lake Falls concert band would play an engagement at the Minnesota state fair during the first week in September.

The dates of the band's engagement are not exactly settled but will be three and possibly four days likely Wednesday, Thursday Friday and Saturday, September 4. 5, 6 and 7.

This will surely be a big ad for Red Lake Falls and Red Lake county, and the band boys and people generally feel grateful to Mr. Hall for his efforts in their behalf. Active practice is already commenced in order that the band may have a repertoire of selections second to no band in the state on this occasion, and under Prof. Maxwell's competent guidance there can be no question but what the organization will acquit itself creditably on this occasion.

The chance will be an excellent one to advertise the advantages of Red Lake Falls, and the co-operation of the Commercial club and citizens generally should be forthcoming to make the trip a triumph long to be remembered.

THE USUAL DEAL.

Thief River Papers Twist Facts Regarding Tournament.

The report of the firemen's tournament held here week before last given in the Thief River Press of last week was enough to cause a hearty laugh from all acquainted with the facts, and as the Press has been prone to do in the past year or so, the truth was utterly ignored and a general misrepresentation of matters in general was indulged in.

THE GAZETTE does not desire in any manner to make capital out of the tournament outcome, at the best it is not desired by the people of Red Lake Falls that the pleasure of that event be marred by controversy, but for the benefit of those who might be interested it will state a few facts. The Press tells its readers that Warren won the most money, Thief River next and Red Lake Falls third. This is manifestly untrue and the father of the Press article knew it. Of five big races Red Lake Falls won four firsts, and Warren won the other. In one or two of the minor events the only fast Thief River firemen got first place, but the aggregate of prize money won by Thief River was not within one hundred and twenty-five dollars of the amounts secured by either Red Lake Falls or Warren. Counting the parade prizes of fifty dollars, for which Red Lake Falls did not compete, Warren won approximately the same amount as did Red Lake Falls, both getting about $300 in prize money. Thief River's share was less than $200 so just how the Press figures out that they were second best in the events is a mystery yet unsolved.

The facts are that the Press does not now nor did is ever desire to be fair or honest. The Thief River delegation at the tournament was treated fairly and honestly on all occasions and everything was done to give them and all other visitors a first-class time. The Red Lake Falls firemen do not desire to claim any great glory from the record they made but they do like a fair deal and not a premediated lot of lies like the last week's Press fathered.

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A REAL BALL GAME

Thief River and Red Lake Falls Cross Bats in Sensational Contest.

One of the best exhibitions of the national game ever given in the west was played at Thief River Falls last Sunday, between a team representing Thief River Falls and the local team of this place.

The Thief River enthusiasts were "plugged" to the limit for the occasion, and the line-up shows that but three Thief River players were in the game, Fuller on first, Bergen in left field and Nason on second. Carle and Holstein, the fast Indian battery of the Warren professional team, Weaver, the big shortstop and Belcourt, the fast third baseman from Warren, and Peek, the star Mahnomen Indian player composed the rest of the line-up, and this bunch proved to be one of the fastest aggregations of ball players that was ever assembled in the northwest. To go up against this Red Lake Falls had two hired men, Emerson and Beaulieu, a battery from the White Earth country, and played seven of her home boys, who, however, can play ball alongside of the best professionals in the north country.

The game itself was one of those heart disease contests read about in the rule books, and for seventeen long innings these teams battled for supremacy, the Thief River aggregation finally getting the winning run in the seventeenth inning and bringing the game to a close with the score 3 to 2 in their favor.

Red Lake Falls scored one tally in the first inning and blanked Thief River. Both were blanked in the second and in the third Thief River got one man across the plate tieing the score. From then on until the sixteenth inning it was a case of one, two, three and out, and the long string of goose eggs looked as if someone was trying to write out in figures John D. Rockefeller's daily income.

In the first half of the sixteenth by some good hitting and base running Red Lake Falls scored again, putting them one ahead. The first man up for Thief River in the last half of the inning went out promptly from Emerson to first base. The next man got a single, and then stole second, the next up struck out, making two men out with a runner on second base. This was Peek the speedy Mahnomen Indian and he made a daring try for third. The ball was snapped to Healy and Peek was tagged easily enough, but the runner and baseman were so badly mixed up that the umpire claimed he did not see the play and called Peek safe on third. The next batter nailed a swift liner at Pokezwinski on short, and Pucks went after it to end the game, but fate decreed otherwise and the ball bounded away from his mitt and before he could recover it Peek was safe at home, tieing the score. In the seventeenth inning a couple of the foxy Indians on the Thief River side managed to get in front of pitched balls and got bases, when a single netted Thief River the third and winning run. The crowd of rooters interferred with the Red Lake Falls players in the last few innings, and appeared determined to win even if they had to carry one of their players around the diamond by main force.

Red Lake Falls got fourteen hits off Carle, while Thief River got but seven off Emerson. Our boys were unlucky in batting, however, as long drives that looked like homers were pulled out of the sky by the fast Indian fielder, Peek.

Both pitchers were given perfect support and the game was one long to be remembered by those who witnessed it. Red Lake Falls is particularly well pleased with the showing made, as it proves conclusively that with a strong battery the home boys need not be afraid of any of the teams in the north country. The score by innings was as follows:

R.L.F.—1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2
T.R.F.—0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1—3

ANOTHER WRECK.

Great Northern Freight Gets Into One More Mix-up.

The north bound Great Northern freight was wrecked about six miles north of here last Friday morning and effectively tied up traffic for nearly twenty-four hours.

A big refrigerator car in the train went to the bad in some manner or other, and before the train was stopped, a long stretch of track was torn up and several cars went off. The northbound passenger was held here all day, while the wrecker was clearing up the muss, and did not get away on the trip until after six o'clock, returning at about one in morning. In the meantime the wreckage has all been picked up and the track fixed permanently, traffic resuming its normal condition again Saturday.

From the number of wrecks on this line in the past year caused by these refrigerator cars, it would seem that the Great Northern would be afraid to haul them on this branch.

MEETING A FIASCO.

County Seat Petition Still Resting Serenely In Its Safe.

The meeting of the board of commissioners called to act on the county seat removal petition, held here on Monday turned out to be a fiasco pure and simple and absolutely nothing was accomplished.

A big delegation of Thief Riverites drove down early in the day, prepared to put up one of their usual bluffing games, but from the tired expression they wore when they left in the afternoon for their own burg, it was apparent that they were not taking the court house along with them.

The Thief Riverites have a habit of thinking that all they have to do when they want anything is to say so and take it, but it appears from past events that they somtimes overestimate themselves.

Just at the present time the counseat scrap is in a dormant state and probably wont move around much until after dog days.

Hallock was Pleased.

Editor Bouvette, of the Hallock Enterprise, had a good time at the tournament here last week, and told his readers last week, all about it as follows:

One of the most successful and best attended tournaments in the history of the Northern Minnesota Firemen's association was held at Red Lake Falls last week. The people of that place spared no time money, or efforts to make things agreeable and enjoyable to visitors and if we judged of the verdict of our firemen who were present during the entire session, the Red Lake Falls people succeeded in carrying out their aim immenaely. Beside the competitions usual at a firemen's tournament, there were numerous other attractions to entertain the crowd and pleasure seekers. Truly the key of the town was turned over to the visitors, and though the "lid" was removed and pleasure resorts of all descriptions were given full sway day and night, the throng of visitors, which numbered in thousands did not abuse their priveleges for not a drunk or disorderly person was seen during the entire session. The banner or championship race which was one of the important events of the tournament, was won by the Warren fire department, other prizes were won by different departments of the association. Though Hallock was there with a good number, it did not compete in any of the events, but the Hallock baseball team crowned itself with glory in winning the big baseball game of the tournament by defeating Red Lake Falls by a score of 5 to 3. J. A. Bray, the man that put up the "dough" to bring the Black Duck department to Hallock three years ago, was there in his usual spirit of goodfellowship, and he made it his special business to find the Hallock delegation.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note that it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching painful protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel capped jars 50 cents. Sold by all dealers.

Dishonesty in London.

Unjust weights and measures to the number of 63,950 were seized in London during the last 12 months.

A SPECIAL TERM

Judge Watts Will Hold Short Session Here Friday of Next Week.

The Honorable William Watts, judge of the fourteenth judicial district will hold a special term of court in this city Tuesday of next week, July 9.

At this time nine applicants for final citizenship papers will appear before the court to make request for naturalization and the applications will be considered by the judge. It is understood that four of the applications do not comply with the new law and will be refused citizenship papers. The recent law in this respect is very strict and provides that parties desiring final papers must make application to the clerk of the district court at least ninety days before a term of court. Nine applicants have appeared before Clerk Johnson but it is stated that four or them will be denied papers at this time.

Besides the granting of citizenship papers, it is thought that the court will try several cases while in session next week. There are one or two cases continued from the spring calender that will be up for trial, besides a new case or two that may be called. It is probable from the outlook that three days or so will be occupied with court work.

A Great Exhibition.

Never in its history have the assurances of a great exhibition been so pronounced as for the Winnipeg Exhibition July 13-20. The attendance this year will be a record breaker the exhibits of a number and character never before seen in Western ern Canada, and the attractions thrilling in their spectacular daring and novel in the extreme in their nature.

The fireworks will be on a scale never surpassed in Canada and certainly nothing ever approached the wonderful programme outlined by the Hand Company in connection with the presentation of the "siege of Edinburg Castle," and the realistic and picturesque tournament.

STATE LAND SALE

State Auditor Iverson Disposes of Considerable Land Here Monday.

State Auditor S. G. Iverson, accompanied by F. D. Sherman, of St. Paul, were here Monday and in the afternoon Auditor Iverson conducted a sale of state and school lands at the court house.

A good crowd of bidders was present but no particularly spirited bidding resulted, most of the land being bought at the appraised price. A greater part of the land offered for sale at this time was bid in and Auditor Iverson was well pleased with the outcome.

In conversation with a GAZETTE reporter, Mr. Iverson stated that the sales throughout the north country during the past few weeks had been very satisfactory and at every point where he was advertised to hold a sale he found a good crowd of bidders. Minnesota lands, according to Mr. Iverson, are in great demand at the present time, and the results of the extensive advertising in other states done by the state auditors office during the past year or two is every day being felt.

Exhibition Races.

The race programs of the Winnipeg exhibition, July 13-20, with its purses aggregating to $13,400, is the best ever presented in Western Canada. Many of the best horses in Canada and the Western and Central States will be contestants and the grestest race week in the history of the west will be afforded sportsmen and horse lovers who are from the Great Lakes to the coast displaying the greatest interest in the great events.

We Want to Help You Buy

Cows Now

No doubt you have read our offer in the columns of this paper during the past two weeks, and we are very desirous that you give us an opportunity to get your farm stocked with cattle and hogs. To this end we would earnestly request you to call in and talk the matter over before the season becomes too far advanced.

The Secret of Success Lies in Dairying and Hog Raising

Why not now abandon the wheat raising lottery and adopt the surer method of providing revenue for yourself and family? This bank is interested in your welfare and stands ready to help you get started in profitable dairying. Call in and we will talk it over.

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of Red Lake Falls

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BRIEF REVIEW OF A WEEK'S EVENTS

RECORD OF THE MOST IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS IN ITEMIZED FORM.

HOME AND FOREIGN NEWS

Information Gathered from All Quarters of the Civilized World and Prepared for the Perusal of the Busy Man.

THE HAYWOOD TRIAL.

The State in the trial at Boise, Idaho, made dramatic production and proof of the Goddard bomb, and besides offering further contributions of the testimony of Harry Orchard against William D. Haywood, secured a ruling under which a number of the denunciatory articles published in the Miners' Magazine, official orgao of the Western Federation of Miners, will be admitted in evidence.

The prosecution in the Steunenberg murder trial offered one of the most important pieces of evidence against William D. Haywood when, recalling Harry Orchard for re-direct examination, it introduced and secured the admission of four letters tending to show that Haywood, during the fall of 1905, when Orchard swears he was engaged on various crimes for the federation leaders, had participated in a plan to deceive Mrs. Orchard the second, of Cripple Creek, as to the whereabouts of her husband.

The Haywood trial was suspended one day that Harry Orchard might be taken to court at Caldwell, and the case against him for murdering Steunenberg postponed to the next term of court.

The prosecution in the Steunenberg murder trial, entering in carnest upon the substantiation and corroboration of Harry Orchard's testimony, showed a continuous thread of evidence connecting George Pettibone's store in Denver with Orchard at San Francisco engaged on the Bradley murder plot, partly another direct line by which it is hoped to show that Haywood engaged and paid Steve Adams for the same desperate work, and added special touches of confirmation to Orchard's general story.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The general executive board of the Commercial Telegraphers' union approved a strike against either or both the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies. The date for the beginning of the strike was left to President Small.

The Interstate commerce commission decided to institute a proceeding of inquiry and investigation into the affairs of the Hamburg-American Packet company, which is charged by Peter Wright & Sons, general agents at Philadelphia of the Cosmopolitan Shipping company and the Cosmopolitan lines, with pooling and maintaining monopolies in restraint of trade.

Charles C. Vogt, a wealthy tobacco magnate of Louisville, Ky., committed suicide by shooting because of ill health.

Mrs. Flora Beall Ginty, the 68-year-old widow of Gen. George C. Ginty, and one of Wisconsin's most prominent women, died at Chippewa Falls.

Ira B. Smith, a member of the wholesale grocery firm of Smith, Thorndike & Brown, of Milwaukee, which recently went into involuntary bankruptcy, was arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false representation of the firm's finances.

Rev. J. P. Deane, of Ashland, Wis., was appointed principal of Beloit college. Prof. A. W. Burr, who has held the place for 21 years, resigned to take up work on the college faculty.

Augustus E. Willson, of Louisville, was nominated by acclamation as Republican candidate for governor of Kentucky.

The surprise of the second session of the peace conference at The Hague was the formal reservation by Gen. Horace Porter on behalf of the United States of the right to present the question of limitation of armaments. Together with this, he also reserved the right to introduce the subject of the collection of contractual debts hy force.

Strenuous measures have been adopted by both the government and the railroads to avert a fuel famine in the west and northwest which is thought to be impending next winter.

Frank Earl, on trial on the charge of robbing and murdering Willinm B. Legg, n business man of Sidney, O., was found guilty of murder in the first degree.

The first session of the peace conference at The Hague lasted only 20 minutes. It was addressed by M. Nelidoff, of Russia, who said universal peace was unattninable and paid a high tribute to President Roosevelt. M. Nelidoff was chosen president of the conference.

Ambassador Bryce went to Fort Sill, Okla., and visited Geronimo, the famous Apache warrior.

The Japanese journal Hochi said that Viconnt Aoki, Japanese ambassador to America, will probably be recalled and that he will likely he succeeded by Bnron Kaneko.

Serious rioting took place in several cities of southern France, the mobs fighting with the troops and endeavoring to release prisoners. M. Ferroul, one of the leaders of the wine-growers, was nrrested.

Harry Leaphart, of the class of '09 ot Annapolis, died nt his home in Brookfield, Mo.

James Bullock, of Belleville, Ill., killed himself nnd Cora Miller. They left n joint note saying thnt ns their love was hopeless they had agreed to dio together.

W. F. Bechtel, former president of the Northwestern Nationol Lifa Insurance company of Minneapolis, was found guilty of grand larceny by a jury.

Rohert Nicely, oged 55, nnd head of a family, shot Maude Winter, nt Dayton, O., and then turned tha weapon ngainst himself. Both will die. Miss Winter was to he married soon.

After a hot dehate the Democratic state convention in Oklahoma turned down a proposition for moking the new state a prohibition one.

A New York jury has aworded a verdict of $5,000 against the American Hatters' and Furriers' association of Danbury, Coon., in favor of Matilda Civetti, who lost her hair hy having it caught in machinery at its factory.

John D. Rockefeller has closed his park at Tarrytown, N. Y., to the public because automobiles have disregarded signs and thus eodangered the safety of his faoily.

Oliver M. Dennett, the New York broker who was nrrested io conoection with the theft of more than $500,000 in bonds from the Trust Company of America, pleaded guilty to a charge of criminally receiving stolen goods.

An enormous school of finhack whales trailed the Atlas liner Virgioia from the West Indies to n point near the capes of tbo Delaware.

Dispatches from Berlin declared that the big steamship companies will divert immigration away from New Orleans.

Senator Beveridge of Indiana sailed for Europe and while in Germany will study the inheritance tax system with a view of introducing a hill at the next session of congress.

Thomas E. Reese, secretary and treasurer of the Westminster. (Md.) Savings hank, committed suicide hy shootiog himself. Ill bealth wos given as the cause.

Col. Thomas Snell, a millionaire banker and land owner, died at his home in Bloomington, Ill.

The naval board of inquiry decided the launch of the hattleship Minnesota was suuk by fouling the steel hawser of the tug Crisfield, which was towing a borge.

The public lands convention opened in Denver with nearly 1,000 delegntes present. Dr. J. M. Wilsoo, of Wyomiog, was made permanent chairman.

A mob of men and women at Assumption, Ill., seized Alfred Bouland intent upon honging him hecause ha had been charged with bigamy, hut the timely arrival of officers saved his life. Three olleged moh leaders have been arrested.

John Looney, politician, newspaper owner and lawyer, of Rock Island, Ill., wos arrested on 34 indictments contnining charges of eriminol libel, extortioo, hribery and coospiracy to extort aud to indict.

A battalion of sappers nt Kiev, Russia, mutinied, killed an officer and fought with loyal troops. Nearly 200 of them escaped.

Orange J. Salisbury, chairman of the Republican state committee of Utah, died at St. Luke's hospital in New York of heart disease.

George W. Berrill, cashier of the Kinsman National bank and one of the most prominent citizens of Kinsman, O., was shot and killed by Alfred Kinsman, a brother of State Senator Thomas Kinsman.

Mrs. Julia Mellody, aged 52 years, an inmate of the Northern Indiana Hospital for the Insane at Logansport, set fire to her clothing and was burned to death.

Roger Bresnahan, catcher for the New York Nationals, was hit hy a pitched ball in a game with Cincinnati, and badly injured.

Enraged because some schoolhoys had tumbled her over while ahe was playing n street piano in New York, Philomena Castino, a young Syrian girl, drew n stiletto and fatally stabbed Charles McCarthy in the breast.

Sidney Hollis, n nine-year-old colored hoy, wns convicted of manslaughter in Baltimore. Sentence was suspended.

Six persons were injured, three of them seriously, while on a sightseeing trip in Royal George park, Col., heing thrown from a vehicle after the driver had lost control of the team.

A gold cup, presented hy King Edward for one of the races nt Aacot and valued at more than $1,000 wns stolen.

Seven men were killed outright nnd two others seriously injured in two explosions of mine gas in the Johnson No. 1 mine at Prieehurg, Pa.

Walter Goff, a memher of a prominent family of St. Joseph, Mo., waa drowned nt Knnsas City, hy the sinking of n tow boat.

The town of Covilha, Portugal, was wrecked by a hlast of dynamite supposed to have heen the work of dismissed laborers.

Samuel Wagner who, until his retirement, was the oldest locomotive engineer in point of service employed by the Philadelphia & Reading Railway company, was struck and killed hy a Reading train in Philadelphia.

Phoebe W. Cousins, long prominent in woman suffrage affairs, in nn address in St. Louis, Mo., admitted the failure of the movement and decried prohibition in the District of Columbia.

Thomas Trevar, of Cincinnati, superintendent of the H. & S. Pogue Co., and Alfred Trever, of the same compony, were killed in an nutomohile accident.

Nenrly 1,000 delegates from trans-Missouri states gathered at the opening of the public lands convention in Denver.

Prof. Alexander Stewart Herschel, the distinguished astronomer, died at tha ohservatory house, Slough, Bucks, where his grandfather, Sir William Herscel, nnd Sir John Herschel made most of their world fnmous discoveries.

Fire, which hroka out in Marshall's general store, Harlowton, Mont., from a gasoline explosion, practically destroyed the village. The loss is $128,000.

Antone Myer, 12 years of age; Lizzia Myer, Ida Myer, sisters; Mrs. Myer, mother, and Mrs. John Herter, sister of Mrs. Myer, wera drowned at Monahan, Wash.

Lieut. William Stewart, of the Eleventh Pennsylvania Infnntry in the civil war, was killed by sunstroke at the soldiers' home, Leavenworth, Kas.

The Brazilian government may decide to call upon coffee planters to destroy the entire crop of 1908, as San Paulo has suggested.

George Hussey Earle, one of the best known citizens of Philadelphio, died, aged 84 years. Mr. Earle was a personal friend of Abraham Lincoln.

Big Four possenger train No. 19, one of the fastest on the New York Central lines, was ditched hy nn open switch at Columhus, O., and five persons were badly injured.

Forest fires did great damage in tha upper peninsula of Michigan and in northern Ontario.

The San Francisco hoard of supervisors adopted a resolution declaring Mayor Eugene Schmitz temporarily unahle to perform his official duties and appointing Supervisor James L. Gallogher acting mayor.

The hodies of three of the midshipmen drowned at Hampton roads wera found in Chesapeake hay. They wera those of P. A. Field, Virginia; W. H. Stevenson, North Carolina, and F. P. Holeomh, Delaware.

According to an agreement and on order hy Federal Judge McPherson at Kansas City, Missouri's two-cent fare low ia to he given a three-months' trial, after which the railways may fight it if they find the rate is unremunerative.

Louis H. Van Riper, a New York hroker, testified that Edwin H. Holmes, Jr., supplied him and others with advance informntion of the cotton crop hulletins and was given a shara of the profits, and later hecame a regular partner with tha hrokers.

Japanese Foreign Miniater Hayashi, it was said, was persuaded hy Marquis Ito and the elder statesmen to conseot to the recall of Amhassador Aoki. It was helieved Baron Kaneko would he sent to Washington.

The crew of a Russian torpedo hoat at Sehastopol fired a hlank torpedo at a launch in which was Rear Admiral Wiren. The admiral narrowly escaped death.

Plans of the mutinous Black sea fleet to bombard Odessa and other cities were foiled hy tbe prompt action of Admiral Tseftsinsky.

Capt. Horace Fairfax Mosehy Browne, of the British army, and his fiancee, Miss Maud Vera Hanna, daughter of the late Joseph H. Hanna, of Cincinnati, were injured in an automobile accident in Wasbiogton on tha eve of their wedding day.

Senator Foraker, of Ohio, gave out a written statement summing up the testimony taken by the senate committee on military affairs in the Brownsville inquiry and declaring that it falls to sbow that any soldier took part in the affray.

Herhert C. Laing, a prominent attorney of Colorado Springs, was drowned while hathing in the surf at Venice. Cal.

Tbe entire business section of Wayne City, a village nenr Mount Vernon, Ill., was destroyed hy fire. It is estimated that the loss will total $40,000.

Gov. Comer, of Alahama, appointed former Congressman J. H. Bankhead senator to aucceed the late John T. Morgan.

Eighteen passengera were injured, three fatally, in a wreck of east-bound passenger train No. 8 on the Santa Fe, near Earl, Col.

Benjamin T. Steinhardt, a memher of tbe recently dissolved firm of Howe & Hummel, of New York, who was nnder indictment in connection with the Morse-Dodge divorce case, died of locomotor ataxia.

Masked robbers entered the bome of James Rush, a farmer near Niles, O., nnd hrutally assaulted Mrs. Rush. After heating her severely one of the men fired a hullet into her arm.

Col. Alexander Hogeland, known as "the newshoys' friend," was found dead in hed in the Murray hotel, Omaha. Hia home was at Louisville, Ky.

An automohile plunged over a bigh emhankment at Sanhornville, N. H., fatally injuring Dr. Ben Hicks Metcalf, head of Metcalf's hospital, Winthrop, Mass.; Mra. Metcalf and Miss Churchill, matron of the Metcalf hospital.

Mrs. Simon Dufriche, of New Orleans, will sue the estate of the late Jamea H. Smith for more than $8,000,000. She claims she ia his daughter.

Two hundred nnd fifty cigarmakera struck at Fort Wayne, Ind., for higher wages. The manufacturera have orgnnized nn association to resiat the advnnce demanded.

President Roosevelt referred to Charles P. Neill, commissioner of lahor, without comment, the various appeala which have heen made to him hy wire and mail to interfere to prevent the threatened telegraphera' strike.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Interesting Items Gathered in the Gopher State

New State Fair Buildings.

Hamline.—Tha State Fair grounds will be about the busiest plnca in this part of tbe state from now nntil the fair opens on Sept. 2 with the work laid out by the board of managers. Awards were made to the extent of $75,000, and other work was put in line for immediate commancement.

Most important was the mnin dairy building which is to be a handsome pressed brick structure, of very substantial construction and will stand on tha eastern edge of the grounds near Snelling Avanue and beyond the present farm machinery building. As it is to be equipped with a mammoth refrigentor and completely lighted, the total cost will ba several thousands more than the main contract.

Next comes the Poultry building which will be of pressed brick and will be very large in ground nrea though not as high in facade as somo of the structures. The main idea is to secure space and light. It will stand on the new forty acres purchased this spring and north of the present machinery building.

The construction of these new buildings will force the farm machinery division of the fair further north and at the fair of 1907 it will extend from its present beginnings near the grand stand quite to tbe extreme north end of the grounds.

$30,000 Paid in Wolf Bounties.

St. Paul.—Checks were sent out by the state auditor reimbursing tbe county auditors for the amount paid by them on state bounties aggregating $9,721.50. This makes about $30,000 which has been paid out by the state for wolf bounties sinca the beginning of the fiscal year on Aug. 1, 1906.

The largest amount paid to any county this time is $1,620 to Marshall county. Tbe other counties receiving fair amounts were: Beltrami, $948.50; Otter Tail, $742.50; Rosean, $667.50 and Kittson, $607.50. Watonwan and Faribault counties came in for $3 each this heing tha smallest nmount paid to any of the counties which had paid hounties. Ramsey county did not get anything, Hennepin got $132.50 and Washington $50, and St. Louis county $292.50.

Logger Drowned.

Sandstone.—Ben Elstad, a riverman, while loading logs here, accidentally fell off a log and although he was an experienced swimmer, he was drowned. He was only five feet from the boom. Hia brother-in-law and six other men ware near when ha fell, hut they at first paid no attention to him, ns it is a common occurrence for the men to fall off the logs. He rosa to the aurface and swam enough to keep his nose nbove water, but he did not get nearer to the log. Mr. Jay noticed this and started to give him assistance with n pole, when without any outcry he went to the bottom and did not risa again. Tbe body was recovered and shipped to Grantshurg, Elstad'a home. The man was unmarried.

Saves Own Life.

Minneapolis—With his clothes covered with burning oil, David Clendenning aaved his life by jumping into a large vat of water in the shops of the Northweatern Stove company, 312 Hennepin avenue. With other workmen Clendenning was boiling an oil preparation when it tipped over and the oil caught fire and was thrown to all parts of the room. Clendenning's clothes took fire, but his prompt action in plunging head first into the near-by vat prevented injury, altbough he lost both eyelashes and his moustache. The flames did slight damage to the building.

Lo and Dog in Grave.

Mankato.—Dr. R. M. Dodds of this city, while at Swan Lake was presented with a number of relics that had just been found in an Indian grave. Tbe grave was discovered by a farmer while plowing and contained the skeletona of an Indian and a dog, together with numerous trinkets in a good state of preservation. A peculiar shaped ax head was one of the tbings found. It was a custom of the Indians to bury the favorite dog and many of the hunting implements and other belongings with the dead braves, so that they would be prepared for the "happy hunting grounds."

Shot His Sister.

Owatonna.—Edith Gausewitz, the fifteen-yenr-old daughter of former State Senator Gnusewitz, waa shot and instantly killed by her brother, while on a holiday jaunt. Tho hoy, who is fourteen years old, anpposed the rifle was empty and pointed it at his sister and pressed the trigger. Tbe ball struck the girl in the heart, causing instant deatb.

Crushed Under Wagon.

East Grand Forks.—Adolph Qnerin, he three-year-old son of Karl Qnerin, residing fifteen milea north of this place, met death in a tragic manner. An employe on the farm waa starting to Oslo with a load of grain. Adolph climhed on the load and was given a ride some diatance from the residence. Then the driver told him to get off the rear of the wagon. After waiting n brief time the driver started np the team and atopped when the child screamed. The boy was found to be fatally crusbed and died in half an hour.

Boy Loses Arm.

St. Paul.—Benjamin Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scott, while picking out some waste in a lnrge machine in the Blackhawk Linen mill at St. Paul Park, had his right hand caught in some knives in the machina. Tha rollers drew in the entire arm, so it was mangled and crushed the antira length hefora the boy was rescued. Dr. Crandall took the hoy to St. Joseph's hospital, whera the arm was amputated at tha shoulder. The sama machine caused the loss of part of an arm to an operativa a few weeks ngo and tha loss of a finger to another a week ago.

NEWS NOTES.

Paynesville.—Edward Braden, the eight-year-old son of Mrs. Mary Braden of this village, was drowned in the Crow river near this place.

St. Paul.—Gov. Johnson appointed Joseph P. Berkey of Stillwater a memher of the state hoard of equalization from the new Nineteenth judicial district.

Elk River.—The body of a man found in the river near here has been identified as that of Dan McCarthy, who wos drowned March 26 at Watab working on a dam.

St. Paul.—Seventy-one members of the graduating class of the state university law school were admitted to tha bar by the state supreme court. Chief Justice Start administering the oath.

Faribault.—Arthur Filler, sixteen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Filler of this city, was drowned in Cannon Falls rivar while swimming. He was taken with cramps, and his comrades were unabla to rescue him.

Minneapolis.—W. F. Bechtel, former president of the Northwestern National Life Insurance Company of Minneapolis, was found guilty of grand larceny in the first degree by a jury which had been out for twenty-eight hours.

Minneapolis.—Harry Burns, who tried to kill his sweetheart, Mnbal Schroder, three weeks ago, after he had previously tried to commit suicide hecause she would not marry him, was given an indeterminate sentence in the penitentiary.

Sleepy Eye.—Henry Hummel, one of the engineers in the Sleepy Eye mill, while trying to tighten n helt, waa caught in tha machinery and mangled and then hurled forty feet. Ona leg was lacerated and an arm hroken, and the outcome of the accident is uncertain.

St. Paul.—The Minnesota agricultural experiment atation will undertake a numher of experiments in killing wild mustard by spraying the field infected with a solution of sulphate of iron. Experiments will be conducted at [illegible], Georgetown, Ada, Crookston, Warren and Kennedy.

Minneapolis.—John Kurch, who was run over and badly mangled by an engina at Tenth avenue south and Third street died in the city hospital. He was atruck by an engine while stepping out of the way of another train. Both arms were amputated after the accident and he died from the shock.

St. Paul.—While riding in an automobile driven by Walter Hill, aon of James J. Hill, president of the Great Northern railroad, Fred Schroeder, a liveryman, was accidentally killed by falling out of the automobile, the wheela of which ran over his head. It is thought Schroeder was seized with on attack of appoplexy.

Eveleth.—While a party of young men were ont on the lake in a rowhoat they intended to change places. Tbe boat was overturned, but all managed to cling to the hottom. A gasoline launch picked up all of the party bnt Martin McNulty, who was taken with cramps and was drowned before assistance could reach him.

Star Lake.—Clifford Vogel, five years old, aaved the life of his two-year-old brother, who had fallen into the lake and was in imminent danger of drowning. The little fellow had been playing out on a boat landing and fell into tbe lake about a rod from the ahore. Clifford who witnessed the accident, waded out from the shore and sneeeeded in dragging the half-drowned youngster to dry land.

Brookston.—Two men and a boy were seriously injured by the premature exploaion of dynamite with which they were blowing up atumps. The accident occurred on the Isaiah Orser homestead, near here. Orser and O. M. Rose, a neighbor, received injuriea which will cause them to lose an eye apiece, while Orser's young son waa hadly shocked, bnt is not believed to be permanently injured. Tbe injured were taken to a Duluth hospital for treatment.

St. Paul.—There are sixty-five cavalry horses being held in quarantine at Fort Snelling on account of fourteen suffering from equine scabies. Thia ia an infectious disease, and while not a serious malady it ia an annoying one, for unleaa proper precautiona were taken all the horsea at the fort are liahle to catch it. Even the men are not immnne from it. In fact, it is one of the diseases which men catch easily from animals.

Manahga.—Little Reynold Dahlman was aeriously injured by a rooster, which knocked him down and pecked him about the head and face.

SUFFERED TORTURES.

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Wm. H. Walter, engineer, of Chatsworth, Ills., writes: "Kidney disease was lurking in my aystem for years. I had torturing pain in the sida and back and the urine was dark and full of sediment. I was racked with pain day and night, could not sleep or eat well, and finally hecame crippled and hent over with rheumatism. Doan's Kidney Pills hrought quick relief, and in time, cured me. Though I lost 40 pounds, I now weigh 200, more than ever hefore."

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GOOD IDEA FOR MATCHES.

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"Mexico may ha hehind us in some things, hut she has us lashed to the wheel when it comes to making matches," said a man just in from the land of the Montezumas as he handed out a wax lucifer with a head on each end.

"I saw nothing hut douhle ended matches whila I was away, and I can tell you that they sava one's record with tha Recording Angel. If you dig down in your pocket and find one match the chances ara that you are sure of a light, hecause if ona end goes out the other is left. These old time matches, just revived, that splutter hrilliant sparks may he all right when it comes to pleasing the hahy, but the fellow who puts on tha market a douhle ended match will find a ready demand."

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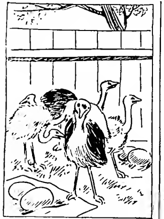
RUNS OSTRICH RANCH

MRS. PEARSON MAKES BUSINESS OF RAISING BIG BIRDS.

Has Just Started First Farm in Cuba—Feathered Animals Just Big, Healthy Idiots, She Says.

New York.—Mrs. Kotherloe Pearson of Phoenix Ariz., and Havana, Cuba, is not only the ostrich queen of the western hemisphere, but of the world at large. Her ostrich farm near Phoenix is the largest breeding ranch in America, and the farm near Havana on which she has just settled 45 birds is the first of its kind in Cuba. She owns more birds than any other woman ostrich farmer on the face of the earth.

"To begin at the beginning of my experience with ostriches I must tell you that my husband first bought a farm and a few birds near Jacksonville, Fla.," said Mrs. Pearson when talking to a reporter. "Mr. Pearson was the manager of the theater on Union square known as Keith's.



Young Chicks Just Hatched Out.

"Shortly after our marriage he developed consumption and we had to go south for his health. After a few years, the climate not having proved beneficial, he decided to go to Phoenix. We sold out in Florida and started breeding ostriches on the Phoenix farm with 250 birds.

"My husband was becoming more feeble every day. I tried to do my duty, and as a result I learned all the ins and outs in breeding birds and selling feathers.

"Since my husband's death I have increased the Phoenix flock to 980 breeders and the acreage to 2,000, making it the largest breeding farm in America. On the Havana farm there are at present only 27 acres and 45 birds. It is only an experiment, and I do not think it wise to get more birds until after these have proved the healthfulness of the climate.

"While in Arizona and Florida we never lost a grown bird except through accident.

"Ostriches mate when they are about three and one-half years old, and, like pigeons, remain together, entirely faithful, until they die. At least I have been told that they mate for life, and so far as I know it is true, though, as I said before, I never knew one to die a natural death. In case of an accident I have known the widowed bird to accept a second mate, but not until after several years.

"They usually lay two nests of eggs of from 12 to 14 each, and you can count on getting an increase of from 10 to 25 chicks. I have often known a pair of good breeders in a good season to hatch every egg and raise every chick.

The ostrich is as senseless an animal as exists. So far as I am able to judge they are absolutely and entirely without brains.

"You can teach them nothing, and it makes no difference how long you feed them or how kind you are, they never even get to recognize you. They know their mate, and that is, I believe, as far as their power of recognition goes.

"While I have heard the men on the farm say they didn't have sense enough to follow a leader, I have noticed that if a bird in one pen began to run, pretty soon every bird on the farm was running—for no apparent reason, just running. When they are in full feather they make a pretty sight in running, as they hold out their wings, and so show the beautiful plumes underneath.

"They do take pride in their plumage. When they are first plucked they become very sulky and seem to wish to hide themselves. If a plucked bird is turned with the unplucked, they fall on him tooth and nail, and the poor fellow is made to suffer for his loss.

"Ostriches are plucked every eight months. I use the word plucked, though the feathers are seldom pulled. When ripe they are cut, and later when the old quills have become perfectly dry they are drawn from the sockets by means of a pair of tweezers. This is not the slightest bit painful to the birds, and there is no blood drawn.

"A healthy ostrich, and I never saw a grown bird that was not healthy, will yield from $30 to $50 worth of feathers a year. As year-old birds are now selling in Arizona for $100 apiece for the South African breed, and $50 more for Nubians, you can judge the yearly profits on a pair of good breeders."

A FIND IN ANCIENT RHODES.

Rock Carved in Relief of a Greek Ship Discovered by Danish Explorers.

New York.—The Royal Academy of Sciences and Letters at Copenhagen is reaping a rich reward from the expedition it sent in 1902 to Lindos, a small town on the south coast of Rhodes, once a great island home of Greek culture in the Aegan sea. Since the Danes began to dig deep into its soil they have unearthed the larger part of its beautiful Acropolis, a fine temple and ancient stairway of remarkable workmanship and an enormous amount of statuettes, vases and other antiquities.

Relief Carving of Ancient Greek Ship.

The Acropolis of Liodos was especially rich in the signatures of artists who had beautified it. Before the Danes began their work only 12 of these signatures had been found, but the Danish explorers have added 74 names of men, several of whom made reputations that still survive.

The most curious discovery of all is described and pictured in the last report of the society. While the party were excavating along the face of an ancient wall built some 200 years before the Christian era, they came to the edge of a carving in the rock.

They followed it eagerly for days before they knew certainly what it represented. Finally they brought the whole carving into view and it proved to be a representation in relief of the stern of an ancient Grecian vessel.

A plaster cast made from it is now in the museum at Copenhagen and experts who have seen either the original at Lindos or the cast at Copenhagen say that it is a faithful representation of an ancient ship. The relief is in no respect embellished for decorative effect, but is a reproduction, perhaps on a slightly smaller scale, of the stern of a Greek vessel of the Hellenic epoch.

Some of the coins of that time show reliefs of vessels and a considerable number of representations of ships have been discovered. The largest is now in the Palazzo Spada and the resemblance between it and the relief found at Lindos is very striking. The relief, however, has far more detail, and it was a splendidly executed piece of work.

On the side of the ship an inscription was cut into the stone showing that the relief was not meant merely as an ornamentt. It was hewn out of the rock to form the base of a statue in bronze in honor of Hagesandros. The statue has not been found, but the remains of an iron fence erected in front of the relief were unearthed.

PEARL WIGHT ACCEPTS POST.

New Orleans Banker to Become Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

Washington.—Pearl Wight of New Orleans, the Republican national committeeman of Louisiana, has accepted the post of commissioner of internal revenue, to become effective on December 1. Mr. Wight has a number of important business matters which he wants to adjust and settle prior to taking up the duties of the office. Pending his assumption of the work a commissioner ad interim has been appointed by the president.

Col. Wight is a product of Maine. Born in South Penobscot, at 16 he entered a dry goods store in Rockland as a clerk, and many there now recall what a green country youth he was. His employers sent him to Oil City, Pa., to manage a branch store. He became a traveling salesman for a flour concern and eventually drifted to New Orleans. There he founded a big supply house in the reconstruction days and invested heavily in vessels and timber lands, amassing a large fortune. He has been a prominent figure in Louisiana Republican politics for years and is the state's national committeeman.

COL. PEARL WIGHT.
(Southern Man Appointed Internal Revenue Commissioner.)

FAILED IN SMALL THINGS.

Congressman Evidently Was No Hero to His Wife.

There is a certain congressman who, whatever authority he may hold in the councils of state, is of comparatively minor importance in his own household. Indeed, it has been unkindly intimated that his wife is "the whole thing" in their establishment.

Representative and Mrs. Blank had been to Baltimore one afternoon. When they left the train at Washington, on their return, Mrs. Blank discovered that her umbrella, which had been intrusted to the care of her husband, was missing.

"Where's my umbrella?" she demanded.

"I'm afraid I've forgotten it, my dear," meekly answered the congressman. "It must still be in the train."

"In the train!" snorted the lady. "And to think that the affairs of the nation are intrusted to a man who doesn't know enough to take care of a woman's umbrella!"—Success Magazine.

PURIFIED LIFE INSURANCE.

Benefits from New Law, Which Remains Substantially Unchanged.

Through the influence of Gov. Hughes, the New York Legislature decided to make no radical changes in the new insurance law. It was pointed out by Gov. Hughes that the New York law has already accomplished widespread reforms, with proportionate benefits to policyholders, and that it should be given a thorough trial before any amendments were seriously considered. It is estimated that the cost of the mismanagement of the past did not average more than 20 cents to each policyholder, while the benefits to present and future policyholders will amount to many times more and be cumulative besides. The speed craze of the big companies and the excessive cost of securing new business was the most extravagant evil of the old managements. Under the new regime the cost of new business has already been greatly reduced, along with other economies.

The showing made by the Equitable Life Assurance Society in its report for 1906 was a strong argument against meddling with the new law. In the Equitable alone there was a saving of over $2,000,000 in expenses, besides an increase in the income from the Society's assets amounting to as much more. The ratios of the Equitable's total expenses to its total income was 19.42% in 1904, 17.38% in 1905, and only 14.48% in 1906. The dividends paid to Equitable policyholders in 1906 amounted to $7,289,734, which was an increase of more than 9% over 1905.

While the Equitable made a better showing than any other big company, all reported radical economies and under such conditions the Legislature wisely decided to leave the law substantially as it stands.

Forgetting Something.

When the train that conveyed President Roosevelt through Virginia on his last trip south stopped at Charlottesville, a negro approached the president's car and passed aboard a big basketful of fine fruit, to which was attached the card of a prominent grower.

In course of time the orchardist received a letter of acknowledgment from the White House expressing the president's appreciation of the gift, and complimenting the donor upon his fruit. The recipient of the letter was, of course, greatly pleased, and, feeling sure that his head gardener would be much interested in the letter, he read it to him. The darky who served in the capacity mentioned listened gravely, but his only comment was:

"He doan' say nothin' 'bout sendin' back de basket, do he?"—Success Magazine.

The Camera Fiend's Wanderlust.

As the sun day by day ascends the heavens and the actinic value of his light increases, rhapsodizes the editor of the American Amateur Photographer, there seizes us once more the fervor of the enthusiast. From the high shelf down comes the camera, the plate holders are loaded, and we tramp across the green fields looking for pictures—or pretending to. For half the cause of our wandering has naught to do with the black box we carry with us. The primitive instinct for change, the ancestral wanderlust, it is, that has seized us and driven us forth to nature.

WENT TO TEA

And It Wound Her Bobbin.

Tea drinking frequently affects people as badly as coffee. A lady in Salisbury, Md., says that she was compelled to abandon the use of coffee a good many years ago, because it threatened to ruin her health and that she went over to tea drinking, but finally, she had dyspepsia so bad that she had lost twenty-five pounds and no food seemed to agree with her.

She further says: "At this time I was induced to take up the famous food drink, Postum, and was so much pleased with the results that I have never been without it since. I commenced to improve at once, regained my twenty-five pounds of flesh and went some beyond my usual weight.

"I know Postum to be good, pure and healthful, and there never was an article, and never will be, I believe, that does so surely take the place of coffee, as Postum Food Coffee. The beauty of it all is that it is satisfying and wonderfully nourishing. I feel as if I could not sing its praises too loud." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

HENRY'S FOOLISH SUGGESTION.

"You seemed to enjoy the play thoroughly," said Mr. Henpeck.

"Oh, it was awfully funny," replied his wife. "I laughed so much that I fairly ached all over.

"Funny part that was where the man fooled his wife and was out with another woman while the mother of his children was at home telling them what a noble fellow he was, because she thought he was working overtime for their benefit.

"I thought I'd die at the ridiculousness of it. I never saw anything in my life that was half so funny. How cleverly he pulled the wool over her eyes, and what a fool he made of her. Dear me, I have to laugh out loud, even now, whenever I think of it."

"Yes, it was great. I'm so glad you enjoyed it. I suppose if I were to do the things that man did you'd have a good laugh over my cleverness, and—"

"Henry! How dare you suggest such a thing? Remember that our innocent children are asleep beneath this roof."—Chicago Record-Herald.

EVIDENTLY NOT NEEDED.

Pat—Is Casey married or single?
Mike—Single, I think. I owe him 30 cents, and he has never asked me for it.—Chicago News.

The Way of It.

He studied long, burned midnight oil,
Determined that he'd seek
A way that he might go through life
On 80 cents a week.
He solved the problem after years
Of thought and study dense,
And then he found the trouble was
To get the 80 cents.
—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Peculiarity of It.

"There is one thing I have always noticed about the successful flying machine," remarked the man who comments on things.

"And that?" asked the listener.

"Whenever an ascent is made the machine is generally returned to the starting point packed in a box."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

From Two Points of View.

Rivers—Don't you get tired of hearing Weerius always telling his wonderful stories of adventure in the first person?

Brooks—I don't mind that so much as his always telling them to the first person—he happens to meet.—Chicago Tribune.

Her Break.

Flo (trying on Ada's new toque)—I shouldn't like to wear this—I look quite silly in it!

Ada—You do, my dear! What you want is a large hat, so that your face won't be noticed so much—er—I mean—oh, bother!

Working for the House.

Doctor—I don't think it is anything very serious, but you will have to stay in bed at least two weeks.

Patient—But, doctor, do you know that this is a very expensive hotel?

Doctor—Yes; I am a friend of the proprietor.—Chicago Journal.

Method.

"Why don't you improve your roads?" asked the disgusted traveler.

"We dasn't," answered Farmer Corntossel. "We've got to keep 'em this way to discourage automobiles from comin' along an' scaring the bosses."—Washington Star.

Why He Sneezed.

He—I feel a strong inclination to sneeze every time I meet you.

She—Do you mean to insinuate that I have a peppery disposition?

He—Not at all. The brightness of your eyes is the cause of it.—Chicago Daily News.

Admires the Job.

"Prinkly is a self-made man, isn't he?"

"Yes, and he is always giving himself testimonials as to the excellence of the workmanship."—Chicago Tribuna.

Strong Smell.

Horse-dealer—A hundred horse-power, I suppose?

Automobilist—Oh, no. Four. It's only a small auto.

"I wasn't going by the size, but by the smell."—Life.

Explained.

Visitor (to prisoner)—Poor man! What brought you to this?

Convict—Poverty, mum. I didn't hev money enough ter hire a corporation lawyer ter tell me how ter steal legally!—Life.

IDEAS IN ENTERTAINMENTS

Two Good Suggestions for Fourth of July Parties--How to Get Up and Serve a Strawberry Luncheon--Dandelion Party That Was Voted a Great Success--For Golf Players.

For the Fourth of July.

There are lovely "Fourth of July" postal cards out; just the thing to use for invitations to affairs to be given on that day, also for place cards. To delight the children, invest in a few of the larger paper animals which are to be inflated and sent sailing skyward.

With a little careful forethought an interesting contest may be arranged. Have them draw lots for the animals, and then give a prize of a bunch of "crackers" to the one whose animal soars the highest. All sorts of contests may be planned for the lawn—carrying lemons on a fork to a given point, a hopping race (on one foot), eating rice with chopped sticks, etc.

Table Centerpiece for the "Fourth."

Scarlet geraniums, white carnations and blue larkspur make a delightful combination for this great holiday table piece. Make the place cards of scarlet paper to resemble giant firecrackers, if it is too expensive to buy them at the favor counter. The snapping cracker motto caps come in red, white and blue; some of them have tiny metal cannon attached. A novel way to distribute these trifles is to put them in a tissue paper bag made from red, white and blue and suspend by tri-colored ribbon. Give each person a chance to break the bag by striking it with a cane; when the bag bursts there will be a shower of these gay papers and a merry scramble to get one.

June is the season when these luscious berries are in their prime and a luncheon with them for the basis is a very pretty affair. Use a brown rustic basket for the centerpiece filled with large red berries, vines and leaves. If possible to obtain, get the real plants. At each place have a white candle with a shade of crushed strawberry color. Serve first five unhulled berries on a leaf-covered plate, with a neat pile of pulverized sugar in the center. Instead of plates small baskets are suitable for these berries, standing them on a service plate; the place card may be tied to the handle. Tomato soup comes next, then a salmon croquette, new potatoes and beet salad. The last course will be individual strawberry shortcakes. With these pass a bowl of whipped cream for those who wish it, as it is a good rule never to serve any fruit with cream on it, as many people dislike milk of cream with a fruit acid. During the afternoon lemonade may be served with strawberries floating on top.

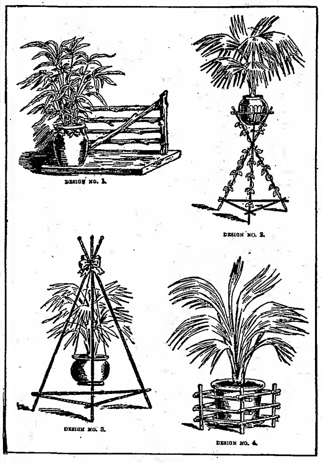
A miniature links was the decorative scheme in the center of the table, golf bags and sticks were the personal souvenirs at each place, and the guests came directly from a morning game, so were hungry for the plain but appetizing menu. The maid serving had her cap adorned with the colors of the club to which all belonged, and candy was made in round balls. Iced bouillon was served first, followed by cold tongue and jellied chicken, hot rolls, shoestring potatoes, asparagus salad, barley duc and cheese. Chocolate ice cream was served in ball moulds and the cakes were sponge drops rolled in grated cocoanut.

Was there ever a child who did not love dandelions? This gorgeous little flower is first with us in the spring and even stray blossoms may be found late in the fall. A field fairly carpeted with these yellow stars gave the idea for this party. No sooner thought of than a dozen children had received notes written in white ink on round pieces of yellow paper asking them to assemble in Parson's field at two o'clock one June afternoon. Sewing tables were set under a couple of trees covered with white crepe paper table cloths. In the center of each was a mound of dandelions, bunches were at each place and there was a basket for each guest.

When all had arrived there was a contest to see who could gather the most flowers in a half hour; after the spoils were counted the boy and the girl having the most were crowned with dandelion wreaths. Then they made rings, chains and bracelets out of the stems and told fortunes by the full blown blossoms. At five o'clock this delicious spread was unpacked from a huge hamper and the children pronounced it the "best ever." Bread and butter sandwiches, egg salad, dainty custards in ramakins, sunshine cake, oranges and bananas, and a bountiful supply of lemonade.

MADAME MERRI.

Pretty Rustic Fern-Stands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For the decoration of a dinner-table, or for placing on small occasional tables, the little rustic fern-stands, of which we give a number of sketches, will be found both useful and ornamental. They are easily made, and can be constructed in a great variety of designs, and decorated in many ways; and it is well within the power of any nimble fingers to make them.

The first sketch illustrates a stand made of thin twigs of wood in the shape of a five-barred wooden gate, and mounted on a square piece of wood at the base. On the left-hand side is a fern contained in a little brown jug, and this is decorated round the neck with bows of China silk ribbon. Fastened together with thin sharp nails, and left in quite a rough state, this little stand will look very well, or it can be made very bright by entirely covering it with gold paint.

The second sketch illustrates a stand in the form of a tripod, made of slender sticks of wood, bound together where they cross. The pot containing the fern is supported by the upper portion of the stand, and the sticks are decorated with the leaves of a creeper, or vine leaves, twisted round and round them.

The third sketch is of a stand made very much on the same principle, but in this case the pot containing the fern is suspended with fine wire or string in the center of the stand. A bunch of ribbons fasten the sticks together at the top, and pins with colored heads are inserted at the ends of the sticks to finish them off. Narrow ribbon can be twisted round and round the sticks to entirely cover them, or they may be decorated in the same manner as the stand previously described.

The fourth stand is for enclosing a fern contained in an ordinary flower-pot and saucer. It is made of short sticks of wood in their rough state, and fastened together with thin nails. The space between the stand and the pot should be filled with moss.

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Yucatan's Only Streams Flow Beneath Coral Rock.

There are no streams in Yucatan which flow above the ground, but the whole peninsula is one vast table of coral rock and beneath it are immense sheets of fresh water, with regular though ill defined tides and currents. Along the coasts these subterranean waters are quite near the surface, but in the interior, where the calcareous layer is of great thickness, the waters are low down. At intervals they break into caverns formed by earthquakes by pressure of their own force or by the infiltration of surface water into the natural grottoes of the coral rock and wherever the water can be reached, whether through artificial pits or by the operations of nature, the place is called a cenote. There are a great many of them scattered all over Yucatan, and those near Merida are utilized as public bathhouses, affording most refreshing resorts.

Centuries ago the Indians marked the courses of the subterranean rivers by heaps of stones and always built their cities close by the water caves, as their ruins show, and it is interesting to note to this day all the civilized centers of Yucatan have arisen around these natural reservoirs. There are many forms of cenotes. When the water flows at a slight depth and the calcareous layer has been only partially eaten away there follows an irregular sinking, which forms a cave, opening from side to side, but when the crust is thicker and the underground stream has a regular course the soil is generally corroded in a circular space and the vault thus formed, lacking support, falls in, making an immense open well. Often the crust is so deep that the soft parts only crumble down, leaving a small aperture toward the top, fashioning a real grotto, with stalactites and stalagmites galore. Again, it happens that the crust is exceedingly thick, when a colossal subterranean passage, like a tunnel, is formed. In short, all the variations which an undisturbed stream may produce in a friable soil by the silent work of ages may be here witnessed. The cenote of which I write is a natural cavern nearly fifty feet deep, broken down at one side, thus forming a gigantic arch. Within it appears every form of stalagmite and stalactite, and its roof is perforated with holes, in which are thousands of birds' and hornets' nests. At the bottom of it, reached by a flight of stone steps from the charming garden above, is an extensive sheet of clear, fresh water, containing a multitude of tiny fish (Pescado cenote) similar to those found in the Mammoth cave of Kentucky, only these are not eyeless. The overhanging roots of trees fringe its broken arch, affording shelter to innumerable lizards and iguanas, which dart along the ledges like embodied sunbeams, while above them countless swallows circle in masses so dense that the whirring of their wings produces a deafening noise, echoed from below in hollow reverberations.

The Italian Baby.

No infant receives a warmer welcome to the world or is more happily born than the Italian baby. No infant is the object of more caresses or is more fondly admired. Indeed, no matter how poor the mother and father may be, no matter how large the family, they have very merry times when another son or daughter comes to them. The neighbors are invited in, a feast is prepared, a gallon or two of cheap wine is procured, and the merriment sometimes lasts several days. The Italian considers there are only three great events in the life of man—namely, his birth, marriage and death. These three events never pass without a gorgeous and elaborate celebration. In this simple way they strive to carry out the tender life lesson: "When you were born you wept while those around you smiled. So live that when you die you alone may smile and those around you weep." And so they laugh and drink wine and sing, for they believe it will have an effect upon the life of the quivering form soon to take its place among them.—London Standard.

Machinery of Memory.

The machinery of memory was thus interestingly described by an authority on the brain: "The act of remembering something," he said, "involves a distinct change in the brain substance. The thing to be remembered is recorded by a little nerve cell. The first time the cell does its work an impression is made upon it. But that impression is apt to wear off unless the action of the cell is repeated, and the oftener this is the case the more fixed becomes the impression, or 'cell memory,' as it is called. Suppose that the work of this particular cell is to enable you to recognize a certain smell. If the impression is made but once, the cell may fail to retain it, but if it is repeated several times a lasting impression will be made, and you will recognize the particular odor when you meet with it again."

Southern Wit.

In the early days of the civil war, says Mrs. D. G. Wright in "A Southern Girl In '61," many northern senators were especially violent in their denunciations of the seceding states, occasionally much to the amusement of their listeners.

On one occasion a western senator ended a speech by declaring that were certain threatened events to occur he would "leave this country and join some other nation. Even the Comanches he would prefer to this government in such a case."

Senator Wigfall of Texas rose in answer and stated in a tone of grave remonstrance that he trusted the senator would consider well before he took such a step, "for the Comanches had already suffered too much from contact with the whites."

A QUEER POKER GAME

IT WAS PLAYED BY TWO STOCKMEN IN A DENVER HOTEL.

The Turn That Came When the Fortunes of Both Men Were Piled on the Table—A Side Bet and a Card That Was Not Shown to the Board.

The old St. James hotel in Denver was one of the landmarks of the city for over a quarter of a century, and many famous sporting men were among its guests. Numerous stories are told of the "stiff" poker games that used to be played there in the late eighties and early nineties of the last century.

A game was played one night between two stockmen, a banker and a mining man. The story goes that the mining man and the banker played until they were "all in," leaving the two stockmen to battle it out. It came up to the "consolation" jack pot, and those who had lingered to see the finish were not disappointed when they expected something spectacular to take place. The stakes were running high, the ante being $500, with no betting limit. One of the stockmen opened for $2,500 and was promptly raised before the draw. Then there followed a series of raises and counter raises until the pot contained $11,000 before cards were drawn.

"Gi' me that one," blandly announced the man who had "seen" the last raise. The dealer slipped one card across the table, laid the deck down, relighted his neglected cigar and said unconcernedly, "I'll play these."

Then the betting commenced in earnest. The player had opened, and he led off with $2,500 as a "feeler." The dealer raised a like amount, and the other fellow followed suit. It was plain that one or the other of the men was going to lose his fortune. Checks were written, torn up and made out for larger amounts, and finally mortgage papers on real estate and cattle were passed into the pot. Finally one man said to the other:

"Say, Henry, I'm going to stay with you until everything I've got, right down to the clothes on my back, is represented on the table. Now, I'm in doubt as to some of my property holdings, so I'll make you a proposition. Give me until tonight (it was then 4 a. m.) to find out just where I stand and we'll play the hand out. Meantime let us seal up my hand in one envelope, yours in another and the deadwood in still another. We'll leave the three envelopes in the office safe, to be delivered to both of us together."

The other player agreed, and envelopes and sealing wax were sent for. The hands and remaining cards in the deck were duly sealed and deposited as per arrangement.

Meantime friends of the two players endeavored to get the men together on some sort of compromise proposition, knowing full well that neither could afford to bank his entire fortune on a poker hand, leaving his family destitute, but both men were obdurate and would listen to no proposition to split the pot. An interested and expectant group gathered in the lobby about 8 o'clock in the evening, among them being the man who had opened the pot. They talked together in a friendly manner, speculating upon what would happen when the man who went to look up his assets returned. While they were talking he walked in.

"Well, Henry, I'm ready to resume our little argument," he announced in a matter of fact tone. Then the crowd repaired to the room where the game had been played. The man announced that he had $33,000 to "play back." Securities and certified checks representing this amount were piled on the table. Then, and not until then, did either of the men show signs of nervousness. The opener had drawn a check for $33,000 and started to tear it out of the book when the other man said in a slow, deliberate voice:

"Looks a little strong for either of us, doesn't it, Henry?"

"Well," rejoined the other man, toying with the check, "what would you consider a fair proposition at this stage of the game?"

"It's not gambling, I know," said the other, "but if you want to split the pot and"—

"She's split," calmly announced the man who had opened for $2,500. The currency, gold, checks, mortgage papers and securities were equally divided. Not a word was spoken. Silently the man who opened took up the envelopes, tore them open and laid the two hands on the table, faces downward.

"Bet you a cigar I had you beat," he bantered.

"You're called," said the other, turning over four cards, jacks and sixes. The opener also turned over four cards. They were jacks and sixes.

"I'll bet you," said the dealer, "a thousand dollars that I've still got you beat."

The other man peeped at a corner of his buried card, toyed a moment with a stack of currency and shoved $1,000 to the center. Then, without waiting for the man he had called to show his hole card, he turned up a four spot. The dealer looked at it, smiled, touched the bell and put his hand in the deck. He never told what the other card was.—Denver Times.

Lights of London.

A farmer who visited London for the first time was walking along Oxford street, filling his pipe, when a matchboy came up to him with the usual "Lights, sir?" The farmer took a box from the boy, extracted a match, lit his pipe and handed the box back to the astonished lad, passing on with the remark, "Lor, what a wunnerful place Lunnon is, to be sure!"

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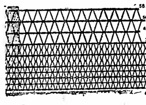

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THE LOCAL FIELD

ITEMS OF INTEREST DURING THE WEEK

Lew D. Padden is now employed in a barber shop at Thief River Falls.

Attorney W. A. Tautges, of Thief River Falls spent Monday in this city.

Walt Buse is now employed as stenographer in the office of V. M. Higinbothan.

Mrs. Levi Miller and Miss Eva Patnode are guests of St. Hilaire friends this week.

E. A. Nelson this week moved his family into the St. Aubin cottage on Champagne auenue.

Olaf Floan left last evening for Fergus Falls to visit a week or so with friends at that place.

Louis Parenteau returned from Warren Saturday, having spent several days there on business.

Orson Doe went to Thief River Falls Monday to accept a position in a drug store at that place.

Quite a number from here are planning to attend the Parker Carnival at Crookston next week.

Rev. Father Adolph of Thief River Falls, spent Monday in the city, a guest of Rev. Father Ambrose.

Sheriff Nelson, Attorney Grady S. A. Swanson and P. F. Pouliot went to Plummer yesterday on business.

The mosquitoes are with us in dead earnest and their bills haven't diminished to any apparant extent, either.

Mike McCarthy, general agent for the Grund Brewing company, spent Monday night in the city on business.

Joseph Laurent, of Terrebonne, spent Sunday at Crookston with his wife who has been sick there for a week past.

Ole and John Olson of Lambert, spent Monday in this city taking in the state land sale and looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur F. Ittner of St. Hilaire, were over Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. Ittner's mother in this city.

Crookston will be decidedly lively next week. The Parker carnival company will exhibit there for three days and a big time is looked for.

Frank Jeffers spent several days of this week looking after business for the Miller-Davis company at points along the Greenbush line.

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Miss Anna Rogers, of Granite Falls, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. L. C. Simons, and is enjoying the visit with her nany old-time friends immensely.

Clyde Childs and Charles Hallas, two prominent Poplar River farmers, spent Monday in the city attending the state land sale and looking after business matters.

Today is the glorious Fourth. Red Lake Falls is not celebrating this year but a number of our people are at St. Hilaire and Wylie, helping make the eagle scream.

Hugo Zaiser has spent the past ten days with his brothers and many friends here. Hugo likes city life real well but feels at home when he gets back to Red Lake Falls.

The Castello-railroad shows exhibited here Monday evening to a fair crowd and put up a reasonably good article of show. They went from here to St. Hilaire Tuesday.

Mrs. James Egan, who was operated on for appendicitis at a Fargo hospital two weeks ago, is reported as improving nicely and will be able to return to her home within a short time.

The grand stand erected at the ball ground for tournament use is being torn down this week. In case there is a ball game here Sunday, Mr. Doran will leave up part of the stand for the accommodation of the crowd.

Barnum & Baily's world's greatest circus will exhibit at Crookston Tuesday, July 23. The first advertising car passed through here this week and the town was covered with advertising matter, announcing the big event.

Rev. G. Boltinger, of Burt, Iowa. will occupy the pulpit at the Presbyterian church for the next two Sundays, and the usual services will be held. Rev. Boltinger is a fluent speaker and has been very successful in his church work.

Chris Erickson, of Tower, North Dakota, spent Sunday in this city and attended the state land sale on Monday. Mr. Erickson purchased a choice quarter at the sale and is enthusiastic over this part of the Red River Valley.

Charles Carpenter, of Grafton, North Dakota arrived Tuesday for a visit of a few days here. Mrs. Carpenter has been a guest of her cousins, Mesdames S. L. Lewis and M. A. Converse and Miss Lillian Buse for the past week.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson returned Saturday from a several days' visit with friends at Park River, North Dakota, and with Mr. Johnson at Lankin. Mrs. Johnson expects to remian at her parents' home a great part of the summer.

Rev. Neil A. Gilchrist, pastor-at-large of the Adams Presbytery, occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church in this city Sunday. Rev. Gilchrist is a very interesting talker, and preached to crowded houses both morning and evening.

The books of the various assessors of the county were returned to County Auditor O'Brien the first of the week and the force at the auditer's office is at present working hard to get out the tabular statement for the county board of equalization.

The new Clearwater Mercantile company at Plummer is opened up for business, with S. A. Lochen, an experienced salesman and manager, in charge. The new store is complete in all respects and will without doubt be a great benefit to Plummer.

A new cement walk is being built by Contractor Lindtner along the north side of Third street, east of Champagne. There are a number of others waiting for Mr. Lindtner to get around to them, and the present summer will witness a lot of improvements in the sidewalk building line.

Nap Bray, came over from Crookston and spent Monday with his brother Ed. Nap expects to go to Winnipeg later in the month and rumor has it that he will shortly lead a prominent young lady of that city to the altar. Nap has many friends here who will wish him all kinds of success.

J. A. Bray and wife left last Friday evening for their home in Blackduck after an enjoyable visit with their relatives and many friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Bray both have a warm spot in their hearts for Red Lake Falls, and the people here wish that they could make their home with us for all time to come.

Wm. Granger, employed in the United States census bureau, was here last week gathering statistics for his department in the government service. While here Mr. Granger went over the records at Clerk of Court Johnson's office to determine the number of marriages and divorce in Red Lake county during the past year.

Joseph Paranteau, the Terrebonne cheese maker last week received his returns on the April contest of the state dairy and food commission. Joe's score on cheese was 961-2 points, one of the highest in the state and naturally he is gratified at the outcome. "Little Joe" is one of the best cheese makers in the business and his many friends are pleased at his success.

Scott C. Hall and wife of Larimore have spent the past week at the D. W. Brown and Ovide Emard homes in this city. Scott has been braking on the Great Northern for the past year and has some interesting stories and pictures to tell of the hardships railroad men in Dakota were obliged to undergo during the past winter. Several of his views on snowbound trains make one resolve on the q. t. to spend the winters in the future where the flowers bloom continually.

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Mrs. J. B. Armstrong left Monday eveuing for Staples where she will visit a few weeks with relatives. From there she will go to Minneapolis and later to Iowa points and will spend the next month enjoying herself. Mrs. Armstrong expects to go west about August first with Mr. Armstrong, to settle permanently in their Missoula home.

Alexandria Post-News: Judge Simons and family, of Red Lake Falls, and Miss Anna Rogers of Granite Falls spent several days last week at the Nauman home in Carlo. Judge Simons was the first judge of probate in Red Lake county and represented his district in legislature several terms. The judge was well pleased with this locality and will probably buy property on one of the lakes and build a summer home.

Matt Skala is making some extensive improvements with his North Side property, and when he gets all through with the work will have one of the really modern stores in the county. He has raised his old store building and at present is making a roomy basement underneath. When this is completed he expects to add fifty feet more to the structure and make other substantial improvements. Matt is one of the fellows that believes in being strictly up-to-date, and the GAZETTE hopes that he will always be successful.

The graduation exercises by the pupils of St. Joseph's parochial school, held at the Metropolitan opera house last Thursday evening were largely attended and the program was carried out in a splendid manner. The program was a varied one, and aside from parts by several of the young people, contained numerous pleasing musical numbers and sketches. The address and presentation of diplomas by the Very Rev. Father Fayolle was listened to with rapt attention by the members of the class and audience in general and his remarks were pronounced excellent by all who heard him.

A case was tried in Justice Swanson's court Monday evening entitled the State vs. Mary Chrpa, of Star township, the complaining witness being one Clara Manuel, a neighbor of the Chrpa family. It appears that some neighborhood trouble arose and hot words were passed around, the with result that the woman was arrested charged with criminal slander. The defendant called for a jury and was represented by Messrs Grady and Boughton while County Attorney Germo conducted the state's case. The trial was held at the city hall and the court room was packed with interested spectators. The evidence was not at all complete and after an hour's deliberation the jury returned a verdict of "not guilty."

Carl E Peterson and bride returned on the N. P. Monday evening, where they had been married on the previous Wednesday and have been accepting the congratulations of friends ever since. On Monday night Carl was entertained at the Grand View Hotel in a vigorous manner, several of the boys kidnapped him, and on Tuesday evening the band serenaded the happy pair at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Nelson, and on Wednesday they were presented with a check for twenty-five dollars which the boys had contributed to show the high reguard in which they were held. They are now making preparations to begin housekeeping in the cottage recently occupied by J. R. Fortier. Their host of friends wish them unalloyed happiness in their new relations.

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The weather of the past week has been blistering hot, and the corn and other grains are just simply jumping out of the ground. It is just the kind of weather needed to insure good crops.

K. R. Killand, the St. Hilaire furniture man was a caller at this office Tuesday, and deposited a couple dollars in the Gazette's exchequer, on subscription. He was here on business in the office of probate, N. W. Tarrant.

Attorney Chas. E. Boughton returned Saturday morning from Warren when he had been conducting which Louis Paranteau had over a ditch he dug in Marshall County last year. Of Charley won out, as he always does. One of the peculiar things about the case was that two members of the jury, citizens of that county, had signed the recent petition for the removal of the county seat to Thief River Falls.

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Chapter 1.

"Friday, the 13th; I thought as much. If Bob has started, there will be hell, but I will see what I can do."

The sound of my voice as I dropped the receiver seemed to part the mists of five years and usher me into the world of Then as though it had never passed on.

I had been sitting in my office, letting the tape slide through my fingers while its every yard spelled "panic" in a constantly rising voice, when they told me that Brownley on the floor of the exchange wanted me at the 'phone, and "quick." Brownley was

"Mr. Randolph, it's Sizzling Over Here and Getting Hotter Every Second."

our junior partner and floor man. He talked with a rush. Stock exchange floor men in panics never let their speech hobble.

"Mr. Randolph, it's sizzling over here, and it's getting hotter every second. It's Bob—that is evident to all. If he keeps up this pace for 20 minutes longer, the sulphur will overflow 'the street' and get into the banks and into the country, and no man can tell how much territory will be burned over by to-morrow. The boys have begged me to ask you to throw yourself into the breach and stay him. They agree you are the only hope now."

"Are you sure, Fred, that this is Bob's work?" I asked. "Have you seen him?"

"Yes, I have just come from his office, and glad I was to get out. He's on the war-path, Mr. Randolph—uglier than I ever saw him. The last time he broke loose was child's play to his mood to-day. Mother sent me word this morning that she saw last night the spell was coming. He had been up to see her and sisters, and mother thought from his tone he was about to disappear again. When she told me of his mood, and I remembered the day, I was afraid he might seek his vent here. Also I heard of his being about town till long after midnight. The minute I opened his office door he flew at me like a panther. I told him I had only dropped in on my rounds for an order, as they were running off right smart, and I didn't know but he might like to pick up some bargains. 'Bargains!' he roared, 'don't you know the day? Don't you know it is Friday, the 13th? Go back to that hell-pit and sell, sell.' 'Sell what and how much?' I asked. 'Anything, everything. Give the thieves every share they will take, and when they won't take any more, ram as much again down their crops until they spit up all they have been buying for the last three months!' Going out I met Jim Holliday and Frank Swan rushing in. They are evidently executing Bob's orders, and have been pouring Anti-People's nut for an hour. They will be on the floor again in a few minutes, so I thought it safer to call you before I started to sell. Mr. Randolph, they cannot take much more of anything in here, and if I begin to throw stocks over, it will bring the gavel inside of ten minutes, and that will be to announce a dozen failures. It's yet 20 minutes to one, and God only knows what will happen before three. It's up to you, Mr. Randolph, to do something, and unless I am on a bad slant, you haven't many minutes to lose."

It was then I dropped the receiver with "I thought as much!" As I had been fingering the tape, watching five and ten millions crumbling from price values every few minutes, I was sure this was the work of Bob Brownley. No one else in Wall street had the power, the nerve, and the devilish cruelty to rip things as they had been ripped during the last 20 minutes. The night before I had passed Bob in the theater lobby. I gave him close scrutiny and saw the look of which I of all men best knew the meaning. The big brown eyes were set on space; the outer corners of the handsome mouth were drawn hard and tense as though weighted. As I had my wife with me it was impossible to follow him, but when I got home I called up his house and his clubs, intending to ask him to run up and smoke a cigar with me, but could locate him nowhere. I tried again in the morning without success, but when just before noon the tape began to jump and flash and snarl, I remembered Bob's ugly mood, and all it portended.

Fred Brownley was Bob's youngest brother, 12 years his junior. He had been with Randolph & Randolph from the day he left college, and for over a year had been our most trusted stock exchange man. Bob Brownley, when himself, was as fond of his "baby brother," as he called him, as his beautiful southern mother was of both; but when the devil had possession of Bob—and his option during the past five years had been exercised many a time—mother and brother had to take their place with all the rest of the world, for then Bob knew no kindred, no friends. All the wide world was to him during those periods a jungle peopled with savage animals and reptiles to hunt and fight and tear and kill.

It is hardly necessary for me to explain who Randolph & Randolph are. For more than 60 years the name has spoken for itself in every part of the world where dollar-making machines are installed. No railroad is financed, no great "industrial" projected, without by force of habit, hat-in-handing a by-your-leave of Randolph & Randolph, and every nation when entering the market for loans, knows that the favor of the foremost American bankers is something which must be reckoned with. I pride myself that at 42, at the end of ten years I have had the helm of Randolph & Randolph, I have done nothing to mar the great name my father and uncle created, but something to add to its sterling reputation for honest dealing, fearless, old-fashioned methods, and all-round integrity. Bradstreet's and other mercantile agencies say in reporting Randolph & Randolph: "Worth fifty millions and upward, credit unlimited." I can take but small praise for this, for the report was about the same the day I left college and came to the office to "learn the business." But, as the survivor of my great father and uncle, I can say, my Maker as my witness, that Randolph & Randolph have never loaned a dollar of their millions at over legal rates, six per cent. per annum; have never added to their hoard by any but fair, square business methods; and that blight of blights, frenzied finance, has yet to find a lodging place beneath the old black-and-gold sign that father and uncle nailed up with their own hands over the entrance.

Nineteen years ago I was graduated from Harvard. My classmate and chum, Bob Brownley, of Richmond, Va., was graduated with me. He was class poet, I, yard marshal. We had been four years together at St. Paul's previous to entering Harvard. No girl and lover were fonder than we of each other.

My people had money and to spare, and with it a hard-headed, northern horse sense. The Brownleys were poor as church mice, but they had the brilliant, virile blood of the old southern oligarchy and the romantic, "salaam-to-no-one" Dixie-land pride of before-the-war days, when southern prodigality and hospitality were found wherever women were fair and man's mirrors in the bottom of their julep glasses.

Bob's father, one of the big, white pillars of southern aristocracy, had gone through congress and the senate of his country to the tune of "Spend and Not Spare," which left his widow and three younger daughters and a small son dependent upon Bob, his eldest.

Many a warm summer afternoon, as Bob and I paddled down the Charles, and often on a cold, crispy night as we sat in my shooting-box on the Cape Cod shore, had we matched up for our future. I was to have the inside run of the great banking business of Randolph & Randolph, and Bob was eventually to represent my father's firm on the floor of the stock exchange. "I'd die in an office," Bob used to say, "and the floor of the stock exchange is just the chimney-place to roast my hoe-cake in." So when our college days were over my able old father stood us up against the wall in his office, and tried us by his tests, and proud we both were when dad said: "Jim, you and Bob have chosen well. You, Jim, are just the chap to step into my shoes, and Bob is cut to a thirty-second and sixty-fourth for the floor." Proud we were, not so much because of what my father's decision meant for our future, for we knew we should get into the business all right, but because our judgment was indorsed by one we both thought as near infallible as man could be in anything pertaining to business affairs.

Bob was then 22 and I a year older—I one of your raw-boned New England lads, not much for prettiness, but willing to weigh in race-day with any of them for steadiness and staying qualities; Bob as handsome as they made them, six feet tall in his gym sandals straight as an arrow, with the form of an Indian, and one of those clean, brave, all-for-heart-nothing-for-policy, smiling faces to which men yield willing friendliness, and women, idolatry. Bob's eyes were as big and round and purple-brown as an English bulldog's, unfathomable, at once mild and stern, with a childish come-and-go perplexity; his nose as straight as though chiseled by a master for a Greek medallion, with thin curved lips to correspond, and a high, broad forehead, whose whiteness was set off by a luxuriance of hair that seemed jet-black, but was of the same rare purple-brown as his eyes. But it was the poise of Bob's head that gave his good looks their crown. Whoever has seen a bunch of two-year-old colts in a long-grass Kentucky paddock, when the darky boy lets loose his shrill whistle at "taking-up time," is sure to remember one that threw up its head and kept it poised to make sure it had caught the call. Grace, strngth and unharnessed wayward leadership are there personified. Some such suggestion was ever in the carriage of Bob's shapely head and vigorous figure, and dull indeed would be the man or woman who failed to recognize the man's rare distinction and masterfulness.

Indeed, as I said a bit back, Bob Brownley was by all odds one of the handsomest men I have ever seen, but besides that, he was a sterling, manly, unaffected fellow, as true as steel, as brave as a lion and the best comrade friend ever had.

Perhaps it was because his father's death had saddled Bob's youth with the heavy responsibilities of husbanding and directing his family's slim finances that he took to business as a swallow to the air. We entered the office of Randolph & Randolph on the same day, and on its anniversary, a year later, my father summoned us into his office for a sort of tally-up talk. Neither of us quite knew what was coming, and we thrilled with pleasure when he said:

"Jim, you and Bob have fairly outdone my expectations. I have had my eye on both of you and I want you to know that the kind of industry and business intelligence you have shown here would have won you recognition in any banking house on 'the street.' I want you both in the firm—Jim to learn his way round so he can step into my shoes; you, Bob, to take one of the firm's seats on the stock exchange."

Bob's face went red and then pale with happiness as he reached for my father's hand.

"I'm very grateful to you, sir, far more so than words can say, but I want to talk this proposition of yours over with Jim here first. He knows me better than anyone else in the world, and I've some ideas I'd like to thrash out with him."

"Speak up here, Bob," said my father.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

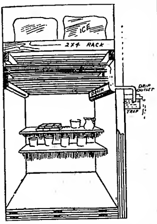
A Chance for a Bargain.

An Irishman who had begun to practice photography went into a shop to purchase a small bottle in which to mix some of his solutions. Seeing one he wanted, he asked the chemist how much it would be. "Well," said the chemist, "it will be twopence as it is, but if you want anything in it, I won't charge you for the bottle." "Then," said Pat, "put a cork in it."

DAIRY REFRIGERATOR.

Plan of Construction Which Will Insure Good Results.

In building an ice box for storing butter and milk the first requirement is proper insulation. If a room is to be fitted up for this purpose make the flooring of ordinary inch lumber with 2x2 inch strips nailed across 18 inches apart, and on them lay two thicknesses of best odorless building paper and on these strips nail the flooring; turn the floor over, so naked strips will be uppermost (the strips are three inches shorter all around than the flooring); now put on two more thicknesses of paper, and lay flooring flush with strips; cut another set of strips three inches shorter than the floor. Lay on these two more thicknesses of paper and put on a last course of flooring.



Section of the Ice Box.

There are now two perfect dead air spaces, which is a better non-conductor than any filling, and will always be sweet. Inside the room, sides are put on the same as bottom, except at the corners, where, as a matter of precaution, an extra thickness of paper is placed. In height of building leave enough room overhead for ice chamber (two feet, six inches is about right).

Now comes the principal feature of the room, namely, the ice racks. Four inches below, where the 2 ft. 6 inch line is from ceiling to cooler, nail securely a 2 in. x 4 in. scantling on long way of cooler, both sides alike; on these rest 2 in. x 4 in. pieces two inches apart. These are the floor of ice chamber.

The ice pans, or drip catchers, are made of 2 in. x 6 in. pine of good quality, thus: Gouge out one side, like a trough, full width of 2 in. x 6 in., and 1½ inches deep in the middle, turn 2 in. x 6 in. over and take off corners, and plane, so the 2 in. x 6 in. will be a gradual fall from center to edge. These troughs run same way as ice rack. Before placing them, have tinner make a strong zinc or galvanized trough two inches wide, one side strengthened by wire turned in edge, other side straight; at one end have an outlet pipe soldered on, long enough to go though cooler and project an inch or more; if desired, an air trap is put on end. This trough runs lengthwise of room below ice rack, one end nailed two or three inches lower than other to secure quick drainage. On opposite side of room from gutter, secure a 2 in x 4 in. to lay first course on drip boards, convex side up, and three inches apart; these drip boards rest just over drain. Directly under the three inch space, and two or three inches lower down, place concave 2 in. x 6 in., one end resting on drain, and other end a little higher. The drip boards are not fastened, but can be taken down and washed readily. The rack for ice is not fastened, but can be removed at any time. Make doors on same plan as side and bottom. This room, built as above, will hold the same degree of temperature at all times and is very inexpensive.

GOOD DAIRY POINTS.

In buying cows don't take the seller's pick.

It is not yet warm enough to leave the cows out of doors.

Beware of the hired man that is continually quarreling with the cows.

Remember that a cow is not a race horse and should not be a plaything for a trained dog.

Don't wait until the creamery turns out a batch of bad butter before beginning to haul the milk or cream to the factory every day.

Have patience with the calf. Don't expect him to know how to drink when he is only a day old. You certainly knew less at this age.

Fill Up the Gullies.

We reclaimed a field that had gullies in it big enough to hide a house, by filling with cedar brush, then hauling rocks, stumps and small logs and throwing on top of the brush, writes a correspondent of Farm and Home. Other gullies that were just starting were stopped by setting in slabs crosswise and staking to position. A rock cliff was fenced off and set to cherry tree sprouts which are growing nicely. A sink-hole was edged with plum sprouts which are more useful than the usual sassafras.

DAIRY IMPROVEMENT.

The Cream Should Be Cooled and Aired Immediately After Separating.

Great improvement could be made in the quality of cream if producers were more skilled in the process of cream separation. In nine cases out of ten improvement could be made with very little, if any, extra work or expenditure. The simple fact that cooling and airing cream immediately after separation and maintaining it at a low temperature will preserve its quality does not seem to be generally understood among cream producers.

The lack of cleanliness through all the operations is another great drawback to quality, and this is one of the hardest things to correct, but by careful grading and rewarding for good quality much of the trouble could be overcome.

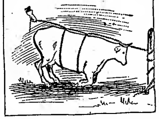
The washing of dairy utensils is one of the features most neglected by the average cream producer. There is a strong temptation on the part of the user to wash his machine out once a day, or even less often. Milk pails, cans and strainers are not, as a rule, properly washed and aired. The cow stables are often dirty and unsanitary, and through the entire operation of production there is a lack of cleanliness. There should be much more care taken in keeping the utensils clean and sweet. Washing powders could be used to good advantage and their use should be encouraged. In nine cases out of ten there is not enough cleansing matter used. Some agent should be employed in the process of washing that will aid the removing of grease, and at the same time will sweeten and cleanse the utensils. For this purpose nothing is better than sal soda or concentrated lye, and enough of either should be used to give the water a slippery feeling. It may be needless to say that all utensils should have a previous washing in nearly cold water to remove all traces of milk or cream, then a bath in the alkaline water for sweetening and purifying, and lastly an immersion in boiling water. After these processes, do not wipe dry, but hang or set where the air can circulate freely; cover with a loose meshed cloth to exclude flies and dust and we have as nearly sanitary care of dairy vessels and utensils as possible. In this connection it may be well to suggest the using of brushes instead of cloths in washing where it is impossible to reach all crevices with the latter.

Another item which would tend to better sanitation, says Coleman's Rural World, would be better rooms or buildings for doing work. The location of the hand separator in about three cases out of four is in the kitchen. While this may be necessary, it is not desirable, and certainly it does not improve the quality of the cream. The separator should be located in a place where odors and contaminating influences do not exist. A little dairy house can be cheaply made and fitted to accommodate all the utensils and work necessary in the production of cream. This may be equipped according to the size of the dairy, and would tend in a marked degree to remove some of the disagreeable features of dairying, at least to the women who must be housekeepers as well as helpers in their husband's work, for the kitchen would then be much more easily kept clean.

HOW TO THROW A COW.

It Can Be Easily Done by Method Suggested Below.

An Oklahoma farmer recommends the method shown in the drawing, which he considers self-explanatory. After the rope is brought around twice as shown, just "pull."



Bringing the Animal down.

Bad Flavors in Cream.

Most of the bad flavors of cream are those acquired by absorption, taken up from dirt and decaying vegetables kept near the cream. There is no reason why as good or better butter cannot be manufactured by the individual dairyman on the farm as in the creamery. The small hand separator, if properly cared for, will greatly facilitate the work.

Using the Skim Milk.

When a dairyman asks what is the most profitable way to dispose of his skim milk, we would say it can be used for food for man and beast. Calves, pigs and poultry all thrive on it.

Feeding the Dairy Cow.

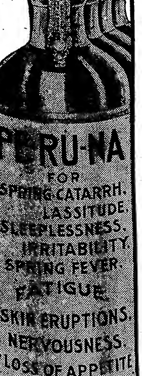
The common practice of feeding twice a day, once in the morning and one late in the afternoon, with an armful of roughage to pick over at midday, appears a reasonable one.

Main Part of Herd.

The young bull is the main part of the herd. He should be fed proportionally as well as the cow giving milk—the food should not be fattening, but strengthening.

The Skim Milk.

The skim milk is really the most nourishing portion of the milk. It contains a large per cent. of protein and most of the sugar of milk.



HEALTH NOTES FOR JUNE.

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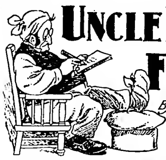


UNCLE PETER'S FOURTH

BY GEORGE V. HOBART.

UNCLE PETER passed the Fourth of July at his old home in Ohio. I must show you a letter he wrote me a few days after that noisy event:

"Dear John: We had a nice, quiet time on the Fourth, with the exception of my ankle, which was somewhat dislocated because my foot stepped on an infant bombshell, which same exploded for my benefit.

"I like the idea of the Fourth with the exception of the noise.

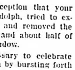
"I believe that if our forefathers had suspected that their great-grandchildren would make such an infernal racket on the Fourth of July they would have waited for a snowstorm on the 16th of January before signing their John Hancocks, because then it would be too cold to explode firecrackers under your neighbor's eyebrows when he least expects it.

"We had a nice, quiet time at home on the Fourth, John, with the exception that little Oscar Maddy, who lives next door, presented me with a roman candle which joined me between the third button on my waist-coat and the solar plexus.

"I acknowledged the receipt by falling off the front step and barking my shoulder.

"You should always remember, John, that the Fourth is the day when your patriotic voice should climb out of your thorax and make the welkin ring, but it isn't really necessary to get up a row between a stick of dynamite and a keg of giant powder to prove that you love the cause of liberty.

"You will find that some of our best citizens—men who love liberty with an everlasting love—are hiding in the cellar with both hands over their ears from July 3d to July 5th.



"We had a nice, quiet time at home on the Fourth, John, with the exception that your second cousin, Randolph, tried to explode a toy cannon and removed the apex of his thumb and about half of the dining-room window.

"It may be necessary to celebrate the birth of freedom by bursting forth into noise, but my idea, John, is that Old Glory would like it much better if we were more subdued and kept our children on the earth instead of letting them go up in the air in small fragments.

"We had a very quiet time at home, John, on the Fourth, with the exception of your distant relative, Uncle Joseph Carberry. Uncle Joe annexed about six mint juleps and then went to sleep on the front porch with five packs of firecrackers in his coat pocket.

"Full of the spirit of liberty, your interesting cousin, Randolph, set fire to your uncle's pocket, and when last seen your Uncle Joe was rushing over hill and dale in the general direction of Hartford, Conn., with the firecrackers cheering him on.

"Liberty, John, is the only real thing in this world for a nation, but just why the glorious cause of freedom should be slapped in the face with an imitation of the bombardment of Port Arthur is something which I must have misconstrued.

"We had a very quiet time here at home on the Fourth, John, with the exception that another interesting cousin of yours, my young namesake, Peter Grant, tied a giant firecracker to the cat's tail, and the cat went to the kitchen to have her explosion.

"It took two hours and seven neighbors to get your good old Aunt Maggie out of the refrigerator, which was the place selected for her by the catastrophe.

"The stove lost all the supper it contained; little Peter Grant lost two eyebrows and his Buster Brown hair; the cat lost seven of its lives, and the glorious cause of freedom got a send-off that could be heard 19 miles.

"We all missed you, John, but maybe it is better you were not at home on the Fourth, because the doctor is occupying your room so that he can be near the wounded—otherwise, we are all well.

"I think, John, that when freedom was first invented by George Washington the idea was to make it something quiet and modest which he could keep about the house and which he could look at once in a while without getting nervous prostration.

"But George forgot to leave full instructions, and nowadays when the birthday of freedom rolls around the impulsive American public wakes up at daylight, shoves up the window and begins to hurl torpedoes at the house next door, because a noise in the air is worth two noises on the quiet.

"We had a very quiet Fourth at the exception of your second cousin, Hector, who patriotically attached himself to a hot-air balloon, and when last seen was hovering over Erie, Pa., and making signs for his parents not to wait supper for him.

"Most of our neighbors for miles in every direction have sons and daughters missing, but what could they expect when a child will try to put a pound of powder in four inches of gaspipe and then light the result with a match?

"The Fourth is a great idea, but I think this is carrying it too far, as the little boy said when he went over the top of the house on the handle of a sky-rocket.

"We had a very quiet time at home on the Fourth, John, with the exception of our parlor, which took fire when your enthusiastic cousin, Randolph, tried to make some Japanese lanterns by setting fire to the lace curtains.

"The firemen put out the fire and most of our furniture.

"Your cousin was also much put out when I spanked him.

"We hope to recover from the excitement before the next Fourth, but your aunt hopes that somebody will soon invent a new style of noise which will not be so full of concussion. Yours with love, UNCLE PETER."

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CANNON CRACKERS

Let him go. It is a part of a boy's education.

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It does seem to the small boy that he should have one day to spend unhampered by rules and regulations.

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What does your boy care if you did only have one bunch of firecrackers for the entire Fourth when you were a boy? He knows that the world was slow and sleepy then anyway.

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One reason why this country has a population of nearly 80,000,000 is that so many glorious Fourths have been rainy.

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A Chinaman invented the firecracker, but it was some other fool who made the first toy pistol.

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If there had been cannon crackers when George Washington was a little boy, this country might never have had a father.

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As usual, we start in the day after determined to have a sane Fourth next time, and henceforth to use no other.

ALL FOR HOME, SWEET HOME.

With a Joker in the Pack.

Sporting Gossip.

The truly American sport of trap shooting gains greatly in popularity with each successive year, and 1907 promises to be a record breaker. Many golf clubs are adding shooting grounds, while gun clubs increase and multiply in every section of the country. The regular season lasts from early spring until the hunting season, but the enthusiasts keep it up the year round. Live bird trap shooting still has some adherents, but the general tendency is towards the "clay pigeon." The forerunner of the "clay pigeon" was the glass ball, filled with sand or feathers, to show when broken; but shooting them was too easy, and neither in shape nor flight did they resemble birds. The targets cost about five dollars per 1,000, and as 30,000,000 are thrown annually, it would look as if trap shooting had come to stay. As to the number of shells used, only a rough estimate can be made. There are from 80,000,000 to 1,000,000,000 shot shells fired each year in the United States; but the majority is, of course, for game. A recent gun club equipment is the "tower trap," the first of which, in this country, was erected at Pinehurst, N. C., where the sport is exceedingly popular. These towns have long been used in Europe, the idea being to produce conditions somewhat similar to those experienced by the sportsman when shooting rocketing pheasants. The tower is 50 feet high, and in the top are two expert traps, right and left. The puller is protected by a thick plank partition, which also hides the traps from view. Five different kinds of targets may be thrown—right, left, overhead, unknown angles and doubles. In these events, with the exception of the "overhead" birds, the shooter faces the tower at the usual "rise" distance. In the overhead shooting he stands back to the foot of the tower and directly under the traps. Tower shooting will bother the best shooters at first. Known angles to right and left are not difficult, and many have a knack for breaking overhead targets, but the unknown angles bewilder most shooters, and "doubles"—two targets shooting off in opposite directions at the same time—call for skill and quickness such as few possess. They are by no means impossible, and some remarkable records have been made with them. The sport is no more expensive than golf or kindred games. Anyway the "game is worth the candle."

Jesse Harper has accepted the position of director of athletics for another year at Alma college at Alma, Mich. This news was received with great delight by the student body. Coach Harper has turned out the best teams this year that Alma has ever had in its history. Harper is strong in all branches of athletics. He graduated last year from the University of Chicago. He was a player on both the football and baseball teams, being captain of the baseball team. Harper is a believer in clean athletics. No unfair play has been allowed this year on any of the teams. A man must be a gentleman in athletic work, as well as in class work, he believes.

Jesse Harper.

Jimmy Cockman, Newark's third baseman, puts up a claim that major league managers make a big mistake by not scouring Canadian territory when in quest of players. Cockman says that Canada is full of good material, especially near Guelph, Ontario, where he resides. According to statistics furnished by Cockman there are but eight Canucks playing professionally in the United States, including himsel, all of whom have made good. From Guelph come Cockman, Greene, one of Jack Dunn's new pitching recruits, and Congalton, Cleveland's heavy-hitting outfielder.

From other parts of Canada come O'Hara, Baltimore's fleet-footed left fielder; Archer, catcher for the Detroit Americans, and Nig Clarke, Cleveland's star backstop. Crystal, the former Providence twirler, who is now pitching winning ball for New Orleans, in the Southern league, hails from British Columbia, where he is interested in a salmon fishing enterprise. Harvey Williams, who was brought out by Ed Barrow, the Toronto manager, last season, and who was farmed out to Albany this spring, is a resident of Toronto.

SYMPATHY FOR THE FISH.

Upton Sinclair's Amazing Parable on Charity of the Rich.

Upton Sinclair, in an address before a body of Chicago Socialists, said of charity:

"The average charity, the charity of the rich, seems rather futile to me. The rich oppress the poor enormously, then they help them slightly. It is like the young lady angler.

"'Why,' said a man to this young lady, 'do you always carry a bottle of liniment with you on your fishing excursions?'

She sighed.

"'I am sorry,' she said plaintively, for the poor little fish. And so, when I take one off the hook, I always rub its cut mouth with some liniment.'"

BLACK, ITCHING SPOTS ON FACE.

Physician Called It Eczema in Worst Form—Patient Despaired of Cure—Cuticura Remedies Cured Her.

"About four years ago I was afflicted with black splotches all over my face and a few covering my body, which produced a severe itching irritation, and which caused me a great deal of suffering, to such an extent that I was forced to call in two of the leading physicians of ——. After a thorough examination of the dreaded complaint they announced it to be skin eczema in the worst form. Their treatment did me no good. Finally I became despondent and decided to discontinue their services. My husband purchased a single set of the Cuticura Remedies, which entirely stopped the breaking out. I continued the use of the Cuticura Remedies for six months, and after that every splotch was entirely gone. I have not felt a symptom of the eczema since, which was three years ago. Mrs. Lizzie E. Sledge, 540 Jones Ave., Selma, Ala., Oct. 28, 1905."

The Web of Life.

Life is the daily web of character we unconsciously weave. Our thoughts, imaginations, purpose, motives, love, will, are the under threads; and the passing moment is the shuttle, swiftly, ceaselessly, relentlessly, weaving those threads into a web; and that web is life.—S. D. Gordon.

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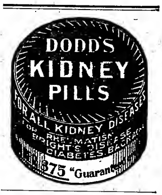
"I was leading right up to it, but suddenly noted that her voice had a sort of previous-engagement ring."—Smart Set.



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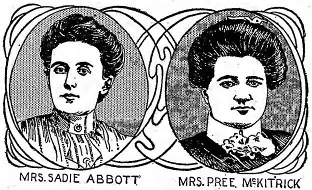
WORKING WOMEN, WHAT THEY SHOULD KNOW



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Women for the most part spend their lives at home, and it is these women who are willing and ambitious that their homes shall be kept neat and pretty, their children well dressed and tidy, who do their own cooking, sweeping, dusting and often washing, ironing and sewing for the entire family, who call for our sympathy.

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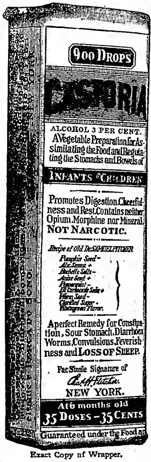

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The Story of Its Introduction to the Circus Public.

"Old Peter Conklin, the clown," said a circus official, "was the first to give pink lemonade to the world.

"It dates back to 1857, when Conklin was travelling in the south with Jere Mable's big show. Conklin had a dispute with Mable and jumped the show down in Texas. I've had the story right from his own lips. He bought a couple of mules and an old covered wagon, some tubs, tartaric acid, a lemon, a bushel or two of peanuts and started in the refreshment business. He followed the circus with his wagon, and every time the tents were pitched he would mount a box and harangue the crowd with:

"Here is your ice cold lemonade,
Made in the shade.
Stick your finger in the glass;
It'll freeze fast.

"The lemonade sold splendidly, and he couldn't wait on the people fast enough. One day he was surrounded by a mob scrambling for 'the juice,' when his water supply ran out. There were no wells or springs at hand. He rushed into the big tent, but there was ne'er a drop of water to be had. In his excitement he invaded the dressing tent. Fannie Jamieson, the bareback rider, was wringing out a pair of pink tights, the aniline dye coloring the water a very pretty shade. Conklin didn't stop to ask any questions. He grabbed up the tub and ran. Into the tub he threw some acid and the property lemon and called out:

"'Come quickly. Buy some fine strawberry lemonade.'

"His sales were doubled that day, and since then no well regulated circus is without pink lemonade. However, we do not make it the same way now, and sometimes strawberries are used as well as lemons."—Exchange.

BRUNSWICK STEW.

A Gastronomic Triumph With a National Reputation.

This celebrated stew originated in Brunswick county, Va., from which it takes its name—a county most famous in antebellum days for its perfect cuisine and gastronomical predilections. The originator was either Mr. Haskins or Mr. Stith, each claiming during a long life the distinction of having made the first stew and dying without a proper adjustment of the controversy. While made everywhere in the habitable globe, it is seldom made properly. It was introduced in Paris by Judge John T. Mason of Virginia. Only in Brunswick county is this stew so appetizing, so piquant in the seasoning to be found in all its perfection. To this remark of the writer made to a gentleman in the far south he replies, "The egotism of a Virginian suggests perfection in all things there, and the slow pace of the state ample time to arrive at it." The recipe is as follows: One of three kinds of meat is used—lamb, chicken or squirrel. If chicken, it is first parboiled, cut up as if to fry, the outer skin removed, then put on in hot water—a plenty to cover it—a large onion cut fine, a large slice of middling meat cut fine, black and red pepper in abundance and salt. After cooking until the bones can be extracted, and hot water added if not enough, corn cut off the cob and tomatoes chopped fine are added, with half a pound of butter, more pepper and salt. Before serving add stale light breadcrumbs. Never add Irish potatoes or butter beans or any vegetable save corn and tomatoes. Serve in a tureen. It should be the consistency of thick soup and very highly seasoned. It is considered one of the finest of stews and has a national reputation.—Richmond Times.

"Americanisms."

"Fired out," commonly supposed to be an "Americanism," has been traced home to Shakespeare. In one of his sonnets he says:

Yet this shall I ne'er know, but live in doubt
Till my bad angel fire my good one out.

"Say," as an exclamation to attract attention to the beginning of a remark, is common enough and not very elegant. At least so thought a schoolteacher who resolved to break his pupils of the habit of using it. A bright one quoted, however, this from "The Star Spangled Banner:"

Oh, say, can you see?

If the American people sing "say!" in the national hymn, say, why not say "Say?"

As to Bow Legs.

A bow legged man usually possesses more than ordinary strength. Why? Because his legs in supporting great weight can bend in one direction only, whereas the man with straight legs is inclined to be wabbly. Such being the case, why should not a knock kneed man be stronger than a bow legged one? His knees, being braced against each other, ought to be more steadfast than legs bending outward. Yet we all know that the knock kneed man generally goes into consumption and is at all times weaker than his bow legged brother.—New York Press.

Optimistic Sure.

Newberry—Is Sanford of an optimistic temperament? Baldwin—I should say he is. I have known him to go into a restaurant without a cent in his pocket, order a dozen oysters and feel satisfied that he could pay his bill with a pearl.—Life.

Just Playing Possum.

"So you are going to retire from politics?"

"Yes," said the municipal boss, "I'm going to retire. But I'm not going to sleep so soundly that I can't be awakened."

Men ought not to investigate things from words, but words from things.—Myson.

NEWS IN MINNESOTA

EVENTS OF A WEEK THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

C. M. Cashman, aged eighty, the oldest bookseller in Minneapolis, is dead.

Mathias Gane, one of the most popular of the old settlers of Stearns county, is dead.

C. A. Almquist, an old resident of Red Wing, is dead as the result of injuries received in a runaway.

The largest live stock amphitheater in the world is in course of construction at the state fair grounds.

A. J. Smith will retire as superintendent of the St. Paul schools at the end of the present school year.

The first eight months of the operation of the Somerville inheritance tax has yielded $58,181.13 for the state.

More than $60,000 has been contributed to the Minneapolis fund for the relief of the earthquake sufferers of California.

A box of 150 cherries from California was sold at retail in St. Paul for the benefit of the California sufferers and brought $650.

The Minneapolis Gas Light company will make a voluntary reduction in the price of metered gas on Oct. 1, 1906, from $1.10 per thousand feet to $1.

The faculty of the University of Minnesota has voted to retain Dr. H. L. Williams as coach of the football squad for one year at a salary of $3,000.

The president has sent to the senate the nomination of John Peterson to be collector of customs for the district of Minnesota. Peterson is the present incumbent.

One of the transient lodgers at the Economy hotel in Minneapolis, who was registered as "J. W. Hill, Escanaba, Mich.," committed suicide in his room by taking carbolic acid.

A. L. Cole of Walker, representative from the Fifty-second district in the legislative sessions of 1903 and 1905, has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor.

Senator George W. Somerville of Sleepy Eye has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor. There are now seven avowed candidates for the nomination.

Peter Sbatka, a police officer of the city of Eveleth, has been bound over to await the action of the grand jury on a charge of robbing a prisoner. A similar case against Tony Azzo, also a police officer, was dismissed.

The state championship of the Minnesota high school debating league was won by the team of the Humboldt high school of St. Paul in the final contest of the season against the Central high school of Minneapolis.

Charles A. Bohall, a Stearns county pioneer and Civil war veteran, is dead at Sauk Center. Mr. Bohall was born in Jefferson county, N. Y., seventy-three years ago. He removed to Sauk Center when a mere lad and has resided there ever since.

The state drainage board has appropriated $25,000 for ditches in the northern part of the state. All the land to be drained by these ditches is state land and approximately 40,000 acres will be benefitted. The work will be completed this summer.

The payment of nearly $500,000 by the state and counties during the last thirty years for the slaughter of wolves does not seem to have any appreciable effect on the supply and the number of wolves paid for this year would seem to indicate that, if anything, the number is increasing.

Governor Johnson has decided to issue a proclamation submitting to the voters of Itasca county at the next general election the petition calling for a division of Itasca county into two counties, one to be known as Koochiching and the other portion to retain the name of Itasca.

After crossing half the continent to escape the terrors of earthquake shocks in California Albert Scharz, formerly a resident of Minneapolis, is dead at the home of his sister at St. Paul. It is believed that the excitement of the earthquake shock and the hurried journey East hastened his death.

It is believed that the murderers of Charles O. Bader, the keeper of the Falls hotel at Minneapolis, who was killed in his barroom on the evening of Dec. 23, are now under arrest in Iowa and are serving sentences of fifteen years for a job committed at Des Moines Feb. 6 similar to that in which Bader was killed.

The Chicago Great Western Railway company has appealed to the district court from an order of the state railroad and warehouse commission allowing a reduction of $2.25 a carload for wood shipped from St. Paul to South St. Paul. The decision was made upon the objection of Thuet Bros. to a charge of $5 a car for such transportation.

John Stewart, a cattle buyer of North Dakota, has been found murdered in the brush twenty miles south of Roseau. Robbery was the motive. He was last seen Dec. 23, when he started to walk from Wannaska to Thief River Falls. It is supposed the crime was committed by an employe of Stewart, who disappeared the same date.

The state supreme court has upheld the action of Mayor D. P. Jones of Minneapolis, who refused to sign a contract with the Patterson Street Lighting company. The opinion, written by Chief Justice Start, states that the council of the city of Minneapolis by motion awarded a contract for lighting the city without submitting the latter to the mayor for his approval.

PINEAPPLES.

The Juice of This Fruit Is a Great Aid to Digestion.

The word enzyme does not appear to have any connection with pineapple, yet it is the name of the chemical that gives to the luscious fruit the remarkably digestible property which it possesses. The prevailing notion that pineapple juice is excellent for the digestion is supported by medical testimony. Eat a slice of the fruit after dinner, say the doctors, and you will not suffer from dyspepsia.

If you want to see what pineapple can accomplish in the way of digestion, you can easily test it on a piece of raw steak. The action of pineapple juice on meat is to transform it into jelly and then dissolve it when in the human stomach.

Place a slice of the fruit on the raw meat as it lies on a plate, and the upper surface of the steak where the fruit touches it will soon become gelatinous. Enzyme, the active principle of the juice, can be obtained by throwing salt into the juice, thus producing a precipitate.

A good sized pineapple contains two pints of juice, a fact that gives an idea of what a slice of the fruit will do for digestion. If cooked, the pineapple loses its virtue in this respect. It may be asked whether the consumption of the somewhat woody fruit itself is beneficial or not, for that can scarcely be easily digestible.

Without doubt it is the juice which does the good, not the flesh of the pineapple, but the property of the juice is so effective that the eating of the fruit itself can do no harm and may even be beneficial, inasmuch as it takes some of the strength of the juice to dissolve it and so prevents the stomach suffering from the too violent effects of the juice.

Fighting the Current.

Papua has swift streams well stocked with fish. An explorer tells of Papuan fresh water mullet which sometimes weigh as much as fifteen pounds. "These fish are wonderfully provided by nature with an appliance which helps them to combat the extraordinary currents. At one moment you will see them being swept down resistlessly, but suddenly they shoot off into the quieter water and attach themselves to the rocks by a strong sucker near the mouth. There they hang just outside the current, their tails moving gently with it, and when they have recovered their strength they make another dash through the swifter waters."

Observance of the Sabbath.

There was the minister of Tweedsmuir who on a certain Sabbath found a salmon stranded in shallow water and who, being unable conscientiously to take it out on such a day, built a hedge of stones around it and, returning on the morrow, claimed his prize. There was the old farmer who could not go to the kirk because he had neglected to shave on the Saturday night, and he would not profane the day by the use of any edged tool.—Macmillan's Magazine.

A True Fish Story.

Here is a fish story told by a British nobleman: An Irishman had caught a big pike. Noting a lump in its stomach, he cut it open. "As I cut it open there was a mighty rush and a flapping of wings, and away flew a wild duck, and when I looked inside there was a nest, with four eggs, and she had been after sitting on that nest."

Shocking Precocity.

"What is the result," asked the teacher of the primary class in arithmetic, "when you put two and two together?"

"A kith," lisped the curly headed little girl in the front row.—Chicago Tribune.

There are many diversities of vice, but it is one never failing effect of it to live displeased and discontented.—Seneca.

THE GOLDFINCH.

Changes in Plumage That Are Puzzling to the Novice.

Most every one in America is acquainted with the goldfinch, but many people know the bird by the name of lettuce bird on account of its bright yellow color. Goldfinch is a very appropriate name, as the bright yellow of the male when in breeding plumage is like burnished gold. The female goldfinch is more modestly dressed than her mate. The changes in plumage of the male are very interesting and to the novice somewhat puzzling. Until the student becomes acquainted with the bird he may wonder why he sees no males during the winter. The truth is at this season the flocks of supposed female goldfinches are really of both sexes, the male bird having assumed in the previous fall, usually by the end of October, a plumage closely resembling that of the female and young bird of the year. The male retains this inconspicuous dress until late in February, when one can notice a gradual change taking place in some of the birds. This renewal of feathers is actively continued through March and April, and by the first of May our resplendent bird is with us again. The song period with the male goldfinch continues as long as he wears his gold and black livery, for it commences as early as the middle of March and ends late in August. Goldfinches are very cleanly in their habits and bathe frequently. Their nests are exquisite pieces of bird architecture, the inside being lined with the softest plant down. The mother bird is the builder, her handsome consort during the nest building time devoting most of his efforts to singing to cheer his industrious mate.—Philadelphia Press.

THE SOLAR SYSTEM.

Some Facts Which Give an Idea of Its Immensity.

In all the heavens, with the exception of passing meteors or meteorites, not one body occupies a position closer to earth than the moon, which is some 240,000 miles away—very far, of course, side by side with any earthly distances, but a mere fraction side by side with other astronomical distances. Next to the moon our nearest occasional neighbor is Venus, and then Mars. Both Venus and Mars, however, are often farther away from us than the sun, which remains always at somewhere about the same distance, roughly at from 90,000,000 to 93,000,000 miles.

This dividing space between sun and earth is of great importance in thinking about the stars, and it should be clearly impressed upon the mind. Next to the sun in point of nearness come the more distant planets—Jupiter, which is about five times as far from the sun as our earth is; Saturn, nearly twice as far as Jupiter; Uranus, nearly twice as far as Saturn, and Neptune, nearly three times as far as Saturn. All these planets belong to our sun, all are members of his family, all are part of the solar system. The size of the solar system as a whole, consisting thus of the sun and his planets, including our earth, may be fairly well grasped by any one taking the trouble to master two simple facts. They are these, that our earth is roughly about 92,000,000 miles away from the sun and that Neptune, the outermost planet of the solar system, is nearly thirty times as far distant from the sun as our earth is.—Chambers' Journal.

AN ODD BIRD.

The Kiwi of New Zealand Has Some Remarkable Peculiarities.

That queer bird, the kiwi, is a native of New Zealand. Its remarkable peculiarities are, first, the apparent absence of wings, as the plumage so covers the small, rudimentary, sticklike appendage of a wing that none whatever is apparent. The situation of the nostrils at the bill's extremity is a second peculiar feature. While hunting for earthworms it probes the soft ground, making a continual sniffing sound. Thus the scent is evidently of great help in finding food and the reason for the position of the nostrils quite apparent.

A third peculiarity is the very disproportionate size of the egg in comparison to the bird, it being a little less than one-fourth the bird's own weight. One kiwi's egg found weighed fourteen and one-half ounces, while the bird weighed just under four pounds (sixty-four ounces) and was about the size of an ordinary hen.

The plumage of the kiwi is a dull brown streaked with light gray, and the body resembles a miniature hay shock, rather badly hacked off at the rear part, as nature has not provided the kiwi with such decoration as a tail. The absence of wings is compensated for by its swiftness of foot, and the large, clumsy looking legs, which are sometimes used as weapons, are placed far back on the oddly shaped body.—St. Nicholas.

That Was All.

A young girl who is always trying some new thing was present once when the doctor set a neighbor's broken arm. She was sure that she knew exactly how it was done and rather anxious to put her new knowledge into practice. Some time later a hen out in the chicken yard broke its leg. The girl directly announced that she meant to set it "and make it as good as new." Accordingly it was put into a plaster cast and left for the proper length of time to knit. When the day came to take off the cast the girl ran out to the henhouse in great eagerness to see the result. Presently there was a scream that brought every member of the family to her side. The chicken was jumping miserably over the ground sidewise instead of directly forward. You know a hen's leg has a crook. Well, she had crooked it the wrong way, that was all.

Aliens In Old London.

Here is a curious report of the aliens in London in the year 1567: "There being a great increase of foreigners in the city, her majesty ordered the lord mayor to take the name, quality and profession of all strangers residing within the city of London." The list was headed by the item, "Scots, 40." Other nations were represented by "French, 428; Spaniards and Portuguese, 45; Italians, 140; Dutch, 2,030; Burgundians, 44; Danes, 2; Liegeois, 1."

Shark's Tail For Luck.

Attached to the extreme end of the bowsprit of a sailing vessel there may sometimes be seen a piece of some material that looks remarkably like leather. This seeming piece of leather is really a shark's tail. It is placed there because the sailors think that it augurs good luck, believing that pleasant voyages will be their lot while it remains there. Instead of the bowsprit the tail is at times nailed to the top of one of the masts.—London King.

Different.

"Why don't you elope with her?"

"But, good gracious, man, if you are perfectly willing for me to marry your daughter I cannot see any object to be attained by our eloping."

"Can't you? How will it be if I offer you half of what I save on the wedding?"—Houston Post.

The Main Point.

"What do you think? That boss politician says he has divorced himself from politics."

"Then I'll bet he secured alimony."—Baltimore American.

Common sense in an uncommon degree is what the world calls wisdom.—Coleridge.

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Gazette and Courier Consolidated Under the Name of the Gazette.

As stated in an announcement on the editorial page, THE GAZETTE and THE COURIER were consolidated last Friday, and hereafter the paper will be known as the RED LAKE FALLS GAZETTE. The subscription list and good will of THE GAZETTE was purchased by the proprietor of THE COURIER, and it seemed advisable to discontinue the latter paper, rather than use the hypenated title of COURIER-GAZETTE. The amalgamation will probably be satisfactory to the patrons of both papers, since it means a better newspaper and less expense to all concerned. Minnesota towns are quite generally getting away from the burden of a multiplicity of local newspapers, and in every instance the plan has met with cordial approval.

THE GAZETTE and THE COURIER have made a large share of the newspaper history of Red Lake Falls. The former was established September 21, 1883, by O. M. Holmes. In 1889 it was bought by Phil A. Kaufer, who conducted it very successfully until 1903, when it was sold to L. A. Dautremont. Another change occurred in May, 1906, when F. R. Creglow, the retiring publisher, bought it.

THE COURIER made its initial bow to the public on October 13, 1898, Edward F. West being its sponsor. Seven weeks later it was sold to Jeffers & Boughton, who conducted it until September, 1901, when it was purchased by John E. King. Both papers have had their ups and downs, their sunshine and shadow, but in the main they have been fairly representative of the community.

In recounting briefly the history of the two papers whose fortunes are now joined in a common destiny, it is not out of place to mention that the first newspaper in the city was the Red Lake Falls Era, edited by Alva Dewey, a cousin of Admiral George Dewey, then as little known to fame as his editorial relative. THE GAZETTE office is in possession of the first copy of the Era that was run from the press. It is dated June 29, 1882, but a marginal note informs us that it was actually printed at 6:20 p. m. of July 1, 1882, by Ernest Buse, J. H. Sanders and Adam Zeh. This paper is a relic and will be preserved in THE GAZETTE safe for the edification of posterity.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

CAN'T BEAT MINNESOTA

Prof. Yaeger Says Western Coast Has Disadvantages.

C. S. Yaeger, of Fosston, who is conducting the summer school in Red Lake Falls has returned recently from a trip through Montana, Idaho, Washington and British Columbia where he made a careful and intelligent study of conditions, and has reached the conclusion that Minnesota is the best place after all. He tells a Crookston Times reporter that the reports of the Western country sent to this state are highly colored; that persons who intend to change their place of residence with a view of going West should first go out on a tour of personal investigation.

The Western country, although it has its advantages, is not the land of milk and honey as it is pictured to be by real estate manipulators, who are exercising every effort to stimulate immigration. It is a fact that lumber, which abounds in unlimited quantities, is equal in price to that sold in this part of the country: that fruit which is grown there on a most extensive scale, is just as expensive as it is here.

The price of all commodities and labor are unusually high, so that a man's income must be large in order to make both ends meet. By practice of only the strictest economy are the possibilities of making money in the West as great as in Minnesota,

To give an idea of the activity of the real estate men, it is a fact that no sooner has a man arrived in the West and registered at a hotel than he is spied out and deluged with literature containing glowing misrepresentations of the Western country.

MAIL EARLY.

Weighing Will Be Done For Next Six Months.

The periodical weighing of mail began Monday, July 1st, all over the United States and will continue six months.

The weighing is to determine the weights of the different classes of mail and the sub-classes with a view to an adjustment of postage rates. There are nine different classes and sub-classes of mail and the sorting and weighing separately will be no small chore. During the weighing period it will be well for people to deposit their out-going mail early, as it will not be practicable for postmasters to undertake to sort, classify and weigh up anything arriving the last minute, and any mail arriving too late to be conveniently classified, weighed and counted up will have to wait in the office until next mail.

Go to Spillane's—The Right Store—for your teas and coffees.

HELD BRIEF MEET

County Board Does Up a Bunch of Business in a Hurry Monday.

The board of county commissioners met at the court house Monday morning in regular July session and spent a day grinding out business for the county.

An attempt was made by the Thief River partisans to approve the minutes of the Shaw-Aubol love feast of July 1, but they were promptly sat upon, which was right and proper.

Commissioners Lindquist, Aubôl and Demann were appointed a committee to examine the sites for the new bridge over the Clearwater between Garnes and Mayfield and Equality and Deer Park.

An auctioneer's license was granted to Ingvald Huseby.

The sum of $200 was appropriated from the revenue fund to aid the county fair to be held at Thief River Falls next month.

The town of Norden was given $150 and Black River $100 from the road and bridge fund to aid in constructing roads and bridges.

The applications of Eliza Beausoliel and Nick Nimesgern for abatement of taxes were recommended for allowance, subject to the approval of the tax commission,

The sum of $200 was transferred from the county revenue fund to the incidental fund.

The town of Poplar River was given the sum of $200 to aid in road and bridge work,

The jury lists for the fall term of court were drawn and filed with the clerk of court.

The tax levy for the ensuing year was fixed as follows: County revenue, $20,000; road and bridge, $9000; bond and interest, $3500; special road and bridge, Louisville, $1033.

The board adjourned Monday evening to meet again on the 16th inst when they will finish up their work and also sit as a county board of equalization

NORTH SIDE CONCERT.

Band Will Play for Benefit of Cross River Patrons.

The band will give a concert on the North Side tomorrow (Friday) evening, and an especially appropriate program has been prepared. Several of the most liberal band supporters are residents of the north end, and this concert will be given in recognition of their friendship. The following is the program that will be rendered:

March "York Imperial"	Mitchell
Waltz "Leading Lady"	Comstock
Chilian Dance "Manana"	Misrud
Trombone Solo "The Sweetest Story" Mr. Harry Healy.	Stults
Mazurka "Amoroso"	Navarro
Reverie "Apple Blossoms"	Roberts
Intermezzo "Golden Rod"	McKinley
March "Victory Forever"	Mood

SUES FOR DAMAGES

Scrap Out At Plummer Presents Some New Developments.

The following dispatch from Plummer to the Minneapolis Journal of Thursday last indicates that the scrap between Editor Latta, of Plummer, and several business men of that place, which was started last winter, has developed into something more than talk, and will be interesting reading to the people of this section of the state:

Plummer, Minn., July 3.—Papers were served here yesterday in the action for damages in the sum of $5,000 wherein Charles W. Latta, publisher of the Plummer Pioneer and postmaster, seeks to recover from Julius Pleth, H. J. Enderle and A. Alrick, real estate dealer, cashier of the First State Bank, and a merchant, respectively.

The action is the outcome of a local difficulty between business men at Plummer and the editor-postmaster and the complaint charges that the defendants entered into a conspiracy to ruin the plaintiff by boycotting his paper and the postoffice and that they induced others to join with them in such a boycott.

The boycott of the paper was started on March 1 and on April 1 was extended to the post office, the defendants and others mailing their letters on the trains and at other postoffices. The Plummer postoffice is a fourth-class office and the postmaster's compensation is governed by the number of stamps cancelled. When the office was boycotted, the postmaster complained to the department with the result that late in May the mail cars on the trains were closed, which resulted in the boycotters being forced to mail their letters at the postoffice.

The case will be tried at the fall term of District court in this city. Mr. Latta has engaged Attorney L. F. Gossman of Crookston to conduct his case, while Attorneys Boughton and Grady, of this city, will appear for the defendants.

HISTORY OF THE SUIT.

Plummer Business Men Discuss Latta's Action.

The action in district court by Editor Charles Latta for $5,000 damages against Julius Pleth, Henry J. Enderle and A. Alrick, prominent residents of Plummer, is attracting coinderable attention, and in an interview Mr. Pleth; in enumerating the causes leading up to the suit, says:

"In the fall of 1905, after Mr. Latta returned from the Keeley cure, I took him out here to Plummer, bought a lot and put up a building and purchased the printing plant, at a total cost of $1,875 and Latta never invested a single dollar. On January 28, 1907, I sold the plant to Mr. Latta's father-in law, J. O. Sargent of Crookston, for $1,250, thereby giving him a discount of $625, as I was tired of carrying the load any longer. At various times since the fall of 1905 I have helped Latta and loaned him sums of money from $10 to $25 whenever he needed it. As Latta was hard up and in need of money to support his family I was instrumental in getting him appointed postmaster, a fact which he himself admits, and also loaned him money with which to buy his postoffice fixtures."

In his complaint Mr. Latta alleges that on February 24, 1907, a secret meeting was held, and that the defendants and others were present. There was no secrecy about this meeting as Mr. Latta was invited to attend and was present during the entire meeting.

For three or four months prior to this meeting, Mr. Latta conducted a warfare against William Lauritzen buttermaker at the Plummer creamery, because of a personal grudge. The citizens of Plummer realizing the importance of retaining Mr. Lauritzen, and feeling that the newspaper attacks were unjustifiable, called the meeting for the purpose of talking over matters with Mr. Latta, and asked him to discontinue the unwarranted attacks. All of the business men expressed the opinion that Mr. Latta's attitude was injuring the town and told him unless the abuse was stopped they would withdraw their patronage.

In the next issue of the Pioneer he again published an article derogatory to Mr. Lauritzen and the creamery, and the business men made good their threat to withdraw their business from the paper. This was done by each merchant individually, and not because of any bargain or pledge with Messrs. Pleth, Enderle and Alrick nor because of anything the defendants said or did.

Since then the Pioneer has waged incessant warfare on the business men of Plummer, attacking the city council, and fighting every local interest which a newspaper is expected to support and defend. This course naturally enraged the Plummer people and after about two months from the time of the first meeting, they stopped mailing their letters at Latta's postoffice. This action was taken by each one individually and not because of an alleged "conspiracy" on the part of Pleth, Enderle and Alrick. A prominent business man of Plummer who has no direct interest in the matter declares:

"Latta hasn't a single friend in Plummer, which goes to show that he is at fault, and while the suit was brought against three of the business men, it is in reality directed against Pleth. This shows the basest ingratitude, as Pleth has always tried to help Latta in every way.

"We are not worrying as to the outcome. A man has a right to discontinue his patronage to any concern when he pleases and likewise has a right to mail his letters in St. Petersburg or Hong Kong if he likes. For that reason it is not likely that the jury will give Latta a verdict."

Whisky Or Milk?

Luverne Herald: A distressing accident occured at the Omaha station Tuesday evening, In the station awaiting the arrival of the west bound passenger was a man busily engaged "minding" a baby about a year old. Becoming tired of carrying the little one and not being able to find a seat, he squatted on his heels. After wavering an instant in that position he toppled over backwards but managed to keep the child from striking the platform. He quickly resumed his squatting posture but when he had attained it those near by noticed a dark stream run from under his coat at the back. Instantly the platform was strained and it became apparent that he had broken his—bottle.

Wasn't His Lead.

At the close of a long and tiresome sermon a preacher in a neighboring town said: "We will bow our heads in prayer. Deacon White will lead." There was no response. "Deacon White," this time a little louder "will you lead?" Evidently the deacon was sleeping. The preacher made a third appeal and raised his voice to a pitch that succeeded in arousing the drowsy man' "Deacon White, will you lead?". The deacon in bewilderment blurted out: "Oh, go to thunder, it ain't my lead—I just dealt."

SHORT COURT TERM

Judge Watts Makes New Citizens and Hears a Couple of Cases Tuesday.

Hon. Judge Watts and Stenographer Lohn came over from Crookston Tuesday and held a special term of court at the court house in this city.

Six aliens were granted their final citizenship papers, and four applications for final papers were den[illegible]d on account of non-compl[illegible] [illegible] the new law and fo[illegible] reasons. Those gran[illegible] [illegible]izenship papers were: [illegible] Knudsen Aastroen, Torjus Larson, Peter Johnson, Maria Linder, Lukrus Grovo, John Ulstad.

Minnesota Historical Society

Two cases were heard. The one P. K. Olson vs. Louis Seiff, arising out of the ownership of the Plummer saloon property, was argued and the judge took it under advisement, to render a decision later.

The case of George A. Judson vs. Moses Allard and Joseph Allard, a suit on promissory notes, was heard, and judgment was entered in favor of the plaintiff in the amount claimed.

The case of Lillie C. Olson vs. Johnson and Norby was continued 'till the fall term.

Court was adjourned late in the afternoon until next Monday, July 15.

Suit Over Plants.

Plummer Pioneer: On Friday of last week a somewhat unusual case was tried before Judge Gullingsrud in justice court here. It was a repelvin action brought by M. O. Sortedahl, of Red Lake Falls to get possession of a couple of fine plants which had been adorning the Plummer creamery and which the buttermaker, Wm. Lauritzen considered his property.

It seems that the plants were originally purchased and paid for by Sortedahl from Mrs. Thelander, at the time of her auction sale in the spring of 1906.. At that time the plants were left in possession of Mrs. Thelander and she sold them again to Mr. Lauritzen. About three weeks ago Mr. Sortedahl came to Plummer and called at the creamery to see about getting his plants. They were refused and in the course of the argument it seems that he was ordered out of the creamery by the buttermaker. Suit was then brought to recover possession of the property and as stated the case was tried Friday last. The court took the case under advisement and handed down his decision on Saturday, dismissing the action. Mr. Sortedahl has taken an appeal to the district court.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls Aug. 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

Summer Clearance Sale

From now on everything in the summer goods will be slaughtered away
No goods will be carried over till next week.

Unlined Coats and Vests and Coats Only

All wool gray serge $6 50 coats and vests now.......... $3.98-$2.50
Alapaca Coats.......... $1.48
65c Percale coats.......... 39c
Don't sweat your life away but get one of these and be cool.

Lawns

Our 10c lawns now.......... 5c
Our 25c lawns now.......... 12½c
Our 15 and 18c lawns now.......... 9c
Don't wait—hurry and get the best patterns

White duck Purses worth 35c now.......... 19c
25c, 35c and 50c leather belts, small sizes.......... 9c
Calico wrappers 1.50 and 1.75 now.......... 98c
1.25 goods now.......... 89c
$1.25 DuBrock waists, the best fitting waist made.......... 89c

20 per cent. off
on all men's and boys' clothing—no reserve

10 per cent. off
on all Ladies' Patent Leather Oxfords

SPECIAL GROCERIES

25 lb box fancy Prunes $1.50, Crackers per box $1.25, Gloss Starch 5c, Yeast Cakes 3c, Vitos 12½c, Force 12½c, Egg-o-See 8c, Soda 5c, Luncheon Beef 25c, Corn 8c, Comb honey 10c, $1 pails herring 75c

Theo. LaBissoniere

The Big Store Red Lake Falls

We Want to Help You Buy Cows Now

No doubt you have read our offer in the columns of this paper during the past two weeks, and we are very desirous that you give us an opportunity to get your farm stocked with cattle and hogs. To this end we would earnestly request you to call in and talk the matter over before the season becomes too far advanced.

The Secret of Success Lies in Dairying and Hog Raising

Why not now abandon the wheat raising lottery and adopt the surer method of providing revenue for yourself and family? This bank is interested in your welfare and stands ready to help you get started in profitable dairying. Call in and we will talk it over.

Merchants State Bank
of Red Lake Falls
J. A. DUFFY, Cashier.

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THE COURIER

JOHN E. KING, Publisher.

RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Personal.

W. R. Spears, a widely known undertaker, who had charge of the burial of President Garfield and other notable persons, died in that city, aged sixty years.

Alfred Noyes, the English poet, is to marry Miss Garnet Weodell Holmes, a kinswoman of Oliver Wendell Holmes. It is expected that the wedding will take place next month.

Parry L. Wright, vice president and general manager of the Luxfer Prism company, died at the Homewood Country club, near Chicago, following a collapse on the golf course of the club.

William S. Shunk died at his home near Harrisburg, Pa. He was one of the foremost engineers of the country and was formerly in charge of large operations of the Pennsylvania railroad.

Gen. William Duffield, for a number of years superintendent of the United States coast and geodetic survey, and said to be the oldest living graduate of Columbia university, is dead in Washington.

Capt. W. J. Downs, who laid out the Miami and Erie canal, helped with the construction of the St. Mary's reservoir, and surveyed the Panhandle road between Pittsburg and Chicago, died at Black River Falls, Wis., aged ninety-one.

Lieut. Julius Van Demmer of the German army, heir to a $14,000,000 estate and member of the German aristocracy, has joined the United States army at Fort Leavenworth, where he has been assigned to the Third battalion of engineers.

Foreign.

The Russo-Chinese bank at Vladivostok paid out $50,000 on a forged check. The man to whom payment was made escaped.

A revolutionist dressed as an officer of the Frontier guards drew $30,000 from the Russo-Chinese bank at Harbin on a forged check and decamped.

Gov. Gen. Smith has returned to Manila from a month's tour of inspection of northern provinces. He declares that Pulajanism is ended on the islands of Samar and Leyte.

In a fierce fight between the constabulary and Moros in the Lnka Lanao district several of the constabulary and many Moros were killed. Detailed information is suppressed.

A dispatch from Odessa says it is authoritatively reported that sixty officers of the Southern military district, several of them connected with the Odessa garrison, have been arrested.

Richard Croker has made a record in racing history. He won the Irish Derby with Orby, which won the English Derby of 1907. This is the first time that these two great classics have been won by the same horse.

An automobile in which the American, John Ryan, and his wife and three other persons were riding, was ditched in trying to avoid a cart at Deppe, France. Mrs. Ryan was killed and the others received serious injuries.

Public excitement at Tokio over the American question has almost passed away, but the agitation continues. It is mostly the work of politicians of the opposition, who are employing the question as a weapon of attack on the ministry.

The Danish rigsdag has voted $45,000 for the purchase of reproductions of works by Danish artists, to be hung in the waiting rooms of railway stations all over the country The object is to increase the knowledge of art and Danish artists among all classes of the nation.

The Swedish government has just paid the city of Lubeck a debt of 50,000 Rhenish florins, charged for army provisions supplied in 1813, when the war was in progress. A treaty signed in 1852 postponed the payment of the debt during the life of the treaty, which ended this year.

A plot to steal $50,000,000 from the Russian government office at Tschita, where the money was kept for enterprises in Siberia, has been discovered and thirty Russians arrested. They had made a tunnel 120 yards long from the hotel to the safe, and when the plot was ripe it was disclosed, almost all the plotters being captured.

Casualty.

Thirteen persons were killed in a balloon accident near Debreczin, Hungary.

The tug Constance, carrying Capt. Neilsen and crew of six men, all of New Westminster, B. C., has been lost with all on board at Rivers Inlet, 300 miles up the coast.

Gus Hammer, Ola Peterson, Lydia Olin and Anna Johnson, all residents of Muskegon, Mich., were drowned in Muskegon lake.

Mrs. George E. Russell was knocked down and fatally hurt at New Haven, Conn., by a bicycle ridden by W. A. Parry of Tarboro, N. C.

While returning home from church Frank Creelman, sixty-five years old, was run down and fatally injured by a freight train at Anaconda.

Alfred Freeman, twenty years old, son of Mrs. Minnie Freeman, who resides near Auburn, N. Y., was struck by lightning during a storm.

Michael Golding was killed in the Minnie Healey mine at Butte by dropping 500 feet down the shaft.

The plant of the Utica Drop Forge and Tool company at Utica, N. Y., was destroyed by fire. Loss, $200,000.

Mrs. Samuel Coan of Montezuma, Iowa, was fatally burned by using gasoline to start a fire, mistaking it for kerosene. She died in great agony.

William M. Ayers of Portland, Or., one of the best known bookmakers in the West, was killed by an interurban car as he was leaving the race track at Seattle.

In a head-on trolley accident on a grade near White Oak Park, a summer resort between New Brighton, Conn., and Plainville, nearly a dozen persons were injured.

Henry Zipf and Hermon Ludwig were drowned in Big Walnut creek, near Columbus, Ohio, while bathing. Neither could swim and they got beyond their depth.

Conductor Edward Harrison and Rear Brakeman N. G. Durfee were instantly killed as a result of a rear-end collision of two freight trains about three miles west of Billings, Mont.

The explosion of a gasoline furnace started a fire which completely destroyed the refinery of the Kendall mines near Lewiston, Mont., causing a loss estimated at $10,000.

Attempting to board a moving train at Ishpeming, Mich., Frank McConnell, aged thirty, of Marquette, a railroad brakeman, fell under the wheels and was badly mangled. Death occurred a few hours later.

In an effort to save his brother's life, Fred Adler, twenty years old, was drawn into the swift current of the Mississippi river at St. Louis by August Adler, aged twenty-three, and both were drowned.

George Spencer, a New York stock broker, was killed at Oyster Bay, L. I., by being thrown from a horse which he was riding. The accident occurred near President Roosevelt's summer home at Sagomore Hill.

Criminal.

Earl Chism of Bloomington, Iowa, confessed to the robbery of the post office at Tayloridge and Reynolds, Ill.

Raphoele Savara, who pleaded guilty to a charge of assaulting an eleven-year-old girl, killed himself in jail at Newark, N. J.

Because his wife refused to feed chickens at his command Thomas Dothert of Richmond, Ky., killed her with a monkey wrench.

Alvah Thompson committed suicide at Iowa City, Iowa, by drinking carbolic acid. His mind was temporarily deranged from overwork.

An effort was made to blow up the residence of Ashley Cockrill, former city attorney and a prominent lawyer of Little Rock, Ark., by dynamite. The fuse failed to burn or the entire residence probably would have been destroyed.

The corpse of an unknown man, with a bullet hole in the head and having the appearance of having floated many days, was found in the river at Burlington, Iowa. It is believed to be a case of foul play and is being investigated.

Clyde Glidden, aged seven years, has been arrested at Parkarsburg, W. Va., on a charge of incendiarism, it being alleged that he burned two houses a week ago. The houses were occupied and the families barely escaped with their lives.

The party of revenue officers who had a fight with moonshiners in Stokes county, N. C., captured thirty-five moonshiners and destroyed thirteen illicit stills. The officers state that between three and four hundred shots were exchanged with the mountaineers.

Oliver N. Dennett, the broker who a few days ago pleaded guilty to receiving the bonds which W. O. Douglas, the assistant loan clerk, stole from the Trust Company of America at New York, was sentenced to serve not less than five nor more than ten years in Sing Sing prison.

After kissing his wife of a few weeks George H. Searles of Des Moines walked out on the lawn and drank some carbolic acid. He died within a few minutes. He left a note saying that his wife was in love with another man, so he took his own life to get out of her way.

General.

Mrs. J. Wilbur Chapman, wife of the noted Presbyterian evangelist, died at Warsaw, Ind.

Chief Justice W. F. Frear of Hawaii has cabled President Roosevelt his acceptance of the governorship of Hawaiian Territory, beginning in August.

At imminent risk to himself, Abraham Walker descended into a well at Massent, Iowa, and rescued Michael Johnson, who had been overcome by foul gas.

Driven violently insane by a thunder storm, Daniel Arbuckle, a wealthy farmer near Hamburg, Iowa, attacked his young wife and nearly beat her to death before neighbors rescued her. The next day Arbuckle had practically recovered his reason. He has no recollection of his conduct.

One of the agents of the department of agriculture, working on his New Jersey farm, has produced a new vegetable novelty in the shape of a seedless tomato. The variety has become well established and has been called the giant because of the very large size that the plant attained.

In addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 25 per cent, the directors of the Fifth Avenue Bank of New York have declared a special dividend of 150 per cent, payable out of the earnings of 1906, which the president of the institution declares were exceptional.

THE HAYWOOD TRIAL.

Judge Wood Rules Against Haywood.

Boise, June 29. — A ruling made yesterday by Judge Wood while Edward Boyce, for years the leader of the Western Federation of Miners and now a wealthy mine owner of the Coeur d'Alenes, was testifying in behalf of William D. Haywood, may materially limit the showing of the defense as to the existence of the counter conspiracy against Haywood and his associates which it alleges.

Claims Same Latitude as State.

James H. Hawley, for the state, objected to a general question as to the policy and practice of mine owners throughout the West in blacklisting union miners, and in the argument that followed Clarence Darrow, for the defense, claimed the same latitude in proving counter-conspiracy that the state enjoyed in showing a conspiracy.

Mr. Hawley contended that the state had directly shown the existence of a conspiracy by Harry Orchard, and by so doing had laid the foundation for and made the connection of all the evidence subsequently offered on the subject. He said the defense was trying to show a counter-conspiracy by proving various isolated instances and certain general conditions, none of which was connected with the case and for none of which a proper foundation had been laid.

Court Sides With State.

In ruling the court accepted in part the contention of the prosecution, and limited the proof of the defense along these lines to events in Colorado and the Coeur d'Alenes connected with the case as now established.

Ed Boyce was the principal witness of the day, and his testimony was chiefly devoted to the history, purposes and work of the Western federation. He denied the existence of an "inner circle" or that there had ever been a conspiracy in the organization or an illegal act.

Still Try to Discredit Orchard's Story.

Boise, Idaho, June 30. — The attorneys for Haywood continue to center their efforts on the discrediting of Harry Orchard and the establishment of their claim that Orchard killed Frank Steunenberg in revenge for the loss of his interest in the Hercules mine. Yesterday they directly attacked the story of the Vindicator explosion with the testimony of a witness who made it appear accidental rather than criminal.

Vindicator Explosion.

Thomas Wood, a non-unionist, who entered the Vindicator mine as a timber man after the strike began, swore that the night before the explosion he placed a box containing twenty-five pounds of dynamite at the shaft of the eighth level. He saw the powder the next morning shortly after 10 o'clock, and a few minutes later Supt. McCormick and Foreman Beck came to the eighth level. They remained but a short time and left to go to the sixth level, where they were killed. Wood swore that when he reached the shaft, twenty minutes later, the powder was gone and it was a reasonable inference that McCormick and Beck took it with them.

Contradicts Orchard.

Wood testified that he had seen a revolver in Beck's pocket; that the fragments of only one revolver were found in the sixth level, and that the bodies of McCormick and Beck were blown apart, indicating that the explosion had occurred between them. Orchard said that he fixed a revolver with a wire attachment, so that when the safety bar was raised it would send a bullet in the giant powder he had placed. One witness for the state has sworn that he found a wire attached to the safety bar, but Wood, who was among the first to reach the sixth level after the explosion, said that he had carefully examined the safety bar and found nothing attached to it.

William Eoaterly and D. C. Copley both swore that they heard Orchard tell of the loss of the Hercules mine and threaten to kill Steunenberg

Says Detectives Spied on Union.

Boise, Idaho, July 2.—Morris Friedman, formerly an employe of the Pinkerton detective agency at Denver, who published his adventures and many of the confidential reports that passed through his hands in an attack on the agency, was a witness Saturday in behalf of William D. Haywood. He told how the Pinkertons had sent spies into many of the important unions of the Western Federation of Miners.

By name and operating number Friedman identified a dozen detectives who succeeded in entering or getting very close to the miners' union in Colorado, and he produced voluminous copies of the reports they made to the agency for transmission to the mine owners.

Spies Are Consistent.

Friedman was confidential stenographer under Detective McPartland, and, so he testified, it was part of his duties to copy the reports of the operatives as they reached the office.

Friedman swore that in several instances the detectives sent out by the agency in behalf of the mine owners managed to get themselves elected to high office in the unions and that in a couple of instances they carried their roles to the extent of sharing all the hardships of the strikers and finally being deported from the country with them.

Tried to Beggar Federation.

Friedman said that one Pinkerton operative became chairman of the union strike relief committee at Globeville, and as such had charge of all the funds disbursed there by the local union and general federation.

Friedman said that under instructions from his superiors at the Pinkerton agency this man first tried to beggar the federation by a lavish expenditure in behalf of the strikers, and failing in this he cut the relief down to the lowest point in the hope that the members of the union might censure Haywood.

Apache by Sub-Agent.

Boise, Idaho, July 3.—Morris Friedman, the stenographer who left the employ of the Pinkerton agency at Denver to write a book in which he published certain correspondence of the agency that passed through his hands, was again yesterday the principal figure at the Steunenberg murder trial. More than half of the day was occupied in reading to the jury copies of the documents that Friedman took from the Pinkerton records. They were chiefly the daily reports of secret agents operating as spies among the union men, and showed a

Complete Surveillance

of the Western Federation of Mine Workers of America during the labor troubles in Colorado in 1903-04. Pinkerton men sat in the Federation convention at Denver in 1904, reporting all proceedings. None of the reports that were read to the jury contained other than general references to the collateral issues of the trial, but they were offered in substantiation of the claim of the defense that the Pinkerton agency conspired for the destruction of the Western Federation of Miners and the lives of its leaders.

State Attacks Friedman.

The prosecution attacked Friedman on the ground that he had played the Pinkertons false, had violated his pledge to them and had stolen the documents which he produced, but the witness would not admit that he had stolen the papers. He insisted that it was not stealing to take information that had been obtained by deceit. He said that if he had known this trial was coming up he would have taken many more letters and reports.

Misuse of Militia.

Another interesting witness was J. I. Wallace, an attorney of Cripple Creek, who served with the militia, first as a private and then as a lieutenant, during the strike of 1903-04. He related several instances as tending to show the misuse of the power of the militia by the mine owners; gave the criminal records of some of the gun fighters imported by the mine owners; told of the working of the card system; recited the circumstances connected with the looting of the union stores and a newspaper office, and swore that he saw K. C. Sterling, chief detective for the mine owners, fire the first shot in the Victor riot the day of the Independence station incident.

Tear Orchard's Story to Tatters.

Boise, Idaho, July 4.—Max Malich, Joe Mehelick and Billy Aikman, three of the men variously implicated in alleged misconduct at Globeville, Denver and Cripple Creek, on the work of Harry Orchard, went on the stand yesterday as witnesses for William D. Haywood and made denial of Orchard's testimony.

Malich swore that Orchard and not he, suggested the plot of dynamiting a boarding house full of non-union men at Globeville, and that Orchard originated the idea of killing William McDonald, one of Malich's business rivals.

Not "Pettibone Dope."

He said that he had been burned by some mysterious acid thrown into his house by an unknown hand, but denied that this acid was really "Pettibone dope" that had been left in his room by Steve and Annie Adams. He also denied that "Pettibone dope" had been used in burning his store and said that he was at his ranch when the fire occurred. He also swore that Orchard had told him that but for Gov. Steunenberg he would be rich and that he intended to kill Steunenberg.

Deny Orchard's Story.

Mehelich and Aikman, who followed Malich, also made circumstantial denial of all the things that Orchard swore they did with him. The cross-examination of all three witnesses showed a purpose on the part of the state further to deal with their testimony when the case in rebuttal is reached.

Eugene Engles, formerly attorney general of Colorado, avers that Orchard told of a loss of a rich share in the Hercules mine, and of his intention to kill Steunenberg. Engles told at great length how the military authorities at Cripple Creek defied the processes of the civil courts.

PAPER PIPE LAW VOID.

Chicago Judge Annuls New Illinois Statute.

Chicago, June 30.—Judge Chytraus yesterday declared that the law passed by the last legislature prohibiting the sale of cigarettes in Illinois is invalid. He held that the body of the act did not conform to the title. The judge declared that though the law was declared to be an act to "regulate," in fact it was an act to prohibit.

FIVE CHINKS KILLED.

Misunderstanding of Orders Causes Railroad Wreck.

Winnipeg, Man., June 30.—A Canadian Pacific railway express and a Chinese special going east collided at Butler, 275 miles east of here. The accident resulted in the death of five Chinamen on board the special and the serious injury of E. U. Connor of St. John's, N. B., a guard on the special. The wreck was due to misunderstood orders.

OIL KING GIVES UP THE STRUGGLE

MR. ROCKEFELLER TELEGRAPHS JUDGE LANDIS THAT HE WILL APPEAR.

SUBPOENA IS NOT NEEDED

ARCHBOLD SAYS HEAD OF THE STANDARD INVITED SERVICE OF PAPER.

Greenbush, Wis., July 6. — Judge Kenesaw M. Landis of the United States district court of Chicago, who is spending a few days here with his friend Dr. Carey, said yesterday that he had sent the following message to the United States marshals in the districts of New Jersey, New York and Ohio:

"I have received word that a subpoena has been served on John D. Rockefeller at Pittsfield, Mass., on the afternoon of July 3. I have also received the following message from Pittsfield, dated July 3:

"'I understand that a subpoena has been issued for my appearance at Chicago on Saturday. No subpoena is necessary. I will be there.

"'—John D. Rockefeller.'

"You will therefore make no further efforts to serve processes.

—"Kenesaw M. Landis."

Judge Landis further says that he gave out a copy of his instructions to the United States marshals to put an end to what appeared to him to be an epidemic of hysteria about a very small matter.

Invited by Rockefeller.

New York, July 5.—With regard to the service of a subpoena upon John D. Rockefeller in Pittsfield, John D. Archbold, a director of the Standard Oil company, made the following statement yesterday:

"The reports published of the service of a subpoena upon Mr. Rockefeller are erroneous. The facts are that Mr. Rockefeller telegraphed to Judge Landis in Chicago, notifying him that if in Judge Landis' opinion it was necessary for Mr. Rockefeller to go to Chicago he would be present on Saturday without the service of a subpoena.

"Not hearing from Judge Landis yesterday, Mr. Rockefeller sent word to the United States marshal whose district includes Pittsfield that if he had a subpoena to come and serve it."

Rockefeller Is En Route.

Pittsfield, Mass., July 5.—John D. Rockefeller left Pittsfield last night for Chicago, where on Saturday he will be interrogated in the federal court regarding the affairs of the Standard Oil company.

FOURTH OF JULY STUNT FATAL.

Boy Climbs Electric Light Pole and Is Killed.

Winona, Minn., July 6.—A Fourth of July stunt caused the death of Roy Van Sickles, aged seventeen years, at a picnic park near here yesterday. The park is illuminated by an electric light tower 150 feet high, and Van Sickles, following a "dare" from companions, climbed to the top of the structure. He came in contact with a live wire and his body was hurled to the ground. The accident was witnessed by 300 persons.

HORSE FALLS ON WOMAN.

Animal Frightened by Auto Backs Off Bridge.

Lemars, Iowa, July 6. — Becoming frightened at an automobile, a horse being driven by Mrs. Eugene Schroeder of Gwens backed the buggy off a bridge and fell upon it. Mrs. Schroeder was caught beneath the horse, and it is feared was fatally hurt.

Umpire Is Mobbed.

Mattoon, Ill., July 6.—A riot occurred at yesterday's baseball game between the Charleston and Mattoon teams. Umpire Clancy, a new recruit, made an unpopular decision. The crowd swarmed into the field and attacked Clancy. About a half dozen other persons were injured.

Japs Will Not Boycott.

London, July 6. — "The leading chambers of commerce assure me," cables the Tokio correspondent of the Daily Telegraph, "that they never entertained the idea of boycotting American goods. Such a boycott would be considered suicidal in view of the existing trade conditions."

Explosion Kills Two.

Des Moines, Iowa, July 6. — Four pounds of giant powder exploded yesterday at Cedar Rapids, killing two persons and wounding five others. The explosion occurred in a boat. The powder was to be used in noise making at a small picnic.

Fourteen Pups in a Litter.

Ladysmith, Wis., July 6. — Charles Patterson of this city has a female coach dog which has given birth to fourteen puppies in one litter. He has had the mother and her large family photographed. Thirteen of the litter are living.

Left Fortune by Cousin.

Central City, S. D., July 6.—George A. Hay, a business man of this place, has just received notice from Germany that he has been left a fortune of $125,000 by a cousin.

FOURTH TAKES TOLL OF DEATH

CELEBRATION RESULTS IN THE USUAL LOSS OF LIFE AND LIMB.

Chicago, July 6.—Thirty-six persons were killed and 1,471 injured while celebrating Independence day, according to the Record-Herald, which made a canvass of the accidents in the entire United States during the last twenty-four hours.

In Chicago six persons were killed by revolvers which were supposed to be unloaded and by the deadly giant firecracker. New York furnished seven of the dead, while the rest of the fatalities are scattered over the country.

In the list of injured many were seriously hurt and a number will undoubtedly die.

Seven Killed in New York.

New York, July 5. — Independence day, ushered in with much noise, went out last night in a blaze of pyrotechnics, the most imposing that New Yorkers have witnessed.

In the background the police and hospital surgeons went grimly about their work of removing the dead and administering to the wounded.

At midnight the police figures showed the following totals:

Dead, 7; probably fatally injured, 6; hospital cases, 423, not including dispensary cases; fires, 116; arrests for carrying weapons, 423.

Compared with last year there were yesterday twice as many fires, though with smaller losses, 100 more accidents and about 100 more arrests.

Of the dead three died in premature celebrations. The others were killed during the day.

TRAIN LOOT PUT IN WAGON.

Six Robbers, After Cowing Crew, Cart Off Their Plunder.

Paterson, N. J., July 6.—Information that six train robbers held up a freight train on the Lackawanna railroad near Little Falls, N. J., last Tuesday night, cowed the train crew with revolvers, robbed the train and carted off their plunder in a wagon became public yesterday, when detectives employed by the railroad asked the Paterson police to search for the robbers. Railroad detectives have as yet found no clew to the robbers' identity.

THAW CASE IN OCTOBER.

Jerome Has Agreed to Move for Speedy Retrial.

New York, July 6.—With the withdrawal by counsel for Harry Thaw of their motion before the supreme court for an order directing District Attorney Jerome to show cause why Thaw should not have a speedy trial, it is learned that the district attorney has agreed to move for Thaw's trial in October.

THREE DIE IN MINE SHAFT.

Foreman of Crew Seizes Chain and Keeps From Falling.

Spring Valley, Ill., July 6. — Three men were hurled down the shaft of the La Salle County Carbon Coal company at Cedar Point and were instantly killed. The new shaft at that place is 525 feet deep. Four men were descending in a cage with a load of iron pipe when the chain broke.

GIRL SUES FOR $3,000,000.

Indiana Property Is Involved in Action Started in Chicago.

Chicago, July 6. — A fourteen-year-old girl, Wallette May Yeakle, is the center of a legal battle in Judge Honore's branch of the circuit court, in which it is sought to establish her right to the $3,000,000 estate of her eccentric uncle, Col. George T. Cline.

KILLING NEGRO COSTS $15.

Texas Jury Changes Murder Charge to One of Assault.

Hearne, Tex., July 6. — The jury in the case of J. H. Sannon, charged with killing an aged negro by hitting him with a billiard cue, returned a verdict finding the defendant guilty of assault and assessing his punishment at $15.

POSSE HUNTS MURDERER.

Wilkesbarre Man Shoots Wife and Daughter and Escapes.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., July 6. — Andrew Olrivlin of Larksville, Pa., near here, shot and probably fatally wounded his wife and daughter and then fled to the mountains. A detail of mounted police is searching for him.

Auto Causes Runaway.

Aberdeen, S. D., July 6.—A deputy Holby was thrown out on his head, rendered unconscious and badly injured in the runaway of a horse. The horse became frightened at an auto.

Tot Fataly Scalded.

Sac City, Iowa, July 6.—Stumbling over a pail of boiling water the three-year-old daughter of H. B. Klindt, living near here, was scalded so badly that she lived only a short time.

Suicide Is Mysterious.

Alcester, S. D., July 6.—John Herron, a shoemaker, sixty years old committed suicide by hanging. No motive is known for the deed. The family is highly respected.

Killed in Collision.

Providence, R. I., July 6. — Paul Monroe, a motorman, is dead, and Alex Janelle, also a motorman, is dying, and nearly a score of other persons were severely injured in a collision of three electric cars at East Providence.

News of the Northwest.

FRAUDULENT USE OF MAILS CHARGE

GOVERNMENT BEGINS PROSECUTION OF WISCONSIN GRAIN AND STOCK CO.

SEVEN WARRANTS SWORN OUT

St. Paul, June 30.—Lewin A. Wood, president of the St. Paul Automobile club, was arraigned at 6:30 last evening before United States Commissioner Spencer on a charge of using the mails to defraud. He entered a plea of not guilty and was released on $5,000 bail to appear for a hearing at 10 o'clock next Friday.

The arrest was made in connection with prosecutions commenced by the government against the Wisconsin Grain and Stock company. Seven warrants were issued on application of P. A. Ewart, assistant district attorney. The warrants were for the arrest of L. A. Wood, G. W. Wood, C. D. Phelps, vice president of the Wisconsin company; M. P. Quigley, cashier and treasurer of the company; C. T. Kelley, stock and grain buyer of the company; B. D. Tuttle, as local manager of the company, and H. P. Ernsberger, secretary and agent of the company in Superior, Wis.

Quigley, Tuttle and the two Woods appeared and furnished bonds. The warrants will be served on Kelley and Phelps to-day.

Inspector Ketcham Gets Busy.

The cases are the direct result of numerous complaints which, it is said, have been made to the authorities that the Wisconsin Grain and Stock company was not transacting business "according to Hoyle." The postoffice department detailed Inspector W. M. Ketcham of Chicago on the case six months ago. He rounded up sixty-five complainants, who join in asserting that the methods of the company are not as represented. The dealings of the sixty-five complainants represent transactions amounting to $342,000, and it is contended by the government that the trades were fictitious.

Conspired to Deceive.

The contention of the government is that the defendants conspired to deceive and that they used the United States mails in carrying on the deception. It is claimed that the statements sent to customers and purporting to be memoranda of actual sales of stock and grain were not genuine, and that there has been no actual sales of stock. It is claimed that the Superior board of trade, on which they deal, is in reality a subterfuge and that the trades supposed to be made there are merely a pretense.

History of Trouble.

The trouble began several years ago, when the Edwards-Wood company became very active in an effort to drive the Coe Commission company out of business and later succeeded, as it did with one or two smaller concerns. The Edwards-Wood company then had trouble with the Chicago board of trade and with the Minneapolis chamber of commerce, and lost its membership in both institutions.

The Wisconsin Grain and Stock company was then incorporated and purchased the business and good will of the Edwards-Wood company.

STEEL CAR PLANT FOR DULUTH.

Will be Companion Concern for the Trust's Big Steel Mill.

Pittsburg, June 29. — A steel car plant to be erected at Duluth, Minn., as a companion to the new steel plant of the United States Steel corporation is the next expectation.

Officials of the corporation say that unless either the Pressed Car company or the Standard Steel Car company goes into the project the steel corporation will erect and operate the plant itself.

Officials of the Standard company say that there is no possibility of them starting the construction of another plant for some time. The Pressed Steel Car company has also shied at the proposition. Having just gotten an addition to its producing capacity under way at Montreal, Canada, the directors feel that they do not care to take up another enterprise of this nature.

Because of the inability to secure any definite promise, it is learned on good authority that a company which will also be a subsidiary one of the steel corporation, will be organized in the near future to finance and build the car plant.

Made City Engineer.

La Crosse, Wis., June 30.—Mayor W. A. Anderson last evening appointed County Surveyor George Bradish city engineer, to succeed Walter S. Woods, who resigned the office to take charge of engineering work on the La Crosse Water Power company at Hatfield.

Missouri River Is Rising.

Pierre, S. D., June 30.—The Missouri river shows a stage of almost ten feet here, and is slowly rising. That stage at this city means several feet more in the vicinity of Sioux City.

WOULD JAIL STATION AGENT

MOVE AT NORTHFIELD MAY CAUSE COMPLICATIONS IN RATE FIGHT.

St. Paul, June 30.—What may cause some complications in the fight in the courts over freight rates in Minnesota, but which one of the state officials yesterday called a "flash in the pan," was the arrest of L. O. Olson, station agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul at Northfield Thursday on a charge of violating the freight rate law passed by the last legislature.

The specific charge is that he collected the present rate instead of the rate established by the new law on a carload of coal shipped from Duluth to Northfield. Mr. Olson was arraigned before Judge Carpenter in the municipal court at Northfield, and the hearing was continued until Monday.

The situation regarding the rate law is that the legislature passed a freight rate law fixing rates to go into effect on June 1. But before June 1 stockholders of the railroads started proceedings to enjoin the railroads from putting in the rates, and the attorney general and the state railroad and warehouse commission from enforcing them. The hearing in these cases will come up before Judge Lochren in the federal court on July 8.

There was some discussion on the question whether the arrest would bring about a conflict between the federal and the state courts and lead to a determination of the question of which has jurisdiction. Whether that results will depend on what action Judge Carpenter takes in the case.

SUSPECTED OF BANK ROBBERY.

One of Men Nabbed Is Identified at Swanville.

Little Falls, June 30.—According to a report received from Swanville yesterday a good working clue has been found as to the identity of the opera bouffe bank robbers who blew the safe in the First National Bank of Swanville last fall, and then decamped without securing any booty, through the arrest of the two men supposed to be responsible for the blowing up of the bank at Windom, Minn.

Some time ago a gang of men blew up a bank at Windom and two alleged members of the gang, named White and Christie, were arrested in St. James. Their pictures were sent to William Siems, proprietor of the Swanville bank, and the man Christie has been identified as a man who seen hanging around Swanville the day before the safe was cracked there.

DEATH ENDS DEARTH TRIAL.

One of the Jurors Dies Suddenly of Heart Disease.

Minneapolis, June 30.—Death yesterday ended the trial of Elmer H. Dearth, former insurance commissioner, charged with receiving a bribe. Charles Hamilton of Hopkins, one of the jurors, dropped unconscious on his way to the court room and died shortly afterward. Death was caused by heart disease. When informed of the death of Mr. Hamilton Judge Dickinson dismissed the jury, bringing to a close the first trial of Mr. Dearth. The case will now take its place on the calendar and may not be reached before September.

NUNS FIGHT FIRE.

Form Bucket Brigades and Save Woman's Home.

New Richmond, Wis., June 30.—The residence of Mrs. P. H. Ryan was saved from destruction by fire last night by an heroic action on the part of the Sisters of St. Agnes, who are teachers in St. Mary's school. The nuns formed the women of the neighborhood into bucket brigades and fought the fire until the arrival of the city department. Their work prevented what would have been a bad fire.

DULUTH MAN A SUICIDE.

W. C. Withrow Ends His Own Life at Helena.

Helena, Mont., June 30. — W. C. Withrow of Duluth, who came here two weeks ago for the benefit of his health, committed suicide at the residence of his sister-in-law, Mrs. W. C. Crum, by swallowing carbolic acid. He was thirty years old. The body will be taken to Duluth.

SCHOOLGIRL DROWNS.

Outing Party Stunned by Untimely Death of Mary Kennedy.

Davenport, Iowa, June 30. — Just graduated from the high school and paying a visit for the day at the camp of schoolmates on Big Island, Mary Kennedy was drowned yesterday in the Rock river. She was very pretty and popular.

Fenced Land Unlawfully.

Helena, Mont., June 30. — John T. Murphy, cattleman in Montana and plantation owner in Florida, was indicted by the United States grand jury for the unlawful fencing of 59,240 acres of public land in Yellowstone and Fergus counties

Death Follows Hurt.

Cedar Falls, Iowa, June 30.—Lockjaw, resulting from a rusty nail, upon which he stepped, caused the death of Emil Tostlebe, a dental student, twenty-five years of age.

AGENT OBEYS INSTRUCTIONS

ADMITS HE VIOLATED THE NEW MINNESOTA FREIGHT RATE LAW.

Northfield, Minn., July 3.—Before Judge Carpenter of the municipal court here yesterday morning came the clash between the United States court and the Minnesota state court. L. O. Olson, agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad, pleaded not guilty but admitted that he had charged freight rates in excess of the rates provided in chapter 232 of the Minnesota law enacted by the late legislature, but said he was acting on instructions from his superior officer. The court reserved its decision for two days. The whole matter is at present tied up by federal court injunction, and the attorneys for the defense denied the jurisdiction of the state court in the matter. The matter was taken under advisement. The hearing on the injunction is set for July 12.

NECK IS DISLOCATED.

Man Squeezed Between Load and Crossing Beams Is Badly Hurt.

Alexandria, Minn., July 3.—Henry Schulke of Carlos, seventy years old, probably was fatally injured in a peculiar manner. He was hauling cordwood, and was seated on top of the load. He attempted to go through the underground crossing to the Great Northern yards. Schulke thought he would be able to get through, despite the height of the load, but his head was caught between the timbers and the load of cordwood and a vertebra in his neck was dislocated. He is still alive, but in a precarious condition.

VETO BY GOV. DAVIDSON.

Refuses to Sign Bill Regulating Issue of Securities.

Madison, Wis., July 3.—Because he believes it would give recognized railroad companies unrestricted powers in issuing stocks and bonds and give holders of preferred stock unfair privileges and preferences over holders of common stock, Gov. Davidson yesterday vetoed Senator Whitehead's bill regulating the issuing of stocks and bonds by corporations. The veto was sent to Chief Clerk Emerson of the senate, who will report it when that body reconvenes next Monday night.

ASSAULTED AND MURDERED.

Wisconsin Girl Is Victim of Brutal Crime.

Wausau, Wis., July 3.—Jennie Rehle, daughter of John E. Rehle, aged sixteen years, was assaulted and murdered Sunday afternoon in a strip of woods along the road near her home. She was on her way from church at Stratford when accosted. The girl's hands had been tied behind her back and her clothes were torn to shreds. A rib on the left side had been broken. There were finger marks on her throat and it was shown at an autopsy that the girl had been choked to death. Two men have been arrested on suspicion.

DISBELIEVE ROBBERY STORY.

Former Treasurer Found Guilty of Larceny.

Duluth, July 3.—James Pinkerton was found guilty of misappropriating $3,000 of funds of the town of Schroeder, of which he was formerly treasurer. The jury evidently did not believe his story that the money had been snatched from his hand as he was going from a boat to the hotel at Grand Marais, and found him guilty. He was sentenced to four and one-half years at Stillwater.

WATER RECEDES RAPIDLY.

Cut-Off at Belle Plaine Soon Will Be in Condition to Cross.

Belle Plaine, Minn., July 3.—The water in the Minnesota river at this point is going down rapidly, and the famous cut-off at this place soon will be in a condition to make it possible to cross. All the hay and other crops in the river bottom are ruined. Some farmers will plant millet in order to try to get a crop of some sort.

AUTO TAKES PLUNGE.

Occupants Sustain Broken Bones—Machine Wrecked.

Paulina, Iowa, July 3.—In attempting to make ten miles in ten minutes in an automobile that his passengers might catch a train at Calumet, Jacob Johannsen struck a dog in the road, plunging the car down a fifteen-foot embankment, smashing it to kindling wood and seriously injuring the four occupants.

Few File on Land.

Duluth, July 3.—The land opening yesterday morning was a tame affair. Only twenty applicants were in line for homesteads on the Fond du Lac reservation. Anton Jackerl, who secured the first homestead, had been waiting in line three weeks.

Lightning Kills Woman.

Sioux Falls, S. D., July 3.—Mrs. Wallace, wife of T. B. Wallace, was instantly killed by lightning during a thunder shower which passed over Colton.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

P. J. Radke of Staples was drowned in Little Pine lake while fishing. The boat capsized, and Radke immediately sank.

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The body of Gilbert Braadson was found hanging in the woods near his home near Fergus Falls. Coroner Haugan is investigating.

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The five-year-old son of R. S. Baker, living three miles west of Albert Lea, was seriously if not fatally hurt by being kicked by a vicious horse.

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The German M. E. church of the Southern Minnesota district held its annual camp meeting at Blooming Grove, a number of miles east of Faribault.

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The court room was crowded with buyers at the school land sale at Warren, and 5,780 acres sold at an average of $7.50 per acre. One tract sold for $36 per acre.

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John Conkling, first sergeant of Company K, First regiment, was accidentally drowned in the St. Croix near the Wisconsin Central bridge, six miles above Stillwater.

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While returning home across the fields with her husband and another woman, Mrs. Ole Skaalerud, living near Norway Lake, near Warren, was struck by lightning and killed.

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The state auditor conducted the sale of state lands in Cass county at Walker. Some 3,300 acres were sold at prices ranging from $5 to $10. The purchasers were actual settlers.

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Seven freight cars ran away from Rice street to the union depot yards at St. Paul, killing a switchtender and dealing severe injury to the engineer on a work engine. A spectator of the wreck was also painfully injured.

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Charles Anderson, stationary engineer, and Brakeman Lenemin were killed, and Engineer W. C. Greenbaugh was seriously injured by the derailment of a caboose and flat car on the Northern Pacific near Detroit.

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Fire destroyed the Sleeper block on Front street at Brainerd, together with the contents of two stores located in the building. The total loss is about $51,000, with $35,000 insurance.

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John Bargan, a twelve-year-old boy, while swimming at Maple Island near Little Falls in company with about fifteen other boys, was drowned in an eddy where the water, though comparatively shallow, is very swift.

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The State's Sheriffs' association will hold its annual convention at Bemidji in August. The convention was to have been held at Detroit, but owing to the suicide of Sheriff Larson it was decided to change the place of meeting.

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A reward of $100 is offered by William Unke, brother of Henry Unke, either dead or alive. Henry disappeared from his claim shanty on the Rapid river, which is eight miles from Spooner. Searching parties have been out ever since, but no trace has been found.

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The young ladies of Otter Tail county are in brisk demand as June brides this summer. Of twelve marriage licenses issued at Fergus Falls during last week, five were issued to young men from other localities who had gone to Fergus Falls to claim Otter Tail county brides.

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At least 600 woodchoppers could be used to good advantage in the vicinity of Tenstrike this summer, but in view of the scarcity of labor it is probable that only a small number of the men wanted will be secured. Cordwood cutters can get $.50 per cord for cutting wood, and can easily cut two cords per day.

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William Kempar, employed as a janitor at the federal building in St. Paul, was instantly killed by falling from the fifth floor to the cement walk beneath. Kemper was engaged in washing windows, and in some manner lost his balance and fell, striking on the top of his head, which was crushed in. His death was instantaneous. A woman was about to enter the building, and the man's body barely missed her.

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E. C. Burke, who is constructing a large county ditch three miles north of Fergus Falls, has found several pockets of coal in cutting through a small hill. The coal was found at a depth of fourteen feet, and looks somewhat better than lignite, though not equal to hard coal. The find is not sufficiently large to justify mining, but the people here are hoping that more will be found.

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Six freight cars on the Northern Pacific side-tracks at Aitkin were broken open and several sacks of flour were taken from them. In the yard trainmen were working most of the night, and the burglars were bold in securing their plunder.

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Mrs. John Stumm and her infant were drowned in Lime creek, near Fulda, and the husband and father had a narrow escape from sharing the same fate. Their buggy was overturned while attempting to ford the swollen stream.

INSURANCE INVESTMENTS.

How One Company's Assets Are Distributed in the South and West.

In connection with its withdrawal from Texas, along with many other companies, rather than to submit to the new law which requires that 75% of the reserves on Texas policies shall be invested in securities of that state, which securities shall be deposited in the state and subjected to heavy taxation, in addition to the large tax now imposed on life insurance premiums, the Equitable Life Assurance Society has made public the distribution of its assets, at the end of the second year of the new management. The Equitable now has $10,958,000 invested in Texas, which is twice as much as the new law requires, but the management decided that to submit to the additional taxation would be an injustice to its policyholders in other states, which impose no such penalty on the thrift of their citizens.

The Equitable's report shows that more than 37% of its total reserves are now invested in the southern and western states, while only 35% of its total insurance is carried in these states. Its investments are distributed as follows: Ala., $3,099,000; Ariz., $974,000; Ark., $4,038,000; Cal., $5,142,000; Col., $6,222,000; Fla., $4,924,000; Ga., $4,048,000; Idaho, $5,197,000; Ill., $12,617,000; Ind. Ter., $443,000; Ind., $5,836,000; Iowa, $3,690,000; Kansas, $11,637,000; Ky., $2,631,000; La., $3,054,000; Md., $2,207,000; Mich., $6,009,000; Minn., $2,065,000; Miss., $767,000; Mo., $8,197,000; Mont., $1,890,000; Neb., $7,626,000; Nev., $640,000; New Mex., $1,375,000; N. C., $1,649,000; N. D., $677,000; Ohio, $11,634,000; Okla., $1,005,000; Ore., $1,158,000; S. C., $976,000; S. D., $1,305,000; Tenn., $1,909,000; Utah, $2,134,000; Va., $6,592,000; Wash., $1,202,000; W. Va., $5,523,000; Wis., $2,342,000; Wyo., $3,367,000.

NO CHANCE FOR STRIFE.

Her Fiance Had Said So Himself and of Course He Knew.

"People think that because I am a woman," said Mrs. Hetty Green, "I can be imposed on; but usually they find out their mistake."

She was talking about a lawsuit wherein she had disputed her lawyer's bill and this topic naturally led her to the topic of women's trustfulness.

"There is a case in point," said Mrs. Green, smiling grimly, "about a young and pretty school teacher. She once asked her class for an original definition of the word 'wife.'

"'A wife is a rib,' said one little girl.

"'Wives are guiding stars,' said another.

"'A comforter,' said a third.

"'An inspiration,' said a fourth.

"Altogether the definitions were rather prosy and commonplace, but finally a child of eleven said:

"'A wife is a person for a man to find fault with when things go wrong.'

"'Good!' cried the pretty teacher, laughing. 'Good! That is the best definition of all. The best, the truest.'

"But that afternoon, on the way way home from school, the little girl whose definition had so pleased, tripped demurely up to the teacher and said:

"'Are you not going to marry that tall, handsome young man I see you with nearly every night?'

"'Yes,' said the teacher.

"'Well, then, if my definition of a wife was true—'

"'Ah, but, dear, with us nothing will ever go wrong. He says so himself.'"

Turned the Tables.

In a crowd waiting for a car at Eleventh street and Grand avenue yesterday was an old negro, who was inclined to be discursive. Two high school boys believed they saw a chance to make fun of him, and made several remarks at which they themselves laughed heartily. Finally one of them said: "You're a preacher, aren't you, uncle?"

"Yes, sah," replied the negro, bringing forth the card. 'Ahm a undertaker, too. Ah don't wish you no bad luck, but Ah'd lak teh have yo' husiness."

COFFEE COMPLEXION.

Many Ladies Have Poor Complexions from Coffee.

"Coffee caused dark colored blotches on my face and body. I had been drinking it for a long while and these blotches gradually appeared, until finally they became permanent and were about as dark as coffee itself.

"I formerly had as fine a complexion as one could ask for.

"When I became convinced that coffee was the cause of my trouble, I changed and took to using Postum Food Coffee, and as I made it well, according to directions, I liked it very much, and have since that time used it in place of coffee.

"I am thankful to say I am not nervous any more, as I was when I was drinking coffee, and my complexion is now as fair and good as it was years ago. It is very plain that coffee caused the trouble."

Most bad complexions are caused by some disturbance of the stomach and coffee is the greatest disturber of digestion known. Almost any woman can have a fair complexion if she will leave off coffee and use Postum Food Coffee and nutritious, healthy food in proper quantity. Postum furnishes certain elements from the natural grains from the field that Nature uses to rebuild the nervous system and when that is in good condition, one can depend upon a good complexion as well as a good healthy body. "There's a Reason." Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

BESIEGE HOME OF ROCKEFELLER

SUBURBAN RESIDENCE AT CLEVELAND SURROUNDED BY DEPUTIES.

LOEB PUNCTURES THE RUMOR

JAPAN WOULD NOT REGARD INCREASE OF PACIFIC FLEET AS MENACE.

Cleveland, July 4.—Forest Hill, the suburban home of John D. Rockefeller, was besieged by United States Marshal Frank M. Chandler and a corps of deputies representing the department of justice from early yesterday morning till after nightfall. Up to that hour the efforts of federal officials to serve the subpoena issued from Judge Landis' court in Chicago on Mr. Rockefeller had been unsuccessful, and Marshal Chandler and his deputies will will continue picketing the Rockefeller estate.

Access to the lodge was denied a deputy marshal at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and Marshal Chandler at that time announced that he would ask the department of justice at Washington for further authority.

Given Freedom of Place.

Later he was admitted to the lodge and Supt. Jones of the Rockefeller estate informed him that he and his deputies could have the freedom of the place, a disclaimer being entered that the barring of the gate against the deputy marshal was meant as an affront to federal authority. Marshal Chandler would not say positively last night that he believed John D. Rockefeller is at Forest Hill, but he said he felt sure that the latter is now within the jurisdiction of the federal court of Northern Ohio.

NO OFFENSE IN NAVAL MOVE.

Transfer of Fifteen Battleships to Pacific Not Contemplated.

Washington, July 4. — "No, Japan would not regard it as an unfriendly act if the American government saw fit to increase her naval representation in her territorial waters on the Pacific coast, or even if she sent additional men of war to the Asiatic station. She would not look upon it as a menace or regard it with regret."

These were the words of Viscount Aoki, the Japanese ambassador to the United States, when his attention was called yesterday to published reports that the general board of the navy had recommended to the president that the battleships of the American fleet be sent around to the Pacific coast.

Uncle Sam Not "Skeered."

Published reports that sixteen battleships of the Atlantic fleet of the United States navy are to be transferred to the Pacific coast because of anti-American feeling in Japan were denied yesterday at Oyster Bay by William Loeb, President Roosevelt's secretary. Mr. Loeb said the report was without foundation; in fact, that such a movement has never been considered by the president and that its consideration is not contemplated.

RUIN IN PATH OF TORNADO.

Part of Texas County Destroyed—Many Injured but None Killed.

Rochester, Tex., July 4.—Early yesterday morning a tornado destroyed the greater part of this town. No deaths have been reported, but a number of persons are hurt. Farm houses in this locality have been demolished. As yet reports are meager from the outlying districts.

At Munday the tornado destroyed several buildings and one church. Business buildings were badly damaged. Several persons were hurt. A lumber yard was wrecked and lumber scattered over the country for miles.

At Wichita Falls the wind caused considerable damage.

At Olney, in Young county, a number of buildings were wrecked and the Ikleberger cotton gin destroyed.

RUSSIAN SEEKS ROOSEVELT.

Insane Man Wanders Around White House Looking for President.

Washington, July 4. — "I'm looking for the president," was the statement of Leonard A. Burd, twenty-four years of age, who was found wandering about the green room at the White House yesterday.

"What do you want with the president?" Policeman Jamison asked him.

"The president," answered the stranger, "telephoned to my home in Russia for me to come here and be made a citizen."

His conduct indicated that he was suffering from mental trouble, the policeman thought, and he sent Burd to the station.

Creel Will Visit Northwest.

Washington, July 4. — Senor Creel, the ambassador from Mexico, left here yesterday for New York, where he will remain a few days. The ambassador expects to visit the West and Northwest and will probably go to Canada.

Students Escape In Fire.

Huntsville, Ala., July 4.—The Calhoun building, home of the Condor training school, burned yesterday. Prof. J. E. Condor, principal, and several students narrowly escaped. The building cost $50,000.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

It will be universally conceded that a town is judged by the great outside world largely by the character of its newspapers, and it will also be generally acknowledged that one well-supported and well-conducted newspaper is better than two where the field does not offer a proper support. A large number of Minnesota towns have during the past year had proof of these assertions. At Wadena the Pioneer-Journal recently absorbed its competitor and there are few hetter newspapers in the state than the one conducted by Editor Eastman. The enlargement of its subscription list and the increaeed job and advertising patronage has enabled the publisher to hire more and hetter help, set more type and give his readers better service than heretofore given by both papers combined. The same is true of Hutchinson, where the Leader has the exclusive field, at Glencoe, at Sauk Centre—all of them larger towns than Red Lake Falls. At Adrian, where once three newspapers divided the business, the Democrat alone survives. The business men get more value for the money spent for advertising, and the community gets better service in every respect, at less cost.

This, by way of preface, will prepare the reader for the announcement that the Red Lake Falls newspapers have joined in the march of progress by consolidating. Last Friday the publisher of THE COURIER purchased the good will and subscription list of THE GAZETTE, and with kindly hands laid to their rest the mortal remains of his own paper—preferring that the name of the amalgamated papers should he THE RED LAKE FALLS GAZETTE.

Red Lake Falls gains a notable honor in this arrangement, for the consolidation gives THE GAZETTE a larger subscription list than any other paper in the Red River Valley—the large cities excepted. THE COURIER list was 1,150, and THE GAZETTE list was 1,450, and after allowing for duplication of oames, the actual net circulation of the heir to these lists is between 1,900 and 2,000—more than two-thirds being in Red Lake county. The local field could not he covered more thoroughly, and it would probably be difficult to find a hundred homes in southern Red Lake county THE GAZETTE does not reach.

THE GAZETTE hopes to do its full share in working for the welfare of its town and county, and promises at the outset to give the best service its patronage warrants. All we ask in return is that the people it serves remember that an obligation rests on them no less than on us. THE GAZETTE has no axe to grind nor any animosities to feed.

And as to THE COURIER—peace to its ashes! It has served a useful purpose and been a factor in the civic life of the community.

CREGLOW SAYS FAREWELL

This week THE GAZETTE appears under the management of John E. King, who has purchased the subscription list and good will. All outstanding subscription accounts are to be paid to Mr. King, who will also fill out all unexpired subscriptions.

Circumstances made it impossible for the writer to move here, hence the sale. THE GAZETTE has always enjoyed a good patronage, but one paper is enough for a town of this size.

We have been cordially received in Red Lake Falls, and have never met a better lot of people in any community. We regret that we must sever our business relations with them, and there will always be a warm spot io our heart for them.

I hope that the resourees of Red Lake county may be ultilized to their fullest extent, to the end that your town and county may grow and flourish like the proverbial green bay tree.

F. R. CREGLOW.

THIEF RIVER WOMEN-FIGHTERS.

It is reported that the three Thief River Falls men who drove to County Commissioner Lindquist's home June 29 to carry him bodily to the meeting which did not materialize, made a most shameful exhibition of their lack of manliness and the true spirit in which they are conducting the county seat fight, when they found that Mr. Lindquist was not at home. Only Mrs. Lindquist and the children were there and the three men proceeded to abuse her husband to her with such a profusion of bad language as would disgrace a bar room.

It is said that one of the three, a prominent banker, high in church circles at Thief River Falls, so far forgot himself as to exceed the others in profanity and bad language in addressing the lady.

It is a most regrettable circumstance. The county-seat fight has led to many bitter recriminations on both sides, but the people of Red Lake Falls, have not yet resorted to abusing women and frightening children, thank the Lord.

If it ever comes to the point when we must surrender our manhood to hold our rights or gain a point we will give up our county seat and quit the fight.

THE GAZETTE holds opinions on divers subjects and expects to express them, but it will not be a partisan paper nor a party organ. Hereafter it will be couducted entirely independent of political parties, and devote its energies to the upbuilding of Red Lake Falls and Red Lake county. We believe that before long nearly every country newspaper will take the position that dogmatic allegiance to party is inimical to the highest good of the paper and of the community it represents. To avoid misreureseotation THE GAZETTE desires to state that the proprietor is still a Democrat and the managing editor is still a Republican, and both promise to be very still so far as the policy of the paper is concerned. If necessary to let off political steam, they'll hire a hall.

LESUEUR CENTER, the sprightly county seat of wealthy LeSueur county now has but one paper, the Leader and Democrat haviog consolidated. In announcing the amalgamation the editors give reasons which apply not inaptly to the newspaper situation in Red Lake Falls. The Leader Democrat says:

> Feeling that some explanation is due our patrons we will now state that this step was taken for business reasons only. While both of the papers have enjoyed liberal patronage yet on account o the general advance of all printers supplies it has become a problem to make ends meet and to raise our prices meant additional hurdeos upon our patrons. And believing also that one healthy and vigorous paper would he of more value to the community than two struggling for existence, we decided to consolidate the two plants. In this we are not without a precedent, since a number of consolidations have recently taken place in this state.

THE Thief River News sets a splendid example before the rising generation in editorially championing and countenancing murder and rapine. When the prehistoric savage couldn't get what he desired he wanted to kill some one, and this thirst for gore now and then breaks out among his descendants. Mr. Eastman's remote ancestors must have fought at the drop of the hat, and waded knee deep in gore, or else he is attempting to prove the Darwinian theory by showing the monkey blood in his veins.

THE Milwaukee railroad agent at Northfield, arrested last week for illegally charging $2.00 per ton freight on hard coal when the rate fixed by the new law is only $1.42, was found guilty and sent to jail for an hour—and not a second off for good behavior. Anyway, the majesty of the state law was upheld, and after a while the railroads will understand that they, too, are amenable to the statutes of Minnesota.

THE American Economist, organ of the tariff beneficiaries, is afraid the farmers of Minnesota won't take kindly to Governor Johnson's presidential aspirations because of his reform news, adding that "the Minnesota farmers are standpatters." Get the chalk out of your eye, old boy. Say, did you ever hear of James T. McCleary?

OUT in a western mining town, where woman divinely fair as otherwise, is rarer than a day in June, the preacher used as his theme "God give us men!" One of the listeners remarked that the idea might be a good one and men were all right, but if it didn't make any difference to the Lord "he'd take his'n in wimmin folks."

JOHN D. is something like a possum. When tired he is willing to "come down." Davy Crockett Landis ought to have his inning of limelight for getting the oiltupus in a pocket from which even his million dollar lawyer couldn't extricate him.

ATTORNEY GENERAL YOUNG is not only putting on the "lid" but he is sitting on it. More than nine-tenths of the former wide-open towns of the state are now "dry" on Sundays.

AN exchange speaks of a "semi-fatal accident." This reminds us of Mark Twain's famous utterance that the reports of his death were "greatly exaggerated."

THE promised "sane fourth" like the millenium, is still a long way off. The complete returns of the killed and maimed makes a list longer than last year.

IT must be that John Eastman and Henry W. Lee have a private graveyard up north and business in their line is rather quiet just now.

THE New York Mail presumes that the L. L. D. conferred upon Edward Bok stands for "diluter of literature for ladies."

ATTORNEY GENERAL BONAPARTE is after the trusts, with the trusts well in hand, remarks the Windom Citizen.

TIMES are changing—even down south. The new governor of Oklahoma is a democrat and a prohibitionist.

THE Idaho Orchard is hearing some mighty bitter fruit.

The Right View.

Plummer Pioneer: The county seat removal petition is still sleeping and there is no telling just when it will be awakened into a live issue. The special meeting of the county board called to consider the new petition on Monday last was a big dissapointment to the pushers of the petition. In fact the meeting didn't meet and consequently there was no action taken. We understand that two of the commissioners and a big crowd of enthusiastic Thief River men were present but they could do nothing. It is said that the board cannot meet to consider the new petition as long as as the old one is in existence, and, while it is claimed that the old one was stolen, there is nothing to show that it has been destroyed or has passed out of existence. If this is the right way of looking at the merits of the new petition it can easily be seen that nothing can be accomplished until the old one is either proved to have been destroyed or recovered.

Hot Weather Beauty Hint.

Food needs careful study in summer. While it is very necssary to take sufficient nourishment to replace what the body loses from excessive heat it should be remembered that fatty foods are great heat producers and should be taken only in small quantities. Hot drinks should be replaced with cold beverages. A good pure malt tonic as golden grain belt beer, is recommended for table use. It aids digestion and should be in every home. Keep a case in your cellar—it is handy for evening refreshment. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note that it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching painful protruding or blind piles disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel capped jars 50 cents. Sold by all dealers.

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With the best business firms in the Northwest went to the graduates of just one school last year. According to an account recently published in the Fargo Forum the Dakota Business College of that city located 350 of its pupils in positions when they finished their work. The paper further states that the demand for trained office assistants is increasing so rapidly that this school is unable to get pupils through fast enough to fill all positions offered.

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In the Local Line

G. A Kankel has a new ad in today's paper.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

George Judson, of Crookston was a caller here Tuesday.

Second hand mower and rake for sale. See S. A. Swanson.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

W. A. Schreiter was a visitor at Thief River Falls yesterday.

Mike Burns, of Thief River Falls was a caller here yesterday.

Go to Spillane's for groceries, candies, nuts, fruits, cigars, etc.

Miss Ethel Bourdon is visiting with Crookston friends this week,

Superintendent McAnulty was a Thief River Falls visitor yesterday.

C. L. Hanson, the St. Hilaire bank magnate, spent Sunday with friends here.

For Sale—a first-class milch cow; fresh.—Joseph Prudhomme, Central Hotel.

Brunelle Bros. have something of interest in their new ad in today's paper.

Free fare if you attend Mankato Commercial College. Write for particulars.

Rev. Father Ambrose visited with Father Adolph at Thief River Falls Monday.

Charles Hamel of Gratton, North Dakota, spent the Fourth with relatives here.

To let—Four-room flat, water, cellar, electric light. Modern except heat. Phone 7.

Sheriff Nelson and family were over-Sunday visitors with relatives at Thief River Falls.

A number from here attended the Gollmar Bros.' circus at Thief River Falls last Saturday.

Albert Anderson, a prominent Polk Centre resident, was a business caller here Monday.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Lew D. Padden was down from Thief River Falls and spent Sunday with his brother and many friends here.

Haying is near at hand. Call on S. A. Swanson for a new mower, self dump or sweep rakes at right prices.

Ernest Gerlach came in off his territory to spend the fourth and Sunday with his Red Lake Falls friends.

C. C. Jackson, Thief River's enterprising hardware men, was a business caller at the county seat Monday.

Dr J. C. Wilkinson was called to Crookston Tuesday evening on professional business. He returned Wednesday.

Nick Pahlen went down to Crookston Tuesday evening to work as flour packer in the Crookston mill for a few days.

Mrs. Arthur Zaiser went down to Crookston Tuesday evening to take in the carnival and spend a few days with her parents.

Editor Charles W. Latta, of the Plummer Pioneer, spent Monday in Red Lake Falls looking after some business matters.

A. G. Groshong went down to Crookston Monday to meet his aged mother who came up from the southern part of the state.

Julius Pleth, Ed Johnson and Tom Norby, three rustling Plummer business men, were callers at the county seat Tuesday.

The North Dakota state fair will be held at Grand Forks July 23, 24. 25, 26 and 27. Several from here are arranging to attend.

Quite a crowd of Red Lake Falls people went down to Crookston on Monday evening to take in the carnival held there this week.

Editors Cross, and Ives of the St. Hilaire Spectator, with their better halves, spent Sunday at the P. E. Pirnth home in this city.

Mrs. George H. Tibbets and daughter Iza, and Mrs. Chas. N. Bourdon spent the fourth at the A. O. Davidson home in Waubun.

Frank Jeffers left Monday for Minneapolis and from there will go back to his territory in Wisconsin and Michigan for the Miller-Davis company.

Ralph Healy arrived home from Minneapolis Tuesday morning and will spend the next couple of months with his parents and many Red Lake Falls friends.

Rev. I. T. Aastad, of Thief River Falls will hold services at the Norweigan Lutheran church in this city on Monday evening next at 7:30. All are invited.

State engineer George A. Ralph was a visitor here Monday looking after ditch matter and shaking hands with his many friends. Mr. Ralph is now living in St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Germo went to Rochester last week. Mr. Germo returned home Tuesday but Mrs. Germo expects to remain there a month or so with friends.

J. C. Parker has been here several times the past week. Mr. Parker is bringing down a big drive of cedar ties on the Clearwater and will unload them near the Healy mill.

P. K. Olson came up from near Little Falls Monday and spent a day here. P. K. has been doing some contract work on the new Soo line, and reports very satisfactory progress.

Chas. Johnson, one of the prominent Wyliites, spent Monday and Tuesday at the home of his son, Clerk of Court Johnson, in this city while on his way home from a visit at Crookston.

Joe Brown, of Long Lake, spent several days of this week in Red Lake Falls, a guest at the Healy home. Mr. Brown owns some Red Lake county farm lands and is well pleased with the prospects.

William Brady, Jack Pahlen, "Bill" Ittner and Hugo Ittner left Tuesday evening for Royalton near which place they will work during the next few months for one of the contractors on the new Soo line.

The St. Hilaire ball team and the second nine of Red Lake Falls played a game of ball on the local field Sunday, the score being 15 to 7 in favor of Red Lake Falls. The game was witnessed by a fair sized crowd.

Clerk of Court C. W. Johnson and wife spent Sunday at Mr. Johnson's home near Wylie. Confirmation services were held in the Norwegian Lutheran church near that place Sunday, and a large crowd was in attendance.

J. F. Grey was here from Glenwood over Sunday, visiting with his family and looking after some business matters. Joe reports everything moving along swingingly with his railroad contract work on the new Soo line.

L. H. Johnson, of Minneapolis, speaker of the recent house of representatives spent Monday in this city. Mr. Johnson is president of the Hennepin Bridge company of Minneapolis and his mission here was to look after some business for the company.

Mrs. Louise Groshong and son Henry, arrived from Arlington, this state, Tuesday for a visit with the son and brother, A. G. Groshong. The aged lady expects to spend a month or more here with A. G.'s family, but Henry returned to Arlington last evening.

C. H. Giddings, of Duluth, representing the John Hancock life insurance company, was in the city the fore part of the week looking after business in his line. He established an agency in Red Lake Falls and appointed P. B. Gaass as local representative.

A large addition has been added to the CROOKSTON COLLEGE this summer. The building is up-to-date in every respect and will now accommodate 500 students. The college catalogue is just printed and you can get a copy free by writing to J. C. Sathre. Crookston, Minn.

August Morin, Joseph Lachance and Omer Laurent came over from Bellcourt, North Dakota, last Wednesday and have spent the week here. Contractor Morin reports his work for the government near that place as progressing very nicely, and the year will be a good one for him.

John Savard, Albert Lizee and Arther Guilmette are now located at Prince Albert, Canada, where all have profitable employment for the remainder of the summer, Mr. Savard last week ordered THE GAZETTE send to his address that he might keep posted on Red Lake Falls happenings.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beaudry of North Yakima, Washington, are guests at the Arthur Lizee home, on their return to the west from an extensive trip throughout the eastern states and Canada. Mrs. Beaudry was formerly Miss Rosa Lachence, of this city, and her many old-time friends are enjoying her visit here immensely.

P. A. Eckstrom, formerly county commissioner, got into trouble last week in North Dakota for selling liquor without a government license. He was arrested by the United States marshal and convicted, his fine being $500.

St. Joseph's church and school will hold a fare during the last week in October, and preparations are already under way. Father Favolle tells us that a greater part of the proceeds will be used for the support of St. Joseph's school.

Prof. E. W. Chamberlain and family and Miss Cushing are camping at Cook's Rapids for the summer, and the report brought in by the professor this morning is to the effect that they are having a delightful time. The party intends to remain there the rest of the summer.

The annual school meeting will be held Saturday evening, July 20, and directors will be elected to succeed Dr. N. M. Watson and A P. Toupin, whose three-year terms expire. There is no talk of any other candidates, and it is likely these gentlemen will be given unanimous reindorsement.

Francois Lambert, an old resident of Lambert township, moved his family to Red Lake Falls last week and now occupies the Noel residence on Champagne avenue. Mr. Lambert is well known to the people here, and THE GAZETTE is pleased to welcome him as a resident of our city.

Miss Maude Findeisen arrived home yesterday from southern Minnesota, where she has been visiting with friends since graduating from the normal school at Winona. She will spend the remainder of the summer here and in September will take up her teaching work at Warren for the ensuing year.

Miss Ruth Donaldson of Moorhead was elected teacher of the fifth and sixth grades at the Lafayette school at a meeting of the board of education held Friday evening. Miss Donaldson is a normal graduate and an experienced teacher. There is now but one vacancy in the corps of teachers for next year—that of assistant principal.

A shocking thing happened over in one of our nearby towns. One of the popular society women announced a "a white elephant party." Every guest was to bring something she could not find use for and yet was too good to throw away. The party would have been a success but for an unlooked for development, which broke it up. Eleven of nineteen women brought their husbands.

Section Foreman John Manley is inclined to credit jack-rabbits with more than average animal intelligence, Last Monday while mowing grass on the Northern Pacific right-of-way a rabbit came up to him and refused to be chased away On examination Mr. Manley found that several wood-ticks had burrowed into the flesh of the rabbit, and after being relieved trotted off gratefully and cheerfully.

Mrs. Louis Gonyea, wife of Sheriff Gonyea, of Polk county, died at her Crookston home last evening, after a lingering illness with dropsy. Deceased was a sister of Thadee Richards, of Black River township, and was well known to the people here, A husband and four children, all residents of Crookston, are left to mourn her, as follows: Mrs. Gust Sandberg, Meyme, Louis, Alec and George Gonyea. The funeral will be held at Crookston tomorrow.

Harvesters' rates will not be made by the railroads this fall, as a result of the new interstate passenger tariffs based on the 2-cent rate in Minnesota and the 2 1-2 cent rate in North Dakota, effective on July 1st. Railroad officials say that the new rate makes the fare to the principal shipping points in North Dakota less than the customary $6 harvesters' rate, and as no reduction will be made from regular fare, harvester tickets would not be called for if issued.

The pretty farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Steele, two miles, west of Red Lake Falls was the scene of a delightful gathering of their many old friends and neighbors from Lyon county on July 4, and the affair was one of great enjoyment to all present. There were sixty-four present and the day was spent in feasting, games and reminiscences of days gone by, the late hours of the evening coming all too quickly to suit those who had been so royally entertained. The feast lasted from one o'clock until five, the tables being especially heav-y laden with good things that ladies know so well to provide. Ice cream and cake in abundance furnished a fitting climax to the immense spread and all did ample justice to every part of the menu. Those present beside Mr. Steele's family of four were Mr. and Mrs. George Orr, and five children, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Walker and two children, Miss Addie Orr, and Mrs. Barney and children, who are visiting from Mershall, Mr. and Mrs. Hanly and son, Carl Hundermark and sister, Mrs. Miller and five children, Mr. and Mrs. Kellogg and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fuller and three children, Mr. and Mrs. George Herr, and five children and Mr. Herr's father, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nauman and three children. Mr. and Mrs. John Bagan and seven children, Miss Tobia, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed. L. Healy.

THE BUSY STORE

Continuing Wash Goods Sale

CONSIDER in connection with our price reductions the superb assortment of styles and qualities we show and you cannot but be impressed with the fact that to delay any longer in your purchases would be sheer folly. The entire stock of summer goods is included in the price reduction

8c Materials for	6c
12½c Materials for	10c
15c Materials for	11c
18c Materials for	13c
20c Materials for	15c
25c Materiels for	19c

Low prices on Men's and Ladies Oxfords.

29c Materials for	20c
35c Materials for	25c
45c Materiels for	33c
50c and 59c Materials for	39c
65c Materials for	45c
69c and 75c Materials for	50c

Remarkably good values in tennis shoes.

Remnant Sale

The lively selling of the past few weeks has naturally caused the accumulation of numerous remnants of WASH GOODS. We offer these at great reductions. Remember our bargains in Hats and other goods.

Garceau & Zaiser

Leland and Ralph Healy, Ernest Buse and Clem Brunelle will leave Saturday to spend ten days or two weeks on what should be a delightful outing. They will ship Lee's launch to Thief River Falls by rail and from there will go up the Red Lake river to Red Lake, down the Blackduck river to Blackduck, spending a few days there, and returning by the same route. All camping and other necessary supplies will be taken along and the boys expect to have the time of their lives.

Strawberry pickers were numerous throughout southern Red Lake county last Sunday and every available rig in the city was used to convey jolly parties out to the prairies. The day was ideal for the work, and every party out enjoyed themselves to the limit. The strawberry crop is immense this year and the prairies are literally covered with this tempting fruit. Full pails and baskets told the story of excellent success and preserved wild strawberries will be a common dish here next winter.

The "lid" is on in Red Lake Falls and from now on the saloons will be closed all day on Sunday in conformity with the state law, This order of things is being put into practice all over the state and it has not yet been said that it is working any hardships on the public. The saloon men themselves are well pleased with the new ruling, and not one objects to observing this law in the least. According to the orders of the mayor the curtains and blinds must all be up and open and this rule was strictly adhered to here last Sunday.

A jolly party of Red Lake Falls people left Tuesday for Maple Lake to enjoy an outing of a week or so at that popular resort. They have rented a cottage on the lake shore and they intend to get all the fun possible out of their stay. The party was composed of Mesdemes Frank E. Hunt, H. N. Johnson, J. E, Argue, and the Misses Mayme Erickson, Pauline Neiland, Mollie Allard, Etta Garceau, Agnes Garceeu and Etta Hennemuth, Several ladies from other points will join them at the lake and they expect to spend a very pleasant fortnight.

A patched up ball team went down to Crookston Monday afternoon and played the Crookston team a game of ball—or at least that is what they called it. About half of the locals couldn't go on account of the short notice given and their places were filled with picked up players. Narveson, of McIntosh and Stephens of Crookston, also played with Red Lake Falls. The game was a walkaway for Crookston, the score being 10 to 3 in their favor, but nevertheless there was some good playing done on both sides and the crowd enjoyed the contest. Our boys drove down in the afternoon and back the same night.

County commissioners Lindquist, Aubol and Demann drove out to the eastern part of the country Tuesday to confer with the town officers of. the several towns out there regarding bridge work. The last legislature appropriated considerable money for bridge use in Red Lake county provided the towns mentioned in the appropriation would appropriate a like amount. The object of the commissioners' visit was to determine whether or not the town boards intended giving the necessary money, and found the sentiment strongly in favor of such a move. All the new bridges will probably be built within the next year.

The fourth in Red Lake Falls passed off without any particular excitement. No celebration was held here and those of our people who remained home spent the day pleasantly. Several picnic parties were held along the river and a general good time was had. In the morning quite a crowd went to Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire to attend the celebrations, and a juvenile ball team and several people helped out the Wylie crowd. At St. Hilaire, F. A. Grady, of this city. was the orator of the day and his speech was well spoken of. The rest of the celebration was very enjoyable to the people who went from here.

Rev. G. Boltinger, of Burt, Iowa, occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church here Sunday and is spending this week here looking over the field. He will conduct regular services here again Sunday. Rev. Boltinger has lived in eastern Iowa for a number of years and of late desired to try the north country, and it is very probable that he will accept the call to the pastorate of the church here. Monday he visited with Rev. Barackman at Thief River Falls, to familiarize himself with church conditions hereabouts. He is enjoying the week here immensely and thinks it is one of the grandest places he ever visited.

Word has been received from L. P. Berthon at Missoula, stating that he is working like a Trojan and is particularly well pleased with the outlook. "Old Pauly" tells how he will like the west as a home and expects to prosper, but he can't begin to get over the memory of the pleasant send-off given him by the business men at the banquet at the Grand View a few weeks ago, and states that he has since received personal letters from Governor Johnson, W. J. Bryan, President Roosevelt and President Falliers, of France, conveying to him again their extreme regrets at not being able to be present on that most auspicous occasion. Red Lake Falls people have a warm spot in their hearts for friend Paul and will always gladly receive news of his good health and prosperity.

Small grain, flax and corn look better at the present time than they have at this season for several years, and with the co-operation of the elements to the end desired Red Lake county farmers will reap a bountiful reward when the threshing machine story is told. A drive through the country at this time is a revelation, inasmuch that where one expects to find things backward on account of the late season just the opposite is true. Barley is already heading out and is of good stand and color while the wheat and oats look healthy and are well advanced. Flax is looking especially good and it is freely predicted that the flax crop this year will be a record-breaker. In fact everything that grows looks good and there is every indication that this portion of the Red River valley will redeem itself this fall.

Auction Sale...

I will hold a public sale in front of the city hall, Saturday afternoon, July 13, at two o'clock, and will be prepared to sell any articles you may have. Live stock, machinery, furniture or anything else will be sold. Bring your goods early.

JOSEPH BELAIR
AUCTIONEER

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA.

WE MAKE FARM LOANS..........

THE SHORTEST SOLDIER.

How a Young Kansan Under the Required Height Got Into the Army.

Charles L. Dagan of Keats, Kas., a young army recruit who enlisted in Kansas City and left with a squad of recruits for Jefferson barracks, near St. Louis, is probably the shortest soldier in the United States army. His height is 5 feet 2 inches. He was accepted only on the recommendation of President Roosevelt, to whom he wrote explaining the situation after he had been rejected on account of his height at the auxiliary recruiting station at Topeka early in April.

Dagan had entertained the hope of becoming a soldier for a number of years. He is now twenty-two, and, having no one dependent upon him, he went to the recruiting station to enter the service. He passed a rigid examination save for his height, but the news that for this reason he could not become a soldier did not deter him. He had decided to become one, and promptly wrote to President Roosevelt, explaining the situation. He made an earnest appeal to the chief executive and the frank, earnest manner in which he couched his plea seemed to strike the president as that of a man who would make a good soldier.

This is probably the first instance of an acceptance of an application for enlistment in the army when a discrepancy of two inches in the required height existed. The minimum height, as stipulated by the war department, is 5 feet 4 inches.

Dagan is of almost perfect build, weighs 130 pounds and has a five-inch chest expansion. He expressed a desire to enlist in the cavalry and be sent to the Philippines. At Jefferson barracks he will be assigned to a regiment of cavalry under orders or preparing for orders for Philippine service.

ONE MAN'S EXPERIENCE IN WESTERN CANADA.

There Are Thousands of Opportunities in the Land of Opportunity.

To the Editor.
Dear Sir:

The following experience of an Illinois man who went to Western Canada six years ago is but one of the thousands of letters that could be reproduced showing how prosperity follows the settler on the fertile lands of Western Canada. This letter was written to the Chicago agent of the Government of the Dominion of Canada and is dated at Evarts, Alberta, April 8th, 1907:

"It is six years the 5th of this month since I and family landed in Red Deer, family sick and only $75 in my pocket. Bought a $12 lot, built a 12x14 shack and went to work as a carpenter. Next May sold for $400 (had added 16x18 building to shack). Purchased two lots at $70 each and built a 23x28 two story building and sold for $950. Filed on a quarter section 33 miles N. W. of Red Deer and have spent three years on it and am well pleased. Quarter all fenced and cross fenced, wire and rail, 2½ miles of fence. House 29x31 feet on stone foundation. Last year was my first attempt to raise grain, 1½ acres of fall wheat, yield grand, but was frosted August 1st, was cut August 16th and made good pig feed. Had 1½ acres fall rye that I think could not be beat. A farmer from Dakota cut it for me; he said he never saw such heavy grain anywhere. Straw was 7 feet high. I had 4 acres of 2 rowed barley on fall breaking that did not do so well, yet it ripened and gave me all the feed I need for stock and seed for this spring. I did not have grain threshed, so can't give yield, but the wheat would have gone at least 25 bu. to the acre. Have a log stable 31x35 feet, broad roof and two smaller buildings for pigs and chickens.

"I have lived in Harvey, Ills., and know something about it. I have been hungry there and though able and willing to work could get none to do. One Saturday evening found me without my supper or a cent to get it with. A friend, surmising my situation, gave me a dollar, which was thankfully accepted and later paid back. Wife and I are thankful we came here. We were living near Mt. Vernon, Ills., as perhaps you remember visiting me there and getting me headed for the Canadian Northwest, and a happy day it has proved for me. I have not grown rich, but I am prospering. I would not take $3,000 for my quarter now. The past winter has been a hard one, but I worked outside the coldest day (52 below) all day and did not suffer. We are getting a school started now that is badly needed.

"Our P. O., Evarts, is about 15 miles; there is another office 6 miles, but it is not convenient to us. Wife and I would not exchange our home here for anything Illinois has to offer.

"Yours truly,
"(Sd.) E. EMBERLEY."

The Bachelor's Script.

Life's little ironies generally wear petticoats.

Politics is a masculine game, but the first boss was a woman.

The woman who is no spring chicken will usually lay for you.

Love laughs at locksmiths, but the goldsmith is a serious matter.

The husband's day: Eight hours for sleep, eight hours for work and eight hours for explanations.

If women should get the ballot would they be willing to compromise by giving up the gun?

There is a great deal of talk about a great many things that there is mighty little in.

SISTER ROSE.

A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS.

CHAPTER IX.—(Continued.)

"Perhaps we shall tide over to-night, after all—who knows?" said Lomaque, ringing his hand bell for lights. They were brought in, and with them ominously returned the police agent Magloire with a small sealed packet. It contained an arrest order and a tiny three-cornered note, looking more like a love letter or a lady's invitation to a party than anything else. Lomaque opened the note eagerly and read these lines, neatly written, and signed with Robespierre's initials—M. R.—formed elegantly in cipher:

"Arrest Trudaine and his sister to-night. On second thoughts I am not sure, if Danville comes back in time to be present, that it may not be all the better. He is unprepared for his wife's arrest. Watch him closely when it takes place, and report privately to me. I am afraid he is a vicious man; and of all things I abhor Vice."

"Any more work for me to-night?" asked Magloire, with a yawn.

"Only an arrest," replied Lomaque. "Collect our men, and when you're ready, get a coach at the door."

"We were just going to supper," grumbled Magloire to himself, as he went out. "The devil seize the Aristocrats! They're all in such a hurry to get to the guillotine that they won't even give a man time to eat his victuals in peace."

"There's no choice now," muttered Lomaque, angrily thrusting the arrest order and the three-cornered note into his pocket. "His father was the saving of me; he himself welcomed me like an equal; his sister treated me like a gentleman, as the phrase went in those days, and now—"

He stopped and wiped his forehead; then unlocked his desk, produced a bottle of brandy, and poured himself out a glass of liquor, which he drank by sips, slowly.

"I wonder whether other men get softer hearted as they grow older?" he said. "I seem to do so, at any rate. Courage! courage! what must be, must. If I risked my head to do it, I couldn't stop this arrest. Not a man in the office but would be ready to execute it, if I wasn't."

Here the rumble of carriage wheels sounded outside. "There's the coach!" exclaimed Lomaque, locking up the brandy bottle, and taking his hat. "After all, as this arrest is to be made, it's as well for them that I should make it."

Consoling himself as he best could with this reflection, Chief Police Agent Lomaque blew out the candles, and quitted the room.

CHAPTER X.

IGNORANT of the change in her husband's plans, which were to bring him back to Paris a day before the time that had been fixed for his return, Sister Rose had left her solitary home to spend the evening with her brother. They had sat talking together long after sunset, and had let the darkness steal on them insensibly, as people will who are only occupied with quiet familiar conversation. Thus it happened, by a curious coincidence, that just as Lomaque was blowing out his candles at the office, Rose was lighting the reading lamp at her brother's lodgings.

Five years of disappointment and sorrow had sadly changed her to outward view. Her face looked thinner and longer; the once delicate red and white of her complexion was gone; her figure had wasted under the influence of some weakness which already made her stoop a little when she walked. Her manner had lost its maiden shyness only to become unnaturally quiet and subdued. Of all the charms which had so fatally, yet so innocently, allured her heartless husband, but one remained—the winning gentleness of her voice. It might be touched now and then with a note of sadness, but the soft attraction of its even, natural tone still remained. In the morning of all other harmonies, this one harmony had been preserved unchanged! Her brother, though his face was care-worn, and his manner sadder than of old, looked less altered from his former self. It is the most fragile material which soonest shows the flaw. The world's idol, Beauty, holds its frailest tenure of existence in the one Temple where we most love to worship it.

"And so you think, Louis, that our perilous undertaking has really ended well by this time?" said Rose, anxiously, as she lit the lamp and placed the glass shade over it. "What a relief it is only to hear you say you think we have succeeded at last!"

"I said I hoped," replied her brother.

"Well, even hoped is a great word from you, Louis—a great word from any one in this fearful city, and in these days of Terror."

She stopped suddenly, seeing her brother raise his hand in warning. They looked at each other in silence, and listened. The sound of footsteps going slowly past the house—ceasing for a moment just beyond it—then going on again—came through the open window. There was nothing else, out of doors or in, to disturb the silence of the night—the deadly silence of Terror which, for months past, had hung over Paris. It was a significant sign of the times, that even a passing footstep sounding a little strangely at night, was subject for suspicion, both to brother and sister—so common a subject that they suspended their conversation as a matter of course, without exchanging a word of explanation, until the tramp of the strange footsteps had died away.

"Louis," continued Rose, dropping her voice to a whisper, after nothing more was audible, "when may I trust our secret to my husband."

"Not yet," rejoined Trudaine earnestly. "Not a word, not a hint of it till I give you leave. Remember, Rose, you promised silence from the first. Everything depends on your holding that promise sacred till I release you from it."

"I will hold it sacred; I will, indeed, at all hazards, under all provocations," she answered.

"That is quite enough to reassure me—and now, love, let us change the subject. Even these walls may have ears, and the closed door yonder may be no protection." He looked towards it uneasily while he spoke. "By the by, I have come round to your way of thinking, Rose, about that new servant of mine—there is something false in his face. I wish I had been as quick to detect it as you were."

Rose glanced at him affrightedly. "Has he done anything suspicious? Have you caught him watching you? Tell me the worst, Louis."

"Hush! hush! my dear, not so loud. Don't alarm yourself; he has done nothing suspicious."

"Turn him off—pray, pray, turn him off, before it is too late!"

"And be denounced by him, in revenge, the first night he goes to his Section. You forget that servants and masters are equal now. I am not supposed to keep a servant at all. I have a citizen living with me who lays me under domestic obligations, for which I make a pecuniary acknowledgment. No! no! if I do anything, I must try if I can to entrap him into giving me warning. But we have got to another unpleasant subject already—suppose I change the topic again. You will find a little book on that table there, in the corner—tell me what you think of it."

The book was a copy of Corneille's "Cid," prettily bound in blue morocco. Rose was enthusiastic in her praises. "I found it in a bookseller's shop yesterday," said her brother, "and bought it as a present for you. Corneille is not an author to compromise any one, even in these times. Don't you remember saying the other day that you felt ashamed of knowing but little of our greatest dramatist?" Rose remembered well, and smiled almost as happily as in the old times over her present. "There are some good engravings at the beginning of each act," continued Trudaine, directing her attention rather earnestly to the illustrations, and then suddenly leaving her side when he saw that she became interested in looking at them.

He went to the window—listened—then drew aside the curtain, and looked up and down the street. No living soul was in sight. "I must have been mistaken," he thought, returning hastily to his sister; "but I certainly fancied I was followed in my walk to-day by a spy."

"I wonder," said Rose, still busy over her book, "I wonder, Louis, whether my husband would let me go with you to see 'Le Cid' the next time it is acted?"

"No!" cried a voice at the door; "not if you went on your knees to ask him."

Rose turned round with a scream. There stood her husband on the threshold, scowling at her, with his hat on, and his hands thrust doggedly into his pockets. Trudaine's servant announced him, with an insolent smile, during the pause that followed the discovery. "Citizen-superintendent Danville, to visit the citoyenne, his wife," said the fellow, making a mock bow to his master.

Rose looked at her brother, then advanced a few paces towards the door. "This is a surprise," she said, faintly; "has anything happened? We—we didn't expect you." Her voice failed her, as she saw her husband advancing, pale to his very lips with suppressed anger.

"How dare you come here, after what I told you?" he asked, in quick, low tones.

She shrank at his voice almost as if he had struck her. The blood flew into her brother's face as he noticed the action, but he controlled himself, and, taking her hand, led her in silence to a chair.

"I forbid you to sit down in his house," said Danville, advancing still; "I order you to come back with me! Do you hear? I order you."

He was approaching nearer to her, when he caught Trudaine's eye fixed on him, and stopped. Rose started up, and placed herself between them.

"Oh, Charles! Charles!" she said to her husband, "be friends with Louis to-night, and be kind again to me—I have a claim to ask that much of you, though you many not think it!"

He turned away from her, and laughed contemptuously. She tried to speak again, but Trudaine touched her on the arm and gave her a warning look.

"Signals!" exclaimed Danville, "secret signals between you!"

His eye, as he glanced suspiciously at his wife, fell on Trudaine's gift book which she still held unconsciously.

"What book is that?" he asked.

"Only a play of Corneille's," answered Rose; "Louis has just made me a present of it."

At this avowal, Danville's suppressed anger burst beyond all control.

"Give it him back!" he cried, in a voice of fury. "You shall take no presents from him; the venom of the household spy soils everything he touches. Give it him back!" She hesitated. "You won't?" He tore the book from her with an oath—threw it on the floor and set his foot on it.

"Oh, Louis! Louis! for God's sake, remember!"

Trudaine was stepping forward as the book fell to the floor. At the same moment his sister threw her arms round him. He stopped, turning from fiery red to ghastly pale.

"No! no! Louis," she said, clasping him closer. "Not after five years' patience. No—no!"

He gently detached her arms.

"You are right, love. Don't be afraid; it's all over now."

Saying that, he put her from him, and in silence took up the book from the floor.

"Won't that offend you even?" said Danville, with an insolent smile. "You have a wonderful temper—any other man would have called me out."

Trudaine looked back at him steadily, and taking out his handkerchief, passed it over the soiled cover of the book.

"If I could wipe the stain of your blood off my conscience as easily as I can wipe the stain of your boot off this book," he said quietly, "you should not live another hour. Don't cry, Rose," he continued, turning again to his sister, "I will take care of your book for you until you can keep it yourself."

"You will do this! you will do that!" cried Danville, growing more and more exasperated, and letting his anger get the better even of his cunning now. "Talk less confidently of the future—you don't know what it has in store for you. Govern your tongue when you are in my presence; a day may come when you will want my help—my help, do you hear that?"

CHAPTER XI.

TRUDAINE turned his face from his sister, as if he feared to let her see it when those words were spoken.

"The man who followed me to-day was a spy—Danville's spy!" That thought flashed across his mind, but he gave it no utterance. There was an instant's pause of silence; and through it there came heavily on the still night air the rumbling of distant wheels. The sound advanced nearer and nearer—advanced, and ceased under the window.

Danville hurried to it, and looked out eagerly.

"I have not hastened my return without reason. I wouldn't have missed this arrest for anything!" thought he, peering into the night.

The stars were out, but there was no moon. He could not recognize either the coach or the persons who got out of it, and he turned again into the interior of the room. His wife had sunk into a chair—her brother was locking up in a cabinet the book which he had promised to take care of for her. The dead silence made the noise of slowly ascending footsteps on the stairs painfully audible. At last the door opened softly.

"Citizen Danville, health and fraternity!" said Lomaque, appearing in the doorway, followed by his agents. "Citizen Louis Trudaine?" he continued, beginning with the usual form.

Rose started out of her chair; but her brother's hand was on her lips before she could speak.

"My name is Louis Trudaine," he answered.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

THE LEGS KICKED.

Surprise of an English Visitor Who Thought He Was Rescuing a Man.

Frank Hyatt, who has long enjoyed an income of £3,000, derived principally from his vocation as a "booking agent" for London Thespians, two weeks ago landed in the American metropolis for the purpose, as he said, of seeing what on earth Mr. J. A. Bailey could do with so many men and beasts as he had been shipping to him. New York and its ceaseless rush amazed him. Mr. Bailey's winter quarters at Bridgeport were past his belief, the swiftly moving Broadway cars, "a lot of trams pulled by a string," surprised him, says the New York World.

His idle moments "at 'ome" are spent upon the race-courses of England and there, in times past, he has met many of his friends. Recently, at an uptown Broadway hotel, as he glanced out into the street his kindly blue eyes seemed to start from their sockets. Rushing into Broadway he shouted:

"Hold on here! Don't start that car! Here, somebody, call an ambulance!" Then Mr. Hyatt plunged almost headforemost under the car and began tugging away at a man's legs that were lying across the rails beneath the center of the car. As he did so the legs began to kick vigorously. The rescuer felt himself pulled away violently, saw the brawny fist of the conductor shaking close to his nose and he heard the angry voice of the conductor saying:

"What do you mean, sir, by trying to keep that man from fixing the car? Do you think we want to block Broadway all day?"

Mr. Hyatt turned toward the hotel and was greeted by laughter from the crowd that his cries had attracted.

"Sass for the Goose."

A western baseball team has signed a poet as a pitcher. This tends to even up matters with certain magazines who apparently sign pitchers as poets.—New York Press.

A LAKE OF FIRE.

But the Fire is Only Phosphorescent Water—It's in the Bahamas.

The Lake of Waterloo is a phosphorescent sheet of water a thousand feet long, near Nassau in the Bahamas. At night it is like a sheet of living fire if any wind is stirring to ruffle its surface.

If the night be calm, says the Rosary Magazine, the water lies dark and still until some object sets it in motion. Little colored boys are ready to swim out into the lake, where they seem to be clothed in garments of flame, leaving a long trail of molten splendor behind them.

The oars when rowing are as when dipped in fire, and if one holds up a handful of the water and lets it fall it looks like beads of gold, and the fish that dart here and there, startled by the visitors, leave flashes of mystic, glowing splendor behind them.

The clumsy turtles that move about look like balls of fire, and when it rains the lake is like a mass of jewels. This marvelous display of phosphorescence has never been accounted for, as the lake is of artificial formation, having been made for the breeding of turtles by a Nassau resident. The bed of the lake is cut out of solid limestone and it is filled from the sea, in which there is little of the phosphorescent quality.

DIOGENES' CASK.

The hub or cask that Diogenes lived in was a jar of the kind used for wine, as engravings on ancient monuments show. A bas relief at the Villa Albani suggests, moreover, that the jar was a cracked one, unsuited for any other use than as a movable grotto for the Greek philosopher to dwell in.

Fishhawk Gave Up Prey.

Aleck Canova brought a three-pound trout to the Record office this morning and gave a very interesting description of the manner in which it was caught.

His son, Frank, observed a big fish-hawk swoop down on the fish near Bar Creek, about a mile and a half north of town, and noted that the fish was of very respectable size. He watched the big bird until it hovered almost overhead but within close range, and he picked up a stone and with splendid accuracy hurled the missile at the hawk, striking it.

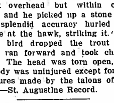
The bird dropped the trout and Frank ran forward and took charge of it. The head was torn open, but the body was uninjured except for the punctures made by the talons of the hawk.—St. Augustine Record.

His Good Fortune Fatal.

It is possible to live long in melancholy and to die swiftly from joy. So it has proved with a Paris carpenter named Fermet. He had worked for years in a chronic state of melancholy, aggravated by want of money, and all the circumstances seemed to point to a long continuance of this condition of things, when suddenly, and quite outside the poor fellow's expectations, there came to him the news the other morning that he was the possessor by bequest of the to him large sum of £2,000.

Fermet almost went frantic with delight. His nerves stood the recurrence of thrills all day, but in the evening he got among the Longchamps cafes and was relating his luck for about the twentieth time when he fell dead.

KINDLING FIRE.



The kindling of fire by the friction of dry sticks is a common practice among savages to-day. The Fiji islanders do this; so also do the South Sea islanders, the North American Indians, and the Peruvians.

Pig That Selected Church Site.

Most Lancashire cyclists are familiar with Winwick, a village between Leigh and Warrington, surrounded by good roads, and no doubt many of these wheelers have been struck with the curious effigy of a pig carved in the tower of Winwick church.

It is said that when the church was being built a pig moved the foundation stone three times and at last allowed the stone to remain on the spot where the church now stands. An effigy was therefore placed in the church tower. The words "Winwick," uttered with a nasal twang, resemble the grunt of a pig, and this is also said to give the village its name.—Tit-Bits.

MRS. DE PASSE OF NEW YORK CITY

"I Consulted Several Physicians, but they Did Me No Good. Pe-ru-na and Man-a-lin Helped Me."

MRS. ALINE DePASSE.

Mrs. Aline DePasse, 776 E. 165th St., New York, N. Y., writes:

"It gives me pleasure to testify to the curative qualities of Peruna and Manalin.

"I was afflicted for over seven years with ***catarrh of the head, throat and digestive organs.*** I consulted many physicians, but they did me no good.

"One day I happened to read some testimonials in your Peruna almanac. I decided to try Peruna and Manalin. I bought a bottle of each, and after taking them for a week I noticed a change for the better. So I kept it up, and after using twelve bottles I was ***perfectly cured.***

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"I highly recommend Peruna and Manalin to all my friends, and in fact to everybody."

Miss Mildred Grey, 110 Weimer St., Appleton, Wis., writes:

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"No," growled Jigsby, "I don't like the coat at all. I don't want it."

"But," protested the tailor, "the only trouble with it is that it's too large for you. I can alter it; make it smaller for you."

"If you do that you'll merely contract a bad habit, that's all."

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"Your husband evidently had a finger in this pie."

"Yes; he put in the brandy."

"Three fingers!" explained her husband in a stage whisper.

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Krause's Headache Capsules for over-indulgence in food or drink: Druggists, 25c. Norman Lichty Mfg. Co., Des Moines, Ia.

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Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
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For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Necessity usually knows a good thing when it sees it, even if it does fall down on a law examination.

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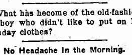
A great many people see themselves as others see them, but they don't believe what they see.



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Katharine—So do I, dear. He has promised me his hair at the end of the season to stuff a sofa pillow.

The Fruit of Diplomacy.

"She tried to hand me a lemon."

"Well?"

"I told her she was a peach."

"What followed?"

"She found out I was the apple of her eye."

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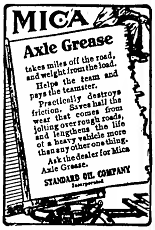

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takes miles off the road, and weight from the load. Helps the team and pays the teamster. Practically destroys friction. Saves half the wear that comes from jolting over rough roads, and lengthens the life of a heavy vehicle more than any other one thing. Ask the dealer for Mica Axle Grease.

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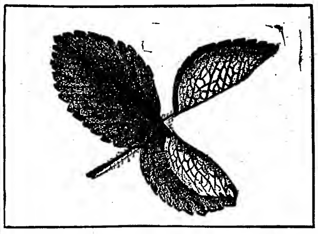

Strawberry Leaves Showing Their Appearance After Being Folded by the Roller. (After Weed.)

This insect can most easily be recognized by its larval stage, especially by its manner of folding a leaf in order to make for itself a habitat. An adequate idea of this insect can be had from the accompanying figures. If one of these folded leaves be examined it will be seen that the folds are held together by fine silken threads. These were spun by the brownish or greenish larva which will nearly always be found between the folds. The larva does its greatest damage by eating the lining surface of its abode.

The larvae cannot be reached very easily by poisons, so the only practical way of combating this species is to scatter straw over the vines, after the berries are gathered, and burn it. If done early enough this will not damage the vines.

HE FED SOME OLD EWES

A sheepman packed his grip one day
And went to Omaha, so they say,
To buy some feeder ewes.

He thought he was on to all the tricks
Of the men who sell the stock yards bricks,
When he bought that bunch of ewes.

The sheep he bought were old and gray,
They'd always fed on musty hay,
A poor old bunch of ewes!

He gave them three square meals a day,
He cornered all the alfalfa hay,
To feed that bunch of ewes.

The more he fed the worse they got,
And it made that sheepman awful hot
At that bunch of ancient ewes.

One day a bee in his bonnet flew,
He thought of something he would do
To fatten that bunch of ewes.

Of sawdust he let them eat their fill,
And better sheep ne'er went to kill
Than that bunch of stock yard ewes.

He got a car on the U. P. road,
And back to Omaha sent a load,
Of sawdust fattened ewes!

He packed them in with all his might,
But he packed them in a little too tight,
That set of sawdust ewes.

Their legs couldn't bend, so full were they filled,
But broke right off and the sawdust spilled
Out of that bunch of ewes.

The salesman thought 'twas a joke on him,
And shipped them back to their home again,
That bunch of crippled ewes.

When the sheepman rose at break of day,
What did he see out eating hay
But that same old bunch of ewes.

He raved and swore and tore his hair,
Blue smoke went curling through the air,
As he gazed on that bunch of ewes.

He sent those sheep by the chloroform route,
To the place that sheepmen talk about,
When they read the price of ewes.

His form with care and age had bent,
And the evening sun of his life was spent,
Since he bought that bunch of ewes.
So he went up where all sheepmen go,
('Tis only the salesmen go below,
Who deal in antique ewes.)

St. Peter opened the portals wide,
He took the sheepman right inside—
He'd heard of that bunch of ewes.

"That salesman must to the regions go,
For there you reap whate'er you sow,
If it's only a bunch of ewes.

"Through eternal years must stay with them,
Nor look on the face of man again,
Only see those ghostly ewes."

From morn 'till night and night 'till morn,
He feeds those sheep on roasted corn,
The ghosts of those aged ewes.

The sheepman plays his harp of gold,
Looks down in pity on the man that sold
That bunch of faded ewes.

All salesmen should this moral heed,
When a sheepman wants some stuff to feed,
Don't sell 'im a bunch o' old ewes.
—CHARLOTTE WHITNEY.

Keep Roosters Vigorous.—Examine the males that head the breeding pens and if they are thin in flesh feed each one meal a day separate from the members of his flock. Sometimes a chivalrous bird will not eat his share of the food if fed with the hens.

Red Clover and the Bumble Bee.—Our red clover does not give its honey to the honey bee, but to the bumble bee.

FRUIT TREES EXHAUST SOIL

By Prof. H. Garman, Kentucky Experiment Station.

In considering the reasons why apple and other fruit trees do not bear as many or as fine apples as they did in the early days, I have been impressed with the importance of supplying the trees with fertilizers as the soil becomes exhausted, and am satisfied that the greater relative difficulty experienced nowadays in keeping fruit trees in good condition is in part due to an exhaustion of the soil.

Trees forage more widely than smaller plants, and may not show the effects of starvation as suddenly or as soon, but they must show it in time if grown long on the same land without anything being returned to the soil to replace materials removed by the trees. In this relation I was struck recently by a statement which I encountered in Prof. Voorhees' interesting little book on Fertilizers. He says that 20 crops of apples of 15 bushels per tree, and 35 trees to the acre, equal 1,337 pounds of nitrogen, 310 pounds of phosphoric acid and 1,805 pounds of potash.

Twenty crops of wheat, of 15 bushels per acre, equal 660 pounds of nitrogen, 211 pounds of phosphoric acid and 324 pounds of potash.

Therefore, according to Prof. Voorhees, 20 crops of apples remove more than twice as much nitrogen, half as much again phosphoric acid, and nearly three times as much potash, as 20 crops of wheat.

A good farmer would hardly think of growing 20 successive crops of wheat on the same land, no matter how good it might be, and it would seem to be still greater folly, according to the figures given, to attempt to grow 20 successive crops of apples without returning anything to the soil.

WHAT MANURE DID FOR ONE FARM

By PROF. HARRY SNYDER.

My attention was recently called to a farm in Dakota county, Minnesota, where, when the country was being settled, a strip of apparently poor land was passed over as worthless for grain production. Later it was homesteaded by a settler who came in a one-horse outfit. Instead of raising grain, this man started in on a small scale to feed live stock. Screenings and grain could be obtained for the hauling. The manure was judiciously used and the soil responded to this method of farming. In a few years upon this apparently poor soil larger crops were produced than upon the surrounding wheat lands. To-day it is one of the most productive farms in the county, and its fertility is the result of farm manure.

Farm manures are valuable because they add new stores of fertility to the soil. They change the inactive plant food to more available forms through the production of humates which are utilized by crops as foods. They improve the physical properties of soils, make them warmer, more responsive to cultivation, and regulate the water supply for crop growth. They add to the permanent crop producing power of the soil and regulate the supply of plant food by causing disintegration and other changes to take place. They aid in producing forage crops which contain the largest amount of protein and other available nutrients. Manured lands produce not only larger but more valuable crops.

Rains and Corn Crop.—Rains in late summer and early fall do not affect the corn crop as to percentage of grain to stalk. A good supply of water at that time increases the proportion of grain to stalk.

ELEVEN YEARS OF ECZEMA.

Hands Cracked and Bleeding—Nail Came Off of Finger—Cuticura Remedies Brought Prompt Relief.

"I had eczema on my hands for about eleven years. The hands cracked open in many pieces and bled. One of my fingers was so bad that the nail came off. I had tried so many remedies, and they all had failed to cure me. I had seen three doctors, but got no relief. Finally I got a cake of Cuticura Soap, a box of Cuticura Ointment and two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent Pills. Of course I keep Cuticura Soap all the time for my hands, but the one cake of Soap and half a box of Cuticura Ointment cured them. I recommend the Cuticura Remedies to all suffering with eczema. Mrs. Eliza A. Wiley, R. F. D. No. 2, Liscomb, Ia., Oct. 18, 1906."

War Dogs for Turkey.

Maj. Richardson, who recently took three ambulance dogs to Turkey and instructed the Albanian soldiers of the guard at Yildiz in their use, has been created by the sultan a commander of the Order of the Medjidieh, says the London Daily News.

The sultan, who witnessed the performance of the dogs in his private grounds, expressed great delight at their work. Maj. Richardson says that the sultan is a good sportsman, with a thorough knowledge of dogs. The system has been adopted for the Turkish army.

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This Smacks of the Stage.

Beerbohm Tree is in search of a new thing in kisses. Recently, as Antony, he was about to salute Cleopatra at rehearsal with that last lingering kiss familiar in the classics, when the orchestra struck a chord which jarred his nerves. "Not that, not that!" he is reported to have entreated. "I want —I want a kiss of heroic magnitude."

Feminine Intuition.

"I'm sure Emily thinks her new dressmaker is no good."

"Why do you say that?"

"I asked for her address and she gave it to me without a moment's hesitation."

Orders Must Be Obeyed.

"The best disciplinarian I ever knew," says a retired army officer, "was a colonel I served with during the Civil war. Once we were reconnoitering a position which the enemy held with a considerable force.

"'We will take that place to-morrow,' he said.

"'Why, colonel,' I exclaimed, 'it's impossible!'

"'Impossible! Nonsense, sir,' he snorted. 'I have the order in my pocket.'"

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Albert T. Bakken, McIntosh, Minn., threshing machine; Egbert H. Derby, Winnebago, Minn., wrench; Wilbert C. Fawkes, Minneapolis, Minn., washing machine; John R. McGiffert, Duluth, Minn., log-loader; Frederick Nelson, Driscoll, N. D., sweep rake; Geo. A. Wieland, Duluth, Minn., breakwater; Herbert W. Wilson, Springfield, S. D., sleeping-bag.

A Providential Favorite

"I got ter be mo' keerful in de future," said Brother Dickey; "I 'clar I has!"

"Why, what' shappened now?"

"Well, I only prayed fer rain 'bout tw ohour sen a half, en ef dey didn't take en send a regular deluge dat come nigh drownin' der whole settlement! Providence always gives me mo'n what I axes fer!"

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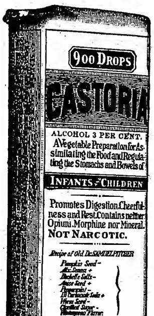
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Dr. J. B. Elliott, of New York City, says: "Having during the past six years prescribed your Castoria for infantile stomach disorders, I most heartily commend its use. The formula contains nothing deleterious to the most delicate of children."

Dr. C. G. Sprague, of Omaha, Neb., says: "Your Castoria is an ideal medicine for children, and I frequently prescribe it. While I do not advocate the indiscriminate use of proprietary medicines, yet Castoria is an exception for conditions which arise in the care of children."

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Dr. H. F. Merrill, of Augusta, Me., says: "Castoria is one of the very finest and most remarkable remedies for infants and children. In my opinion your Castoria has saved thousands from an early grave. I can furnish hundreds of testimonials from this locality as to its efficiency and merits."

Dr. Norman M. Geer, of Cleveland, Ohio, says: "During the last twelve years I have frequently recommended your Castoria as one of the best preparations of the kind, being safe in the hands of parents and very effective in relieving children's disorders, while the ease with which such a pleasant preparation can be administered is a great advantage."

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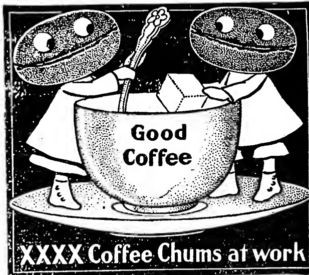
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S'MORE LOCAL.

Mrs. Frank Brouillet and Mrs. J. C. Wanuer ere visiting et Dugdale this week.

Hon. Marcus Johnson was up from St. Paul and spent several days of this week.

The Busy Store has an interesting ad regerding wash good sale now on at this store.

Merchant J. H. Blanc and Mrs. Treffle Daoust of Lambert are visitors at the county seat on business today.

Mankato Commercial College trnios more people for business than any other school. Write for catalogue.

For Sale—Southwest quarter of section 14-152-42. Write Frank Thayer, owner, 517 N. 72 street, Seattle, Washington. 41-4t

C. B. Cruzen, of Wylie, drove in yesterdny and took the train in the evening for central Iowa where he will spend a month with his parents.

County Surveyor J. K. Wood came down from Thief River Falls last evening, and will spend a few days attending to some official business.

F. R. Creglow leaves this evening for his home at Rock Rapids, Iowa. He will be up again in a few weeks to pack up his bewspaper outfit.

James E. Ford returned home yesterday for a short visit. He has been in the viciuity of Duluth for two weeks past on special work for the public examner's office.

Commissiooer Charles A. Lindquist and his sister, Miss Emily, arrived home last Friday from a pleasant visit with relatives in the cities and southern Minnesota.

A pleasant birthday surprise party was given at the home of Mayor Duffy Monday evening, the occasioo being Mrs. Duffy's birthday anniversary. A large crowd was preseot aod an enjoyable time resulted.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, a sample of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my book on either Dyspepsia, The Heart or The Kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys, are merely symptoms of deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating the symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment, not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart, and kidneys as well have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the "inside nerves." Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's restorative Write me for sample and free book. Dr Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is aold by all dealers.

Doubtful Evidence.

A certain elector in a Western constitucncy, who takes a keen interest in politics, has been twice confined in a lunatic asylum. On each occasion when discharged from durance he obtained a formal written statement from the proper authority declaring thnt he was once more in his right demand. At a recent political meeting he was extremely excited, and constantly interrupted the speakers. The chairman attempted to bring him to order by gentle means, which failed, and then, by stern and dignified reproof, which aleo failed. At lest the chairman lost his patience.

"Look here, eir," he seid to the excited one, "you're behaving more like a madman than an elector!"

"Madman!" repeated the elector, with crushing seorn. "I've got two certificates of sanity in my pocket, and I'll bet you whet you like you haven't got one!"

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Notice of Mortgage Forclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 190.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $340.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows; to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 24th day of August, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1907.

DULUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer,
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
7-11-8-15 Attorneys for Mortgagee.

To the Legal Voters of the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota:—

Notice is Hereby Given, That a petition is on file in my office, signed by legal voters of said County to the number of Two Thousand three hundred and forty two, praying that the County seat of said County of Red Lake be changed to to the City of Thief River Falls in said County, and that a special meeting of the County Board will be held at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minnesota, on Monday, the 29th day of July, A. D. 1907 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, to consider said petition, at which time and place any legal voter of said County may appear, in person or by counsel, and be heard.

Dated July 9th, A. D. 1907.

John B. O'Brien
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE payment of the sum of Nine Hundred twenty five and 61-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Hans Frederickson and Mari Frederickson his wife Mortgagors to J. E. Truesdell Mortgagee, bearing date the eighth day of September 1899, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of September, 1899, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 20 of Mortgages, on page 159.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northwest quarter (nw¼) of Section thirty-one (31), in Township one hundred fifty-three (153), north of Range forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the West front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred twenty five and 61-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, amounting to sixty-one and 84-100 dollars heretofore paid, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 30th 1907.

J. E. Truesdell,
Mortgagee.

L. C. SIMONS
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Notice to Vendee of Cancellation of Land Contract.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Ramsey. } ss.

To W. A. Sorsoleil:

You will take notice, That default has occurred in the terms and conditions of that certain instrument, to-wit: A certain contract for the sale of land bearing date the 25th day of October, 1900, made by C. G. Edwards, as owner and vendor, to you, as vendee and purchaser, for the sale and conveyance to said W. A. Sorsoleil of that certain tract of land, lying and being in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northeast quarter (ne¼) of section nineteen (19) in township one hundred fifty-two (152), of range forty two (42), containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, according to the government survey.

And that said default consists in this, to-wit: In your having wholly failed to pay the interest on the said contract that fell due November 1st, 1904, November 1st, 1905, and November 1st, 1906, save and except interest up to the 1st day of September, 1904. That under the terms and conditions of said contract there is due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of One hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-two cents ($189.82)

That owing to and on account of said default in the terms and conditions of said instrument the said instrument, and all rights thereunder, in or to said land will be canceled and terminated by the undersigned owner of said land at the expiration of thirty (30) days after the service of this notice upon you, and that if you fail to perform, the conditions of said instrument and to comply with the provisions upon which said default has occurred and fail to pay the costs of service of this notice upon you, the said termination and cancellation of said instrument and all rights thereunder, will take effect immediately upon the expiration of said thirty (30) days from the date of said service of this notice upon you.

C. G. EDWARDS.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1907.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Ramsey. } ss.

On this 12th day of June, 1907, before me personally came C. G. Edwards to me well known to be the person who made and executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged he executed the same as his free act and deed.

FITZHUGH BURNS,
Notary Public, Ramsey County, Minnesota.
(Seal) My commission expires Sept. 25, 1907.

Catarrh

To prove unquestionably, and beyond any doubt, that Catarrh of the nose and throat can be cured, I am furnishing patients through druggists, small free Trial Boxes of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure. I do this because I am so certain, that Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure will bring actual substantial help. Nothing certainly, is so convincing as a physical test of any article of real, genuine merit. But that article must possess true merit, else the test will condemn, rather than advance it. Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure is a snow white, healing antiseptic balm, put up in beautiful nickel capped glass jars at 50c. Such soothing agents as Oil Eucalypt[illegible] Thymol, Menthol, etc., are incorporated into velvety, cream like Petrolatum, imported by Dr. Shoop from Europe. If Catarrh of the nose and throat has extended to the stomach, then by all means also use internally, Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Stomach distress, a lack of general strength, bloating, belching, biliousness, bad taste, surely call for Dr. Shoop's Restorative.

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Secret Societies

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall Visitors are always welcome.—Fred Zaiser N. G. Dr. J. E. Argue, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S. James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—E. G. Buse, C. C.; P. B. Gaass, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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COUNTY DADS MEET

Hold Two Days' Business Session at the Court House in this City.

The board of county commissioners met at the county auditor's office Tuesday and yesterday and transacted a big bunch of county business that had accumulated since the last meeting.

The Hennepin Bridge company, Minneapolis, was given the contract to tear down the old wooden bridge in Emardville township and erect in its place a new steel structure. This contract was let under the emergency clause, which provides that commissioners may let a contract for a new bridge where occasion demands a speedy construction without advertising for bids. The new bridge will be modern in all respects and will be appreciated by the people out there.

The election of a janator for the court house to succeed J. O. Gjerberg, deceased, was taken up and Lucien Philion, who has acted in this capacity for several months past, was chosen. Mr. Philion has made a very popular janitor since taking charge over there, and his application was endorsed by all of the county officers. He is a careful and faithful employee and there is no question but what he will give satisfaction.

Mrs. Eleanor Tarrant, wife of Judge of Probate Tarrant, was appointed clerk of the probate court, and her bond was approved and filed. The duties of the probate office have become quite heavy since the acquisition of the new townships, and the commissioners deemed it advisable to give Nick some help.

The personal property list was reviewed and returned to auditor O'Brien.

An agreement was entered into whereby Red Lake county will pay twenty percent of the cost of a new typewriter for use of the stenographers of the district court.

The applications of Alfred Eve and Matt Skala for correction of assessment and abatement of taxes was granted.

The final estimate on county ditch No. 9 was accepted and the engineer discharged.

Lambert township was given $150 from the road and bridge fund.

The appointment of Otto E. Olson as asistent county superintendent of schools was approved. Mr. Olson wil put in the next two months assisting Superintendent McAnulty in getting caught up with the big bunnch of work that accumulates in his office during this season of the year.

The bonds of the various county depositories were approved. The list of banks is about the same as last year, except that the First State Bank of Plummer and People's State Bank of Thief River Falls were added to the list.

The usual bunch of bills was allowed and the board adjourned sine die yesterday.

Cure of the American Disease.

The menace to the health of Americans is said to be nervousness and many theories are advanced as to the best cure. Hot baths are recommended, air baths, the barefoot cure and others in turn. As a preventive measure a glass of pure malt tonic, such as golden grain belt beer is a wise precaution. It prevents nervous fatigue caused by an overworked brain and refreshes the tired worker. Order of your near dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

STEENERSON AN INVENTOR.

Has Patented a Swimming Mask of His Design.

Congressman Steenerson of Crookston has patented a swimming mask which he has invented and which will be a boon to swimmers, especially in salt water. It will also be a great help to swimmers when the water they are in is topped with waves. Swimmers at the lake summer resorts know the difficulty in swimming when a heavy wind is blowing causing waves. The waves sometimes follow so quickly that they cannot be avoided by the swimmer and mouth and nose are filled with the rolling water. Congressman Steenerson's invention is a hood-like contrivance which fits snugly over the swimmer's head. In the top will be two long tubes which stand erect above the head and furnish air to the swimmer. This will allow the swimmer to swim a foot or two below the surface and, as has been explained, will keep the waves from filling eyes and mouth with water and will enable one to enjoy a swim no matter what the condition of the surface of the water.

Mr. Eckstrom Denies Charge.

P. A. Eckstrom was in from Black River Tuesday and informs THE GAZETTE that the item published last week relative his alleged arrest in North Dakota a few weeks ago on the charge of violating the federal liquor law is false. Mr. Eckstrom tells us he was never engaged in that business and that the report printed in the dailies either confused the names or was made up out of whole cloth. Mr. Eckstrom has always been highly regarded personally in Red Lake county and this paper is glad to make the correction regretting very much that it gave circulation to an unwarranted statement.

NEW RURAL ROUTE

Patrons Tributary to Red Lake Falls Office Will Get Good Mail Service.

A new rural free delivery route from Red Lake Falls south and east has been recommended to the postoffice department, and Postmistress Marshall is daily expecting confirmation of the report with the necessary instructions for establishing the service and getting the route started. The proposed route will cover the territory south and east from Red Lake Falls in a very thorough manner, and the patrons effected thereby are naturally highly pleased with the prospect.

There will in reality be two routes which will probably be covered by one carrier, and they will be trayversed on alternate days.

For instance when they are established and the carrier contracted for, the mail will be carried on Monday over the following territory: Leaving Red Lake Falls and going south to Perrault station, thence east two miles, south one mile, east three miles, north one mile, east two miles to the Terrebonne church and postoffice where pouch mail will be left for the Terrebonne postoffice. Leaving Terrebonne the route is west one mile, north one mile, west one mile, south one mile, west two miles, north one mile west one and a half miles, and north again to Red Lake Falls.

On Tuesdays or each alternate day the carrier leaves Red Lake Falls and goes due east six miles, between the rivers, thence south to Terrebonne postoffice, leaving pouch mail thence to the church corner and one mile west, thence a mile north, west again one mile, south three miles, west three miles, north one mile, east two miles, west one and a half miles and back to Red Lake Falls.

This service will be given six days in the week, each alternate day over each route. Nearly all of the boxes are covered daily, except those south to Perrault station, and east two miles, which get every other day service. The Terrebonne postoffice, farmers in the vicinity of Terrebonne and as far south as the Demann farm will receive daily service, and with it the accommodation of registry, special delivery and everything else enjoyed by the Red Lake Falls office patrons. The inspector also stated that should the business warrant it, two carriers would be employed later on and each route covered daily.

This will be a great accommodation to the people tributary to this city, and every person living along the route should be willing and anxious to put up a government approved mail box in order to make the route a signal success from the start.

Postmistress Marshall and others here have been active in their efforts to get such a service to the people south and east, and that they have have been successful is surely pleasing news to all concerned.

At the same time the the recommendation for this route was forwarded to the postal authorities, a suggestion was also put in for the enlargement of the present route from Brooks, which will take in the following additional territory to the present route: One and a half miles west, one mlie north, two west, two south, and three east back to Brooks. This will give the people out there excellent mail facilities, and the Brooks route will touch practically all desirable territory to that postoffice.

It is expected that confirmation of these orders will be received very shortly and the postoffice people hope to see the routes established and in running order no later than September 1, if not before.

From Missouri.

The naughty senior editor of the Windom Citizen says:

"The Adrian Democrat says a Minneapolis girl claims to wear a $10,000 diamond on her garter. We are from Missouri."

A large addition has been added to the CROOKSTON COLLEGE this summer. The building is up-to-date in every respect and will now accommodate 500 students. The college catalogue is just printed and you can get a copy free by writing to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minn.

NEW GROCERY STORE.

Exerie Chatel Will Open Up With Complete Stock.

Exerie Chatel has leased the Kaus block and next Monday expects to open up for business with a new and complete line of groceries, etc. Mr. Chatel intends to make his store an exclusive grocery, and states that he will sell the top grade goods at low prices. He announces in his ad elsewhere in today's paper that he will do an exclusive cash business, but will sell at prices not usually found in a city of this size.

Mr. Chatel is well known in southern Red Lake county, and will without doubt be successful in his business venture.

Annual School Meeting.

The annual school election will be held at the high school building Saturday evening of this week, at which time the election of two members of the board to succeed Messrs. N. M. Watson and A. P. Toupin will be necessary. It is not stated that there are any applicants for these positions aside from the gentlemen named and as their record as school and public officers is an excellent one it is not likely that any opposition will develop. Mr. Toupin has been the efficient clerk of the board for several years past, and his work in behalf of the success of our schools has had good effect in bringing them up to their present standard of excellence. Mr. Watson has served for the past two years and is considered well worthy of re-endorsement, also.

Teachers' Examinations.

The semi-annual teachers' examinations will be held at Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls in accordance with the following program:

Note—Civics is now required for second grade and limited certificates.

MONDAY, JULY 29th.
(Second grade studies.)

A. M.—8:00. Enrollment.
8:30. Arithmetic.
10:30. Physiology-Hygiene.
P. M.—1:30. English Grammar.
3:00. Reading.
3:45. Drawing and Music.

TUESDAY, JULY 30th.
(Second grade studies continued.)

A. M.—8:00. Professional Test.
9:00. Spelling.
9:30. Geography.
11:15. Composition and Penmanship.
P. M.—1:30. U. S. History.
3:15. Civics.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31st.
(First grade studies.)

A. M.—8:00. Geometry.
10:00. Physics.
P. M.—1:30. Algebra.
3:15. Phys. Geography or Gen. History.

H. T. MCANULTY,
County Superintendent.

Too Many Starving Papers.

Hutchinson Leader: It is reported that about thirty consolidations or suspensions of newspapers have occured in Minnesota during the past eighteen months. The latest was the absorption of the Red Lake Falls Gazette by the Courier—State Librarian John King's paper—this week. Too many towns are tolerating two or more starving newspapers—literally starving—for no paper can do the same volume of business it lived well on ten years ago and exist in this day of high-priced type, paper, machinery, and labor. And few inland Minnesota towns have grown sufficiently in the past ten years to provide much of an increase in the volume of business for the newspaper. Red Lake Falls can doubtless support one credible newspaper plant—not more. Bro. King did the only thing that should be done under such circumstances—saved his contemporary from an ignominous death.

WILL BE BIG SHOW

Secretary Cosgrove Writes Regarding the Band and Big State Fair.

The Minnesota State Fair this year during the week of September 2-7, will be one of the biggest and best shows ever attempted by the state agricultural society, and according to Secretary Cosgrove the demands for space in the different exhibition buildings are already greater than can be accommodated. Nearly every county in the state will have an exhibit at this biggest of all big shows. Aside from the great exhibitions of live stock, grains, fruits, etc., the program of amusement events for fair week is a very elaborate one. The race program is in itself worthy of the attention and support of every citizen of the state, and with the great long array of entainments and amusements of other sorts the fair should prove a good drawing card to every resident of the North Star state.

The Red Lake Falls band has closed a contract for a four days' engagement at this greatest of all western shows, and the boys are hard at work getting in shape for the work they will be called upon to do. The band and people generally feel that this is an honor seldom realized by a country band, but the state-wide reputation of our bunch of musicians helped materially in securing this engagement.

In a letter to THE GAZETTE this week, Secretary Cosgrove calls attention to the band's engagement at the fair as follows: "Do all you can for the fair, as it will be a good one. We expect every man, woman and child in Red Lake Falls to come to the fair the days the band comes and plays. We feel that this will be a great ad for your band and of great benefit to the fair."

While it is not probable that "every man, woman and child in Red Lake Falls" will go the fair, nevertheless this part of Red Lake county should send a good representation of people along with the band boys.

The opportunity is splendid on this occasion to give Red Lake Falls and Red Lake county some advertising that it cannot get again in several years, and it should be embraced by those directly interested.

THE GAZETTE columns will contain the fair program and other announcements during the next few weeks.

Some More Bargains...

OUR Clearance Sale last week was a winner. Hundreds of yards of goods and 25 suits found their way to lucky buyers. This encourages us to offer more bargains. Our offer on unlined clothing is still good. Don't fry in your heavy clothes, get a light suit and keep cool. $6.00 suits for $3.97, $2.50 coats for $1.48, etc.

Wash goods at 1-2 price.
White Vests at 20 per cent off.
Men's Heavy Cottonade Worsted pants, stylish pattern ... 98c
12½ and 12c dress ginghams for ... 10c
Waists—1.25 for 89c, 1.00 for 59c
Sordid Waists, all values up to 1.50 for ... 29c
1.25 and 1.50 Wrappers for ... 89c
8c and 10c Embroidered Turn Overs ... 6c
Hand worked, drawn work turn overs worth 40 to 50c now ... 25c
Muslin night gowns, a little soiled 25 p. c. off.

We will open on Saturday, a new line of Skirts and Cravenettes, Palmer make, Come and see the new styles.....

SPECIAL GROCERIES

25 lb box prunes, 1.50, 5c toilet soap 3 for 5c, Wheat Flakes 5c lb., pail syrup 39c, pears 15c can, corn 7c, pint mason full of honey 25c, 5 lb jar jelly 20c, 25 oz baking powder 19c, maple cream 19c, large whole rice 7½c.

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I have taken the agency for Red Lake county for D. H. Baldwin & Co., manufacturers of these pianos, and have a number of styles on exhibition. We would be glad to show the instruments and quote prices. We are prepared to meet all competition. Quality and prices guaranteed.

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THE COURIER

JOHN E. KING, Publisher.

RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

Public Printer Stillings has announced the appointment of Capt. Henry Brian, at present chief clerk of the government printing office, as deputy public printer.

The secretary of the interior has ordered patented to the Northern Pacific railroad lands included in list No. 139, embracing 51,039 acres in the Miles City district, Montana.

Examinations will be held in various cities of the country on Aug. 1, under direction of the civil service commission, for railroad accountants to be employed by the interstate commerce commission. They will be employed in the examination of the books of railroads.

The general land office has announced that 178,000 acres of land adjoining the Bitter Root national forests in Idaho, and 137,500 acres between the Diamond Mountain and the Plumasis National Parks in California will become subject to settlement on Sept. 30 and to entry on Oct. 30.

The government has never paid for the funeral expenses of President Garfield. This fact developed in Washington when the will of William R. Speare, the veteran undertaker, who conducted the services, was filed for probate. The claim, which has been pending for twenty-six years, is an asset of the estate.

People Talked About.

Gen. Luno, the Spanish minister of war, is dead.

Hiram Ayres, the inventor of giant powder, died at Akron, Ohio, aged eighty-four.

Mr. Hubert Heuck, theatrical magnate, died at his home in Cincinnati after an illness lasting several months.

Rev. T. T. Easton, pastor of the Walnut Street Baptist church in Louisville, is dead from a stroke of apoplexy.

Miss Elizabeth Nye, the famous sculptress, known throughout Europe and the United States, is dead at Austin, Tex. Heart failure was the cause of death.

It is reported in New York that James B. Duke, president of the tobacco trust, who recently was divorced, is to marry Mrs. Ingman, a beautiful Southern widow, in Europe next month.

Crimes and Criminals.

A pickpocket secured the richest haul that has resulted from the Brooklyn bridge crush for a long while when he stole $5,530 from the pocket of Peter Worth, a bookmaker.

Ira Dexter of Algona, Iowa, indicted by the federal grand jury for the fraudulent use of the mails, was found guilty and sentenced to three years at Leavenworth penitentiary and fined $500.

Following a terrific struggle for the possession of a razor, J. M Cole, a farmer of Brinkley, Ark., was disarmed by his wife, who cut his throat, and, continuing the struggle, was killed by the woman.

Accidental Happenings.

A dozen people were badly hurt in the derailment of an electric car of the Old Colony street railway line at Brockton, Mass.

While driving stock across the track William Huff, a farmer, was struck by an ore train near Waucedah, Mich., and instantly killed

A tornado of brief duration visited Tampa, Fla., causing much damage. The Methodist tabernacle and several residences were blown down.

Earl W., aged ten, and Robert D., aged six, sons of Joseph Wiggins, were killed near Battle Creek, Mich., by being run over by a train.

Maggie Coskins, aged sixteen years, was fatally wounded at Butte by the accidental discharge of a revolver which her brother was taking from a trunk.

While swimming in a small creek on his father's ranch near Big Timber, Mont., John Widdicomb, twelve years old, got beyond his depth and was drowned.

Mineral Wells, Tex., with nearly 10,000 visitors from all over the South, was threatened with a total destruction by fire. The total loss will exceed $100,000.

Stanley Boone, sixteen years old, was drowned in a pond near Tabor, Iowa The boy, who could not swim, went in bathing in the pond. He was alone, and it is not known how the accident happened

Two carloads of giant powder standing on a side track of the Oregon Short line at Back's Hot Springs, Utah, caught fire from burning grass and exploded yesterday afternoon, jarring heavy buildings in this city and breaking windows for miles around.

Word was received at Billings, Mont., from Big Timber of the drowning of John Widdicome, Jr., the seventeen-year-old son of John Widdicome. The lad is said to have been bathing in Boulder river and was carried down by the rapid current.

Fishing from a small pier at Three Lakes, Marquette county, Mich., the small son of Ole Lund, section foreman at that place, fell into the water and was drowned.

The Frisco's fast south-bound train was wrecked near Fayetteville, Ark., as the result of a washout. The injuries were confined almost entirely to cuts and bruises.

The Calhoun building, home of the Condor training school at Huntsville, Ala., burned. Prof. J. E. Condor, principal, and several students narrowly escaped. The building cost $50,000.

Helen Kohler, eighteen months old, of Waterloo, Iowa, ate eighteen of the chocolate-coated cold cure tablets, commonly sold as a remedy for that ailment, and shortly afterwards went into convulsions. Her death followed two hours of agonizing pain.

Driven by a pressure of 100,000 gallons of water, Jos De Witt, a boy, was swept from the basin of a swimming pool in Greenwood, Mo., and carried 150 feet through a drain into the river Des Peres, and then cast upon the bank, bleeding and exhausted.

From Other Shores.

Robbers entered the residence of Prince Charvodeze at Tiflis, Russia, killed the prince and plundered the house.

Prince Egbir Mirza, the son of Former Governor Zuli Sultan, killed his mother at Ispahan, Persia, because she refused to supply him with money to continue his dissipations.

All over England the bad weather is seriously affecting agricultural interests. The land is waterlogged and large tracts of grass are rotting at the roots. The fruit crop is a practical failure.

Despite the loss in time occasioned by the strike of steamshovel men in May and by the heavy rainfall, the earth taken from the Culebra cut during the last month exceeded half a million cubic yards.

Vice Admiral Count von Baudissin, who commanded the imperial yacht Hohenzollern on the occasion of the visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to the United States in 1902, has been promoted to the post of chief of the admiralty staff.

Count Peter Heyden is dead at Moscow. He was a member of the first Russian parliament, founder of the Peaceful Regeneration party and leader of the zemstvo movement that preceded the convocation of the first parliament.

The town of Quevedo, an important center in the province of Los Rios, Ecuador, again has been attacked by a band of rebels who were repulsed by the government forces The rebels had eight men killed and several wounded, while the government forces lost six killed and two wounded.

Domestic.

The epidemic of typhoid fever in Pittsburg is gradually assuming serious proportions. In June there were 498 new cases.

Commander Robert E. Peary will not start on his seventh expedition for the North pole until the middle of July. He had expected to start on the first. He has ordered the Roosevelt equipped for a three-years' voyage.

Hoke Smith was inaugurated governor of Georgia last week. The oath of office was administered by Chief Justice William H. Fish of the supreme court before the joint session of the two branches of the legislature.

Notices were issued at Springfield, Ill., to a number of former state treasurers and auditors that unless they pay into the state treasury within the next thirty days fees which they collected while in office proceedings will be commenced in the courts to collect the fees.

Charles H. Moyer was retained as president and William D. Haywood as secretary-treasurer of the Western Federation of Miners by the federation at Denver, although they are imprisoned in Idaho on the charge of complicity in the murder of Former Governor Steunenberg.

Members of the American Society of Equity, composed of farmers, met at many of the county seats in Southern Indiana and pledged themselves to hold their wheat this year until they are paid $1 a bushel for it. It is estimated that from 300,000 to 500,000 bushels of wheat were pledged.

Homa Colony, established by anarchists on Henderson bay, Wash., about ten years ago, is breaking up. Members are reported to be quietly leaving since Emma Goldman visited the place a few weeks ago. The colony owns 219 acres, divided into two-acre tracts, but all have never been occupied.

An Awful Threat.

"Willie, stop teasing that dog."

"I won't."

"Stop it, do you hear?"

"I won't."

"Willie, if you don't stop teasing that dog I'll make you read the president's message clear through."

"I'll stop, ma."

From "the States."

Mrs. Morningside (showing the Embankment to Mrs. Struckoyle of the States)—That monument? Oh, that's Cleopatra's Needle. It came from Egypt, you know, and is literally covered with hieroglyphics.

Mrs. Struckoyle—Goodness gracious! And haven't the sanitary authorities ever tried to exterminate them?

Force and Elegance.

Knickar—What do you think would be an ideal language?

Booker—Henry James baseball.

TRIAL OF HAYWOOD

For Murder of Gov. Steunenberg.

Bar Testimony of the Defense.

Boise, July 6.—At the adjournment of the Steunenberg trial Wednesday the prosecution served notice of its intention to submit motions to strike out evidence of the defense unless the connecting-up testimony that has been promised is forthcoming.

Orchard's Story Attacked.

The defense operated along nearly all of its lines. There were attacks on Orchard's testimony at several points; there was a showing that union miners had been abused by the mine owners and militia at Cripple Creek and Telluride; that Pinkerton agents had advised violence and endeavored to prolong a strike; a woman who served with the relief committee that looked after the families of the deported miners at Cripple Creek swore that she had been twice arrested and twice warned that if she persisted in her work she would be deported, and another woman located Orchard with Detectives Scott and Sterling the night of the second attempt to wreck the Florence & Cripple Creek railway train.

Coates on the Stand.

Two of the witnesses figured conspicuously in the testimony of Orchard. They were David Coates, formerly lieutenant governor of Colorado, and Pat Moran, formerly a saloonkeeper of Cheyenne.

Coates denied Orchard's version of the plot to kidnap the children of August Paulson, and Moran denied that he made a trip from Cheyenne to Denver after the Independence station was blown up for the purpose of getting $500 from George A. Pettibone for Orchard.

Coates swore Orchard made threats against Steunenberg and that he loaned him $10 and that August Paulson loaned Orchard $300 on which to leave Wallace.

Beginning of End in Haywood Trial.

Boise, July 7. — The beginning of the end of the Haywood trial was reached yesterday. Counsel for the defense announced that, with the exception of three or four witnesses, their case in direct is before the jury. Charles H. Moyer, the accused president of the Western Federation of Miners, will be called as a witness on Monday next. He will be followed by William D. Haywood, the defendant.

Judge Fremont Wood has asked counsel on both sides to submit their requests for instructions to the jury.

Agree on Instructions.

He has notified counsel that he will consider these requests and will agree with counsel as to what his instructions shall be in order that the arguments on both sides may be limited to what the jury shall be allowed to consider as evidence.

In adjourning court yesterday afternoon until next Monday, Judge Wood said he hoped the interval would be utilized by counsel in preparation that would prevent further delay and bring the case to as speedy a close as possible. Counsel for the defense and for the prosecution, after the adjournment yesterday afternoon were willing to admit the possibility of a verdict or disagreement in two weeks.

Discredit Orchard.

The five witnesses on the stand yesterday morning added support to those who have preceded them. They were called to testify concerning conditions existing in Colorado during the the disturbances at Cripple Creek and to show that there was no reason to call out the militia. Orchard was further discredited by Owen Barnes, a miner, who lived near the Independence mine, and who Orchard said assisted him in the manufacture of bombs. Barnes said he knew Orchard, Adams, Easterly and others, but flatly denied that he ever planned or discussed any criminal expedition with Orchard.

Depositions Read to Jury.

Boise, Idaho, July 10. — Part of the San Francisco depositions dealing with the Bradley explosion were read yesterday to the jurymen that are trying Haywood for the murder of Frank Steunenberg and the rest of them will be presented to-day. The reading began directly after the court sat, with Clarence Darrow and Senator Borah alternating for their respective sides. The depositions have an important bearing upon the case, but they contained no interest for the crowd, and the attendance was the lightest since the trial began.

Both sides seemed to be satisfied with the showing made by the depositions and their contents will probably furnish much material for directly opposed contention when the trial reaches the argument stage. One objection from the state constituted the sole interruption for the day, and during all the rest of the time counsel for both sides seemed united in getting all the matter in the sworn statements before the jury.

Charge Plot to Convict Haywood.

Boise, Idaho, July 11.—The defense in the Steunenberg murder case yesterday charged that Detective James McParland has been guilty of an attempt to manufacture testimony against William D. Haywood, but was unsuccessful in getting the basis and details of the charge before the jury.

Alva A. Swain, a newspaper correspondent at Denver, was called to the stand and questioned as to a conversation he had with Detective McParland in Denver last fall. Senator Borah, for the state, objected to the conversation on the grounds that no foundation had been laid for it.

To Show Conspiracy.

Clarence Darrow, for the defense, who was examining Swain, explained that the testimony was offered for the purpose of showing a conspiracy existed between the mine owners and the Pinkertons to secure the conviction of the prisoner.

"McParland approached this witness in an attempt to manufacture testimony," he declared, "and I believe we have a right to show it."

Judge Wood said there was nothing in the evidence that furnished a proper foundation for the introduction of such testimony, and sustained the state's objection. The defense took an exception and said they would later make another attempt to secure the admission of Swain's testimony.

Orchard Blamed Steunenberg.

Allen F. Gill, formerly master mechanic of the Tiger and Poorman mine and later city engineer of Spokane, and his wife, were also witnesses for the defense. They jointly related that Harry Orchard attempted to sell them his interest in the Hercules mine in February and March, 1899, which was just prior to his departure from the Coeur d'Alenes, and Mr. Gill, who saw Orchard in Spokane a month before he killed Steunenberg, testified that Orchard said that it was because of Steunenberg that he lost his interest in the Hercules.

Almost the entire day was given over to the reading of the rest of the San Francisco depositions.

END OF BROWNSVILLE AFFAIR.

Report of Senate Committee Will Be a Compromise—May Re-Enlist.

Washington, July 9. — The report upon the Brownsville investigation by the senate committee will not be made until congress convenes in December, but it may be set down at this time that it will pave the way for the discharged colored soldiers to reenter the army. Senator Foraker may be satisfied with the conclusions of the majority of the committee that he will make no minority report. There are assurances also that President Roosevelt will be satisfied with this result.

The program as outlined provides: First—The committee will make no direct charge in its report that the negro soldiers, individually or collectively, shot up the town of Brownsville, but will let the people draw their own conclusions from the testimony taken in the case, which will be printed and made a part of the report.

Second—The committee will recommend the passage of a law by congress which will authorize the discharged soldiers to re-enlist "without prejudice" and their army status to be fixed as it was before they were dishonorably discharged, providing each soldier who desires to re-enlist shall make a statement that he did not participate in the shooting.

MUST STAY IN JAIL.

Schmitz is Denied Bail and Privilege of Jaunts.

San Francisco, July 11. — Judge Dunne yesterday refused to admit Mayor Schmitz to bail and denied him the privilege of visiting his attorneys. Schmitz appeared in court to ask for bail and to answer the indictments charging him with accepting bribes from the gas company and the United Railroads. In the first he failed. The second was a formality and was carried through without incident.

Schmitz left the court room with his attorneys on his return journey to the county jail, where he will have to wait until the papers for his appeal are prepared.

$25,000 Bail for Club Man.

Washington, July 11. — Gaston P. Phillip, the Washington and New York club man who has been held in jail here since May 18 on the charge of murdering Frank MacAhoy, yesterday was admitted to bail in the sum of $25,000.

FLOOD IS SPREADING.

Army of Men Fight to Save 20,000 Acres of Cultivated Land.

Bakersfield, Cal., July 7. — Uninterruptedly the waters of Buena Vista lake are still pouring through the great gap of a broken levee, and slowly the flood is spreading toward the San Emidio road, where an army of men and horses is feverishly at work on an embankment that it is hoped will save 20,000 acres of cultivated land from inundation.

BOY AND FATHER DROWN.

Heroic Parent Plunges to Death When Son Is in Peril.

Rochester, N. Y., July 7.—Charles Beck, sixteen years old, attempted to swim the canal with his trousers on yesterday, but his strength deserted him in midstream and he called for help.

His father, Lewis Beck, heard the boy's cries. He ran to the canal, jumped in and succeeded in reaching the boy, but both sank.

HAYWOOD ON STAND IN OWN DEFENSE

DENIES GUILT OF MURDER OF STEUNENBERG AND OF OTHER CRIMES.

ORCHARD'S STORY IS DENIED

STATE IN CROSS-EXAMINATION ATTACKS THE TESTIMONY OF MOYER.

Boise, Idaho, July 13.—William D. Haywood took the oath yesterday as a witness in his own defense, and in a lengthy narrative of his life and his work as a leader of his fellow miners, denied guilt of the murder of Frank Steunenberg and the manifold crimes charged against him by Harry Orchard.

Haywood's testimony was chiefly characterized with positive denials of allegations made against him by the prosecution. He denied that he met Orchard until some time after the Vindicator explosion; denied that he sent Orchard back to Cripple Creek to blow up the Independence station; denied participation in the Lyta Gregory murder, and denied suggesting or discussing the Steunenberg murder.

Never Gave Orchard Money.

He swore that he never gave Orchard any money at any time or place for any purpose. He declared that he never made a threat against Steunenberg, whom he said he regarded only as he did any politician who is being swayed by capitalistic influence. The direct examination had not reached the connection of Jack Simpkins and the action of the federation after Steunenberg was murdered when adjournment interrupted it.

The state completed the cross-examination of Charles H. Moyer at noon and in dealing with his testimony directed its strongest attack against the circumstances under which the federation, at the suggestion of Jack Simpkins, came to the relief of Orchard when he was arrested for killing Steunenberg.

Denied by Moyer.

Senator Borah, who conducted the examination, emphasized the connection of Jack Simpkins and the federation and the fact that the federation without inquiry as to the guilt or innocence of Orchard gave $1,500 from its treasury to provide for his defense.

Moyer denied knowing anything about the $1,500 that Haywood sent to Jack Simpkins a few days before Steunenberg was assassinated, and which is traced to Orchard by an unsigned note.

GOVERNOR'S SALUTE FATAL.

Reception to Gov. Mead of Washington Marred by Fatality.

Port Townsend, Wash., July 13. — One man killed and two severely burned marred the reception to Gov. Mead and staff at Fort Worden yesterday.

As a governor's salute of seventeen guns was fired from a battery one gun became overheated and as the charge was driven home it exploded. Private Tohassen, Sixty-second company, received the full force of the charge, which blew off one arm and badly mashed his hand.

MILL CITY MAN SHOT.

Peppered From Head to Foot During a Quarrel.

Lakota, N. D., July 13.—B. McHarry of Minneapolis was brought to town from McVille, suffering with severe gunshot wounds. It is alleged that he became engaged in an altercation with Andrew Tiegan of McVille and the latter took a shot at him with both barrels of a shotgun.

McHarry was peppered from ankles to shoulder, but it is not thought his wounds are fatal.

GIRL SLIPS AND DROWNS.

Wades on the Edge of the River and Loses Footing.

Sioux Falls, S. D., July 13.—While playing with some other children immediately below the falls of the Big Sioux river yesterday afternoon, Louisa Walsar, the eight-year-old daughter of Matt Walser of this city, fell into the river and was drowned. The little girl was wading on the edge of the river and slipped on the smooth rocks and fell into deep water.

Shot Woman He Loved.

Tacoma, Wash., July 13.—Driven to desperation by the false promises of the woman whom he loved, Frank Harvey early yesterday shot and instantly killed Mrs. Gertrude Hall and seriously if not fatally wounded Sherman Blanchard, whom he found in a room with her. After the shooting the murderer gave himself up.

Girl Killed in Runaway.

Mazeppa, Minn., July 13.—Rena, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Fred Harrick, was instantly killed in a runaway at South Troy. She was thrown from a wagon and her neck was broken.

Another Victim of the Toy Pistol.

Marquette, Mich, July 12.—The celebration of Independence day has claimed another victim, wounded by the explosion of a toy pistol. Adelore Nault, twelve years old, is dead at Ishpeming.

2-CENT LAW LEADS TO THREAT

WISCONSIN RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS MAY RESIGN, THEY DECLARE.

Madison, Wis., July 13. — Both houses of the state legislature yesterday passed the senate 2-cent fare bill with the amendment added in the assembly, and as a result the state administration is threatened with the resignation of the entire state railway commission.

After a hearing conducted by the commission as an inquiry into the reasonableness of an enforced reduction in rates in Wisconsin, that body decided that a 2 1-2 cent fare was the lowest that could in justice be imposed on the railroads of the state, and so reported.

The bill now passed by the legislature will go to the governor for signature, and the commissioners threaten to resign of the measure is so recognized. Under the terms of the bill it would become effective Aug. 15.

FINDS HUSBAND'S HEAD.

Suicide Shoots Off Occiput and It Falls Into Wife's Room.

New Munster, Wis., July 13. — William Malzahn committed suicide last midnight by blowing his head off with a shotgun. His entire head was blown through the door into another room, where his wife was sleeping. She was awakened by the noise of the discharge, and on jumping out of bed was horrified to see her husband's head lying on the floor beside her. No reason is known for the suicide.

FIREMEN BOYCOTT ROAD.

Will Not Protect the North-Western From Fires.

Deadwood, S. D., July 13.—Because the North-Western road refused to make an excursion rate of 75 cents for the volunteer firemen's picnic, the firemen have declared a boycott on railroad property. At a meeting yesterday they voted to refuse to protect railroad property or to render any assistance in case of fire. The railroad is given until July 25 to make the concession of a 75-cent rate.

MAN HIDES IN CEMETERY.

Rich Yankton Money Lender Loses Lawsuit and Seems Insane.

Yankton, S. D., July 13. — A manhunt which lasted for hours for John Novotny, a wealthy land owner and money loaner, ended when he was found in the cemetery, hid in the high grass. He said he wanted to die and wished to be left undisturbed. He is supposed to be insane over a small lawsuit which he lost a day or two ago.

KILLED BY RUNAWAY CAR.

Switchman Loses Control of Ore Vehicle and Falls Under Wheels.

Butte, Mont., July 13.—While letting an ore car down the hill, preparatory to coupling it with others, H. C. Schofield, a switchman, lost control of the car, which dashed into the other cars. Schofield was thrown off by the shock and the wheels of the car passed over him, inflicting injuries from which he died at the hospital.

CAN'T STOP BLOOD FLOW.

Jump From Buggy Bursts Vessel and Man Slowly Succumbs.

North Branch, Minn., July 13.—Julius Holm of Lake Fish has met death in a peculiar manner. Last week he jumped out of his buggy, and the shock when he hit the ground burst a blood vessel in his neck. The flow of blood could not be entirely stopped and he slowly bled to death.

FLEE FROM HOTEL FIRE.

Guests at Menekaunee, Wis., Rush Out in Night Clothes.

Menominee, Mich., July 13. — Fire broke out in the Exchange hotel in Menekaunee, on the Marinette side of the river, yesterday and partially destroyed the building. A number of the guests were compelled to leave the burning building in their night clothes. Damage, $3,000.

BODY IS CRUSHED FLAT.

Man is Caught in Belt and Carried Under Pulley.

Anaconda, Mont., July 13. — Losing his balance, Willard Carter, thirty years old, electrician at the Washoe smelter, fell upon a broad belt and before he could regain his equilibrium was carried under a pulley and crushed to death, his body being flattened out.

Rock Island Passenger Wrecked.

Peabody, Kan., July 13. — A Rock Island passenger train, north bound, was derailed a few miles south of Peabody by running into a switch. Engineer Lay, of Herington, Kan., was dangerously scalded; Baggageman Guspee, a brakeman, the Pullman conductor and several passengers were slightly hurt.

Laborers Beaten and Robbed.

Ladysmith, Wis., July 13. — Hans Christianson, a laborer, was assaulted and robbed at the Wisconsin Central depot last night. He was found covered with blood from a wound on the head. The amount taken was about $50.

After the Brokers.

Chicago, July 13.—Fifty-four ticket brokers were temporarily enjoined from traffic in railway tickets by Judge Kohlsaat of the United States circuit court.

NO FOUNDATION FOR TALK OF WAR

JAPAN IS TOO WISE TO PICK A QUARREL, SAYS CHAIRMAN HULL.

MAKE APPEAL TO PRESIDENT

PEACE PROPAGANDISTS FEAR RESULT OF SENDING FLEET TO PACIFIC.

Washington, July 11.—Developments in Washington and elsewhere, as disclosed by official expressions here and dispatches from other important sources fail to indicate that there is any sound foundation for talk of war between the United States and Japan, but interesting sidelights on past discussions were thrown from many directions

Congressman John A. T. Hull of Iowa, chairman of the house committee on military affairs, in an interview at Des Moines, said:

"Neither Japan nor the United States wants war at this time. There is a big element in Japan who would welcome war, but the ruling classes are too wise to pick a quarrel with the United States.

"If there is war we will at first lose the Philippines and Hawaiian islands, but we would triumph in the end, for the United States would build warships and fight out a victory.

"We are the only nation which can conduct a war and get rich at the same time."

View With Alarm.

The executive committee of the Universal Peace union at a meeting in Philadelphia yesterday placed itself on record as opposed to sending a fleet of warships to the Pacific ocean. Resolutions were adopted declaring that the sending of a fleet to the Pacific is unwise, inopportune and irritating, and appealing to the president to withhold any such demonstration.

At Boston the Anti-imperialist league adopted resolutions appealing for action against "the continued and indefinite retention of the Philippine islands."

Fortify the Islands.

There is to be no delay on the part of the war department in utilizing the appropriations made at the last session of congress for fortifying the American dependencies in the Pacific ocean. In order that the keys to these possessions may be put in condition for defense as rapidly as possible, the department is arranging for the transportation of ordnance material purchased for American coasts to Hawaii and the Philippines, and will replace it at once with funds which became available on July 1.

Metcalf Not Warlike.

Oakland, Cal., July 10.—Secretary of the Navy Metcalf deprecates the warlike aspect that has been given the order for the cruise of the great battleship squadron from the Atlantic to the Pacific coast. The secretary said that the proposed movement was that of a practice cruise and that the fleet would not be kept in the Pacific permanently.

SIX YOUTHS DROWNED.

Sloop Is Hit by Sudden Squall and Capsizes.

Bangor, Me., July 11. — Six young men of a party of seven were drowned in Penobscot bay late yesterday by the capsizing of the sloop Ruth E. Cummock of Brooksville. The sloop had reached the point off Castine when she was struck by a sudden squall and capsized.

Family Breaks Quarantine.

Faribault, Minn., July 11.—A family traveling with the carnival which exhibited here last week was quarantined in this city for measles, one of their children being sick with the disease. When the company left the parties broke quarantine and left with the company for Crookston. Dr. Bracken of the state board of health was notified.

Would-be Assassin to Die.

Moscow, July 11.—Mme. Fromonki, who in March last attempted to assassinate Gen. Rheinbot, the ex-prefect of police, and who on May 13 made an attempt to murder the inspector of the political prison here, wounding him with a pistol, which had been smuggled into her cell, was yesterday sentenced to death.

Hurt in Auto Accident.

Newton, Iowa, July 11.—H. B. Alfree, a banker of this city, received serious injuries in an automobile accident near here. While climbing a steep hill Alfree lost control of the machine, and it backed down the hill, striking an obstruction and overturning, Alfree being pinned beneath.

Ten Months' Imprisonment.

Portland, Ore., July 11.—Marion R. Biggs, convicted of conspiracy in the famous Blue Mountain land fraud case, was yesterday sentenced to ten months in the Multnomah county jail. He will also pay a fine of $500.

Dies in Parliament.

Lincoln, Neb., July 11. — The state in the house of commons last evening Sir Alfred Billson, member for the northwest division of Staffordshire, died suddenly from apoplexy. The house immediately adjourned.

FATAL STORM AT LOUISVILLE

ONE MAN KILLED AND MANY INJURED—PROPERTY LOSS $250,000.

Louisville, July 11.—A terrific wind storm burst upon this city yesterday afternoon and brought death to one man and injury to several other persons.

The man killed was Frank H. Lehmann, an employe of the National Casket company, who was crushed by a falling cornice. The property loss is roughly estimated at a quarter of a million of dollars.

Many horses and mules were killed, buildings were unroofed, smaller structures were blown down and unprecedented damage done to shade trees all over the city. The records of the weather bureau show that the maximum velocity of the wind was sixty-eight miles an hour, and the wind blew at the rate of sixty miles for fifteen minutes. Several streets are impassable for blocks. Street car service was suspended for several hours.

Both telephone companies report a serious interruption to their services.

No advices have been received from the surrounding country.

M'CLEARY WILL NEGOTIATE.

Assistant Postmaster General Goes to Europe on Postal Business.

Washington, July 11. — Postmaster General Meyer announced yesterday that the North German Lloyd and Hamburg-American lines had informed the German postal administration that on Jan. 1 next they would terminate the present agreement relative to the maintenance of sea postoffices on their steamers because the compensation allowed was not deemed sufficient. The companies, however, have made an offer of a rate at which they will continue the service. Mr. Meyer has decided to send Second Assistant Postmaster General McCleary to Germany to make a new contract.

The German government bears half the expense and is interested with this government in continuing the arrangement. Sea postoffices are maintained on vessels of the American White Star, Hamburg-American and North German Lloyd lines, trips being made between New York and Germany, New York and Southampton and New York and Liverpool. Recently the postmaster general stated that he intended, if possible, to establish the sea postoffices on the steamers of the Cunard line plying between Liverpool, Queenstown and New York, and also on the steamers of the French line.

"Such sea postoffices," he said, "materially aid the New York postoffice in handling mail brought over by the steamers and greatly facilitate its delivery to addresses in that city and expedite the forwarding of such of it as is intended for other postoffices in the United States. Mr. McCleary will sail on the Baltic July 11 and will also hold conferences with the French and English postal authorities."

Blaze at Washburn.

Washburn, Wis., July 11.—Another bad fire occurred at the plant of the Eastern Dynamite company, when the soda bag refinery house was totally destroyed by fire. The loss will probably be several thousand dollars.

Child Killed by Falling From Swing.

Mason City, Iowa, July 11. — The three-year-old child of John Bailey fell from a swing yesterday and fractured its spine, living only a few hours.

Man Electrocuted.

Council Bluffs, Iowa, July 11.—Richard D. Calner, an electrician, was electrocuted yesterday by coming in contact with an electric light wire.

Buildings Destroyed by Tornado.

Bloomfield, Neb., July 11.—A small tornado swept the country near Aida, injuring four persons, one fatally, and destroyed several buildings.

Drowned While Learning to Swim.

Wahpeton, N. D., July 11. — Ralph Ujka, seventeen years old, was drowned while learning to swim in the Otter Tail river.

Auto Tank Explodes.

Kenosha, Wis., July 11.—Mrs. John C. Wilson was seriously injured by the explosion of a gasoline tank on an automobile.

Takes Medicine and Dies.

Milbank, S. D., July 11.—Guy T. Purdy, mail clerk, was found dead in bed, supposedly from an overdose of medicine.

Two Boys Drowned.

Matlock, Iowa, July 11.—Ralph and Sam Kimmel, cousins, were drowned in Otter creek, near here, while bathing.

Drowned While Bathing.

St. Paul, July 11. — Emory Norton, fourteen years old, was drowned in a small lake at South Park while bathing.

Cut by Ax Hit by Bolt.

Sturgis, S. D., July 11. — Robert Craig recently met with a peculiar accident in Bear Butte valley. He was splitting wood, when his ax was struck by lightning and was driven into his foot, inflicting a painful wound.

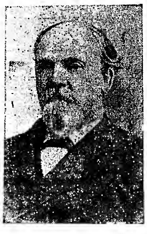
Leap May Kill Boys.

Parker, S. D., July 11.—Conrad and Clark De Jong, sons of a stockman living west of here, received probably fatal injuries in jumping from a freight train which they had boarded to come to Parker.

THE STATE DAY BY DAY

News of Interest.

AT 80 YEARS, TAKES SWEETHEART OF HIS YOUTH AS HIS BRIDE



Former Congressman J. B. Wakefield of Blue Earth, Minn., at the age of eighty years, took as his bride on Wednesday a sweetheart of his youth and of equal age—Mrs. Lydia Nobles of Cleveland, Ohio, who counted him among her admirers sixty years ago. Mr. Wakefield has been in feeble health, but not in a condition that deprives him of the hope and expectation that he will live many years longer, especially as the lonely life he has led since the death of his former wife a number of years ago now has become brightened by the presence at his side of one who not only can enjoy the events of the present, but also can return with him in memory to the days of more than half a century ago, when they were lovers and had the same associations.

Mr. Wakefield was one of the organizers of Blue Earth. He went there from Shakopee, Minn., in February, 1856, with H. P. Constans and others.

He was married in 1864. His present wife and he were lovers sixty years ago, when they both resided at Paynesville, Ohio.

In 1806 Mr. Wakefield was elected speaker of the house of representatives of Minnesota, and was state senator from the Blue Earth district in 1867-1869. In 1875 he was elected lieutenant governor, and was re-elected in 1877. In the fall of 1882 he was elected to congress and was re-elected in 1884. In 1886 Old Trinity college conferred upon him the degree of doctor of laws.

ADDS MUCH TO LAND VALUES.

Drainage Is More Successful Than Was Expected.

As a result of inspection by the state officers of the work being done in deepening and straightening the Roseau river, the state auditor has withdrawn from public sale all swamp lands in the northern part of the state which has been advertised as offered for sale. State officials made an investigation last week of the work being done on the Roseau river toward assisting in draining the swamp lands belonging to the state.

A tract of 155,000 acres was recently drained drained by the state. The drains emptied into the Roseau river. But there was not sufficient fall of the river to drain the land properly, and it was decided to deepen the channel of the river and take out some of the kinks which prevent a rapid flow. This work has progressed so far that the beneficial results on the swamp are very marked. It is expected that the dredging process will be completed within a year.

The members of the state party investigated the river for twenty miles or more in a launch and were more than pleased with the progress which has been made.

The results already obtained are very satisfactory and the prospects are that the cost of drainage will not be more than 75 cents an acre when the whole task of deepening the river is completed. The biggest dredge in the state is at work on the project.

Organize for Trolley.

The syndicate of Mankato capitalists that is to build the street railway line at that place have organized the Mankato Electric Traction company, with W. L. Hixon, president; Fred Kron, vice president; W. D. Willard, secretary and treasurer, and H. E. Hance, superintendent. An order for 300 tons of 60-pound rails was placed for delivery in thirty days or sooner. This line is to be built by a construction company of Chicago, which has lately completed the line at Wausau, Wis. The street railway company will incorporate in West Virginia.

State's Bill for the Fourth.

There was no patriotic demonstration at the state prison and the reformatory inmates only remembered the day with a special treat of candy and nuts. In the other institutions, however, there were fireworks. Employes conducted the fireworks display and there were pyrotechnic demonstrations on the grounds of all the insane hospitals and asylums, also at the Red Wing training school, the Faribault school for feeble-minded and the Owatonna state school.

Minnesota Boy an Orator at Big Fair

Harol Sorlien of Granite Falls, Minn., took part in the program of the Jamestown exposition last Friday as a boy orator, one of twenty selected to deliver orations and declamations. This feature for American boys was in charge of the editor of a Detroit (Mich.) magazine, who honored Master Sorlien with the appointment. The boy's oration was, in part, as follows:

"Yesterday we celebrated throughout this glorious land of ours Independence day, that day which to every true American ever since the old bell in Chestnut street rang out the glad tidings has meant so much.

"Yesterday we reviewed the history of our country's life, recalled the lofty deeds of departed years, the toil and suffering, the defeats and victories of heroic men—of men who made this nation great and free.

"Of the many thousands who shared the gloom and glory of those seven years not one remains, but instead there does remain that nation, the leader of all nations of the world—the United States of America.

"When Columbus landed at San Salvador little did he realize what a grand and glorious country he had discovered for you and for me to live in, and now, boys, it remains for us to make the best use of the innumerable opportunities offered us on every hand. We are every one of us bound to do this, for it will be but a few years hence when we will be called upon to take the rudder and steer the ship of state in such a way that the world will say there lives another Washington, another Lincoln, another Roosevelt. We cannot all become president or governors, but, boys, we can all become at least good honest American citizens."

TOURISTS AT CAPITOL.

Number of Visitors at State House Is Increasing.

The number of visitors at the capitol grows greater as the summer tourist season approaches its height. Seldom a day passes that 900 to 1,000 people do not admire the beauties of Minnesota's state house. The three guides which the state furnishes for half-hourly trips through the building are greatly appreciated by visitors, especially from the East, where guides must be tipped liberally before they will tell anything they know.

"Most of the people are travelers from the East and South," said one of the guides yesterday as he handed out the pamphlet of description of the building. "Half the people in St. Paul don't know what there is in the building, but every day hundreds of people from other states exclaim over the decorations."

CAN'T WAIVE SUIT.

Roads Compelled to Collect for Undercharges.

Railroads must collect undercharges on freight shipments by hook or crook. If they can't get them any other way they must bring suit. This is, in effect, a ruling made by the interstate commerce commission on the case of a road in Minnesota, which asked permission to waive suit for a $7 undercharge made through clerical error. The company pleaded that it would cost more to litigate the claim than it was worth, but the commission replied that suit must be begun if the money could not be collected in any other way. The attitude of the commission was that the receiver otherwise would be the beneficiary unless the money was collected from him.

Plan to Sue State.

Flood sufferers along the Minnesota valley are to make an effort to recover from the state for the damage that has been done to their crops and lands through the extension of the county drainage systems between St. Peter and Big Stone lake. They hold that, as the state has permitted the owners of highland farms to improve their property by draining sloughs and marshes, it should be held responsible for the resultant losses along the bottoms, and so they will ask that the next legislature reimburse them.

DID NOT PLANT CARP.

State Game and Fish Commission Pleads Not Guilty.

A controversy has been started in the vicinity of Mankato, where carp have proved to be such a nuisance, destroying good fishing grounds in the lakes, over the question of who was responsible for placing them in the lakes. The state game and fish commission having been accused of it, Capt. William Reid of Fairmont, former member of the commission, asserted that it should not be held responsible for the introduction of carp. He says:

"To my personal knowledge this is not true. I was appointed a member of the fish and game commission by Gov. McGill twenty-one years ago and have served in that capacity most of the time since. About thirty years ago Illinois, Indiana, Ohio and several other states imported large numbers of carp and planted them in their waters.

"About twenty years ago some of the fish commissioners of this state desired to introduce the carp into Minnesota waters, but Dr. Sweeney, a member of the commission, was dead set against it. To convince the commission that carp were not good eating he had one of the fish cooked and served to the members of the commission at one of their meetings. All agreed then that he was right.

"The commission had some of the carp fry at one time and sent out fifteen or twenty lots of twenty-five fish each to persons to plant in ponds on their farms. They were mostly German farmers who asked for them. Some may have escaped from these ponds into public waters, but I think that the carp that now infest the lakes and streams come from the Mississippi river, which has been filled with the fish from stock planted in other states. The high water of recent years has been favorable to their spread. But our fish and game commission is innocent of the charge, and the correction should be made."

NEW ULM TO HAVE LID.

Mayor Is Opposed to Sunday Closing, but Promises Law Enforcement.

The ministers of the different Protestant churches in New Ulm held a mass meeting at the Congregational church recently. Mayor Silverson and other prominent people of the city were invited and the church was packed with people. The Sunday closing law was fully discussed, the ministers contending that the saloons were the cause of a great deal of poverty and distress, especially when the head of the family dissipated his week's earnings in the saloon, and felt that now was the time for the mayor of the city to assist them in doing away with this evil. They felt that the saloonkeeper and the patron owed it to their families and the church to obey the Sabbath like all law-abiding citizens.

They were followed by Dr. O. C. Strickler and Attorney H. Flor, who spoke on the proposition. The former counseled moderation and the latter believed that in order to do away with some of the abuses in the saloon business it could not be accomplished by closing the saloons on Sunday, but by the enforcement of the laws now in force in preventing drunkards from securing liquor.

In discussing the question the ministers not alone spoke in favor of the Sunday closing law, but advocated prohibition.

Mayor Silverson said that he was fully aware what the law was relative to Sunday closing, and stated that if he had sole power in the matter he would never close saloons on Sunday. He did not believe in the principle of the Sunday closing law. Inasmuch as the law was plain and definite, he assured them that it would be enforced, but did not say when he would give the order.

WILL TAX THE CARS.

Pullman Company Fails to File Acceptance of Gross Earnings Tax.

The Pullman Sleeping Car company apparently has decided it would rather pay taxes on the number and value of the cars operated than a flat 4 per cent on its gross income in the state. According to chapter 453 of the Laws of 1907 the sleeping car companies were given until June 1 to file with the auditor a resolution of its board of directors accepting the alternative of a 4 per cent tax on the gross earnings within the state.

Since they failed to do this they are to be taxed on assessment levied by the board of equalization on the report of the number of cars of the various classes which run into or through the state, and the average value of each, together with the number of miles they traveled in this state. While this act is in force this will be the manner of taxation in Minnesota.

TO BUILD BOTH DITCHES.

A final hearing on the judicial ditch in Lyon and Lincoln counties has just been held at Tyler, with Hon. Judge Olson presiding. After all objections were placed and the motion from Thomas Davis for a jury trial on benefits and damages was overruled by the judge, the final order was issued for the establishment of both ditches. Further proceedings for construction of the ditches will be pushed with energy and perhaps water will flow in the new canal early this fall.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Frank, the six-year-old son of Michael Finn of St. Paul, was drowned by falling into the river near the old site of the Banholzer brewery.

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Robert Scribner, son of H. C. Scribner of Crookston, was instantly killed at Noyes. He was caught between two cars while braking on a freight train.

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Harvey Britton, formerly a high school student at Spring Valley, shot and killed himself while handling a gun at Bilby, N. D. where he had a claim.

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Arthur Hendy, twenty years old, was drowned while bathing in the lake near the St. Croix sawmill at Ely. He was seized with cramps and sank in deep water.

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The total enrollment at the Moorhead normal for the summer session, which is to continue until the middle of September, is 349, but is expected to reach more than 400.

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Dan Zacipelzack, an Austrian laborer employed on the Soo extension at Meirers Grove, Stearns county, was instantly killed by falling under the wheels of a moving work train.

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The large barn of Charles Britz of Amador was burned to the ground, together with the contents, during an electric storm. Three cows, some hay, a lot of harness and other farm stuff were in the barn at the time and none were saved.

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Nels Olson, a prominent young farmer, residing a short distance from Evansville, was struck in the head by the handle of a wheel scraper while filling a ditch near his home, and killed instantly.

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Paul Silbernagle, a young man employed by the Stevens Cooperage company at the village Dent, eight miles from Perham, lost a hand, which was cut off while he was operating a saw in the heading factory.

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The big storm Sunday did great damage around Albert Lea, as it not only knocked down some of the heavy grain, but also the floods that followed washed out bridges and roads in a destructive manner.

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Judge John A. Lovely of Albert Lea, who was stricken with partial mental and physical paralysis several months ago, has improved, but is still unable to look after business.

His improvement is slow, but he is able to ride out and enjoy the fine weather.

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Fire at Minneapolis gutted the building occupied by W. K. Morrison & Co.'s hardware store, doing damage to contents and building to the amount of $150,000. Damage to the amount of about $50,000 was done to the stock of the Leader department store adjoining.

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John Mooney of Waverly struck and killed his wife. Mooney says she refused to get the breakfast and he proceeded to get the meal. While so doing she rushed at him with a carving knife and stabbed him in the breast He struck her and the blow killed her.

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Owing to his continued illness A. L. Cole has given orders to sell the stock of his large department store at Akeley, and it is being done as rapidly as possible. Mr. Cole is at Fergus Falls with his brother, and though somewhat better, is unable to attend to his many business duties.

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The water in the Minnesota river at Belle Plaine is going down rapidly, and the famous cut-off soon will be in a condition to make it possible to cross. All the hay and other crops in the river bottom are ruined. Some farmers will plant millet in order to try to get a crop of some sort.

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The three-months'-old child of Martin Colgrove of Park Rapids lost its life in a peculiar manner. The mother was sitting on the porch with the child in her lap. A back door of the house was open, and this caused a draft which slammed the front door shut, breaking the glass in it. A sharp piece of glass struck the child on the head, penetrating its brain and causing death.

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A sensation has been created at Avon by the arrest of Lloyd Vaughers, a well known young man, on the charge of burglary, preferred by the manager of the Hagarty Drug company. For some time the manager has been aware that the store was being systematically robbed. A watchman was employed who remained inside the building. He caught Vaughers in the act.

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Fire starting in a hot box in a card machine at the south linen mills of the Black Hawk Linen Mill company at St. Paul Park destroyed the building. The fire entailed a heavy loss on machinery and stock and threw fifty people out of employment.

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Charles Watkins was found dead hanging by a rope made from part of his bed clothing in his cell at the workhouse at Minneapolis. Watkins would have been released from a ten-day sentence for drunkenness three hours after his body was found.

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JESSE GRANT, son of the general, is a candidate for Democratic nomination for president. He says he will not take a third term.

THE Washington Herald sends out the warning to Japan that if they take the Philippines we will take them back without a fight.

THE price of living is increasing so rapidly that soon our honest gold coin will be a fifty cent dollar. Sometimes it feels like like thirty cents.

ONE charming result of our system of grain gambling is the fact that the sixty-cent wheat harvested by the farmer, is now selling for a dollar.

A NEW cure for snake-bite has been discovered in India, and the Stillwater Gazette remarks that altogether this has been a disastrous year for the liquor interests.

VICE-PRESIDENT FAIRBANKS is entitled to a Carnegie medal for heroism in saving a young lady from drowning, but we opine he would get a tag from the national convention.

THE paper trust was "busted" a couple years ago, but as prices are still going up, we suspect that the atoms of the broken octupus by some mysterious freak of nature have come together again.

MARK TWAIN says that he has been planning his funeral for several years, but since visiting England has decided to postpone it Probably he has decided to live over again the six months spent across the waters.

THE Adrian Democrat discovered that an editor in South Dakota after 20 years' hard labor finds himself worth $200,000. An aunt of his died and left him $199,998.75. The other $1.25 he managed by diligence and scrupulous saving to amass himself.

MARY MCFADDEN hands out this bit of philosophy: "It is the habit of many boors to excuse their want of common politeness by sneering at those who employ social usages as stuck up and insincere. Politeness even if insincere, is much to be preferred to rudeness."

A SCOTCHMAN visited a neighboring town and in walking around, saw no children, only grownup men and women. He wondered much at this and asked an old man: "How often are children born in this town?" "Only once," replied the old man as he proceeded on his way.

HARRIMAN is human after all. Like the rest of mankind, he had never neglected an opportunity to grab everything in sight. The rest of us have been lame, however, in giving him an opportunity. It is just as necessary to curb the passions and thieving proclivities of a railroad magnate as the lowliest amongst us.

THE Red Lake Falls creamery paid out more than $3,000 to its patrons last month. The prosperous condition of the creamery has bad a great deal to do with the upward tend of business in general. The creamery ought to bring in three times this amount monthly, and it can be made to do so as soon as the farmers can be made to realize the importance of the dairy business.

HERE is something that may throw a scare into the dandelions. Prof. Baily of North Dakota says: "We find that iron sulphate kills young dandelions with one spraying, but where the roots are thick it may be necessary to spray several times. We recommend the use of iron sulphate at the rate of one pound to each four gallons of water. You can spray it on the plants with any sprayer that will throw a fine spray wetting the leaves. Do the work in the morniog when it is not liable to rain. The leaves will die after the second or third day. We have not been in the habit of reccommeoding this substance for other weeds than mustard or kingheads but of late we have been gettiog such good results with dandelions that we think it worth while for others to try it. It does not injure the grass."

THE St. Hilaire Spectator has a new idea regarding the county seat scrap, and while THE GAZETTE doesn't say "amen" we will let the readers see what the Spectator says:

> Another call for the meeting of the 'county dads" has been posted, the date for such being the 20th inst. The "special" is for the purpose of considering the county seat removal petition, and it is hardly likely any of the commissioners will stay away this time. Would it not be well to put weeels under the county capitol, and while Thief River Falls and Red Lake Falls were fighting over the possession of such, a St. Hilaire citizen with a mule team and careworn expression might hitch thereto and locate the blamed thing on a most beautiful site on the mill dam at St. Hilaire. Our awakening from a dream of strawberry shortcake with Jersey cream for seasoning would not be so bad, and then not a farmer in the whole county and but few others would vote to have the county seat removed to Thief River Falls.

DIVIDING MINNESOTA.

There has been some desultory talk about dividing Minnesota and creating a new state of the northern half, but the proposition has not been entertained in any quarter, seriously. It might be of interest, though, to recall the fact that when Minnesota was asking for admission 'way back in the '50s, a powerful faction wanted Northern Minnesota and the land now embraced in the state of North Dakota, left as Dakota Territory, while the southern part of Miouesota and what is now South Dakota included in the confines of Minnesota.

The argument was advanced that Northern Minnesota was "no good." The clique of "knockers" insisted that a harbor on Lake Superior would be detrimental rather than advantageous, because it might injure the river traffic. The unmeasured wealth of timber was considered a doubtful asset, while of course the mineral fields of St. Louis and Itasca counties were undiscovered and undreamed of. On the whole Southern Minnesots was very much afraid that it was making much territory that was undesirable a part of itself,

Of course history has proved the fallacy of the aspersions cast on Northern Minnesota, and even though we wanted to withdraw and set up a state on our own account it is not to be expected that the conservative southern portion would yield its consent to give up so much that has added and is still adding to the wealth and glory of Minnesota.

And, then, the south half has been more fortunate. All she had worth stealing were her broad acres of fertile farm lands. Most of these were stolen, all right, but as they couldn't be eaten or carried off, in due course they came back to the people again, after due tribute had beeo exacted by the laod-grabbers.

But, alas! the poor North. Her forests are denuded, and all the immense wealth derived therefrom has gooe to build brown-stone fronts and create multi-millionaires in St. Paul, Minneapolis and elsewhere. She is being disemboweled of her iron, her lead, her copper and other minerals that Andy Carnegie may endow libraries and the Coreys wed their Mabel Gilmans.

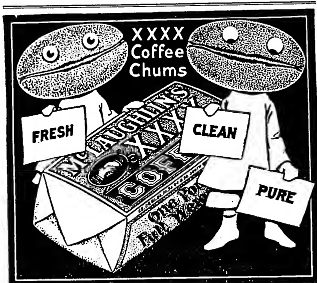
But we've got the land—and most of it's good. We've forgotten about our loss and got back the soil—raising cows and clover and wheat and hogs, and getting rich again.

THE name of every taxpayer in Minnesota, together with his personal property statement, is to be furnished the new state tax commission. The commission has forwarded a circular to all county auditors asking for a "complete statem from the 1907 assessment roles the personal property of each i ividual taxpayer." This will k the auditors' office busy for a e, as well as the commission itself. f they study and digest every ersonal property assessment in th state.

Notice to Canadian Subscribers.

A r ent ruling of the Canadian postal department quires that every copy of THE GAZETTE sent t subscribers residing in Canada bear a one c nt stamp. This increase in the postal rates and the labor involved in affixing the stamps makes an increase in the subscription list to Canada subscribers necessary. After this date renewals and new subscriptions to be sent to Canada post offices will be charged at a rate of $1.50 per year.—Editor.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls Aug. 7. At Grand View hotel Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.



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In the Local Line

Chairman Chas. Lindquist of the county board is spending the week here attending to some business in his official capacity at the court house.

Mrs. Dan Linnihan and Mrs. Wm. McIntosh went to Royalton Saturday evening to spend a few days with their husbands, who are employed near there.

Roadmaster E. J. Regan, formerly of this city, but now of Moorhead, contemplates moving his family from this city to Crookston in the near future.

V. Erickson, of Minneapolis, stopped off here yesterday on his way home from Canada and spent a day with his cousin L. E. Erickson, and family.

Henry Henremuth and a crew of men have been making some extensive repairs on the Red Lake Falls Milling company's elevator at Perrault station the past week.

Crookston Journal, July 13: Miss Mamie Regan who has been visiting with friends in the city since last Monday, will return tomorrow morning to her home at Red Lake Falls.

Homer Laureat left Tuesday evening for Bellecourt, North Dakota, where he will resume his labors with Contractor August Morin. Homer had been visiting here since before the fourth.

Dan Linnihan came up from Royalton Tuesday and is spending a couple of days here looking after business matters. Dan reports the grading work on the new Soo as progressing nicely.

Judge of Probate Tarrant today officiated at the marriage of Carl Mosbeck and Miss Ida Vixie, both of Thief River Falls. The happy couple returned to Thief River on this morning's train.

Mrs. W. A. McIntyre arrived here last evening from Langdon, North Dakota, for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Fletcher, and with her many Red Lake Falls friends.

Herman Leader left Monday evening for Mellow, Montana, near which place his two sons are living on a farm Herman will spend some little time looking over that part of the country with a view of locating.

Crookston Journal, 13th: The Misses Louise Paradis and Agnes Crompe of Red Lake Falls, who have been visiting in the city since Monday with Mrs. Eli Asslin, returned to their homes this morning.

The family of Cashier Theo. Garceau is enjoying a pleasant outing at Maple Lake, having gone there last Saturday. Mr. Garceau went down Thursday evening to rent a cottage and get things in readiness for the family.

Pat Sullivan, the well-known river boss arrived here yesterday to make his headquarters for a week or so. Pat has a big drive of logs at Red Lake, and took a crew of men from here today to bring them down the river.

James Egan went down to Fargo Monday evening and from there went west to points in North Dakota. Mrs. Egan is still confined to her bed at the Fargo hospital but will be able to return home within a short time now.

Mrs. Edenor Perrusse, of North Yakima, Washington, arrive here on today's Northern Pacific train for a visit with her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Crompe, sr., and other relatives and old-time friends in this vicinity.

Chas. Cyr returned home Monday from an eight days' visit with his son, Henry Cyr, and daughter, Mrs. H. Cote, in Poplar River township. Mr. Cyr found everything looking fine out through that part of the country and enjoyed himself immensely.

Mr. and Mrs. Thadee Richards, of Black River, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Swanson, John Richards, and Miss Clara Richards drove to Crookston Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Richards' sister, Mrs. Louis Gonyea, whose death occured last Wednesday evening.

Miss Clara Guerin left last Thursday evening for Maxbass, North Dakota, to spend a week or so with her brother, who resides there. Miss Eva Guerin is taking her place as day operator at the local 'phone office, while Miss Selina Olson is doing the night work.

Charles Seeger arrived home Sunday from Colfax Springs, Iowa, where he went a few weeks ago to take treatment for rheumatism, with which he has been bothered for several months past. He returned very much benefitted in health and feels as young as a boy again.

A big crowd turned out to the band concert on the North Side last Friday evening to listen to the pleasing program prepared for the occasion. The band's work was very good and until the festive mosquito butted in and made the playing a burden, the boys did very nicely.

THE GAZETTE is in receipt of a complimentary ticket to the Red Lake County fair to be held at Thief River Falls, August 7, 8, and 9. The fair people are making extensive preparations to make their show one of the best in the history this year and expect a big crowd.

Several of the jolly party of girls and ladies that went out to Maple Lake last week, returned Monday. Mrs. H. N. Johnson, and the Misses Mayme Erickson, Pauline Neiland, and Lulu Fletcher came home while the rest of the party remained to spend the rest of the week there.

Superintendent H. T. McAaulty went down to Crookston Tuesday evening and spent yesterday visiting the Polk county summer school in session in that city. From there he goes to Bemidji to visit the Beltrami school, and expected to be absent until Saturday or Monday.

Joseph Lachance left Tuesday evening for Turtle Mountain, N. D., where he is foreman for August Morin on a job of carpenter work for the government. They have built an office and barn for the Indian agent and have enough work to keep them busy for several months.

Crookston Times: The Misses Marie Barie, Rosa Pataode, Emily Demarais, and Mabel Gervais of Red Lake Falls who have been visiting the Misses Bertha Laframboise Laura Laramie, and Zaries Toupin returned home Friday morning. The young ladies came down for the carnival.

H. W. Anderson and H. H. Zaiser leave this evening for Big Falls, Itasca county, where they will rusticate for the next four or five days visiting with several Red Lake Falls people living in that neighborhood. Miss Lillian Buse will have charge of Mr. Anderson's store during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beaudry expect to leave for their home at North Yakima the last of the week, after a pleasant visit at the home of Mrs. Beaudry's uncle, Nightwatchman Lizee. Miss Laura Lizee will accompany them to their western home and expects to spend a year in that part of the country.

A party of Red Lake Falls gents expect to leave next Monday for a two weeks prospecting and pleasure trip through the country tributary to International Falls and the boundary. Incidentally they will look over some claims in that neighborhood and may all decide to file before returning home.

Strawberry pickers have stil been out in force this week and the crop of wild berries does not seem to diminish very materially. Probably not in a dozen years has there been such a crop of wild strawberries as there is this year, and full pails every evening tell the story of successful picking.

P. O. Floan arrived home Saturday evening from an extensive trip throughout the western states. Mr. Floan visited at all the principal interest points in the great west, and met many old-time Red Lake Falls people on his travels. He is very favorably impressed with the rapidly-moving western country.

The Winnipeg fair is on this week and reports are that immense crowds are in attendance. Today is American day. For the past two seasons the Red Lake Falls band has played at this exhibition but this year could not go after an engagement on account of having to get in shape for the big engagement at the Minnesota State Fair in September.

James E. Ford drove in Sunday and remained until Monday evening with his family and friends. Monday evening he went to Warren to act a few days as viewer on a new state ditch near there. With his work in the capacity of assistant examiner and also as viewer on several big state ditches Jim is kept on the jump all the time these days.

Cashier Theo. Garceau of the First State Bank is at Maple Lake enjoying an outing with his family, and for the next month they will camp at this favorite resort. Mr. Garceau has been closely confined to his work for the past year and the outing will no doubt do him a world of good. He will be in for a day or so each week just to keep his hand in.

Dr. J. E. Argue last week received a fine new steam launch for use in the Red Lake river here. The launch is a very large and costly one, and will help the doctor and his many friends pass many pleasant hours. He has had some trouble with the engine and will probably have to call an expert from the factory before it can be made to run satisfactory.

Secretary Frank Brouillet of the local lodge of M. B. A's today received a check for $100 in favor of Dan Bray, who accidentally broke his arm a few weeks ago. The Brotherhood policy has an accident clause, which pays very liberally for injury of any sort. This money will be gladly received by Mr. Bray and will partly compensate for his loss of time.

P. E. Pirath of this city has had a rushing business in the strawberry line for the past week or so, and has disposed of a large number of luscious berries to the people about the city. Mr. Pirath has one of the finest strawberry beds in the north country and it has borne heavily during the present season. J. H. Glass, of Lake Pleasant, has also been selling berries on the market this year.

County Attorney Germo went to Rochester Monday, to be with Mrs. Germo Tuesday, while she underwent an operation at the Rochester hospital for appendicitis and other troubles. Mrs. Germo has not been well for a year past, and the specialists at Rochester hold out hopes that the operation will completely restore her to her health. Tom will remain there until the first part of next week.

The board of county commissioners met as a board of equalization Monday and went over the books of the assessors. Several changes were made in each city and town, but the raises were not especially numerous or very large, and if the state board only treats Red Lake county with justice the taxpayer will not get "soaked" as hard as he has been in the past.

Attorney Charles E. Boughton returned home yesterday morning from a several days' business visit at the Twin cities. While there Charley purchased a fine eighteen horse power touring car, which was shipped Tuesday and arrived here this morning. The auto is one of the best made and Charley's friends are looking forward to some pleasant times when the machine is put into commission.

D. N. Winton of the Thief River Falls Lumber company, and W. A. Gould, logging superintendent, and J. M. Richards, general manager for the Crookston Lumber company, will build a saw mill at Bemidji. Messrs. Richards and Gould have both resigned from the Crookston Lumber company and their places will be hard to fill, as both men are of exceptional ability. There is no question but the new firm will be a success.

Adrian Democrat: J. T. McKnight, of Brooks, Minn., who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. M. Rosenbarger, of Veedersburg, Ind., arrived here last Thursday morning for a ten days' visit with old friends. Mr. McKnight says crops are about as late in Indiana as they are here, but that indications are favorable for a good yield. He is enjoying better health than when he left here a year and a half ago and naturally is well satisfied with himself,

Mrs. Conrad Lajambe charmingly entertained a party of young ladies at her home last evening. Games, music and an amusing contest fur the diversion, Miss Lulu Fletcher winning the prize in the contest. Elaborate refreshments were served, and the guests were delighted with the evening's pleasure. The following were present: Misses Lulu Fletcher, Maude Findeisen, Josephine Kaus, Margaret Kaus, Stella Bottineau, of Duluth, and Miss Hazel Healy.

Spectator: A special meeting of the St. Hilaire Commercial Club was called to meet at the village hall Wednesday evening at the instance of the village council, who wished to learn the sentiment of the club and of the business men of the village in regard to purchasing the holdings of the Crookston Lumber company here which includes the water power. The council has received an offer of the power from the lumber company, and it is probable a committee from the council will meet the representative of the lumber company in the near future and agree upon their purchase plan.

Leland and Ralph Healy, Ernest Buse and Clem Brunelle left Saturday on their pleasure trip up the Red Lake river. Lee's launch was shipped to Thief River that morning and reports from the boys that afternoon stated that they were in the river and ready to start. They will go up to Red Lake and from there up the Blackduck river to Blackduck, spending a few days with friends there and making the same trip back. They expect to hunt bear and other wild game of the forest upon their trip, but Ernie very discreetly left all his ammunition home and will be satisfied with snapshots of what they see.

Rev. G. Bollinger left Monday for his home at Burt, Iowa, after having spent two weeks here, during which time he occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Bollinger gave good satisfaction to the members of the congregation during his short stay here, and made many friends among the people of the city. However, the Presbyterian people have as yet made no call for a pastor to fill the pulpit here, as they have one or two others that they desire to meet and hear before making their call. Rev. Bollinger was well pleased with Red Lake Falls and would be satisfied to come here should a call be given him.

Harry Healy drove to Thief River Falls last Friday, took the Soo from there and went with the Argyle team to Hallock, where the teams met that day. The game was a fast one, Argyle winning by a score of 6 to 4. Harry left again Tuesday to play with Argyle against Warren, at the former place. The fight for honors in the north line league, composed of Argyle, Warren, Hallock and Stephen, is a hot one and nearly all the season Warren, Argyle and Hallock have been tied for first place. Several more games are to be played before the schedule is completed, and they will surely be hot ones. The Argyle team wants Harry to finish the season, with them, but he has not yet decided as to whether he will do so or not.

Viewers to Report on Ditch.

Thief River Press: Engineer George Ralph and several members of the county board of commissioners will go over Rocksbury ditch No. 1 next week and endeavor to close up the long standing entanglement over the delayed completion of the waterway. As has been stated before more than once, this ditch was begun several years ago but owing to the contractor becoming bankrupt and from other causes growing out of the deal the ditch was never completed, although practically all the money due on the completed ditch was paid to the contractor. For some time past George Ralph, the Crookston engineer in charge, has been endeavoring to get the matter settled and has had men at work on the ditch. Whether the work has been thoroughly done will now be decided by the viewers.

E. CHATEL

Will open a brand new line of Groceries in the Kaus building next Monday, July 22nd.........

Everything in the Grocery line
will be sold at rock bottom prices
for cash. No credit will be given under any circumstances ....

THE BUSY STORE

Continuing Wash Goods Sale

CONSIDER in connection with our price reductions the superb assortment of styles and qualities we show and you cannot but be impressed with the fact that to delay any longer in your purchases would be sheer folly. The entire stock of summer goods is included in the price reduction

8c Materials for	6c
12½c Materials for	10c
15c Materials for	11c
18c Materials for	13c
20c Materials for	15c
25c Materials for	19c

Low prices on Men's and Ladies Oxfords.

29c Materials for	20c
35c Materials for	25c
45c Materials for	33c
50c and 59c Materials for	39c
65c Materials for	45c
69c and 75c Materials for	50c

Remarkably good values in tennis shoes.

Remnant Sale

The lively selling of the past few weeks has naturally caused the accumulation of numerous remnants of WASH GOODS. We offer these at great reductions. Remember our bargains in Hats and other goods.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

ALL THE WEEK Sept. 2-3-4-5-6-7

The Greatest Fair in America. Attendance Last Year Nearly 300,000. Grounds, Buildings, Premiums and Purses have been Increased for the Fair of '07. Over $70,000 offered in prizes.

Dan Patch on Monday, September 2

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A Wholly Unparalleled Aggregation of Useful and Interesting Exhibits and Sensational Amusements. Startling Evening Entertainments.

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MAIN STREET - - - - OPPOSITE BRICK BLOCK

We Want to Help You Buy Cows Now

No doubt you have read our offer in the columns of this paper during the past two weeks, and we are very desirous that you give us an opportunity to get your farm stocked with cattle and hogs. To this end we would earnestly request you to call in and talk the matter over before the season becomes too far advanced.

The Secret of Success Lies in Dairying and Hog Raising

Why not now abandon the wheat raising lottery and adopt the surer method of providing revenue for yourself and family? This bank is interested in your welfare and stands ready to help you get started in profitable dairying. Call in and we will talk it over.

Merchants State Bank

of Red Lake Falls

J. A. DUFFY, Cashier.

SISTER ROSE.

A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS.

CHAPTER XI.—(CONTINUED.)

"Charles!" cried his sister, breaking away from him and appealing to her husband, "who are these men? What are they here for?"

He gave her no answer.

"Louis Trudaine," said Lomaque, slowly drawing the order from his pocket, "in the name of the Republic, I arrest you."

"Rose, come back," cried Trudaine.

It was too late; she had broken from him, and in the recklessness of terror had seized her husband by the arm.

"Save him!" she cried. "Save him, by all you hold dearest in the world! You are that man's superior, Charles—order him from the room!"

Danville roughly shook her hand off his arm.

"Lomaque is doing his duty. Yes," he added with a glance of malicious triumph at Trudaine—"Yes, doing his duty. Look at me as you please—your looks won't move me. I denounced you! I admit it—I glory in it. I have rid myself of an enemy, and the State of a bad citizen. Remember your secret visit to the house in the Rue de Clery!"

His wife uttered a cry of horror. She seized his arm again with both hands—frail, trembling hands—that seemed suddenly nerved with all the strength of a man's.

"Come here—come here! I must and will speak to you!"

She dragged him by main force a few paces back, towards an unoccupied corner of the room. With deathly cheeks and wild eyes she raised herself on tiptoe, and put her lips to her husband's ear. At that instant Trudaine called to her:

"Rose, if you speak I am lost!"

She stopped at the sound of his voice, dropped her hold on her husband's arm, and faced her brother, shuddering.

"Rose," he continued, "you have promised, and your promise is sacred. If you prize your honor, if you love me, come here—come here, and be silent."

He held out his hand. She ran to him; and laying her head on his bosom burst into a passion of tears.

Danville turned uneasily towards the police agents. "Remove your prisoner," he said. "You have done your duty here."

"Only half of it," retorted Lomaque, eying him attentively. "Rose Danville—"

"My wife!" exclaimed the other. "What about my wife?"

"Rose Danville," continued Lomaque, impassibly, "you are included in the arrest of Louis Trudaine."

Rose raised her head quickly from her brother's breast. His firmness had deserted him—he was trembling. She heard him whispering to himself, "Rose, too! Oh, my God! I was not prepared for that." She heard these words, and dashed the tears from her eyes, and kissed him, saying:

"I am glad of it, Louis. We risked all together—we shall now suffer together. I am glad of it!"

Danville looked incredulously at Lomaque, after the first shock of astonishment was over.

"Impossible!" he exclaimed. "I never denounced my wife. There is some mistake; you have exceeded your orders."

"Silence!" retorted Lomaque, imperiously. "Silence, citizen, and respect to a decree of the Republic!"

"You blackguard! show me the arrest order," said Danville. "Who has dared to denounce my wife?"

"You have," said Lomaque, turning on him with a grin of contempt. "You—and blackguard back in your teeth! You, in denouncing her brother! Aha! we work hard in our office; we don't waste time in calling names—we make discoveries. If Trudaine is guilty, your wife is implicated in his guilt. We know it, and we arrest her."

"I resist the arrest!" cried Danville. "I am the authority here. Who opposes me?"

The impassible chief agent made no answer. Some new noise in the street struck his quick ear. He ran to the window and looked out eagerly.

"Who opposes me?" reiterated Danville.

"Hark!" exclaimed Lomaque, raising his hand. "Silence, and listen!"

The heavy, dull tramp of men marching became audible as he spoke. Voices humming low and in unison the Marseillaise hymn, joined solemnly with the heavy, regular footfalls. Soon the flare of torchlight began to glimmer redder and redder under the dim starlight sky.

"Do you hear that? Do you see the advancing torchlight?" cried Lomaque, pointing exultingly into the street. "Respect to the national hymn, and to the man who holds in the hollow of his hand the destinies of all France. Hat off, Citizen Danville! Robespierre is in the street. His bodyguard, the Hard-hitters, are lighting him on his way to the Jacobin club! Who shall oppose you, did you say? Your master and mine; the man whose signature is at the bottom of this order—the man who with a scratch of his pen can send both our heads rolling together into the sack of the guillotine! Shall I call to him as he passes the house? Shall I tell him that Superintendent Danville resists me in making an arrest? Shall I? Shall I?" And in the immensity of his contempt Lomaque seemed absolutely to rise in stature as he thrust the arrest order under Danville's eyes, and pointed to the signature with the head of his stick.

Rose looked around in terror, as Lomaque spoke his last words—looked round, and saw her husband recoil before the signature on the arrest order, as if the guillotine itself had suddenly arisen before him. Her brother felt her shrinking back in his arms, and trembled for the preservation of her self-control if the terror and suspense of the arrest lasted any longer.

"Courage, Rose, courage!" he said. "You have behaved nobly; you must not fail now. No, no! Not a word more. Not a word till I am able to think clearly again, and to decide what is best. Courage, love; our lives depend on it. Citizen," he continued, addressing himself to Lomaque, "proceed with your duty—we are ready."

The heavy marching footsteps outside were striking louder and louder on the ground; the chanting voices were every moment swelling in volume; the dark street was flaming again with the brightening torchlight, as Lomaque, under pretext of giving Trudaine his hat, came close to him and turning his back towards Danville, whispered, "I have not forgotten the eve of the wedding and the lunch on the river-bank."

Before Trudaine could answer, he had taken Rose's cloak and hood from one of his assistants, and was helping her on with it. Danville, still pale and trembling, advanced a step when he saw these preparations for departure, and addressed a word or two to his wife; but he spoke in low tones, and the fast-advancing march of feet and sullen, low roar of singing outside drowned his voice. An oath burst from his lips, and he struck his fist with impotent fury on a table near him.

"The seals are set on everything in this room and in the bedroom," said Magloire, approaching Lomaque, who nodded, and signed to him to bring up the other police-agents at the door.

"Ready," cried Magloire, coming forward immediately with his men, and raising his voice to make himself heard, "Where to?"

Robespierre and his Hard-hitters were passing the house. The smoke of the torchlight was rolling in at the window; the tramping footsteps struck heavier and heavier on the ground; the low, sullen roar of the Marseillaise was swelling to its loudest, as Lomaque referred for a moment to his arrest-order, and then answered:

"To the prison St. Lazare!"

CHAPTER XII.

THE head-gaoler of St. Lazare stood in the outer hall of the prison, two days after the arrest at Trudaine's lodgings, smoking his morning pipe. Looking towards the court-yard gate, he saw the wicket opened, and a privileged man let in, whom he soon recognized as the chief agent of the second section of Secret Police. "Why, friend Lomaque," cried the gaoler, advancing towards the court-yard, "what brings you here this morning, business or pleasure?"

"Pleasure, this time, citizen. I have an idle hour or two to spare for a walk. I find myself passing the prison, and I can't resist calling in to see how my friend, the head gaoler, is getting on." Lomaque spoke in a surprisingly brisk and airy manner. His eyes were suffering under a violent fit of weakness and winking; but he smiled, notwithstanding, with an air of the most inveterate cheerfulness. Those old enemies of his, who always distrusted him most when his eyes were most affected, would have certainly disbelieved every word of the friendly speech he had just made, and would have assumed it as a matter of fact that his visit to the head-gaoler had some specially underhand business at the bottom of it.

"How am I getting on?" said the gaoler, shaking his head. "Overworked, friend—overworked. No idle hours in our department. Even the guillotine is getting too slow for us!"

"Sent off your batch of prisoners for trial this morning?" asked Lomaque, with an appearance of perfect unconcern.

"No; they're just going," answered the other. "Come and have a look at them." He spoke as if the prisoners were a collection of pictures on view, or a set of dresses just made up. Lomaque nodded his head, with an air of happy holiday carelessness. The gaoler led the way to an inner hall, and pointing lazily with his pipe-stem, said: "Our morning batch, citizen, just ready for the baking."

In the corner of the hall were huddled together more than thirty men and women of all ranks and ages; some staring round with looks of blank despair; some laughing and gossiping recklessly. Near them lounged a guard of "Patriots," smoking, spitting and swearing. Between the patriots and prisoners sat, on a rickety stool, the second gaoler—a humpbacked men, with an immense red moustachio—finishing his breakfast of broad beans, which he scooped out of a basin with his knife, and washed down with copious draughts of wine from the bottle. Carelessly as Lomaque looked at the shocking scene before him his quick eye contrived to take notice of every prisoner's face, and to descry in a few minutes Trudaine and his sister together at the back of the group.

"Now then, Apollo!" cried the gaoler, addressing his subordinate by a facetious nickname, "don't be all day starting that trumpery batch of yours! And harkye, friend, I have leave of absence, on business, at my Section this afternoon. So it will be your duty to read the list for the guillotine, and chalk the prisoners' doors before the cart comes to-morrow morning. 'Ware the bottle, Apollo, to-day; 'ware the bottle, for fear of accidents with the death-lists to-morrow."

"Thirsty July weather, this—eh, citizen?" said Lomaque, leaving the head-gaoler, and patting the hunchback in the friendliest manner on the shoulder. "Why, how you have got your batch huddled up together this morning. Shall I help you to shove them into marching order? My time is quite at your disposal. This is a holiday morning with me!"

"He! he! ha! what a jolly dog he is on his holiday morning!" exclaimed the head-gaoler, as Lomaque—apparently taking leave of his natural character altogether in the exhileration of an hour's unexpected leisure—began pushing and pulling the prisoners into rank, with numerous mock apologies, at which, not the officials only, but many of the victims themselves—reckless victims of a reckless tyranny—laughed heartily. Persevering to the last in his practical jest, Lomaque contrived to get close to Trudaine for a minute, and to give him one significant look before he seized him by the shoulders, like the rest. "Now, then, rear-guard," cried Lomaque, pushing Trudaine on. "Close the line of march, and mind you keep step with your young woman there. Pluck up your spirits, citoyenne! one gets used to everything in this world, even to the guillotine!"

While he was speaking and pushing at the same time, Trudaine felt a piece of paper slip quickly between his neck and his cravat. "Courage!" he whispered, pressing his sister's hand, as he saw her shuddering under the assumed brutality of Lomaque's joke.

Surrounded by the guard of "Patriots," the procession of prisoners moved slowly into the outer court-yard, on its way to the revolutionary tribunal, the humpbacked gaoler bringing up the rear. Lomaque was about to follow at some little distance, but the head-gaoler hospitably expostulated. "What a hurry you're in!" said he. "Now that incorrigible drinker, my second in command, has gone off with his batch, I don't mind asking you to step in and have a drop of wine."

"Thank you," answered Lomaque; "but I have rather a fancy for hearing the trial this morning. Suppose I come back afterwards? What time do you go to your section? At 2 o'clock, eh? Good! I shall try if I can't get here soon after one." With these words he nodded and went out. The brilliant sunlight in the courtyard made him wink faster than ever. Had any of his old enemies been with him, they would have whispered with themselves—"If you mean to come back at all, Citizen Lomaque, it will not be soon after one!"

On his way through the streets, the chief-agent met one or two police-office friends, who delayed his progress: so that when he arrived at the revolutionary tribunal, the trials of the day were just about to begin.

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WRITING ON THE SKY.

Sign Device Which Promises to Be of Great Utility.

From The Electrical Review: The virtues of an electric monogram signal have already been referred to in these columns. The device is a sort of typewriter delivering its message, letter by letter, in midair, or at any distant point, in gigantic characters of light. The observers may be miles away and yet read the message with ease. The keyboard is manipulated exactly as in an ordinary typewriter and its function is to switch in or direct the current through a series of distributing wires, which are carried in a cable to the monogram or display frame. According to a predetermined scheme the keys exercise a selective function, and each one switches in the leading wires only, which connect with the members of the monogram constituting the letter of the alphabet which that particular key represents. By reference to the monogram one may easily trace any letter of the alphabet in form so nearly conventional as to be readily understood. Thus, if on the keyboard the A button is pressed the lamps of all members of the monogram entering into that letter shine out simultaneously, while all other lamps upon the display frame remain dead. And so on for every letter. The observer has only to follow the letters as they flash out one after another to spell out the words of the message. It will be seen that this is a sort of visual telegraph, and that it may be made to talk in almost any language spoken by men. It is also serviceable for cipher writing according to any prearranged code. The monogram frame is five feet high by three and one-half feet wide and is equipped with 16-candle power lamps. Signals flashed from this frame are visable to the naked eye for distances of from one to three miles, depending on the weather. With a glass the signals may be easily read up to ten miles. Some frames are made much larger and can be seen further.

The Size of Siberia.

A graphic idea of the immense size of Siberia may be gleaned from the following comparison: All of the states, kingdoms, municipalities, empires, etc., of Europe, except Russia, and all of the United States, including Alaska, could be placed side by side in Siberia and yet but little more than cover that immense territory.

Would Not Be Sold.

A dog owned by a man in Addison, Mich., walked back home a distance of forty miles recently. Its owner gave it away, but the dog didn't like its new home, and quietly trotted back to its old kennel.

LIFE INSURANCE A SACRED TRUST.

Responsibilities of Officers and Directors.

Evidently President Kingsley of the New York Life Insurance company has learned the great lesson of the times with respect to the responsibility and duty of directors of corporations. Speaking to the new board of trustees, on the occasion of his election to the presidency, he emphasized the fact that "life insurance is more than a private business, that life insurance trustees are public servants, charged at once with the obligations of public service and with the responsibilities that attach to a going business which at the same time must be administered as a trust."

He also realizes that similar responsibilities rest upon the officers of the company. "I understand," he says, "your anxiety in selecting the men who are day by day to carry this burden for you, who are to discharge this trust in your behalf, who are to administer for the benefit of the people involved the multitudinous and exacting details to which it is impossible for you to give personal attention. My long connection with the New York Life—covering nearly twenty years—my service in about every branch of the company's working organization, gives me, as I believe, a profound appreciation, not merely of the heavy burden you have placed on my shoulders, but of the standards of efficiency, the standards of faith, the standards of integrity, which must be maintained at all times by the man who serves you and the policyholders in this high office."

Best of all, perhaps, he feels that words are cheap, and that the public will be satisfied with nothing short of performance. "My thanks, therefore," he continues, "for an honor which outranks any distinction within the reach of my ambition, cannot be expressed in words; they must be read out of the record I make day by day."

Implying Conceit.

Many years ago Daniel Lord, Jr., as he always signed his name, then one of the shining lights of the bar in New York, was arguing a case before the court of appeals, when a country lawyer asked Charles O'Connor the name of the gentleman who was speaking.

"That," said Mr. O'Connor, who was rather nettled at something Lord had said, "that, sir, is Daniel Lord, Jr., and he puts the 'junior' after his name so that he may not be mistaken for the Almighty."

The Kaiser's Precautions.

Thirty thousand metres of wire netting are to be erected on the course for the Kaiserprais contest wherever necessary at dangerous corners and in villages.

The kaiser himself, accompanied by Prince Henry of Prussia, made the round of the course recently with a view to examining the arrangements for the building of bridges, to the number of thirty, for pedestrians. The route is to be subdivided into twelve sections, and a public safety commission will be in charge of each.

It is intended that the course shall be closed three days before the race in order that it may be treated throughout with a dust laying preparation.

Car Kills Big Badger.

The pugnacity of the badger is of world wide renown, but he would scarcely be expected to assail a street car; yet the crew of Pacific Electric Car No. 393 assert that one claiming residence on Rancho Santa Anita disputed the right of way last evening.

About 9 o'clock p. m., as the car swung around the curve in the vineyard west of Arcadia, Motorman Shearer saw a large animal between the rails. Repeated shrieks of the whistle had no other effect than to cause him to rear and bare his teeth in defiance. Then he was a dead badger. He weighed eighty pounds, and his hide measures three and one-half feet in length by two in width. His immense claws are four inches long. He is by far the largest of the species ever killed in this vicinity.

COULDN'T KEEP IT.

Kept It Hid from the Children.

"We cannot keep Grape-Nuts food in the house. It goes so fast I have to hide it, because the children love it so. It is just the food I have been looking for ever so long; something that I do not have to stop to prepare and still is nourishing."

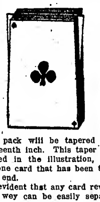
Grape-Nuts is the most scientifically made food on the market. It is perfectly and completely cooked at the factory and can be served at an instant's notice, either with rich cold cream, or with hot milk if a hot dish is desired. When milk or water is used, a little sugar should be added, but when cold cream is used alone the natural grape-sugar, which can be seen glistening on the granules, is sufficiently sweet to satisfy the palate. This grape-sugar is not poured over the granules, as some people think, but exudes from the granules in the process of manufacture, when the starch of the grains is changed from starch to grape-sugar by the process of manufacture. This, in effect, is the first act of digestion; therefore, Grape-Nuts food is pre-digested and is most perfectly assimilated by the very weakest stomach. "There's a Reason."

Made at the pure food factories of the Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little health classic, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

SIMPLE TRICK WITH CARDS.

Will Mystify Ordinary Spectators, and Is Not Easy to Detect.

One of the simplest tricks to perform, but one not easily detected, can be executed by using a tapered deck of cards as shown in the figure. A cheap deck of cards is evened up square, fastened in a vise and planed along the edge in such a manner that all the pack will be tapered about one-sixteenth inch. This taper is exaggerated in the illustration, which shows one card that has been turned end for end.

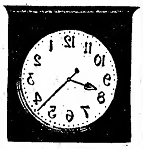


It is evident that any card reversed in this way can be easily separated from the other cards in the pack, which makes it possible to perform the following trick: The performer spreads the cards out, fan like, and asks an observer to withdraw a card, which is then replaced in any part of the pack. After thoroughly shuffling the cards the performer then holds the deck in both hands behind his back and pronouncing a few magic words produces the card selected in one hand and the rest of the pack in the other. This is accomplished by simply turning the deck end for end while the observer is looking at his card, thus bringing the wide end of the selected card at the narrow end of the pack when it is replaced. The hands are placed behind the back for a double purpose, as the feat then seems more marvelous and the observers are not allowed to see how it is done.

FOR THE BARBER SHOP.

Inverted Clock a Boon to the "Man in the Chair."

Every barber shop has a clock which is invariably placed on the wall opposite the big mirror which faces the customer in the chair. The clock face is reversed as seen in the mirror, and it is a severe strain on the eyes to figure out the correct time. A jeweler in Glendine, Mont., has now invented a sane clock for barber shops. The figures on the dial are reversed, and the hands move just opposite to those of ordinary clocks. The result is the reflection in the glass is so "you can understand it." To demonstrate, hold this page in front of a mirror and read the time of the clock in the illustration.



OTTER CAME HOME AGAIN.

Pet Returned to Owner After Brief Hour of Freedom.

A curious instance of animal instinct and attachment in an otter is related by a Cork correspondent of the London Field. A few months ago in that city a man caught a live otter. Bringing the animal home, after some time, he succeeded in taming it, and trained it to fish.

One day he took it to the river for a swim, and while there it killed some fish, but succeeded in getting off the strap to which it was attached. After waiting some hours, in a vain endeavor to induce the animal to leave the water the owner gave up in despair and returned home.

Late that night, while in bed, this man heard a scratching at the front door of his cottage, and to his great surprise, when he opened the door, in walked the otter, which he then secure. The most remarkable feature of this story is the fact that this man lived about a mile from the river and that his cottage was one in a row.

Odd Place for Bird's Nest.

A thrush has built her nest at the back of the neck of the sculptured angel on the memorial to William Thimoe Kine, the author, in St. Margaret's churchyard, Keddington, near Louth.

The memorial is protected by a wire cage, through which the bird managed to find its way. The cage also protects the birds, for no boys can possibly get at the nest, which now shelters the mother bird and five little thrushes.—London Evening Standard.

"Flat" Life Among the Birds.

A curious friendship has been observed here. A blackbird built her nest in a quiet covert in this neighborhood, and after laying four eggs she was joined by a thrush, who also laid four eggs in the same nest. Owing to the sheltered nature of their retreat, the hospitable blackbird and her friend hatched the double brood in peace.

This appears to be the earliest recorded instance of the maisonette in ornithology.—The Scotsman.

SPOILS OF AN OLD CASKET.

Carefully Hidden Dowry of a Mohammedan Bride.

A true fairy tale concerning an Oriental casket sold by an antiquary to a Parisian amateur is related by the correspondent of the London Telegraph.

The casket is of beautiful artistic workmanship of olive wood, with incrustations. It was evidently a wedding present, such as it is the custom to give a bride in Mohammedan countries.

There is a perfume of rose leaves, a delicate far away fragrance of the distant East, when the cover is lifted. The antiquary bought it at a general sale long ago, and offered it to purchasers amid Louis XVI. clocks, old ribbons and out-of-date decorations. A lover of quaint antiques, M. Maurice saw the casket and bought it.

As it had been knocked about a good deal in its long journey it stood in need of repairs, and M. Maurice gave it to an expert workman to restore. The workman tapped it and was surprised to notice a metallic sound inside. He found that the jewel box had a double bottom, and when opened there were rows of old and odd coins, which glittered faintly, but enough to show at once that they were of pure gold.

A numismatist declared they were gold sequins and worth about 160 pounds. It was a sum which to a young bride a hundred or two hundred years ago represented perhaps a fortune. The workman informed M. Maurice, and the latter told the antiquary. As they were all three honest men, each wished that the other claim the bride's treasure.

They referred the matter to the police commissary, who gave a decision worthy of Solomon. He divided the gold coins into two equal piles and told M. Maurice and the antiquary to take each a pile and then left it to their combined generosity to reward the honest workman. This they did, each giving him a few of the gold sequins, so that all had about an even share in the treasure of the bride.

THERE IS A REASON.

The Medical Times Explains Why Doctors Oppose Patent Medicines.

The Medical Times for April in a moment of frankness explains the whole opposition of physicians to "patent" medicines which are taken without a prescription, in the following words:

"We will hardly repeat here the specific statement to the effect that in one year $62,000,000 has been expended on patent medicines in the United States. Enough to give every practitioner in the country a yearly income of $2,000. In the face of such facts as these, all talk of love of humanity, altruism, self-abnegation and the like becomes cheap and nauseating. It appears to us that such buncombe should give place to homely, common sense."

Reliable authority states that the gross amount of the "patent" medicine business is about $40,000,000 instead of $62,000,000 but taking the Medical Times' figures as correct they represent an outlay of considerably less than $1 per capita for home medication. The cost of doctors' fees exclusive of medicines except such as are dispensed for the same period, probably was approximately $230,000,000. This is reached by allowing an average income of $2,000 to each of the 115,000 physicians in the United States. Even allowing that a gross business of $62,000,000 is to be divided between 115,000 physicians the income of each would not be increased more than $540.

Innocent Joys of Youth.

"Gracious, Fanny!" exclaimed a mother to her little daughter, "why are you shouting like that? Why can't you be quiet like your brother?"

"He's got to be quiet," replied Fanny. "He's playing papa coming home late."

"And who are you playing?"

"Oh, I'm playing you."

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Brightman—Yes.

Gaylord—Ever have any trouble with yours?

Brightman—No, she died quietly enough.

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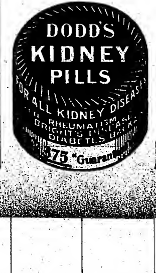
The Clergyman — You should seek work, my friend. You know, Satan finds employment for idle hands.

The Hobo—Thanks, kind sir. Many times before I've been advised ter go ter de devil, but never in sich dipplymatic langwidge.



WHERE DOCTORS FAILED.

An Interesting Case from Salem, the Capital of Oregon.

F. A. Sutton, R. F. D. No. 4, Salem, Oregon, says: "Acute attacks of kidney disease and rheumatism laid me up off and on for ten years. Awful pains started from the kidneys and coursed down through my limbs. I sought the best medical treatment but in vain, and when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I was walking with two canes and suffering continual pains, headaches and sleepless nights. I improved quickly and after taking three boxes felt better than I had for 15 years. The effects have been lasting."

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Old Romans.

The committee of the Roman senate found Cincinnatus plowing with a team of flea bitten mules.

"Cincy," the chairman remarked, "we have been sent by the senate to tell you that you have been chosen dictator."

The old man chuckled.

"Boys," he said, "the distance intervening between a tater digger and a dictator isn't so great after all."

Well pleased with his witticism he tied the mules to the fence and went back to town with the committee.

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The First Brainstorm.

Minerva had just sprung from the brow of Jove.

"Gee whiz," he muttered, "this is undoubtedly a brainstorm."

Herewith he anxiously awaited developments.

ALMOST A SOLID SORE.

Skin Disease from Birth—Fortune Spent on Her Without Benefit—Cured Her with Cuticura.

"I have a cousin in Rockingham Co. who once had a skin disease from her birth until she was six years of age. Her father had spent a fortune on her to get her cured and none of the treatments did her any good. Old Dr. —— suggested that he try the Cuticura Remedies which he did. When he commenced to use it the child was almost a solid sesh. He had used it about two months and the child was well. I could hardly believe she was the same child. Her skin was as soft as a baby's without a scar on it. I have not seen her in seventeen years, but I have heard from her and the last time I heard she was well. Mrs. W. P. Ingle, Burlington, N. C., June 16, 1905."

Didn't Want 'Em to Misunderstand.

"That boy in college has writ home again fer $100," said the old man.

"What fer?"

"Fer a wine supper!"

"Did he write it in Greek?"

"No, by thunder! It's wrote in plain Georgia, with 'God bless our home,' and 'How's all the family' at the end."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Chas. Bradlmero, Carver, Minn., post driver; Axel W. Carlson, Ely, Minn., lock-nut; Rollie B. Centers, Pine Ridge, S. D., harness buckle; Lucis J. Franklin, Devils Lake, N. D., fastener; John H. Johnson, Winnipeg Junction, Minn., boring tool; John R. McGiffert, Duluth, Minn., log loader; Jas. K. Woolcott, Alcester, S. D., draft equalizer.

A Little Rusty.

"The bride seemed quite nervous, didn't she?" remarked the first American girl.

"Naturally," replied the other; "she's somewhat out of practice. It's the first time she's been married since last year."—London Illustrated Bits.

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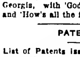

SHEEP WOMAN'S LUCK

Kearney, Neb.—And there came a time when we wanted to go into the sheep business. "We" are a woman. An early English writer says: "A househnnd cnnnot thryve by his corne without cattell; nor by his cattell without corne. Sheep in my opinion is the most profitable cattell any man can have."

We procured a flock at considerable cost; bought them of an old sheep trader who knew his business if we didn't ours. He topped the market when he sold us his half fat lambs, nice, big lambs—the yearling kind—at lamb prices. His bunch of old ewes changed hands at a notch lower.

Do not buy old ewes. They have a way of passing into the mysterious beyond in such a rapid manner that it shocks one! We think he succeeded in unloading all of the original flock, those recorded in early history, on our hands. Anyway, they had come down through the dingy past. In that we feel we have benefited humanity. No one will get any more of that generation. The evening sun of their life was set when we closed our gates upon them. The aged creatures were turned into a paddock by themselves. Some hobbled on three legs, some hobbled on four. A collection of the antique. They were put on two pounds of corn per day, per feed, per sheep.

Putting in the Night with His Head Between Two Rails.

Thus we succeeded in considerably diminishing their number; about two-thirds. We read in a sheep paper that old ewes needed succulent food. Straightway their rack was filled with nice green succulent alfalfa, newly cut, still with with the glistening dew. There must have been something wrong with the dew. The few who survived to tell the tale are now taking Epsom salts.

In the bunch were some breeding ewes, natives—blue bloods—so saith the sheep breeder, and inveigled us into paying a fancy price for the fancy (?) stock. Along comes a sheep man and pours forth his wisdom: "Now you are new at the business. Now let them ewes out and give 'em exercise. Let 'em on pasture a couple of hours," quoth he. A short distance lay our field of alfalfa, tender and sweet. At the end of the allotted time what few responded to our frantic efforts to get them off that field, soon became a dead issue, representing hundreds of dollars.

Then there was the thoroughbred buck. "Don't buy grade bucks. Buy this one, only $35," cried the sheep trader. We thought this sheep should have horns, but the more we became acquainted with him, however, the more we thanked our stars he was not a horned beast. If he couldn't go over the fence he would go under; if not over nor under he would go through it and manage to hang by one or more of his legs until assistance came. After putting in the night with his head between two fence rails we were able the next morning to chronicle the passing of our thoroughbred.

This sheep trader also said with a great flourish: "They will keep your lawn down." They did. They also downed my young orchard and every green thing upon the place. Their omnivorous appetite soon made our spacious lawn, to which we had devoted ourselves regardless of labor or expense and excelled in landscape gardening, look like golf links; our orchard like a forest of bean poles. Nor have we yet settled with our neighbor for the wanton destruction of his celery patch, nor a rose garden devoured by them belonging to a fussy old maid near by.

When they sickened and died we sent for the sheep man. He looked wise, threw up his hands and vouchsafed this information. "When a sheep gets sick ye can't do a thing with 'em. They just up and die. When a sheep dies he dies quick." This surprised and startled us. We mean it did at first. It doesn't now. We are a sheep man now ourselves. Feeding at the rack full of life and vigor one moment with promises of so much per pound at the stock yards, you may in ten more minutes send for the sheep undertaker to carry them off at so much the job. Life is not all sunshine, neither is the sheep business.

We bunched up the remainder of our several yards, made a carload lot and consigned them to a local market. By getting top prices the salesman succeeded in settling with the transportation company and paying his own commission from the receipts. We felt grateful to him for that.

There is money in sheep, so saith the sheep feeder. This may be true. We are not here to deny it. Someone made money turning over those sheep. But it wasn't us. It was the other fellow.

However, we have acquired the name of being a good sheep man, and as no one but the bats and owls know of our misfortunes we blandly smile and rest our laurels so richly won. To be counted a good sheep man is worth its weight in gold.

In closing we might say we have a sheep ranch for sale, consisting of some feed troughs, a bin of corn, purchased when the market was soaring, half barrel of salt, and several head of sheep that will do well on 90 days' soft feed; that's because their teeth are gone. We would consider cash or trade for a quarter section in Kansas. CHARLOTTE WHITNEY.

HOW TO SELECT SEED POTATOES

By E. R. Bennett, Colorado Agricultural College.

When digging, hills will be found, all the tubers of which will conform to the ideal toward which the potato grower is striving. If these tubers be saved and planted, a large part though not all of them ought to produce potatoes like the seed. These should be selected again by hills and all should be discarded except potatoes from those hills which approximate the ideal type.

The longer this selection is carried on, the greater should be the proportion of tubers like the original selected type.

The usual objection to this selection, in practice, is that at digging time when the work must be done, the grower is too busy getting in the crop to take time for improvement of future crops. The selecting can be done, however, without taking a great deal of time. When the digger is running one man should follow with a basket and select the most desirable specimens of tubers from hills that conform to his ideal type of that variety. Ordinarily the machine will leave the tubers in such shape that the individual hills can be separated. In this work do not look for perfect tubers only. Select perfect tubers from hills in which all of the tubers are of good shape and of sufficient number to give a good yield even though some of them are too small for market.

With this system of selection seed potatoes ought to be secured in one day to plant at least one acre of land. These potatoes should be sacked, labeled and put in a cool place by themselves. The following spring they should be planted at one side of the field, where they can be staked off from the rest of the crop. Most growers prefer to plant potatoes that are intended for seed, late. A very rich soil is not desirable for growing seed potatoes because of the tendency to produce overgrown tubers. This may be overcome to some extent by planting more seed to the hill or planting the hills closer together. When digging time comes the same process of selection and elimination should be gone through again. In this way the improvement of type and yield may go on from year to year.

Many growers prefer green or immature seed to that which is fully developed. Experiments along this line with plants produced from seed rather than by vegetative parts have shown that immature seed tend to produce an early maturing plant, and also one that tends to produce more fruit to the amount of plant tissue but at the expense of vitality and size of plant.

This law does not necessarily hold good with the potato since the reproduction is accomplished by means of the vegetative portion of the plant. Experiments along this line with the potato have not been carried far enough to give definite results.

Wind and Soil Moisture.—The wind is a great consumer of moisture. This is because it acts as a pump in drawing the moisture out of the plants and out of the ground. The principle is the same as when the wind blows over a chimney on a windy day. The air passing over takes hold of a column of air in the chimney and pulls it along with it. The little capillary tubes in the soil are minute chimneys, and the wind passing is drawing the air out of them and with the air is drawing the aqueous vapor. It is the same with the minute pores in the leaves of plants. Through these pass the columns of vapor to mingle with the air.

Honey Wasted.—Much honey produced by flowers goes to waste, as there are not enough bees to collect it.

Faulty Statistics.

"The department of agriculture has figured out," he read from the paper, "that rats cost the people of this country $100,000,000 a year."

"John Henry," replied his wife, "I don't believe a word of it. Why, mine only cost 35 cents, some women make their own and some wear their hair fist. Huh, can't tell me!"

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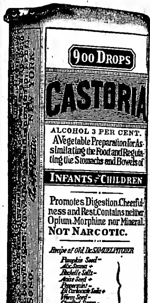
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S'MORE LOCAL.

Dr. Watson was a visitor at Crookston Monday.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

County Surveyor Wood spent several days here this week.

Sam E. Hunt spent a couple of days at home this week.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

Second hand mower and rake for sale. See S. A. Swanson.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

T. P. Hamre of Thief River Falls, spent Monday night in the city.

Frank Brouillet spent Sunday with his brother Ed. at Dugdale.

Young turkeys for sale.—Call on Mrs. Tom Welch, Red Lake Falls.

A. P. Toupin was a business caller at Crookston over Tuesday night.

J. J. Padden was a business caller at Crookston over Monday night.

Sheriff Nelson and Attorney Grady were visitors at Plummer Tuesday.

S. M. Sivertson was a business caller at Crookston over Tuesday night.

For Sale—a first class milch cow: fresh.—Joseph Prudhomme, Central Hotel.

See what the First State Bank has to offer in their new an in today's paper.

John Beaudry and Noel Delorme visited over Tuesday with friends at Crookston.

Harry E. Ives and James H. Cross of St. Hilaire were over-Sunday visitors here.

To let—Four-room flat, water, cellar, electric light. Modern except heat. Phone 7.

Leo Steinert went down to Crookston Tuesday evening on a brief business mission.

Mrs. Oliver Belair and children spent Sunday at the Nap Miller home in St. Hilaire.

Ernest Buse went down to Crookston last evening to look after business matter for a day.

Emil Schlesinger went to Grand Forks Tuesday where he will work at his trade a few months.

Exerie Chatel went to Crookston Tuesday evening to attend to some business matters for a day.

The big store has an interesting new ad in today's GAZETTE, enumerating some seasonable bargains.

Mrs. Arthur Lizee and Mrs. Leon Laurent went to Crookston Tuesday evening for a visit with friends.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Fall term of the Mankato Commercial college opens Sept. 3. Enroll then and gets ten weeks tuition free.

Miss Mollie Allard is spending this week with her brother Joseph and family at Ripple, Itasca county.

Joe Cyr went over to Grand Rapids Monday evening to spend a couple of days on business matters.

Mrs. Georgiana Marchand went to Thief River Falls yesterday to spend a the day on business matters.

J. A. Pokezwinski has resigned his job with Ed Bray and will left this morning for his home at Perham.

Henry Cote, wife and children, of Poplar River were callers here Monday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cyr.

Rev. I. T. Aastad, of Thief River Falls, conducted services at the Norwegian Luthern church here Monday evening.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall spent Sunday and Monday at Maple Lake with the Red Lake Falls cottagers, returning home Tuesday.

Schreiter's pharmacy has a new ad in today's GAZETTE calling attention to the line new line of pianos now handled there.

Agent Morin left Thursday evening for Bellecourt, N. D., where he has a large contract of carpenter work for the Indian agency.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher, dentist, will be at Dr. Wilkinson's office, Red Lake Falls, on Saturday and Monday, July 20 and 22. Call on him.

Dr. J. E. Argue, Norman Schreiter, George Hennings, and J. A. Pokezwinski spent Sunday at Maple Lake, returning again Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kankel and Mrs. Otto Zaiser went to Fertile Friday afternoon and remained until Tuesday morning with relatives and friends at that place.

Mustn't Sell Bad Eggs.

Anyone selling bad eggs or keeping them for sale hereafter will be liable to a fine of $50. E. K. Slater state dairy and food commissioner, has ruled that bad eggs come under the new law prohibiting the sale of decayed or unwholesome substances as food and copies of the ruling will be sent broadcast as soon as it is formulated.

Mr. Slater has conferred with produce dealers and explained the provisions of the law. They all expressed willingness to obey it, but contended that the authorities would have to help to protect them from country dealers and producers who sell eggs and ship them knowing them to be bad. The law will be enforced against the poultry raisers as well as against the dealers.

Spoiled eggs are often mixed with chemicals and take off the odor, and used for cheap cakes but such a practice will be dangerous hereafter.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, a sample of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my book on either Dyspepsia, The Heart or The Kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys, are merely symptoms of deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating the symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailmentt, not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart, and kidneys as well have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the "inside nerves." Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's restorative Write me for sample and free book. Dr Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by all dealers.

Artists have no trouble in securing models. The famous beauties have discarded corsets and have become models in face and form since taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. A. L. Reichert.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS.

Official Proceedings of the Session of Thursday, July 11

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the city hall July 11th, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called.

Aldermen all present.

Minutes of last regular meetings read and approved.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

Ephriam Chatel, for street work	$ 5 60
Telesphore Grandbois, same	9 60
Julius Keuhl, same	15 75
" " "	15 00
Finman Boyer, same	75
John Deforge, same	18 25
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co. for street lights, June 1907	111 31
Aime Benoit, for water, etc	4 50
Red Lake Courier, for city printing	27 20
Sam S Haislet, salary as city assessor	112 00
Red Lake Falls fire department, fire of June 23, 1907	87 00

The following liquor applications were duly accepted and granted. Joseph H Paradis, Fred Borchers, Ed Bray, John Deutschman.

The liquor bonds of Joseph H. Paradis, Fred Borchers and John Deutschman were read and approved.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President

Approved this 17th day of July A. D, 1907.

Attest. J. A. DUFFY
A. P. Toupin Mayor.
City Clerk.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF Red Lake, ss:

In District Court.

W. H. Bangs, doing business under the firm name and style of Bangs & Co., Plaintiff.
vs
Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment docketed and rendered in said Court in favor of W. H. Bangs & Co., plaintiff, and against Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, defendants, I have levied upon the following described real property of said defendant, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the quarter section line, two rods west of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section numbered seventeen (17), in Township numbered one hundred fifty-one (151) north of Range forty-three (43) west of the Fifth P. M., in the State of Minnesota, running thence south eighty rods, running thence west eighty rods, running thence north eighty rods, running thence east eighty rods to the place of commencement; also lots numbered sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), in Block numbered twenty-six (26), in Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, according to the corrected plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 31st day of August, A. D. 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Samuel Allard and Delia Allard in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Two Hundred Twenty-seven dollars and seventy-seven cents ($220.77), together with all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the first day of April, 1907, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated, July 18, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff, Red Lake Co., Minn.

F. A. GRADY,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Peter K. Olson and Lillie Christine Olson, his wife, mortgagors, to The West of Scotland American Investment Company, Limited, mortgagee, dated May 11th, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on May 16th, 1903, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., in book "26" of Mortgages, on page 509 thereof; that said mortgagee has paid the taxes assessed against the premises described in said mortgage for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, amounting in all to $90.00, that the amount claimed and hereby declared to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said taxes and interest thereon is one thousand one hundred thirty two and 46-100 dollars ($1132.46) that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) of section eighteen (18), township one hundred and fifty one (151), north of range forty-three (43) west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one hundred fifty one and 41-100 acres according to government survey, situated in Red Lake county, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state, on August 31st, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including said taxes, together with the costs of such sale and fifty dollars attorneys' fees, stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated July 11, 1907.

THE WEST OF SCOTLAND AMERICAN INVESTMENT CO., Limited,
Mortgagee.

B. H. Whitney,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Slayton, Minnesota. j18-a29

Notice of Mortgage Forclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 193.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $546.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows: to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 24th day of August, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1907.

DULUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer,
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
j11-a15 Attorneys for Mortgagee.

To the Legal Voters of the County of Red Lake State of Minnesota:—

Notice is Hereby Given, That a petition is on file in my office, signed by legal voters of said County to the number of Two Thousand three hundred and forty two, praying that the County seat of said County of Red Lake be changed to to the City of Thief River Falls in said County, and that a special meeting of the County Board will be held at the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake County, Minnesota, on Monday, the 29th day of July, A. D 1907 at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, to consider said petition, at which time and place any legal voter of said County may appear, in person or by counsel, and be heard.

Dated July 9th, A. D. 1907.

John B. O'Brien
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE payment of the sum of Nine Hundred twenty five and 61-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Hans Frederickson and Mari Frederickson his wife Mortgagors to J. E. Truesdell Mortgagee, bearing date the eighth day of September 1899, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 9th day of September, 1899, at 3:30 o'clock P. M., in Book 20 of Mortgages, on page 159.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northwest quarter (nw¼) of Section thirty-one (31), in Township one hundred fifty-three (153), north of Range forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Red Lake County and State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which said sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake County at the West front door of the Court House, in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, on the 19th day of July, A. D., 1907, at 10 o'clock A. M., of that day at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Nine Hundred twenty five and 61-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, amounting to sixty-one and 84-100 dollars heretofore paid, on said premises, and Fifty Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 30th 1907.

J. E. Truesdell,
Mortgagee.

L. C. SIMONS
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Notice to Vendee of Cancellation of Land Contract.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Ramsey. }

To W. A. Sorsoleil:

You will take notice, That default has occurred in the terms and conditions of that certain instrument, to-wit: A certain contract for the sale of land bearing date the 25th day of October, 1900, made by C. G. Edwards, as owner and vendor, to you, as vendee and purchaser, for the sale and conveyance to said W. A. Sorsoleil of that certain tract of land, lying and being in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northeast quarter (ne¼) of section nineteen (19) in township one hundred fifty-two (152), of range forty-two (42), containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, according to the government survey.

And that said default consists in this, to-wit: In your having wholly failed to pay the interest on the said contract that fell due November 1st, 1904, November 1st, 1905, and November 1st, 1906, save and except interest up to the 1st day of September, 1904. That under the terms and conditions of said contract there is due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of One hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-two cents ($189.82)

That owing to and on account of said default in the terms and conditions of said instrument the said instrument, and all rights thereunder, in or to said land will be canceled and terminated by the undersigned owner of said land at the expiration of thirty (30) days after the service of this notice upon you, and that if you fail to perform, the conditions of said instrument and to comlpy with the provisions upon which said default has occurred and fail to pay the costs of service of this notice upon you, the said termination and cancellation of said instrument and all rights thereunder, will take effect immediately upon the expiration of said thirty (30) days from the date of said service of this notice upon you.

C. G. EDWARDS.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1907.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Ramsey. }

On this 12th day of June, 1907, before me personally came C. G. Edwards to me well known to be the person who made and executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged he executed the same as his free act and deed.

FITZHUGH BURNS,
Notary Public, Ramsey County,
Minnesota.
(Seal) My commission expires Sept. 25, 1907.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1907.

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Prominent Brayite Dies.

On last Tuesday, July 16th, at his home in the township of Bray, occured the death of Charles P, Swanson, of internal hemorrhage. Mr. Swanson was born in Sweden, September 4th, 1850, and came to this country in 1873. He came to this section in 1881 and took a homestead in Bray, and has been prominent in township and county affairs for the past twenty-five years. He was married in 1882 and leaves a wife and five children—three boys and two girls, to mourn his loss. At the time of his death Mr. Swanson was postmaster at Bray, and secretary of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance company. There are few men in the county who have devoted so much of their time to the service of the public, particularly when there was little or no compensation, as did Mr. Swanson. Much of the success of the Bray Mutual was due to his efforts and his death will be a marked loss to the community. The Spectator, in company with his many friends, wishes to extend sympathy to the bereaved wife and children.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

Fall term of the Mankato Commercial college opens Sept. 3. Enroll then and gets ten weeks tuition free.

Newspaper Consolidations.

Farribault Pilot: The consolidation of country newspapers is becoming prevalent. Two weeks sgo the LeSueur Democrat and the LeSueur County Leader, both published in LeSueur Center, and last week the Red Lake Falls COURIER and GAZETTE consolidated. The reason for consolidation and disappearance of so many country newspapers is attributable to several causes. Everything that goes to make a country newspaper has largely increased in price the last three years. The price of labor has increased twenty-five percent, paper fifty percent, type seventyfive percent, and other articles used in preparing and publishing a newsnaper correspondingly. The weeklies cannot raise the subscription nor can they raise the price of advertising space to correspond with the price of labor and material, consequently the profits of a country newspaper are so small that it does not afford the editor a decent annual salary, not to say a profit on the investment.

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Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

Holds Law Valid.

E. T. Young, attorney general of Minnesota, holds the road and bridge appropriation law, appropriating $200,000 a year for general road and bridge aid throughout the state to be a constitutional statute. His opinion on the matter was filed recently it being a lenghty explanation and admits a very slight doubt for the other side. He believes, however, that the originators of the constitution meant this section to have a broad Interpretation, otherwise all all state betterments would be materially hampered. Another matter in which an opinion was asked is the $50,000 appropriation for drainage purposes, but it is not included in the recent answer of the attorney general. If virtually the same points are involved it is expected that it will also be declared valid. The legal department, however is not a unit in the question and Mr. Young admits that there is some doubt but he thinks the weight of authorities are in favor of the law.

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THE BIG STORE

Don't Send Away for Goods

without first figuring with us. Bring us your list from any catalogue or agent and we will gladly fill the bill. We take it for granted that you will patronize your home merchant, everything being equal. With the creameries and cheese factories making heavy distributions, many are tempted to send away now that they have plenty money. Take your money to the home merchant and see what he will do for you, We will have many special sales this week. You can save money in all departments. Here are a few bargains for you:

20x45 huck fringed towels	10c
21x40 soft bleached turkish towels, white as snow soft as silk	20c
1.50 wrappers at	98c
1.25 ones for	89c
30c sun bonnets	19c

Sale on **Lawns at half price** continues until sold out.

Men's high colored working shirts, with ties, 75c quality for	45c
1.25 ones for	75c
Ladies' wide ankle shoes, button, 3.50 quality for	$1.98
1.00 Cow Boys suits for little fellows	48c

Just the thing for vacation.

Heavy glass, New York style, Crystal Polished, cut bottom, non-rusting, regular 50c set, this week, per set 39c

Only 10 dozen to go at that price.

Regular 50c Salad dishes and plates only 25c

Grocery Dept.

Macaroni, fine, 10 lb box	60c
7c lb good Soda	5c
Monarch Mince Meat	9c
Royal Baking Powder	35c
Oil Sardines	4c
Can Vienna Srusage	9c
Can Pears	15c
3 lb can fancy plums	15c
Wax Beans	10c
Blue Berries	16c
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NATURE'S BEAUTY SPOT.

A Grand Scenic View and Resting Place for the Weary.

The following excellent senduff for Red Lake Falls was written by George W. Colburn, of Grand Forks for the Evening Times. Mr. Colburn spent a couple of days here in July and tells in a pleasing manner what impressions he gained of Red Lake Falls and surrounding country:

Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, situated at the confluence of the Clearwater and Red Lake rivers, and on the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads furnishes scenery almost unparalleled.

This beauty spot may be reached for 80 cents car fare from Grand Forks over the N. P. road in about two hours ride. By leaving Grand Forks at 3:15 p. m., arriving in Red Lake Falls before 6 p. m. one can spend a day pleasantly viewing the scenery where nature has done so much, and returning on the morning train, reach Grand Forks before noon.

On the trip one sees the grand curve so much resembling the switch-back at Bear Lake in the Rocky Mountains where the front part of the train may be seen from the rear car, running in an opposite direction, from the car in which one is riding

Another scene where the train runs close to the rapid running river resembles the scenery along Priest river in Idaho, so that one sees much of interest before reaching the real beauty spot where winding stone steps lead up to beautiful residences situated upon little plateaus overlooking the city and beautiful scenery for miles around.

Nature has done so much here to beautify the place that the citizens have not deemed it necessary to lay out any artificial parks, boulyards and landscape scenery, yet at a small expense this place could be made one of national interest.

An ideal location for a normal school, a sanitarium, summer cottages, conventions, picnics and social gatherings of every kind, for here the mind seems at once rested as the eyes feast upon the varied scenery—the beautiful landscapes as painted by nature.

The rapid running rivers furnish an abundant water power some of which is now utilized by two dams which run two large flour mills and furnish cheap electric light for the city—so cheap, in fact, that the electric lights may be seen shining like stars in a green back-ground all the night long.

A pulp-mill proposition is now under consideration, with good prospect of their being a paper mill erected which will give employment to a large number of persons.

Just at present real estate is very low and beautiful residences may be bought for much less than cost of the building material. This depreciation we were told was caused by the saw-mill and planing mill suspending business several years ago and further declined by the close proximity of the Soo road to the east yet the valuable water power, almost unlimited, will not long remain idle for as soon as the eastern capital learns of this wasting power, there will be no end to the rapid up-building of this beauty spot.

An Elbert Hubbard is needed here to develop industries which will increase the population and bring value to the now numerous residences and business houses.

The inexhaustible supply of fine pottery clay awaits the hand of the enterprising moulder who can make his fortune within the confines of this beauty spot.

Vegetation is early and luxuriant and large herds of cows furnish the nearby creameries with an abundance of lacteal fluid and the progressive farmer with ample funds for it is stated that the farmers received over $600,000 in a single year from the sale of cream alone

Here on the Fourth of July the writer pulled a stalk of red clover from a large field of timothy and clover, that measured twenty-seven and one half inches in length.

Though a large number of cows are kept in the vicinity of Red Lake Falls, yet this place exports a large amount of hay, each year.

Garden truck grows in profusion and potatoes are already in blossom. The market gardener would find here a prolific spot to grow his products.

Ed. L. Healy and his good wife took our party for a free ride about the city, pointing out points of interest we had not observed and to these good people we are indebted for much of the pleasure of our visit.

The citizens, generally, are hospitable and while the hotels are not elaborate, they give good, neat wholesome services at moderate prices.

Complains of Boat Service.

Thief River Press: A. D. Brown often known as "Chicken Brown" a resident of Erie on the eleven towns, and known to most of the old settlers in this city and vicinity, makes complaint of the boat service on the river. The Minneapolis Journal says of the matter:

"Farmers along the upper Red Lake river are suffering from lack of transportation facilities, according to a letter received today by Secretary of State Schmall from A. D. Brown of Erie, Red Lake county. He says all the boats on the Red Lake river have been brought up by the Beltrami lumber company and the Red Lake River Transportation company, that they have raised rates on freight from 20 to 40 cents a hundred, and on passengers from 25 cents to $1, also that they run no regular service. He says he has had freight at Thief River Falls for sixty days and cannot get it to his farm at any price. Their roads are impassable for horses. Their county attorney is also attorney for the corporations, so they cannot get relief there.

The companies do not seem to be common carriers, but Secretary Schmal will investigate to see what relief may be secured."

Much of this will be news to the residents up-river. Not only have boats been running at practically the same old rates for passengers and freight, we are told, but roads are far from impassable for teams, they are better than in years past and at ordinary times are in very fair condition.

A large addition has been added to the CROOKSTON COLLEGE this summer. The building is up-to-date in every respect and will now accommodate 500 students. The college catalogue is just printed and you can get a copy free by writing to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minn.

Teachers' Examinations.

The semi-annual teachers' examinations will be held at Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls in accordance with the following program:

Note—Civics is now required for second grade and limited certificates.

MONDAY, JULY 29th.
(Second grade studies.)
A. M.—8:00. Enrollment.
8:30. Arithmetic.
10:30. Physiology-Hygiene.
P. M.—1:30. English Grammar.
3:00. Reading.
3:45. Drawing and Music.

TUESDAY, JULY 30th.
(Second grade studies continued.)
A. M.—8:00. Professional Test.
9:00. Spelling.
9:30. Geography.
11:15. Composition and Penmanship.
P. M.—1:30. U. S. History.
3:15. Civics.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 31st.
(First grade studies.)
A. M.—8:00. Geometry.
10:00. Physics.
P. M.—1:30. Algebra.
3:15. Phys. Geography or Gen. History.

H. T. MCANULTY,
County Superintendent.

Death of Mrs Milton Converse.

The community was inexpressibly saddened Monday morning by the news of the sudden death of Mrs. Milton Converse. She was taken ill last Friday by a severe complication of kidney and stomach trouble and the physicians were unable to check the spread of the disaese. The funeral service was held from the Presbyterian church Tuesday afternoon, Rev. F. J. Barackman of Thief River Falls officiating. The remains were interred in the Red Lake Falls cemetery.

May Josephine Buse was born in Red Lake Falls August 4, 1876, and with the exception of a year or two spent all her life in this city. She was married December 24, 1901, to Milton A. Converse and three children were born to them, viz: Vera, Gladys and Amasa. At the time of her death the deceased lacked but a few days of being thirty-one years of age.

Mrs. Converse was an unusually bright and attractive woman, and her legion of friends mourn deeply her untimely death. THE GAZETTE extends its condolences to the bereaved husband and children.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Conceit is the way you feel about yourself if its somebody else.

A sure way to go on a long journey is to be with somebody you don't like.

The nice thing about a peekaboo shirt wasit is it seems to be off when it is on.

What a girl likes about yachting is the good time she could have if she weren't seasick.

When a woman has paid $5 to have somebody look into the glass globe and tell her the color of her eyes and hair she calls it having her fortune told.

For Sale—Southwest quarter of section 14-152-42. Write Frank Thayer, owner, 517 N. 72 street, Seattle, Washington. 41-4t

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

The formal order placing Rear Admiral Sands, the present superintendent of the naval academy, on the retired list has been issued. It fixes the date of retirement as July 12.

The gunboat Don Juan de Austria, one of Admiral Dewey's trophies of the Spanish American war, has been assigned to the use of the Michigan naval militia and will be located on Lake Superior.

People Talked About.

Senator A. O. Bacon of Georgia has been reelected for the full term beginning March 4, 1908.

Richard Mansfield, the actor, who has been seriously ill at Sussex, England, announces that he is well on the road to recovery, but will not return to the stage for a year.

Dr. Askland Oronhyatekha, son of the late supreme ranger of the Independent Order of Foresters, was found dead in bed at Desercnto, Ont. Death was due to heart failure.

Dr. Sophus Bugg, professor of language in the University of Christiania, is dead. He was the best known philologist of Norway. The storthing voted him a state funeral.

The memory of Maj. Gen. Shafter, who commanded the American troops in Cuba during the Spanish war, has been honored by bestowing his name upon the new military post near Honolulu.

Rev. Dr. F. R. Donohoo, a prominent divine, whose efforts in behalf of Americanized Chinese caused him to be recognized as an authority by Chinese mission workers throughout the United States, died in Pittsburg of heart disease.

From Other Shores.

The Italian minister of marine has ordered the construction of four battleships to be named Roma, Vittorio Emmanuele, Napoli and Regina Helena.

A big strike of agricultural laborers is being prepared at Kiev, Russia. The governor threatens to have recourse to military force if necessary to meet the situation.

A portion of the state regalia, valued at $250,000, has been stolen from Dublin castle. The safe in which the regalia was kept was forced. Sensational developments are expected.

The parish priest of the village of La Matre, France, finding himself without a band of choir boys, established a phonograph in his church to recite the liturgy and chant the responses.

Andre l'Annclen, a student in the medical college at Rochefort, France, has given a demonstration of a new substance called "molyhdot," possessing the qualities of bromide of radium.

During a division in the house of commons in London Sir Alfred Billson, a member for the northwest division of Staffordshire, died suddenly from apoplexy. The house immediately adjourned.

It is stated in military circles in Paris that Maj. Alfred Dreyfus, the former captain of artillery who was sentenced on a charge of treason to imprisonment on Devil's Island, is shortly to retire from the army, accepting a pension.

It is officially announced at Berlin that the thaler on Oct. 1 will cease to be legal tender. It is the only coin extant antedating the establishment of the empire, and its disappearance will mark the establishment of a pure gold standard in Germany.

Giacomo Puccini, the Italian composer, has decided to choose an American subject for the opera he purposes to write after he completes his present work, an opera on the life of Marie Antoinette. The gold miners of California will be his chief personages.

Mme. Fromonki, who in March last attempted to assassinate Gen. Rheinbot, the ex-prefect of police of Moscow, and who on May 13 made an attempt to murder the inspector of the political prison there, wounding him with a pistol, which had been smuggled into her cell, was sentenced to death.

Accidental Happenings.

While attempting to cross in front of an ore train at Ishpeming, Mich. Segard Eckhoff, aged twelve, was cut in twain.

The three-year-old child of John Bailey of Mason City, Iowa, fell from a swing and fractured its spine, living only a few hours.

As a result of cloudbursts which occurred in the upper portion of the Yellowstone valley and which caused floods in Yellowstone and Clark's Fork rivers considerable damage resulted to crops and buildings in the lowlands along these streams. Accompanying the torrents of rain was a large amount of hail, which did great injury to crops.

Three miners were crushed to death in the new mine of the Nova Scotia Steel and Coal company at Sydney. The men were working deep in the pit when a loaded box accidentally fell into the pit and on top of them.

Seventeen miles of Golden & Southern railway tracks in Clear Creek canyon, Colorado, was washed away as the result of a cloudburst.

Long Pine, Neb., was visited by a tornado and heavy damage was done. With but few exceptions all the fronts of store buildings were blown in. Three persons were hurt.

Thomas Smith of Chicago was seized by an epileptic fit while launch riding on Spring lake, near Grand Rapids, Mich. He jumped into the lake during the fit and drowned.

A. S. Freeman was instantly killed and B. O. Wuri seriously injured by an explosion of gas in the basement of the building occupied by them as a grocery store at Plattsmouth, Neb.

Mrs. Louis H. Ebert and little son of Beaumont, were killed by a train at Galveston, Tex. They jumped from an automobile, trying to escape the cars, but were caught beneath the wheels.

The cable of the inclined railroad in Prospect house at Niagara Falls broke, permitting both cars to plunge to the foot of the incline. Several of the passengers were injured. None of their injuries is fatal.

The little town of Polk, Neb., founded last September, was badly wrecked by combined wind and hail storms. Business buildings were demolished or damaged and crops over a considerable distance ruined.

Mrs. O. D. Taylor of Marshalltown, Iowa, was overcome by gas from a leaking stove and was found by her husband. He attempted to bear her to safety, but was himself overcome. Both were found unconscious on the floor and were resuscitated.

Three members of the crew of the steam yacht Yacona, belonging to Henry Clay Pierce of St. Louis, were drowned in the Hudson river when a small yawl carrying six of the Yacona's crew and a dock man was capsized by a sailor who rocked the boat.

Crimes and Criminals.

Marion R. Biggs, convicted at Portland, Or., of conspiracy in the famous Blue Mountain land fraud case, was sentenced to ten months in the Multnomah county jail. He will also pay a fine of $500.

Gaston P. Phillip, the Washington and New York clubman who has been held in jail in Washington since May 18 on the charge of murdering Frank MacAboy, has been admitted to bail in the sum of $25,000.

Waiting through the long hours of the night for the return of her husband, Mrs. H. V. Kerschner of Centerville, Iowa, took an overdose of headache powders and lay down to die. She was dead when her husband returned.

The federal grand jury at Chicago returned indictments alleging violation of the Sherman anti-trust law against the Stafford Manufacturing company of that city, and alleged member of the trust in school and church furniture.

As the result of a drunken row at Aldridge, Mont., John Ferrey was shot to death and George Roberts was so severely cut that he will die. Six men have been arrested, charged with the crime. The killing was the outcome of a quarrel.

Will Kitchins and Jesse McCollum, both negroes, were publicly hanged at Marion, Ark. Kitchins was convicted of having murdered J. T. Foster, a white man, last September, and McCollum of criminally assaulting an aged negro woman.

Domestic.

Ben Reynolds, president of the coal miners' union at Mount Lake, Tenn., who was shot by W. H. Bellows, labor agent, is dead.

There has been an appendicitis epidemic at Grundy Center, Iowa. During the past two weeks ten operations have been performed.

F. L. Eaton, president of the Sioux City Stock Yards company, has purchased the Sioux Falls packing plant. The consideration is said to be about $150,000.

American delegates to the International Masonic conference at Brussels say the next international conference will be held in the United States five years hence.

A cablegram from Swatow, China, announces the drowning of Dr. E. Worley, a medical missionary. He was a graduate of the Rush medical college, Chicago.

As the result of the placing of a Sunday lid upon Dubuque, five saloonkeepers have closed their doors and announce that they will go out of business permanently.

A Seattle dispatch to the Portland Oregonian says orders have been given to rush the work on the battleships Oregon and Wisconsin, which are undergoing extensive repairs at the yards.

The Northwestern Lumber company, the principal stockholders in which are the Bradley brothers and M. F. Quinn of Pennsylvania, has purchased 10,000 acres of timber land in Western Washington. The consideration was $2,000,000.

The widow of Bartholdi, the creator of the Statue of Liberty at New York, in addition to giving a valuable collection of art treasures to the town of Kolmar, Alsace, her husband's birthplace, has presented the municipality with $40,000 to be used in founding a Bartholdi museum.

Roland Faulkner has resigned the commissionership of education for Porto Rico. He is to become associated with the Civic Federation, New York, in an editorial capacity. Prof. Dexter of the University of Illinois succeeds Mr. Faulkner.

TRIAL OF HAYWOOD

For Murder of Gov. Steunenberg.

Moyer on Stand for His Comrade.

Boise, Idaho, July 13.—William D. Haywood took the oath yesterday as a witness in his own defense, and in a lengthy narrative of his life and his work as a leader of his fellow miners, denied guilt of the murder of Frank Steunenberg and the manifold crimes charged against him by Harry Orchard.

Haywood's testimony was chiefly characterized with positive denials of allegations made against him by the prosecution. He denied that he met Orchard until some time after the Vindicator explosion; denied that he sent Orchard back to Cripple Creek to blow up the Independence station; denied participation in the Lyte Gregory murder, and denied suggesting or discussing the Steunenberg murder.

Never Gave Orchard Money.

He swore that he never gave Orchard any money at any time or place for any purpose. He declared that he never made a threat against Steunenberg, whom he said he regarded only as he did any politician who is being swayed by capitalistic influence. The direct examination had not reached the connection of Jack Simpkins and the action of the federation after Steunenberg was murdered when adjournment interrupted it.

Haywood Stands Borah's Grilling.

Boise, July 14. — William D. Haywood, charged with the murder of Frank Steunenberg, left the witness chair this afternoon. He had been under examination six hours, the time being equally divided between his own counsel and Senator Borah, who conducted the cross-examination. Haywood's testimony practically closes the case for the defense. One witness will be called to-day and his examination will take up about fifteen minutes. The state will then begin the rebuttal.

Rapid-fire Questions.

Borah's cross-examination, always rapid fire, was more than usually quick yesterday, but from first to last Haywood preserved complete self-control. At times his replies came, as quickly as the questions were flung at him. Again he would hesitate and speak slowly, with marked emphasis. Mr. Borah's manner was courteous throughout, but now and then a tinge of sarcasm appeared as he insisted on a direct answer and Haywood appeared reluctant. Haywood in turn was as courteous as the cross-examiner.

Feeling Toward Steunenberg.

Once when Senator Borah pressed Haywood as to his sentiment toward Former Governor Steunenberg, Haywood said quietly and with a smile, "I felt no different toward Steunenberg than I do towards you or any of those people."

Senator Borah looked up quickly but did not smile. He said very quietly: "Yes; I have been given to understand something of that sort," and did not pursue the subject.

Much of Haywood's testimony yesterday was a repetition in detail of what Moyer said Thursday. Haywood, however, made no effort to deny his knowledge of Orchard and his affairs or his connection with Simpkins.

Haywood Denies Crimes.

Like Moyer, Haywood said he had never heard Orchard make threats against Steunenberg. Haywood in many particulars confirmed Orchard, but where Orchard connected Haywood or the Western Federation with crime the witness was emphatic and prompt in his denials. He showed no desire to conceal the fact that Orchard had visited him at his house, or that he on different occasions had intimate conversations with Orchard. He denounced the administration of Colorado at the time of the troubles as corrupt and he extolled the Western Federation.

Sensations Are Many.

Boise, Idaho, July 16. — Sensation followed sensation quickly in the Haywood trial Saturday, when the state commenced its rebuttal evidence.

One witness confessed to participation in a labor riot, resulting in the death of two men; the record of conviction of murder in the second degress of a witness for the defense was introduced, and the proof of another having been sent to an insane asylum upon the information of his neighbors was offered, its admissibility was argued and the decision of the court will be handed down on Monday morning.

Perjury Is Charged.

A crowded court room, somewhat bored by legal commonplaces, sprang to strained attention when William Dewey, a witness in rebuttal for the state, confessed to armed participation in the destruction of the Bunker Hill and Sullivan concentrator at Wardner on April 29, 1898, when two men were killed and a mob of 1,000 men participated in a riot.

Said Davis Led Mob.

Harry Orchard commenced his series of great crimes at Wardner. He confessed to lighting one of the fuses that started the explosion, and he swore that William F. Davis, known among his fellows as "Big Bill" Davis, led the mob.

Witnesses for the defense have sworn that Orchard was not at Wardner on April 29. Davis himself has sworn to have been elsewhere and positively denied any connection with the crime.

Served Out Guns.

Dewey swore that not only did "Big Bill" accompany the mob to Wardner, but that he served out guns, rifles and ammunition to the union men gathered in the union hall at Burke before they went to Wardner, and was one of the leaders of the column that advanced on the concentrator before the work of destruction commenced.

Ten witnesses in rebuttal were examined Saturday. Most of them were called to disprove statements as to Orchard's movements.

Another Perjury Charge.

Boise, July 17. — Another warrant charging perjury against a witness who has testified for the defense in the Haywood trial was issued last evening. C. W. Aller, formerly a telegraph operator and ticket agent at the Florence & Cripple Creek railroad at Cripple Creek, Colo., is charged with the offense by the prosecuting attorney of Ada county.

Orchard Again Testifies.

Harry Orchard reappeared on the stand was asked a few questions as to his acquaintance with some of the witnesses for the defense who have testified as to his movements. On cross-examination he admitted that his uncle, Peter McKinley, committed suicide by hanging thirty or fourteen years ago. Counsel for the defense asked Orchard if this uncle was not insane before he killed himself, and also tried to show by the witness that his maternal grandfather was insane, his monomania being imaginary crimes committed a long time ago in Ireland. Orchard denied all knowledge of the grandfather, but admitted that his uncle was emented.

Make Witness Out a Liar.

The entire afternoon was taken up with the examination of witnesses who contradicted the evidence given by C. W. Aller, who testified for the defense in support of a charge of conspiracy against the Western Federation of Miners, in which it is alleged the mine owners' organization, the Citizens' alliance and the Pinkerton detective agency were concerned. Aller swore that he saw Orchard and D. C. Scott together at the depot of the Florence & Cripple Creek railway on a Sunday about three weeks prior to the explosion at the Independence depot on the 6th day of June, 1904. Scott yesterday afternoon swore that he was not in Cripple Creek at the time and a number of witnesses corroborated this. As a result of this rebuttal testimony information was sworn out after court adjourned, charging Aller with perjury.

Rebut Evidence of the Defense.

Boise, Idaho, July 18.—In the last stages of the case against William D. Haywood the prosecution put six witnesses on the stand yesterday to rebut the evidence of the defense. Three testified to conditions in the Coeur d'Alenes in 1899 and three to the situation in Colorado during the strike period of 1903 and 1904. The important witnesses of the day were those to contradict the showing made by witnesses for the defense that there was no reason for calling out the militia of Colorado other than a desire on the part of the mine owners to drive members of the Western Federation of Miners from the mining district. One witness flatly contradicted the evidence introduced by the defense to show that the explosion at the Vindicator mine was due to an accident.

Perjury Charge Heard.

While the trial was going on in the district court before Judge Wood an interesting offshoot of the case was being held in the small room used as a court by Justice of the Peace Savage. C. W. Aller, the depot agent, who was arrested charged with perjury, was brought before the magistrate for a preliminary hearing.

The principal witness in the perjury hearing was Orchard himself. He went over his testimony with D. C. Shott, the railroad agent, who Aller swore interviewed Orchard in Cripple Creek two or three weeks before the explosion at the Independence depot, on June 6, 1904.

Orchard Sticks to Story.

Orchard was closely cross-questioned, but no amount of questioning brought out any material change in the original story. A number of other witnesses were examined, the case taking up most of the day. A motion to dismiss will be argued to-day. Aller was released on $2,500 bond.

LOCKJAW FATAL TO TWO.

Mule's Kick and Splinter Cause Two Deaths in Iowa.

Albia, Iowa, July 14. — Two deaths from lockjaw occurred here yesterday. Albert Ann was kicked on the end of a finger by a mule several days ago. Blood poison followed amputation and he died in terrible agony.

Mrs. George Williams ran a splinter into her finger several weeks ago. Tetanus resulted in spite of amputation, causing death.

Governor's Salute Fatal.

Port Townsend, Wash., July 13. — One man killed and two severely burned marred the reception to Gov. Mead and staff at Fort Worden yesterday.

As a governor's salute of seventeen guns was fired from a battery one gun became overheated and as the charge was driven home it exploded. Private Tobassen, Sixty-second company, received the full force of the charge, which blew off one arm and badly mashed his hand.

DEFENSE RESTS IN HAYWOOD CASE

DAY OF ARGUMENT ON THE ADMISSIBILITY OF CERTAIN EVIDENCE.

CLOSING ARGUMENTS TO-DAY

THE DEFENSE ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE NO FURTHER WITNESSES.

Boise, Idaho, July 20.—A day of arguments on the admissibility of points of evidence followed the announcement from the defense that they had no further witnesses to offer in behalf of Haywood. The jury was not brought into court, Judge Wood having been informed by counsel of their decision to rest without offer of surrebuttal. Clarence Darrow spoke for an hour and a half in the morning session. Senator Borah replied in the afternoon and was followed by E. F. Richardson. Judge Wood will probably announce his decision this morning.

To Exclude Evidence.

The point argued was the proposition to exclude consideration of evidence offered by the defense to show by proof of the deportation of miners and the employment of detectives in Cripple Creek district of Colorado that a conspiracy was formed among the mine owners and the citizens of the district to prevent the employment of members of the Western Federation of Miners. The position taken by the Haywood defense was that Harry Orchard was employed by the Mine Owners' association through detectives to commit crimes that were charged to the federation; that public opinion was aroused against the union miners, and '' t, if the Colorado evidence for the state was admitted the defense had the right to show a counter conspiracy.

State Replies.

The reply of the state was that the defense had failed legally to connect their case in any of the particulars stated, and therefore their evidence merely confused the issue.

J. M. Hawley will open the argument for the state this morning. It is expected that he will take the entire day. Mr. Richardson, for the defense, will speak Saturday.

FIGHTS POISON AND WINS.

Assayer by Heroic Treatment Saves Superintendent From Death.

Deadwood, S. D., July 20.—But for the prompt action of some of his fellow workers, Supt. O. H. Brown of the Golden Reward Mining company's mill would have met death by poisoning. In making some tests with a cyanide solution Mr. Brown accidentally swallowed some of the fluid through a glass tube. He was nearly dead when discovered by the assayer, who applied heroic treatment and saved Mr. Brown's life.

ALLEGED HORSETHIEF NABBED.

Tom Nelson, Charged With Being Being Head of Gang, is in Toils.

Belle Fourche, S. D., July 20.—After a year of searching throughout the Northwest, Sheriff William Moses of Butte county, with the assistance of Sheriff Joe Farrell of Sundance, Wyo., has arrested Tom Nelson, charged with being the head of a gang of horsethieves that has been preying upon the stockmen of four states for several years past.

BRIDE-TO-BE IS BEREAVED.

Expects Lover on Wedding Day and Gets News of His Death.

Des Moines, July 20.—Instead of the lover whom she expected, Miss Agnes McClellan received a telegram announcing his sudden death at Oakland, Cal. The dead man was Reuhle Boren, and he and Miss McClellan were to have been married yesterday.

Station Agent Roughly Handled.

Fargo, N. D., July 20.—Cass county has had its first whitecapping. At Leonard differences arose between Station Agent A. L. Mattson and the citizens over some matters, and one night recently five masked men took Mattson from his hotel, dragged him some distance with a rope around his neck and then applied a coat of tar. Mattson refuses to leave the place, and, armed with a pair of revolvers, he still acts as agent.

Saved by Football Man.

Muscatina, Iowa, July 20. — Cresco White, famous football player and next year's captain of the Iowa university team, made a hero of himself yesterday by leaping from the deck of a government boat and rescuing five-year-old Ralph Tohey from the Mississippi.

Burglars Have a Snap.

St. Paul, July 20.—Burglars got into the shoe store of Frank Erling early yesterday morning and secured $327.25. About $50 was taken from the cash register, and the balance from the safe, which was not locked.

Fight May Be Fatal.

Minneapolis, July 20.—Samuel Anderson, a laborer, was probably fatally injured in a fight last night. Two men are under arrest, who, it is alleged, attacked Anderson with bricks and weapons.

DEATH AND RUIN IN FLOOD

FOUR LIVES LOST AND $500,000 DAMAGE DONE IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Pittsburg, July 20.—Conservative reports from West Virginia indicate that the flood caused by storms and cloudbursts during the past forty-eight hours is receding and the damage will reach at least half a million dollars.

Four deaths have thus far been reported.

At Macomber, in Preston county, greatest damage was sustained. The loss to the county in bridges will reach $100,000. At this place, while Mrs. Bolyard and her two children were standing on a porch watching the waters that had already reached the floor, the porch was swept away. A moment later Bolyard stepped to the door only in time to see his entire family swept away.

Claudius Wolf lost his life while attempting to wade across a bridge. When in the middle of the structure the bridge was washed away.

The damage to the Baltimore & Ohio railroad will reach $200,000.

The most damage to private property was at Newburg, where several buildings were washed away and nearly every house was flooded.

DOUKHOBORS ON THE MARCH.

Deluded Russians in Manitoba Seek New Utopia Clad in Nighties.

Makinak, Man., July 20.—Clothed in straw hats, night dresses and a hectic flush, thirty simple, deluded Doukhobors passed through here on their long pilgrimage to Winnipeg and the "warm country," where they expect to find Utopia, in which the sun always shines and one does not have to eat meat or butter, but can live to a ripe old age on onions and bread. All the pilgrims were weary and footsore, but pressed on with an unmistakable belief that they will soon reach a haven of rest. The party left Swan River, 800 miles from Winnipeg, July 8. They left all their possessions behind.

PISTOLS DRAWN; KNIVES FLASH.

Republican Convention in Indian Territory Scene of Disorder.

Muskogee, I. T., July 20. — An attempt by Henry Asp, a railroad attorney of Guthrie, to address the Republican county convention here yesterday converted the meeting into a fighting mob.

Pistols were drawn, knives flashed and chairs wielded with telling effect, resulting in bruises and minor injuries to several persons.

Deputy United States Marshal Ledbetter appeared on the scene with a drawn revolver and restored order.

Tieup Now Is Complete.

Superior, Wis., July 20.—Workmen at the Allonez ore docks of the Great Northern struck at noon yesterday, refusing to work unless given 25 cents more per day. This completes the tieup of the Head of the Lakes docks and many more boats will be compelled to lay up pending a settlement.

Fined for Using Vile Language.

Faribault, Minn., July 20.—Joseph McCarthy was convicted by a jury in justice court of using vile language, Mary Mohan being the complaining witness. He was fined $10 and costs, making $39.40. He will appeal the case to the district court.

Will Walk Around the World.

Grand Rapids, Wis., July 20.—R. A Cleveland, a student at Ripon college, whose home is near here, has started on a pedestrian tour of the world. Mr Cleveland expects to complete his journey inside of two years.

Taken With Cramps; Drowns.

Milbank, S. D., July 20.—Gwin Tarvin, a young man twenty-three years old, was taken with cramps and drowned at the Milbank dam. He had been playing baseball and was heated before entering the water.

2,300 Volts Kill Man.

Billings, Mont., July 20.—Lewis O Johnson, a lineman employed by the Billings Water Power company, was instantly killed here as a result of coming in contact with a live wire carrying 2,300 volts.

Broke Dynamite Cartridge.

Waterbury, Conn., July 20.—Philip Pope, nine years old, son of Vincenzo Pope, found a dynamite cartridge. He broke it with a stone. It cut his neck terribly, severing the jugular vein killing him.

Man Buried in Well.

Annandale, Minn., July 20.—Thomas F. Bullock, a pioneer of Wright county, while digging a well was buried underneath tons of earth which suddenly caved in.

Drowned While Bathing.

Cedar Falls, Iowa, July 20.—Leroy Habenicht, seventeen years old, was drowned yesterday while bathing in Fisher lake.

Two Men Hurt in Mine.

Sparta, Minn., July 20. — Two men were injured in the Gilbert mine here and one died in the ambulance on the way to the hospital. The Genoa mines here are closed down on account of the strike at Two Harbors.

Two Fishermen Lost in Storm.

Vancouver, B. C., July 20. — Two fishermen lost their lives Monday morning in what is regarded by steamship men as the worst storm they ever have seen in the northern end of the Gulf of Georgia.

THE STATE DAY BY DAY

News of Interest.

BETTER BASIS FOR TAXATION.

Commission Aims to Get Facts on Values.

The state tax commission in the lost few days has sent out two importnnt communications to the county auditors of the state. One of these calls for the name of every persooal property taxpayer in the state, together with the items on which he pays. The commission some weeks ago sent men through the state to gather from the records a list of the taxes on realty, together with prices on real estate transfers in each taxing district during the last year. Compliance with this request to the auditors will put the commission in possession of information of all taxes paid to the state and upon what valuation.

Another letter asks of the county auditor samples of all forms, blanks and pages from the records in use in their office. The commission will compare these forms, try to simply them and to establish a system of uniform blanks for the use of county auditors. This will reduce the work of obtaining information to a minimum, and at the same time standardize the work of the auditors.

The commission recently issued another letter, addressed to the county boards of equalization, who on July 15 will have in their possession the returns from the assessors and town boards of review. The tax commission extends greetings and urges the boards to use discretion in their difficult task so that the amount of personal property placed on the assessment rolls will compare in some degree with the wealth and standing of the people in the community.

The work of compiling personal property tax lists entalls much effort on the part of the county auditors, and as partial compensation the commission will pay at the rate of 75 cents a hundred names. These names will be entered in special blank books, with room for forty names in a book, with entries under each of the divisions of the thirty items which may be assessed in this state. The commission will send these blanks to the auditors so that all records in the state office may be uniform. It is anticipated that fully 200,000 names will be reported. The commission has asked that the work be completed by Aug. 20.

The field agents of the commission are now at work, preparing a similar list of the realty owners of the state. Reports on the value of the mines are coming in rapidly and the commission expects soon to have ample information upon which to base a scientific scheme for the state wide equalization of taxes. From the report it will be noted where the tax is at widest variance with the reported assessment or where the assessment varies from the report of sales of real estate in that district the past year. By these and similar comparisons the commissioners will be able to arrive at figures which will mean a fairer taxation for all property in the state.

They have requested the reports from mines to be in by next Monday. Letters were sent in June to every mine or holder of a mineral lease, asking information concerning the amount of property, estimated tonnage at shipping mines, classification and physical characteristics of ore bodies, operating cost, value of structures and equipment, yearly shipments and receipts aod the amouut of ore in stock. These reports will enablo the commissioa to compare the taxes of various propertiea with the value of their output.

Miss Emma Hickman, who received her training in the Wisconsin state reference library, has been ploced by the commission in charge of the reference library which the commission is collecting. This library will include books on all phases of taxation and be accessible to the legislators and public.

GREAT RACES FOR STATE FAIR.

Entry List Shows Some of the Fastest in the Country.

Secretary C. N. Cosgrove of the Minnesota State Fair association has completed the compilation of the entry list of horses nominated for eight of the great races to be held at the state fair track next September during fair week. The entries closed on July 1. Six more races will close on Aug. 15, making the list of fourteen great races complete.

The fair officials are especially pleased with the quality of horses entered for this year's racing. Some of the greatest horsemen in the country have made entries and will bold the ribbons over the backs of some of the best trotters and pacers now on tbe American track. Ed Geera, Charlie Dean, John Laabs, Dick McMahon and men of that caliber will be at the state fair this year.

The fastest class of the races announced is the 2:08 pace, which has fifteen entries, among them the great Castlewood. The $5,000 2:13 pace for St. Paul day drew almost exsctly the same number of entries as last year—twenty-nine—aod has a bunch of horses lined up which will moke the greatest rnce ever seen on the state fafr grounds. Tbe 2:21 trot for $5,000 has fewer entries, but tbey are very select.

For the colt racc, the 2:45 trot, the mansgemeot is pleaaed with the largest list of entries ever made in tbe class. Some of tbe best stables in tbs country are represented on tha list

GOOD PRICES FOR STATE LANDS.

Total of 70,000 Acres Disposed of at Auction.

A series of eigbteen nuction sales of stote lands has just been closed by the state auditor. About 70,000 acres were sold, from which the state will receive about $550,000, and of this amount $75,000 was taken in on the first payments on the land sold. Tbe averoge price received for the laod was $7.50, which is about ths same as the average lsst yesr.

The state nuditor ssid that in many of the places visited during the sales it was found that quite a number of people from other states had been attracted to the state by the extensive advertising which the stnte hss done, and that tbey purchased improved farms as a result of their investigations. In one county he was told that about 10,000 acres bad changed hands withiu two weeks of tbe holding of the state sale tbere, which was believed to be due largely to the advertising which had attracted the attention of the people io other states to the advantages in Minnesotn farming communities. There were also n number of non-resident bidders at ths state sales just concluded aod about fifty of the sales were made to people from other states, iocluding Wisconsin, Iowa, Illinois, North and South Dakota.

The state has threc purposes in view in holding these auction sales of state lands. The first is to sell the lands for thc benefit of tbe school fund and the settlement of tha districts in which the lsnd is located. Another purpose is to advertise the state throughout the country aa nn agricultural state, as well as to call attention to the general resources of the statc and get people from outside to come here and investigate. Tbe third purpose is to make the people of the state realize what is here. In several counties there was discovered a restless feeling nmong some of tbe farmers duc to their reading of the advantages in other places and in such places the auditor made it n point to advise them to hold to tbeir Minnesota farms, which have mada them rich, and if they were impressed with the promises of some otber placa to spend a little money on n tour of investigation before they cut loosa from the Minnesota farms. If they did so he felt sure they would come back to their old farms to stay.

The last of the sales were held at Pine City, Pine county. Deputy Auditor C. S. Brown conducted this sale. The total sales will reach over 70,000 acres. St. Louis county heads the list in the number of acres sold, with 8,800, and Aitkin comes next, with 8,600. The lowest record was made in Crow Wing county, where 800 acres were disposed of.

The sales by counties were aa follows: St. Louis, 8,800; Itasca, 5,400; Carlton, 3,200; Aitkin, 8,600; Clearwater, 3,200; Crow Wing, 800; Beltrami, 3,900; Cass, 3,200; Hubbard, 3,300; Wadena, 1,000; Todd, 2,520; Kittson, 4,900; Marshall, 5,800; Roseau, 5,500; Red Lake, 2,480; Becker, 4,080.

INSECTS KILL POULTRY.

Gnat Pests Are Doing Damage Near St. Peter.

Buffalo gnats, tbe "no-see-'em-fly" of tha Indian, nra killing hundreds of chickens in St. Peter and immediate vicinity. The pests work their way up under the feathers of the fowl's neck and hy sucking its blood csuss death. So numerous are the insects and so ravenous do they become that chickens will not leave tbeir coops to eat or drink, and poultry fanciers sny they already have encountered heavy losses.

This is the most serious aspect of an insect plague that is making itself manifest throughout tbat part of the statc. The gnats, which arc scarcely larger than the head of a pin, breed by countless millions in the flooded lands along tbe Minnesota river and swarm everywbere. Along tbe streets, and particularly under shade trees, there are clouds of the diminutive flies, and tbey are so annoying that many have adopted a beaddress of mosquito bar that they may obtain comfort

Cattle and horses may be made immune from the bites of the insects by protecting tbeir ears and nostrils, hut the poultry growers have been unable to devise a way to cope with tbe pests.

BEAR ATTACKS MEN.

Cedar Inspectors Drive Off Mrs. Bruin After a Fight.

Hill City, Minn., July 13. — I. G. Sailor and Mike Featherstone, wbils inspecting cedar, were attacked by a bear. Mrs. Bruin bad two cubs with her, who quickly climbed a tree wbila their mother took after the intruders. The mea succeeded in driving the animal away after a desperate fight.

LIMITS LICENSE RIGHTS.

Judge at St. Peter Rules on Powers of City Councils.

According to a ruling msde by Judge I. M. Olsen st St. Peter, tha provisions of the general statutes covering tbe issunnce of licenses to sell intoxicating liquors doea not apply in cities which have specinl chsrters.

The decision wsa hnnded down in the csse of George L. Evana againat the city of Redwood Fnlls. The same question hos arisen in many other towns throughout the stata.

WOULD SELL INDIAN'S PINE.

Allen Says Chippewas Have 300,000 000 Feet, Worth $3,000,000.

If Supt. Allen of the Red Lake Indian reservotion has his wsy, 300,000,000 feet of standing timber on the peninsula between the upper and the lower lake will be placed on tbe market. This timber is worth at least $10 a thousand feet, which means that tbe 1,300 Indians, Red Lske Chippewas, now on the reservation will be entitled to $3,000,000.

So asserts Gen. C. C. Andrews, executive agent of tbe forestry board, wbo has just made a trip of investigation for the board to the Red Lake district.

"In connection with Supt. Allen's recommendation that this timber be sold," aaid Gen. Andrews, "he will suggest that the sale be not on a standing scale, but on a scale to ba made after the timber is cut. He will also recommend that the sales he made with the agreement that the cutting of the timber be dons by the Indians, to be paid by tbe purchasers. The timber is on land which when cleared will be cspecially adapted for agricultural purposes. Supt. Allen will endeavor to bave it so used by tbe Indians wbeo cleared. He is doing all he can to encourage the Indians in agriculture and bas bought them a threshing machine and implements. Soms 400 acres are now under cultivation by tbe Indians, when 300,000 acres are available.

"I thing tbat most of our pcople be surprised at tbe progress being made in civilization by the Red Lake Indians," said Gen. Andrews. "Those indisns have two large and well equipped schools the principsl one being at the village of Red Lake and tbe other at Ponemah, on a peninaula, and situated in a cleared and cultivated plateau on tbe north ahore of Lower Red lake. This band of Cbippewas is under the charge of an agent in the civil service whose title is superintendent of scbools.

MUST BE "STRICTLIES."

Stale Eggs May Get Dealers into Trouble.

Edward K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner, has issued a circular calling attention to the law prohibiting dealers from selling stale eggs. He issuea a warning that violations of this law will be prosecuted whanever evidence can be obtained. Hereafter dealera muat be careful to offer for sale only fresh and wholesoms eggs. The law also relates to all food and dairy products, and the attention of crenm producers and buyers ia specifically called to its provisions.

The letter follows:

"Tbe attention of producera and dealers in eggs is called to the provisions of chapter 384, General Laws, 1907, which provide that 'No person sball deal in or sell for use as food any filthy, decomposed, diseased or otherwise unwholesome food or dairy products, eitber in a natural state or in any manufactured, mixed or prepared condition, etc.' Violators of tbis law are liahle to a fine of $50 or imprisonment for sixty days.

"All producera are warned not to offer eggs for sale wbich are not fresh and wholesome, and all dealera who buy or deal in stale or rotten eggs will be prosecuted.

"The attention of cream producers and cream buyers ia also called to tba provisions of thia law.

"This department will enforce this law with special reference to the sale of the above-mentioned foor articles, and prosecutious will follow against offenders wherever evidence can be obtained."

ISN'T ALARMED BY BUG.

State Entomologist Doesn't Anticipate Serious Damage.

State Entomologist Washburn has made tbc following statement:

"Altbough we have found the genuine Soutbern green bug in various localities in Minnesota, wheat appears thoroughly well along and unless unfavorable weather conditions prevail from now on we do not anticipate serious injury. At present the Nortbern native form is much more abundant than tbe Southern form."

The farmers bave been watching with deep interest and increasing alarm the movements of the green bug. Opinions are widely different, some farmers claiming that the damage will not be noticeable, while others assert that a binder will not run in the vicinity of Roaemount this year. Careful consideration of the available evidence results in the opinion tbat tbere is but little damage done as yet, and though the bugs csn be found in every field, they do not appear in vaat numbers in any one place. Tbose who bave made a close study of tbe buga since their arrival there say tbat it takes only three hours from the time the egg la laid until the young bug is hatched and able to make his own living.

The enrollment at the teachers' training school at Caledonia bas reached 110, and as Houston county has but 107 districts, tbis meana that nearly every teacher who taught in the county during the past yesr is in attendance.

Smith E. Boyse is dead at Spring Valley of heart disease, aged sixty-six yeara. He waa a veteran of the Civil war and for many yenra had been largely engaged in buying and selling live atock. Hs went to Spring Valley forty-six years ago.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Susan Jetto, nine years old, was run over and killed by a string of ore cars at Chisholm.

Emory Norton, fourteen years old, wss drowned in a small lake at South Park, a suburb of St. Psul, while bathing.

Max Holzappel of Minneapolis was drowned in Green lake, near Chisago City, while bathing. He was seized with crsmps.

Edward Hayes died st tbe hospital st Biwabik from injuries received by bsing run down by an ore traiu on the Iron Rsnge road near Summit.

As the result of overturning a gssoline stove the three-year-old son of J. Haffeley of Ricbmond waa so badly burned thst death ensued a short time lster.

Cbarles Willis, aged sixteen, son of James Willis, bad botb legs cut off wbile attempting to board n moving freight train at Staples. He will probably die.

His mind unbalanced by worry over the illness of his wife, Frank P. Rezek of Belle Plaine committed suicide by shooting himself in the stomach witb n shotgun.

Tbe two bank robbers, White and Cbester, were sentenced by Judge Brown at Windom, Wbite receiving ten years and Chester nine at Stillwater prison.

Henry Montgomery, sixty-three yesrs old, dropped dead in tbe lavatory of the Ryan botel in St. Paul. Death is thought to have resulted from apoplexy.

Neil Bsgley, a nine-yesr-old boy of St. Paul, held a firecracker in his mouth while it exploded. His lips and toogue were terribly lacerated and tetanus is feared.

Mr. Achterberg, a trainman, wss criticslly injured nt Dawson by being run over by a train. His right leg and arm were so badly mangled tbat they had to be amputated.

Falling 15 feet from an outside stairway at hia home in Dulutb, John Kuloick, sn Austrian, landed upon s pile of rock and broke his neck. Hs died two houra afterward.

John Rogosiewski was drowned at the Watsb Pulp and Paper company'a dam at Sauk Rapids. Rogosiewski is tha sixth man drowned since work was begun on the dam two yeara ago.

Nick Roae, allaa Joe Rusaell, arrested at Albert Lea on auspicion of being a man wsnted in the Blsck Hills, South Dakota, for borse stealing, took bis own life in the jail at Albart Lea.

An unknown man wss found in a dying condition in a skiff at Fountain City, just off the Burlington tracks. It ia anpposed he waa run down by one of the night trains snd injured, but waa nble to crawl to the skiff.

Mrs. Eliza C. Reed, eighty yesrs old, was burned to a crisp in St. Paul, dying before her awful plight wsa discovered. A gssoline stove was responsible for the tragedy, but it ia not known how the accident occurred.

Jullua Holm ia dead at Harris as tha result of an accident. While out driving he fell from a buggy and landed on hia head. When he waa picked up his right side was paralyzed. Ha continued to grow worse until deatb relieved his sufferings.

A teachers' summer school is being conducted at Cambridge by Prof. E. L. Porter of Hastings and A. E. Pickard of Hinckley, assisted by Miss Alice E. Fluke of Minneapolis, who has chsrgs of tbe model work. Tbere are twenty-eight teachers in attendance.

Six of tbe eighteen men who were riding on a handcar on tbe Misaabs road near Hibbing were seriously injured when the car was struck by a string of empties. The others jumped when they saw a collision was insvitsble and escaped serious injury.

The postoffice and general atore of George W. Slater at the village of Afton, near Stillwater, were burglarized. The hooty secured amounted to $600. It included $90 of postoffics property, including stamps, $300 in cash of the store, besides a lot of silverware belonging to Mr. Slater.

Gus Johnson committed auicide in the railroad station at Iron Junction, near Virginia, in a dramatio and highly aensational manner. A number of persona were in the station awaiting ths arrival of trains when Johnson auddenly bared his bresst and plunged a long-blsded knife into it. He was placed on a train and hurried to the hospital at Virginia, but bled to death before it was reached.

Oacar Mortenson, a young man residing about thres miles west of Harris, met with a peculiar desth. A boil or carbuncle appeared on hia knes Friday or Saturday. It continnad to grow worse until Sundsy, when a doctor was called in. It was decided to operate on it. Hs was placsd under an anesthetic, but did not rally, and he died, presumsbly from the shock, as he was not very robuat.

Horsemen and chicken fanciers of Lake Crystal and vicinity sre at thsir wits' end for a remedy for gnats that are killing horaes, eapecially colts, and chickens. The insects bury themselves in the horaes' and chickens' ears, which ia ths cause of their death.

Judge Carpenter of Northfield rendered his decision in the case of L. O. Olson, sgent for the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omsha railroad. Olson is aentenced to be confined in the county jail for one hour for charging freight rates in excess of law. An appeal will be taken.

WESTERN MEN IN NEW YORK.

Brains of Mountain and Prairie in Demand in ths Financial Center.

Ever sincs the early days, whan D. O. Mills, J. B. Haggin and James R. Keene "emigrated" from California to New York, the metropolis has been drawing largsly on the west and south for its supply of "men who do things." Theodore P. Shonts, both a southerner and westernar, who has undertaken to solve New York's great transit problem, is tbe latest importation in response to the call of tha east.

Tha promptness with which Thos. F. Ryan, of Virginia, turned ths Equitable Life Assurancs Society over to its policyholders, who now elect a msjority of its Board of Directors, and divested himself of tha control of the stock which he bought from Jas. H. Hyde, and ths success of the new mansgemant of the Society under ths direction of President Paul Morton, have crested a demand for the strong man of tha south and west that is greater thsn ever before. Under the Morton mansgement the Equitable has made a better showing than any otber insurancs company in tba way of improved methods, economies and increased returns to policyholders.

E. H. Gary, head of the greatest corporation in ths world—ths U. S. Steel Co.—John W. Gates, Henry C. Frick, Norman B. Ream, Wm. H. Moore and Danial G. Reid are other westerners who are among ths biggest msn in Nsw York.

TALES OF A PHOTOGRAPHER.

Strange Requests Made of Him by All Sorts of People.

Portrait taking is not so monotonous and uninterssting a calling as one would suppose. In ths coursa of a day a photographer meets with unusual advsntures and lsarns remarkable stories about people.

Recently a well-known photographer in a larga city was visited by a lady who asked him to photograph mors than 200 miles. Thess wsra addressed to ths lady by a man and wers of a very ardent nature.

After sha had aecured pictures she purchssed the plates and amashed them. It ia preaumed tha woman was offered a sum for tha return of tba lettera, but wlahed to retain hsr hold on ths man besidea getting tha money.

On another occasion a photographar was summoned by a prominent aociety man, who directed him to take a pictura of a man, whom hs described, as he was leaving a houss. Ths photographsr concealed himself near ths door nnd snapped the man. He later saw tha picture in a newspspar as that of a man who figured in a famous divorcs suit.

Somstimss photographers ars callsd upon to tsks the pictures of two friends meeting nfter a long absencs. Many can tsll of taking picturea of desd pets for broksn-hearted housewomen. A photographer racently took a picture of a dog laid out in a shroud in n little coffin.

In London a photographsr was called to the house of a wealtby man, whnm ha found drsssed in ths costume of King Lear. He posed and ordeerd several pictures to b esent to friends. Late rths photogrnphar learned the mnn had committed suicide.

Ye Sympathetic Friend.

Friend—Got a cold, I ssa.

Jinks—Yas, a little one.

"Yon ought to bs mighty carsful. That cough nesds attention."

"Think sn?"

"It has a regular grayayard sound."

"Good graciousl"

"Awful dangerous time for people with cnlds—grip, pneumonia and quick consumption evsrywhere."

"Eh?"

"Yas. A frisnd of mine took a cold, not half so bsd as yours, lsst wsek, and in thres days hs was dead."

"My stars!"

"Fact. The doctor said my friend might have pulled through if he hadn't worried so much. Taks my advice and try not to think about it."

A SMALL SECRET.

Couldn't Undsrstand the Taste of His Custnmsrs.

Two men wers discussing the varioua food products now baing supplisd in auch variety and abundancs.

One, a grocsr, said, "I frsquently try a psckage or so of any certain article before offering it to my trade, and in that way snmetimes form a different idea than my customsrs have.

"For instancs, I thought I would try some Postum Food Coffee, to see what reason there was for such a call for it. At breakfast I didn't like it and suppsr proved the same, so I naturally concluded that my taste was different from that of the customsrs who bnught it right along.

"A day or two after, I waited on a lady who was buying a 25c package and told her I couldn't understand how one could fancy the taste of Postum.

"'I know just what is the mattsr,' she said, 'you put the coffse boiler on ths stova for just fiftaen minutes, and ten minutss of that tims it simmsred, and perhaps fiva minutes it boiled; nnw if you will have it lsft to boil full fiftean minutes after it commsnces to boil, you will find a delicious Java-like heverage, rich in food value of glutsn nnd phosphates, so choice that you will nevar abandon it, particularly whan you see tha great gain in health.' Well, I took another trial and aure enough I joinsd ths Postum army for good, and life seams worth living sinca I hava gottsn rid of my old time stomach and kidnay troubles."

Postum is no sort of medicine, but pure liquid fnnd, and this, together with a relisf from coffse workad the ohange. "There's a Reason."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

2,500 SUCCUMB TO SUN'S RAYS

ELKS' PARADE IN PHILADELPHIA ATTENDED BY WHOLESALE PROSTRATIONS.

Philadelphia, July 20.—The parade of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks yesterday was marked during its progress by the prostration from heat of a number of persons, estimated by the police at 2,000. Never has there been such a wholesale prostration of people in the city. For six hours the police, ambulance surgeons and the Red Cross nurses were kept on the run looking after persons who collapsed under the scorching rays of the sun, and largely because of their excellent service but one case resulted fatally. James Rowley, aged forty-four years, of this city, died in a hospital after being stricken in the street. The other stricken persons are sold to be in good condition, with no prospect of fatal results.

The paraders traversed upwards of nine miles, yet few of those overcome by heat were in the line of march. Those who succumbed were among the spectators jammed along the street in a solid mass from one end of the line to the other.

IMITATES GIRL SUICIDE.

Consumptive Leaps Over Railing on Twelfth Floor of Building.

Chicago, July 20. — Henry Berg, a retired grocer, committed suicide yesterday by throwing himself over the railing on the twelfth floor of the Chamber of Commerce building. Berg was a consumptive and had been in a despondent mood for some time. He read the story in a morning paper of the suicide of Anna Normoyle, who was killed by jumping from the fifteenth floor of the Masonic temple, and it is thought the account gave him the motive for a quick death.

CONDEMNS THEORIES.

Holy Office Attacks Erroneous Theories on Value of Bible.

Rome, July 20. — The Osservatore Romano publishes a decree of the holy office containing a syllabus, which consists of sixty-five articles condemning the erroneous theories on the historical and religious value of the Bible and the origin of Christianity. These, it says, attack the base of Christianity and are disapproved by even the schismatic, the Protestant and the Anglican churches.

UPHOLDS LIABILITY LAW.

Admiralty Judge Sides With Sustainers of the Act.

New York, July 20.—Judge George B. Adams, in a decision rendered in the admiralty branch of the United States district court here yesterday, declared constitutional the employers' liability act passed upon by the federal courts in several states, several times having been held unconstitutional and several times constitutional.

ADMITS BLOCKING TRACK.

Discharged Section Hand Arrested for Burlington Wreck.

Washington, Iowa, July 20.—Henry Hiller, a section hand, is in jail here, charged with attempting to wreck a Burlington passenger train on the Oskaloosa branch. He has confessed to having laid a plank across the track on a bridge because he was discharged.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, July 20. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, 99c; No. 2 Northern, 96c; No. 3, 92@95c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 49 3-4c. Oats—No. 2 white, 40 7-8c.

Minneapolis, July 20. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, $1; No. 1 Northern, 99c; No. 2 Northern, 96c; durum, 76 3-4c. Oats—No. 2 white, 40 7-8c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 49 3-4c.

Duluth, July 20. — Wheat — No. 1 hard, $1.00 3-8; No. 1 Northern, 99 3-8c; No. 2 Northern, 97 7-8c. Oats—No. 2 white, 42c.

Chicago, July 20. — Wheat — No. 2 red, 90 1-4@91 1-4c; No. 2 hard, 88 3-4@90 3-4c; No. 3 spring, 96@99c; No. 1 Northern, nothing doing. Oats—No. 2 white, 44 1-2c. Corn—No. 2, 53 3-4@54c.

Milwaukee, July 20.—Wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.02@1.03; No. 2 Northern, 99c@$1.01. Rye—No. 1, 86@86 1-2c. Barley—No. 2, 86@86 1-2c.

Chicago, July 20. — Cattle—Beeves, $4.80@7.30; stockers and feeders, $2.90@5.30; calves, $5@7. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5.70@7.07 1-2; bulk, $5.70@5.95. Sheep — $4@6; lambs, $5.50@7.75.

Sioux City, Iowa, July 20.—Cattle — Beeves, $4.75@6.85; cows, bulls and mixed, $3@5.25; stockers and feeders, $3.75@4.75; calves and yearlings, $3@4.25. Hogs—$5.55@5.60.

South St. Paul, July 20.—Cattle — Good to choice steers, $5.50@6; good to choice cows and heifers, $3.50@5. Hogs—Price range, $5.70@5.90; bulk, $5.80@5.90. Sheep—Wethers, $5.50@6; good to choice ewes, $5.55@6; good to choice lambs, $7.25@8; fair, $5.50@7.25.

Murderer Electrocuted.

Columbus, Ohio, July 20. — Henry White, a negro, convicted of the murder of Marshal Eazore of Franklin, Ohio, in October, 1906, was electrocuted in the annex at the Ohio penitentiary a few minutes after midnight.

Death for Killing Six.

Chicago, July 20.—Herman Billik, who has been on trial, charged with killing by poison Adolph Vezal and five of his children, was found guilty last night and the jury fixed his sentence at death.

TOO LATE

When you have lost your eyesight to fit any glasses

If your eyes don't feel just right call at once and have them examined.

HENRY W. ANDERSON, Optician

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Only the war correspondents of the yellow press seem to be worrying about a war with Japan.

The Los Angeles Express says that Mayor Schmitz' reputation, like photographic paper, gets darker the more it is exposed.

The St. Hilaire Spectator is justly proud of the fact that its town has the best creamery in Minnesota. A good creamery is a blessing forever.

Fairbanks is in trouble with the prohibitionists on the cocktail question. Charles had much better stand by the old reliable buttermilk. There would have been less controversy, and controversy is not in his line.

Attorney General Yoong has decided that the $400,000 appropriation for roads and bridges is legal and Auditor Iverson will pay the bills on demand from the county commissioners. Red Lake county gets about $6,000 from the "pork barrel."

Editor Hitchcock of the Hibbing Tribune is putting in a bid for a summer vacation. He says "if John D. will just send us a prepaid ticket to Cleveland and return we will tell him some things about the company he is president of that he does not seem to know."

Thos. D. O'Brien, insurance commissioner, has tendered his resignation to take effect August 1, and will form a law partnership with Royal A. Stone, formerly assistant general. John A. Hartigan, the present actuary of the department, has been appointed to succeed Mr. O'Brien.

It is claimed that the Norsemen sailed over the Red River country years before the discovery of America by Columbus and an anchor purported to be from an ancient Norse ship found embedded in the clay near Crookston is pointed to as evidence; but the Alexandria News is of the opinion that the Norse invasion on the Red River is of a more recent date.

JOHNSON'S RISING STAR.

There are plenty of people not ordinarily superstitious who believe that Fate controls the destiny of a public man, and time and again we have heard the belief expressed that the nomination of Governor Johnson for the presidency is "on the cards", and that no power on earth can prevent it. As to his election—well that is a different matter. But if Johnson cannot be elected, no Democrat can. Johnson can carry all the states that any other Democrat can carry, and he has a little reserve force all his own. The states comprising the Lake Superior group are ordinarily conceded to the Republicans, but with Johnson as a candidate some new alignments would result. Minnesota, for instance, would be almost certain to go for its favorite son, and the chances in Wisconsin, North and South Dakota and Montana would be in his favor. Of course, it would not be safe to guess on the outcome until it is known what the Republicans will do. If Roosevelt will recant and take the nomination it is generally conceded that he would be elected. The people like the Roosevelt policy—they believe that he is honest and is giving "a square deal." But with Fairbanks, Knox, Foraker, Cannon, or any other reactionary as the Republican candidate, Johnson would have easy sailing. The statutes of Taft is problematical. Though he seems to have the favor and support of Roosevelt, there is a grave question whether he is sufficiently progressive and radical to fill the bill.

Johnson is in much the same favor as Cleveland in 1884. His rise to national prominence has been along similar lines. He has twice been elected governor of sovereign state in the face of a tremendous political odds. He is not a representative of any clique or faction, and, unlike Bryan, has not been in the national limelight long enough to create animosities. He is not regarded as a "fanatic" and yet in his splendid career has shown the backbone to take a corporation by the throat whenever the interest of the people demanded.

Just now Governor Johnson may be regarded as a likely candidate of the Democracy, and there is no telling but that conditions next year may be most favorable for his election.

A rather amusing story is being told of a man who went into a hardware store and wished to purchase an ax. Being shown the article and informed that the price was $1.15 he said, "Why, I can get the same kind of an ax from a Chicago retail mail order concern for ninety cents." "Very well," said the dealer, "I will give it to you for the same price provided you will do the same with me as you would do with them." "All right", replied the customer, as he handed over a dollar, the dealer giving back ten cents in change. "Now," said the dealer "I want twenty-five cents more to pay express charges," which the purchaser gave him. "How much did the ax cost you?" "$1.15" answered the man. "Very well. Now give me five cents more for money order fees and postage," which the purchaser had to hand over. "Now, how much did your ax cost you?" "$1.20," said the customer. "Not so cheap after all" said the dealer, whereupon he picked up the ax, tossed it back on the shelf, and told the customer to call for it in ten days, as that would be as soon as he could get it if he ordered it from the retail catalogue house.

S'MORE LOCAL.

Go to Anderson & Wander for sheet music. Ten cents a sheet.

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Register Quist has been visiting a brother in North Dakota this week.

Miss Cora Cress went to Crooksten Monday night for a visit with friends.

Just Received—1000 sheet music at 10c per sheet.—Anderson & Wander.

Mrs. C. C. Jackson of Thief River is visiting with Mrs. E. F. Marshall this week.

If you enjoy a good hearty laugh come to the opera house Tuesday evening, July 30.

Hon. Marcus Johnson is up from St. Paul this week looking after his business interests.

Mrs. P. O. Floan and children visited over Sunday with relatives at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Jens Nelson of St. Hilaire were down Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Converse.

Albert LaFreniere leaves today for Grand Rapids where he will work on his brother's newspaper, the Independent.

Chas. Schaeffer, travelling passenger agent of the Duluth South Shore railway, was in the city last Thursday looking after business for his road.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls Aug. 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

E. J. Regan came up from Moorhead Monday and spent a couple of days with his family here. Ed likes his new location all right, but would prefer living in Red Lake Falls to any other place he ever saw.

I will mail you free, to prove merit, a sample of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my book on either Dyspepsia, The Heart or The Kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys, are merely symptoms of deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating the symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailmentt, not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness, always. And the heart, and kidneys as well have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the "inside nerves." Also for bloating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's restorative. Write me for sample and free book. Dr Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by all dealers.

Notice to Canadian Subscribers.

A recent ruling of the Canadian postal department requires that every copy of THE GAZETTE sent to subscribers residing in Canada bear a one cent stamp. This increase in the postal rates and the labor involved in affixing the stamps makes an increase in the subscription list to Canada subscribers necessary. After this date renewals and new subscriptions to be sent to Canada post offices will be charged at a rate of $1.50 per year.—Editor.

Go to Spillane's—The Right Store—for your teas and coffees.

Position at Langdon.

Oscar Kjorlie, who went to Fargo some time ago to take a business training course with Professor Watkins of the Dakota Business College, has just completed his work and been sent by the school to an excellent position as bookkeeper for Messrs. McGruer & Wold. The Dakota Business College has been very successful in locating its pupils with the best business firms in the state—it sent out about 350 graduates to positions last year.

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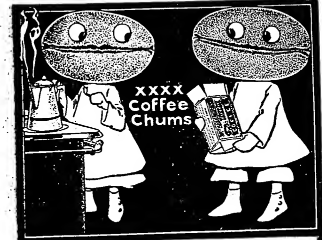

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In the Local Line

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Miss Mollie Allard returned Monday from a visit with her brother Joseph, at Ripple, Itasca county.

Chas. Rasmussen, of Thief River Falls spent Sunday at the home of his nephew, Sheriff L. A. Nelson.

Miss Eda Brink of St. Hilaire is visiting at the home of Clerk of Court Johnson and wife this week.

Ten weeks tuition FREE to all who enter Mankato Commercial College Sept. 3 Write for particulars.

Mrs. Sylvan Hall came over from Crookston and spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Crompe.

John Jansen, of New Sharon, Iowa arrived in the city last Thursday for a visit at the home of his cousin, P. B. Gaass.

Everyone is going to the opera house Tuesday evening, July 30. It is going to be one of the best entertainments of the year.

Mrs. Oliver Belair and children and Misses Kathleen Spillane and Lea Latendresse were visitors at Grand Forks last Saturday.

Joe Roesch and Frank Doyca who have been engaged in railroad work for several months past returned home Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hance attended the Barnum & Bailey circus at Crookston Tuesday and spent a couple of days with relatives there.

Miss Orilla Hennemuth, who is employed as a nurse at St. Barnabas hospital, Minnaapolis, is at home for a vacation visit with her parents.

Rev. W. S. Morrow, of Winneconne, Wis. will preach at the Presbyterian church at the usual hours on Sunday, July 28, and Sunday August 4.

J. Sandersnn and daughter, Miss Daisy, of Willmar, are guests at the home of S. M. Sivertson this week. M. Sanderson is a brother of Mrs. Sivertson.

The Dorothy ball team defeated a team from Euclid at the former place last Sunday by a score of 9 to 6. Several players from here assisted the Dorothy team.

Spectator: Miss Tessie Hughes, stenographer for State Librarian John E. King, came up from St. Paul and is enjoying a two weeks' vacation with home folks.

Spectator: D. Collins and family spent Sunday in Red Lake Falls, guests at the homes of County Auditor Jno. B. O'Brien and County Superintendent McAnulty.

J. F. Mathews tells us that strawberries are still plontiful in the vicinity of Dorothy, and will be pleased to act as guide to any Red Lake Falls parties in pursuit of the toothsome berry.

Nick Tobin is entertaining a brother from Pawnee, Ill. An interesting feature of the visit is the fact that this is the first time the brothers have seen each other for twenty-eight years.

Mrs. Freda Grussendorf, Mrs Edward Senneby and Miss Dolly Rudenski, of Fergus Falls were in the city to attend the funeral of Mrs. Milton Converse. All of them are relatives of the family.

"A Pair of Country Kids" ployed to a good-sized audience at the opera house last evening. It was a good clean comedy, and the company is vastly better than those ordinarily visiting the country towns.

Mr. and Mrs. Derosier Lacouisiere, Mrs. Thomas Crompe, Mrs. John Savard and Mrs. H. T. St. Marie left on Tuesday evening's Northern Pacific for Canada, all going to Montreal except Mr. St. Marie, whose destination is Quebec. They will be absent for a month or more on a visit with relatives and old friends.

The Modern Brotherhood of America had an enjoyable dancing party at their hall Monday evening. A big crowd was present and everything was right to make the evening one of much pleasure to alll present.

H. W. Anderson got home yesterday from a week's trip to the Big Fork country. He was a guest of V. K. Knight while up there and Andy reports the Red Lake colony as enjoying good health and being prosperous.

Peter Emard and Mrs. Victoria McKee were married Sunday at St. Joseph's church, and they have gone to housekeeping on the grooms farm east of town. A wedding supper was served at the home of Mrs. O. LaFreniere.

I. D. Converse, editor of the Cass Lake Times, was in the city the fore part of the week to attend the funeral of his son's wife. Mrs. Converse will remain until next week when she will take her son's children with her.

The board of audit, consisting of Chairman Lindquist, Clerk Johnson and Auditor O'Brien have been in session the past week. Three times a year the board checks the receipts and disbursements of the county treasurer.

P. O. Floan has recently purchased property ot Spokane and intends putting up a two-story brick building thereon. Mr. Floan says property values in Spokane are enhancing rapidly, and his purchase was made purely as a speculation.

The board of county commissioners mee s with Surveyor Ralph at Thief River Falls today to inspect Rocksbury ditch No. 1. This ditch drains a large part of the low land in Rocksb ry township and will be of immense benefit to the farmers of that section.

Miss Hilma Nelson, a graduate nurse from St. Luke's hospital, Chicago, has been visiting her sister, Miss Clara, this week. Miss Nelson is a sister of Jens Nelson, the St. Hilaire druggist, and has been spending several weeks in this vicinity.

E. Chatel's new grocery store was opened Monday in the Kaus building, and the proprietor says he is having a nice run of business. Mr, Chatel's stock is brand new and up-to date, and we hope his trade will be large enough to meet his expectations.

Harry Healy was at Warren where he played ball with the Argyle team against the Warren professional aggregation. Warren again won, the score being 5 to 0, and by so doing cinched the lead in the Valley league. Harry will play several games with the Argyle team during the next few weeks.

The school meeting last Saturday evening did not create much interest. The election of Dr. N. M, Watson and A. P, Toupin as members of the board of education to succeed themselves was made unanimous. The annual report of the treasurer was read and approved. It will be published in the GAZETTE next week.

The venerable J. W. Bourdon has been very sick the past several days with an attack of blood poisoning, and for a day or two early in the week it was feared that the attack would prove fatal. However, he is reported as greatly improved at the present writing, and it is now thought that he will recover rapidly.

Marriage licenses have been issued this week by Clerk Johnson to the following persons: Henry Hulley and Angilique Gobiel, both of Brooks; Pierre Emard jr. and Victoria McKee, both of Red Lake Falls; Nels J. Berglund and Moren Edvardson, both of Thief River Falls; Carl Mosbeck and Ida Vixie both of Thief River.

Mrs. Julia Bourdon and family left Monday evening for Minneapolis, and will make their home in that city in the future. Mrs. Bourdon has relatives and friends there, and has employment in sight that will make it easy for her to live in comfort. The family has many friends here who will always be pleased to hear of their success.

W, T, Spillane expects to leave Monday for a months trip to points "down east." He will first go to Buffalo, from there to Boston and thence to Orlean, New York, where a brother, several uncles and other relatives reside. Mr. Spillane has not visited the old home scenes for nearly thirty years and naturally looks forward with great pleasure to the visit he will enjoy.

Spectator: The question of buying the water power from the Crookston Lumber company was under discussion again by the commercial club at their meeting last Wednesday evening. After a thorough discussion a resolution was passed reccommending to the village council that they make the company a definate offer which we understand has been done. It is probable that within a couple of weeks the question will be decided definately.

A bad hail storm struck sections of Polk county near Gentilly Tuesday afternoon, and for nearly half an hour hail stones as large as eggs fell in sufficient quantity to cover the ground. The storm was not accompanied by much wind, however, and the damage to the crops was not as great as at first supposed. Garden truck and corn was damaged to some extent, but the farmers there are congratulating themselves that it was no worse.

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Delonchant, and daughter, of Reno, Nevada, who have been guests of Mr Delonchant's nephew, Samuel Gibeau, departed Monday evening for eastern Canada points, where they will visit a few months before returning to Nevada. Their visit here was an enjoyable one, inasmuch as Mr. Delonchant met several former friends here, Mr. and Mrs. Gibeau and son accompanied them as far as Crookston on their trip.

The Baronm & Bailey circus at Crookston Tuesday attracted a good sized crowd from here and a number of rigs were put in commission to convey the people down to "see the elephant." The show drew a big crowd and was pronounced very good by those who saw it. No evening performance was given, however, on account of threatening weather conditions, and a number who went down on the evening train were disappointed in not seeing the show.

An excellent program will be given by the highly talented young ladies, the Misses Clara Rice and Hattie Rongerud, of Minneapolis, on Tuesday, July 30. They have the reputation of being first-class renders and impersonators, and their audiences are enthusiastic in praising them. You will laugh, cry, and feel happy in hearing these gifted young ladies. Tickets on sale at the usual place. Admission 15c, 25c, and 35c. Get your tickets early.

J. A. Meilleur of Seattle, stopped off here today for a visit with his cousin in Terrebonne township. Mr. Meilleur was a resident of this section of the country some sixteen years ago, and has many old-time friends here. He has been spending some little time in eastern Canada and of course he couldn t resist the temptation of stopping off here for a short visit. Mr. Meilleur has prospered since leaving this part of the country and is well satisfied with the west as a home.

Henry Ignace Halley and Mrs. Angelique Hince were married Monday evening at the Catholic church in Lambert, Rev. Father Roy officiating. The contracting parties are old and respected residents of Lambert township, the groom being 63 and the blushing bride 57. The wedding festivities were attended by a large party of friends and relatives and many beautiful presents were received. The GAZETTE extends its best wishes to the newly wedded pair and trusts they will prove the old prophecy that "love never grows old."

The U. S. envelope agency is located at Dayton, O., and special request envelops are now shipped by freight in carload lots to the distributing cities, Chicago being the distributing point for postoffices in this section. Because of freight shipments users of the special request envelopes must allow from one to two weeks longer than heretofore for delivery and place their orders sufficiently early to insure delivery before their supply is exhausted.

Windom Citizen: The Gazette and Courier at Red Lake Falls have done a sensible thing and consolidated, with John E. King at the head. Towns the size of Red Lake Falls, and Windom, too, can no more than fairly support one paper, and the sooner that the crazy idea that such places should have from one to four papers is done away with, the better it will be for both the business men and the owners and far better results realized. Let other towns follow suit.

J. B. Armstrong left Thursday evening for Ada, where he spent a couple of days on business. Monday he met Mrs. Armstrong at Fargo, and the family proceeded from that place to their new home at Missoula Mont. Berthon and Armstrong expect to open their new clothing store in that town early in August. They are much pleased at the outlook and Red Lake Falls people will be glad to hear of their success. The band was out to give Jim a farewell Thursday evening and a large crowd was at the depot to bid him good-bye. Messrs. Armstrong and Berthon and their estimable families will be sadly missed from the business and social circles of Red Lake Falls.

A GAZETTE reporter has been out getting "near to natures heart" this week, and was surprised and pleased at the evidences of development on every hand. The crop situation is especially good and some banner yields may be looked for. Clem Mercier and Tom Dougherty, both of Red Lake Falls township, have the best fields of winter rye we have ever seen in Red Lake county. Oats will be a big crop, and timothy and clover were never so abundant. Most of the farmers are raising fodder corn this year and there are other evidences of a growth in the dairying line. In the northwestern part of Gervais township, Claus Hendricks, Franz Schmitz and Peter Matthies are each building large barns, each of them large enough to house eighty tons of hay.

Charles E. Boughton and son, Judge of Probate Tarrant, Joseph Helm jr. and the local GAZETTE scribe started for Crookston early Tuesday morning in Mr. Boughton's automobile with the intention of taking in the Barum & Baily circus in the afternoon and returning the same evening. Whether or not it was because his namesake was along or because the sign wasn't right, but in either event the "old Nick" pursued the party with extreme vigilance both on the down and back trips. Ill luck was at all times in evidence, and Crookston was not reached until after the circus was over. The auto was placed in the hands of a "doctor" and was fixed up in first class style for the return trip Wednesday morning, but there wasn't any use of hoping for better luck, and THE GAZETTE will refrain for disclosing the horrible details of the home trip. Autos are considerably like human beings and have their days off, and because we struck ill luck on this trip it is no reason to think that the horseless wagon is ever thus—although if a long auto journey is contemplated it perhaps might be advisable to lay in a goodly supply of eatables before attempting the trip.

Worth Knowing.

That open air, preferably some definition work or play is an excellent beautifier and that exercise in a room is better than none at all. That fatty foods are heat producers and should be used sparingly during warm weather if one would keep cool. That golden grain belt beer is unequaled as a food tonic and a preventive of nervousness and indigestion, makes rich red blood and rebuilds wasted tissues. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

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DEFECTIVE PAGE

SISTER ROSE.

A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS

CHAPTER XII.—(CONTINUED.)

The principal article of furniture in the Hall of Justice was a long, clumsy deal table, covered with green baize. At the head of this table sat the president and his court, with their hats on, backed by a heterogeneous collection of patriots officially connected in various ways with the proceedings that were to take place. Below the front of the table, a railed-off space, with a gallery beyond, was appropriated by the general public—mostly represented, as to the gallery, on this occasion, by women, all sitting together on forms, knitting, shirt-mending, and baby-linen making, as coolly as if they were at home. Parallel with the side of the table farthest from the great door of entrance, was a low platform railed off, on which the prisoners, surrounded by their guard, were now assembled to await their trial. The sun shone in brightly from a high window, and a hum of ceaseless talking pervaded the hall cheerfully, as Lomaque entered it. He was a privileged man here, as at the prison; and he made his way in by a private door, so as to pass the prisoners' platform, and to walk round it, before he got to a place behind the president's chair. Trudaine, standing with his sister on the outermost limits of the group, nodded significantly as Lomaque looked up at him for an instant. He had contrived on his way to the tribunal, to get an opportunity of reading the paper which the chief-agent had slipped into his cravat. It contained these lines:

"I have just discovered who the citizen and citoyenne Dubois are. There is no chance for you but to confess everything. By that means you may inculpate a certain citizen holding authority, and may make it his interest, if he loves his own life, to save yours and your sister's."

Arrived at the back of the president's chair, Lomaque recognized his two trusty subordinates, Magloire and Picard, waiting among the assembled patriot officials to give their evidence. Beyond them, leaning against the wall, addressed by no one, and speaking to no one, stood the superintendent, Danville. Doubt and suspense were written in every line of his face; the fretfulness of an uneasy mind expressed itself in his slightest gestures—even in his manner of passing a handkerchief over his face, on which the perspiration was gathering thick and fast already.

"Silence!" cried the usher of the court for the time being, a hoarse-voiced man in top-boots, with a huge sabre buckled to his side, and a bludgeon in his hand. "Silence for the citizen-president!" he reiterated, striking his bludgeon on the table.

The president rose and proclaimed that the sitting for the day had begun, then sat down again.

The momentary silence which followed was interrupted by a sudden confusion among the prisoners on the platform. Two of the guards sprang in among them. There was the thump of a heavy fall—a scream of terror from some of the female prisoners—then another dead silence, broken by one of the guards, who walked across the hall with a bloody knife in his hand, and laid it on the table. "Citizen-president," he said, "I have to report that one of the prisoners has just stabbed himself." There was a murmuring exclamation—"Is that all?" among the women spectators as they resumed their work. Suicide at the bar of justice was no uncommon occurrence under the Reign of Terror.

"Name?" asked the president, quietly taking up his pen and opening a book.

"Martigne," answered the hump-backed gaoler, coming forward to the table.

"Description?"

"Ex-royalist coachmaker to the tyrant Capet."

"Accusation?"

"Conspiracy in prison."

The president nodded, and entered in the book—"Martigne, coachmaker. Accused of conspiracy in prison. Anticipated course of law by suicide. Action accepted as sufficient confession of guilt. Goods confiscated. 1st Thermidor, year two of the Republic."

"Silence!" cried the man with the bludgeon, as the president dropped a little sand on the entry, and signing to the gaoler that he might remove the dead body, closed the book.

"Any special cases this morning?" resumed the president, looking round at the group before him.

"There is one," said Lomaque, making his way to the back of the official chair. "Will it be convenient to you, citizen, to take the case of Louis Trudaine and Rose Danville first? Two of my men are detained here as witnesses and their time is valuable to the Republic."

The president marked a list of names before him, and handed it to the crier or usher, placing the figures one and two against Louis Trudaine and Rose Danville.

While Lomaque was backing again to his former place behind the chair, Danville approached and whispered to him—"There is a rumor that secret information has reached you about the citizen and citoyenne Dubois. Is it true? Do you know who they are?"

"Yes," answered Lomaque; "but I have superior orders to keep the information to myself just at present."

The eagerness with which Danville put this question, and the disappointment he showed on getting no satisfactory answer to it, were of a nature to satisfy the observant chief agent that his superintendent was really as ignorant as he appeared to be on the subject of the man and woman Dubois. That one mystery, at any rate, was still, for Danville, a mystery unrevealed.

"Louis Trudaine! Rose Danville!" shouted the crier, with another rap of his bludgeon.

The two came forward, at the appeal, to the front railing of the platform. The first sight of her judges, the first shock on confronting the pitiless curiosity of the audience, seemed to overwhelm Rose. She turned from deadly pale to crimson, then to pale again, and hid her face on her brother's shoulder. How fast she heard his heart throbbing! How the tears filled her eyes as she felt that his fear was all for her!

"Now!" said the president, writing down their names. "Denounced by whom?"

Magloire and Picard stepped forward to the table. The first answered, "By citizen superintendent Danville."

CHAPTER XIII.

THE reply made a great stir and sensation among both prisoners and audience.

"Accused of what?" pursued the president.

"The male prisoner, of conspiracy against the Republic; the female prisoner, of criminal knowledge of the same."

"Produce your proofs in answer to this order."

Picard and Magloire opened their minutes of evidence, and read to the president the same particulars which they had formerly read to Lomaque in the secret police office.

"Good," said the president, when they had done; "we need trouble ourselves with nothing more than the identifying of the citizen and citoyenne Dubois, which, of course, you are prepared for. Have you heard the evidence," he continued, turning to the prisoners; while Picard and Magloire consulted together in whispers, looking perplexedly towards the chief agent, who stood silent behind them. "Have you heard the evidence, prisoners? Do you wish to say anything? If you do, remember that the time of this tribunal is precious, and that you will not be suffered to waste it."

"I demand permission to speak for myself and for my sister," answered Trudaine. "My object is to save the time of the tribunal by making a confession."

The faint whisperings, audible among the women spectators a moment before, ceased instantaneously as he pronounced the word confession. In the breathless silence, his low, quiet tones penetrated to the remotest corners of the hall; while, suppressing externally all evidences of the death-agony of hope within him, he continued his address in these words:

"I confess my secret visits to the house in the Rue de Clery. I confess that the persons whom I went to see are the persons pointed at in the evidence; and, lastly, I confess that my object in communicating with them as I did, was to supply them with the means of leaving France. If I had acted from political motives to the political prejudice of the existing government, I admit that I would be guilty of that conspiracy against the republic with which I am charged. But no political purpose animated, no political necessity urged me, in performing the action which has brought me to the bar of this tribunal. The persons whom I aided in leaving France were without political influence or political connections. I acted solely from private motives of humanity towards them and towards others—motives which a good republican may feel, and yet not turn traitor to the welfare of his country."

"Are you ready to inform the court, next, who the man and woman Dubois really are?" inquired the president, impatiently.

"I am ready," answered Trudaine. "But first I desire to say one word in reference to my sister, charged here at the bar with me." His voice grew less steady, and for the first time, his color began to change, as Rose lifted her face from his shoulder and looked up at him eagerly. "I implore the tribunal to consider my sister as innocent of all active participation in what is charged against me as a crime"—he went on. "Having spoken with candor about myself, I have some claim to be believed when I speak of her; when I assert that she neither did help me nor could help me. If there be blame, it is mine only; if punishment, it is I alone who should suffer."

He stopped suddenly and grew confused. It was easy to guard himself from the peril of looking at Rose, but he could not escape the hard trial to his self-possession of hearing her if she spoke. Just as he pronounced the last sentence, she raised her face again from his shoulder, and eagerly whispered to him.

"No, no, Louis! Not that sacrifice, after all the others—not that, though you should force me into speaking to them myself!"

She abruptly quitted her hold of him, and fronted the whole court in an instant. The railing in front of her shook with the quivering of her arms and hands as she held by it to support herself! Her hair lay tangled on her shoulders; her face had assumed a strange fixedness; her gentle blue eyes, so soft and tender at all other times, were lit up wildly. A low hum of murmured curiosity and admiration broke from the women of the audience. Some rose eagerly from the benches, others cried:

"Listen! Listen! She is going to speak!"

She did speak. Silvery and pure the sweet voice, sweeter than ever in sadness, stole its way through the gross sounds—through the coarse humming and the hissing whispers.

"My lord the president"—began the poor girl, firmly. Her next words were drowned in a volley of hisses from the women.

"Ah! aristocrat, aristocrat! None of your accursed titles here!" was their shrill cry at her. She fronted the fierce gestures which accompanied it, with the steady light still in her eyes, with the strange rigidity still fastened on her face. She would have spoken again through the uproar and execration, but her brother's voice overpowered her.

"Citizen-president," he cried, "I have not concluded. I demand leave to complete my confession. I implore the tribunal to attach no importance to what my sister says. The trouble and terror of this day have shaken her intellect. She is not responsible for her words—I assert it solemnly, in the face of the whole court!"

The blood flew up into his white face as he made the assertion. Even at that supreme moment the great heart of the man reproached him for yielding himself to a deception, though the motive of it was to save his sister's life.

"Let her speak! let her speak!" exclaimed the women, as Rose, without moving, without looking at her brother, without seeming even to have heard what he said, made a second attempt to address her judges, in spite of Trudaine's interposition.

"Silence!" shouted the man with the bludgeon. "Silence, you women! the citizen-president is going to speak."

"The prisoner Trudaine has the ear of the court," said the president, "and may continue his confession. If the female prisoner wishes to speak, she may be heard afterwards. I enjoin both the accused persons to make short work of it with their addresses to me, or they will make their case worse instead of better. I command silence among the audience, and if I am not obeyed, I will clear the hall. Now, prisoner Trudaine, I invite you to proceed. No more about your sister; let her speak for herself. Your business and ours is with the man and woman Dubois now. Are you, or are you not, ready to tell the court who they are?"

"I repeat that I am ready," answered Trudaine. "The Citizen Dubois is a servant. The woman Dubois is the mother of the man who has denounced me—Superintendent Danville."

A low, murmuring, rushing sound of hundreds of exclaiming voices, all speaking, half-suppressedly, at the same moment, followed the delivery of the answer. No officer of the court attempted to control the outburst of astonishment. The infection of it spread to the persons on the platform, to the crier himself, to the judges of the tribunal, lounging, but the moment before, so carelessly silent in their chairs. When the noise was at length quelled, it was subdued in the most instantaneous manner by one man, who shouted from the throng behind the president's chair:

"Clear the way there! Superintendent Danville is taken ill!"

A vehement whispering and contending of many voices interrupting each other, followed; then a swaying among the assembly of official people; then a great stillness; then the sudden appearance of Danville alone, at the table.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

LOVE NOWADAYS.

Two Asked Advice About It and Then Rejected It.

There is no use of opposing a love affair, not even when the actors play into your own hands, says the New York Herald. I know what I'm saying. I've had the experience with two—the young and the old man. My first experience was with a young man who didn't know his mind and asked me what he had better do, and I, like a father, told him he'd better not marry the girl he was courting. He went right off and married her.

An old man from the country came into the car where I was reading my morning paper and sat down at my side. "Beg your pardon, sir," he said. "Did you ever court a grass widder?"

"Oh, yes," I said, "I've courted a dozen or more. Why?"

"Did you ever marry one?"

"Yes."

"Waller, p'r'aps yer kin give a chap a point or two?"

"Oh, certainly; all the points you want."

"Are they any different from other women?"

"Say, old fellow, I've courted all sorts of women, both married and unmarried, and they are all just alike. They do all the courting and generally propose before you have courted them a week."

"Waller, what's yer opin'n?"

"It is this: 'The man who marries one is a jackass.'"

The old fellow scratched his head for a moment and after he had got his idea racked in the right spot he said: "Waller, hain't I as much constitutionally right to be a jackass as yer have? Waller, I guess, and I'm goin' to 'cept her proposal by wire. Write it out for me, won't yer?"

Society.

Not all misery is in the slums. Not all danger to society arises from the victims of poverty. It may be that there is as great danger to society from the boulevards as from the slums.—Rev. R. A. White.

WOMAN'S REALM

STYLES ARE PLAIN

FEW FRILLS ON CHILDREN'S GARMENTS THIS SEASON.

Party Dresses May Be Ornamental, but Absolute Simplicity Is the Rule for All the Other Costumes.

Plainer than ever are the styles for children this season, and it is the dress that is well cut and made of nice material that counts rather than the one elaborately trimmed.

Of course there is the dainty batiste dress for the party that every child loves, but on the whole the simple frock, with straight lines, is what the shops are selling. This particular model has only the shoulder and underarm seams.

Coat with Only Shoulder and Underarm Seams.

It has large pockets with broad laps and the fronts are faced to form lapels, and it has the regulation coat sleeves. To make the medium size of this coat it would take three and one-quarter yards of material 27 inches wide; two yards of goods 44 inches, and about 1 and three-quarters yards in 52-inch width.

This model makes up very well in the small checked cheviot, and black and white shepherd's plaid with a little red cloth collar, and a red and gold emblem on the arm gives it a good dash of color and style. The boys' coats are indeed making "little men" of them. They are of the tan covert cloth, and the model is exactly like that his father wears. A regular little spring overcoat. Some of them are lined with twilled lining, but most of them are not. Boys from 4 years up to young men all wear these, and the little fellow with such a coat is proud indeed.

HINTS FOR THE HOSTESS.

Flowers for Bridge Whist Prizes Is a New Idea.

No Prizes for Bridge.

A popular hostess, noted for charming and unique affairs, has been giving a series of bridge parties with the prize feature eliminated. Instead, she had two vases filled with beautiful flowers on the refreshment table. At the close of the repast the ladies having the two highest scores were awarded the flowers. The same sum was expended for the bouquets; as otherwise would have been spent for prizes and every one was perfectly delighted with the plan. It seemed far less commercial and was altogether a welcome change to both guests and hostess.

For a Conundrum Tea.

Some time ago a correspondent asked what to serve at a "conundrum tea." This list may yet be of timely assistance:

1. A survivor of the flood? (Ham.)
2. Women of grit? (Sandwiches.)
3. A meat that is not wet? (Dried beef.)
4. Impertinence? (Apple sauce.)
5. Spring's offerings? (Water.)
6. For old maids and bachelors? (Pickles.)
7. Tabby's party? (Catsup.)
8. Boston's overthrow? (Tea.)
9. What all need? (Bread and butter.)
10. New England's brains? (Baked beans.)
11. A young man's sweetheart? (Honey.)
12. An unruly member? (Tongue.)
13. Sahara? (Dessert.)
14. What printers hate? (Pie.)
15. What I do when hurt? (Ice cream.)

This can be used at church affair serving "a la carte," charging a small sum for each article.

Position of the Hostess.

When taking guests upstairs should the hostess precede or follow them? When descending who takes the lead? On sending out invitations is it proper to use the word "city" or "town" to designate the place where you reside? When sisters send regrets should their cards be enclosed separately or in one envelope? SUBSCRIBER.

In reply to your first question, the hostess should precede her guests, showing them the way upstairs; in going down the guests may go first. In writing an invitation the name of the place should be written out and neither the word "city" nor "town" used. The cards of two sisters may be enclosed in one envelope and addressed to the hostess or sent separately. To be in strictly good form regrets are not sent on cards.

Regrets for a Wedding.

I am invited to a fashionable wedding the last of the month. I do not know the bride personally, but have had intimate business relations with her father. Distance will prevent my attending. What form of regret is proper to send and is a present necessary? BACHELOR.

If the ceremony is at the house you must write a note expressing your regret at not being able to witness the ceremony and thank them for being asked. Address to the mother of the bride, or you may word your regrets in exactly the same form as the invitation, in the third person. No reply is required for a church ceremony, nor is a present ever necessary. Do as you feel inclined.

For a Junior Endeavor Society.

Would you kindly give us an idea for a reception to be given next month by the Junior Society of Christian Endeavor? Something in way of decoration, programme and refreshments. JUNIOR.

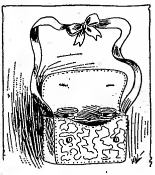
Your request is rather vague. At such an affair a social committee is generally appointed to look out for the details. Palms, flowers and flags are the usual decorations as the affair is almost always given in a hall or the church parlors and such places are hard to decorate for simple occasions. A series of tableaux, charades, interspersed with music is an enjoyable programme. Light refreshments are generally in order; frappe conveniently placed, ice cream with a sauce of pecan nuts chopped in maple syrup or a Japanese soey which is a rich fruit dressing poured over vanilla cream, small frosted cakes and bonbons.

MADAME MERRI.

CASE FOR OPERA GLASSES.

Does Away with Danger of Forgetting the Articles.

Few things are more difficult to carry in the hand than opera glasses, even when they are provided with a leather case, as they are often laid down or left behind at the theater. A case which one can suspend by a ribbon from the wrist is the safest of all and the most comfortable to carry, and we give a sketch illustrating a case of this description which can easily be made out of any odd remnants of brocade, silk or satin, while in soft leather it might also be very useful.



This case would look pretty if the outer side could be made of floral brocade, bordered with stitching, and the lining of pale green satin, while the ribbon might be either green or pink, according to fancy.

NOTES ON FASHION.

Gray lizard skin elaborately cut into open-work embroidery is one of the many little extravagances in the shoe line. These shoes are high, but exquisitely supple, while the openwork displays the embroidered stockings underneath.

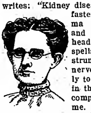
Square sunshades are an innovation of the season. Will bizarre effects never cease?

Grass-green or rose-red shoes are to be fashionable with thin white frocks.

The variety of bows for wear with blouses is infinite, and indeed the butterfly bow has a most prominent place among this season's accessories.

COULD HARDLY TOTTER ABOUT.

A Vivid Description of the Most Insidious of Diseases.



Miss Emma Shirley, Killbuck, N. Y., writes: "Kidney disease mysteriously fastened itself upon me two years ago and brought awful headaches and dizzy spells. I was all unstrung, weak and nervous, could scarcely totter about. Pains in the side and back completely unnerved me. My food distressed me, I looked badly and the kidneys were noticeably deranged. I sank lower and lower until given up and at this critical time began with Doan's Kidney Pills. Details are unnecessary. Twelve boxes cured me and I weigh six pounds more than ever before. They saved my life."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

How He Got a Verdict.

It was a case of breach of promise. The defendant was allowed to say a w... in his own behalf.

"Yes," he said, "I kissed her almost continuously every evening I called at her house."

Lawyer (for defendant)—Then you confess it?

Defendant—Yes, I do confess it. But I had to do it.

Lawyer—You had to do it! What do you mean?

Defendant—That was the only way I could keep her from singing.

The jury gave a verdict for the defendant without leaving their seats.

Little Pitchers.

Tommy—Why, Mr. Smith, you didn't go in the ocean steamer after all, did you?

Guest—What makes you ask that, Tommy? I had no idea of going in the steamer.

Tommy—Well, all the same, mamma said when papa told her he had asked you to dinner, why did he do that, because she was sure you would be half-seas over.

THE STORY OF A WISCONSIN MAN IN WESTERN CANADA.

Three Years Ago Worth Only $2,000; To-Day is Worth $13,000.

The following is a copy of a letter, of which the Agents of the Canadian Government throughout the United States receive similar ones many times during the year:

Cayley, Alta., Dec. 7, 1906.

Agent Canadian Government,
Watertown, S. D.

Dear Sir:

Your letter dated Nov. 27th at hand and was very glad to hear from you. I see that you are still at work persuading people to move into the Canadian Northwest. I must tell you that I owe you many thanks for persuading me to come out here, am only sorry that I wasn't persuaded sooner, and there is still plenty of good chances for many more right at the present time. I hope that you will be able to induce more to make a start out to this part of the country.

Now I must tell you what I have accomplished since I came out here and it won't be three years till the 1st of July. I shall shortly receive my patent for my homestead, the homestead cost me $10.00 in all, to-day it is worth $30.00 per acre, but it is not for sale. Then a year ago last May I bought 320 acres at $7.00 per acre and sold this fall for $20.00 per acre and cleared a profit of $4,160.00. How is that for the Northwest? I now have 320 acres of land and all paid for, 15 head of horses, 30 head of cattle, 22 pigs, 2 sheep and about 150 chickens and other poultry, and all new machinery and everything is paid for. We also bought 8 lots in Calgary and 7 in High River. We gave $470 for the 15 lots and they are paid for. At present I consider myself worth $13,000.00, and when I left Wisconsin less than three years ago I had about $2,000.00. This year I threshed a little over 4,000 bushels of grain, have about one thousand bushels of fine potatoes and about five hundred bushels of turnips. Mrs. Beisiegel sold about $200 worth of garden truck and poultry this fall. Now there are lots of others in this community who did as well as I did in the same length of time.

The family and myself are all well at this writing and hope this letter will find you the same.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) PHILIP BEISIEGEL,
Cayley, Alta., Canada.

How He Did It.

"Once upon a time," said Stormington Barns, who was in a reminiscent mood, "I succeeded in elevating the stage."

"Put me next to the modus operandi," said Walker Tights.

"I was running the freight elevator in a carriage factory at the time," explained Mr. Stormington Barns, "and I hoisted the vehicle aforesaid from the basement to the paint shop on the top floor."

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

One size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Ease. A certain cure for swollen, sweating, hot, aching feet. At all Druggists, 25c. Accept no substitute. Trial package FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Another Breed.

"Now about air ships."

"Well?"

"Will they allude to them as aerial greyhounds?"

"Why, certainly not. They will be sky terriers, if anything."

Mrs. Emma Stolt, of Appleton, Wisconsin.

"A neighbor, advised me to use Peruna. I began to improve at once."

MRS. EMMA STOLT.

Mrs. Emma Stolt, 1069 Oneida St., Appleton, Wis., writes:

"Peruna has done me a great deal of good since I began taking it and I am always glad to speak a good word for it.

"Three years ago I was in a wretched condition with ***backaches, bearing down pains,*** and at times was so sore and lame that I could not move about. I had inflammation and irritation, and although I used different remedies they did me no good.

"A neighbor who had been using Peruna advised me to try it, and I am glad that I did. I began to improve as soon as I took it and I felt much better.

"I thank you for your fine remedy. It is certainly a ***godsend to sick women.***

Catarrh of the Internal Organs.

Miss Theresa Bertles, White Church, Mo., writes:

"I suffered with catarrh of the stomach, bowels and internal organs. Everything I ate seemed to hurt me. I never had a passage of the bowels without taking medicine. I was so tired mornings and ached all over. I had a pain in my left side, and the least exertion or excitement made me short of breath.

"Now, after taking Peruna for six months, I am as well as I ever was. Peruna has worked wonders for me. I believe Peruna is the best medicine in the world, and I recommend it to my friends."

FLAGS, AWNINGS, TENTS, STACK Covers etc. For information & prices, write American Tent & Awning Co., Minneapolis

Not His Heart.

Mrs. Stubb—Ah, our neighbor, Mr. Brown, is such a nice man. Just look how he raised his hand to his heart when his wife kissed him before starting on her shopping tour.

Mr. Stubb—Shucks, Maria! He wasn't feeling his heart; he was feeling his vest pockets.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Paul W. Amlie, Binford, N. D., game apparatus; Chas. F. Eggers, Grafton, N. D., pinholder; Mathew A. Enlenz, St. Paul, Minn., violin; Wm. J. Jones, Heron Lake, Minn., rotary engine; Samuel W. Junkan, Buffalo, Minn., blotting pad; Daniel W. Nichols, Faribault, Minn., vehicle wheel; Chas. M. Niles, Cathay, N. D., bottle.

Not Sentiment.

He—Oh, please, Mlle. Jeanne, do not call me Mr. Durand.

She (coyly)—Oh, but our acquaintance is so short. Why should I not call you that?

He—Well, chiefly because my name is Dupont.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

We are all attracted by our opposites, which is why a woman likes a man who is a good listener.

SHIP YOUR CREAM to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn. Write to-day for tags and prices.

To a boy, it always seems a man doesn't fully appreciate being "grown up."

No Headache in the Morning. Krause's Headache Capsules for over-indulgence in food or drink. Druggists, 25c. Norman Lichty Mfg. Co., Des Moines, Ia.

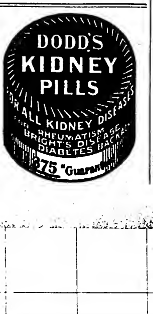
A man may think he knows more than a doctor, but he is apt to listen when a lawyer tells him he needs a change of climate.

DACOTAH BRAND PANTS, SHIRTS And Mackinaws, guaranteed to wear. We replace them if they don't, demand them of your dealer. Dacotah Mfg. Co., St. Paul.

It is sometimes difficult to distinguish between a systematic person and a curious one.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

People who hunt trouble always shoo away their joys.



THE EVAPORATION OF APPLES A SIMPLE PROCESS

Increasing Demand for Dried Apples—By H. P. Gould Assistant Pomologist, Bureau of Plant Industry.

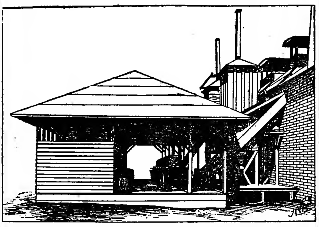
There is an increasing demand for dried apples of the highest quality. The tendency has sometimes been to make quantity at the expense of quality. But prices are governed not only by the supply but also by the grade. The cleanest, whitest fruit, that is well cored, trimmed, bleached, ringed and dried, is most in demand. Carelessness in any particular injures the product.

Primarily the economic usefulness of an apple evaporator is through its utilization of windfalls and the poorer grades of fruit which cannot be marketed to good advantage in a fresh state, and it is these grades that are most often evaporated. But the magnitude of the crop also influences the grade of the evaporated product in a decided way. In seasons of abundant crops and low prices for fresh fruit large quantities of apples that would ordinarily be barreled are evaporated and the grade of stock produced is correspondingly improved. On the other hand, in years of scanty crops, when all apples that can possibly be shipped are in demand at high prices, only the very poorest fruit is evaporated, as a rule, thus lowering the grade of the output.

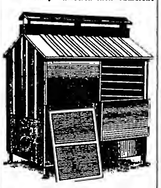
The commercial grading of evaporated apples is based primarily on appearance rather than on dessert quality, and the fact that one variety may make a better flavored product than another is not considered. As a rule, a product of high commercial grade can be made from any sort which has a firm texture and bleaches to a satisfactory degree of whiteness. A variety of high dessert quality, such as the Northern Spy, may be expected to make an evaporated product of correspondingly high flavor.

In sections where the Baldwin apple is grown extensively it is in demand at the commercial evaporators, as it meets the requirements in a fair degree and it is also available in relatively large quantities. In the Ben Davis sections that variety supplies a similar demand.

Most early varieties lack sufficient firmness of texture for the best results and are undesirable on this account. On the other hand, some comparatively early sorts, such as Gravenstein and Yellow Summer Pearmain, are considerably prized in some sections; the dessert quality of the latter is especially high.



Paring Shed and Bleachers of a Large Kiln Evaporator Built of Brick.



A Small Portable Evaporator Constructed of Wood.

The fumes of burning sulphur are employed not only to make the fruit white where the freshly cut surfaces have become discolored by contact with the air, but to prevent further discoloration after it is sliced. Sulphuring is also generally supposed to be necessary to destroy fungi and insects, though under present methods of handling this is open to question.

Some of the cook-stove evaporators are small box-like structures, usually made of sheet iron or galvanized iron, of such a size that they can be placed on top of an ordinary cook stove. They are arranged for holding a series of small trays, on which the fruit is placed after it has been prepared for drying. Various sizes are in use, from one covering only a portion of the top of a common kitchen stove and having a capacity of only a bushel or so a day, to those requiring the entire top of a stove on which to operate it.

Another style consists of a water-tight rectangular box of tin, upon the upper surface of which the fruit is spread. The heat is supplied by boiling water, with which the evaporator is filled, the temperature being maintained by placing one end of the evaporator on top of a stove. There are various styles of this type.

Portable evaporators are especially convenient when it is desired to dry only a few bushels of fruit at any one time. The usual sizes have a capacity of five to ten bushels a day, and even more in some cases, although the quantity will of course vary with the attention given to them. As they are complete in themselves and are not too heavy to be readily moved, they may be placed wherever convenience from time to time dictates.

Fig. 1 shows an evaporator of this type which is constructed entirely of wood, except the parts in direct contact with the heater. There is space for ten trays for holding fruit, similar to the one in the illustration, the dimensions of which are two and one-half to three feet. Each tray holds about one-half bushel of fruit. Modifications of such an equipment to suit individual needs and conveniences readily suggest themselves.

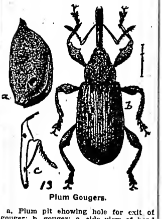
Perhaps there is no step in the entire process that requires better-trained judgment than the matter of determining when the fruit is sufficiently dried to meet the requirements. Like several other steps in the process it is largely a matter of experience, though there are certain general features which are capable of being reduced to words.

The fruit should be so dry that when a handful of slices is pressed together firmly into a ball the slices will be "springy" enough to separate at once upon being released from the hand. In this condition there will be no fruit, or only an occasional piece, that has any visible moisture on the surface. In a slice of average dryness, it should not be possible to press any free juice into view in a freshly made cross section of it. The general "feel" of the fruit, as it is handled, should be a soft, velvety, leathery texture.

The Plum Gouger

The plum gouger is one of the so-called "snout beetles," about one-quarter of an inch in length, the general color is gray, and the head and thorax (mid-region of the body) yellowish. The beetle gnaws small holes in the young plums in which it deposits its eggs. The larva or grub hatching from the egg gnaws deeper and feeds on the kernel, and finally eats a hole out through the plum just before the latter matures.

In a well-kept orchard which is sprayed with some of the arsenical sect is not liable to do much damage. These poisons should be applied in weaker strengths for plums, about two-thirds to three-fourths the strength as is used for apple. One method is to jar the tree early in the morning from the time the blossoms are on until the beetles seem to have disappeared. In this practice the beetles should be caught in sheets spread on the ground under the tree, and destroyed.



Plum Gougers.

a, Plum pit showing hole for exit of gouger; b, gouger; c, side view of head of gouger showing beak and antenna (Riley & Howard, Insect Life, Vol. II., U. S. Dep. of Agr., Div. of Entomology).

poisons, such as Paris green, the in-

Stick to One Breed.—The changing from one breed of hogs to another is a sign that the breeder has no fixed object in swine breeding. If a good breed has been selected, it is better to stick to raising of that breed than to keep trying new ones.

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EQUALIZING DISTANCE NO PROBLEM FOR TIM MOYNAHAN.

His Orders Were to Have Tool House Half Way Between Mile Posts, and Consequently Half Way It Was.

About ten years before the Eastern railroad was leased to the Boston & Maine, that portion of the old road between Swampscott and Salem was in charge of Section Foreman Timothy Moynahan, according to a Boston correspondent.

His strongest point was in doing just as he was told, and doing that with energy and accuracy. So when he was notified from Beverly by Roadmaster Stevens that the section lengths were to be changed, and that he was to move his tool house from the western end of the Salem yard to half way between mile posts 15 and 16, he started out with the determination to move the house half way, no more, no less.

To get this half-way point he stationed one of his men at mile post 15 and another at mile Post 16, and at a signal they started to walk toward each other until they met, and to a point opposite their meeting place the shanty was moved. This method of getting the correct distance did not quite suit Moynahan, especially when he remembered that one of the walkers was taller than the other, and the other tripped several times on the way down.

Tim Explains.

He carried this in his mind for nearly a year, when he met the engineers measuring through for signals, and asked them to tell him, as they measured, if his house was just half way or not.

When the measurement was taken the house was found to be 60 feet nearer mile post 16 than 15, and Moynahan, on being told, remarked that he thought he could fix things just right.

Later in the year the engineers met Moynahan in Salem, and asked him if his tool house was now half way between the mile posts?

"It is," he replied, "it's just half way."

"Did you have much trouble moving it?"

"No trouble at all; I just let it stay as it was and moved the mile post."

New Species of Zebra.

In Portuguese East Africa an explorer has discovered a new species of zebra, resembling the ordinary zebra in shape, but the head, neck, forelegs and fore half of the body are dark brown in color, the hind part of the body, including the legs, being striped. He also discovered a peculiar style of antelope similar in size and shape to the Boer roebuck or impala, the distinctive difference being a black line down the center of the back and on either hind leg down to the foot. When the animal is startled it immediately takes to flight, the initial leap being fully ten feet through the air.

Gold Nugget in Fish's Stomach.

A gold nugget, weighing several ounces and thought to contain about two dollars' worth of gold, was found in the stomach of a yellowtail caught by Capt. Billy Graves of Long Beach, Cal., about ten miles out at sea.

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Buried Under Fine Coal.

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Varied Uses of Peat.

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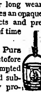

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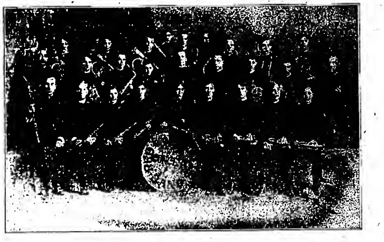

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The [illegible] received the following [illegible] Sunday from the boys [illegible] the [illegible] provisions for [illegible] the Red Lake river to Red [illegible]. They are [illegible] their [illegible] reading [illegible]. The letter was [illegible] the 19th [illegible].

We [illegible] would drop you a line and [illegible] to give you an opportunity of [illegible] the good people in civilization [illegible] we have fared thus far on our trip [illegible] Black Duck.

We left Thief River Falls at 2:30 p. m. [illegible] 13, with the sky some [illegible]. It sprinkled a little before we had [illegible] five miles, but at five [illegible] cloud came up and [illegible] storm. Before we could get the tent up and the boat secured it was [illegible] we took to the woods, threw [illegible] in a heap, piled on top, [illegible] with the tent and let [illegible]. It didn't rain, the clouds just [illegible], and as far as getting out [illegible] why we only lay in six [illegible] and when we got out [illegible] rainbows in the sky [illegible] the seat of every ones pants [illegible] the blankets were not [illegible] in a pouring rain [illegible] two miles up at a far[illegible] he didn't know whether [illegible] as he had twelve of his [illegible] in getting in and [illegible] when we were [illegible] in the middle of the floor. There were [illegible] in the bed and the [illegible]. The "Mate" got [illegible] the eye and it was swollen shut for the [illegible] day. Father Edmund [illegible]. The Custodian of the Keg [illegible] things, and your humble servant stood in the middle of the floor [illegible] his underwear most of the night. We gave a concert before going to bed, the instrumentation being two cornets, an organ and a vocalist. "Herr Von Buse of Dutch fame." His famous production "Rocked in the Cradle with the Angels" brought down the house.

We left there at about seven the next morning and took dinner at Kratka (Skunk Town). Our aim was to get to the Lake as quickly as possible and we traveled on, reaching High Landing in the middle of the afternoon and Park Landing ([illegible]) in the evening. We set up there and had a peaceful night's rest.

[illegible] we were up bright and early and started as soon as possible. Thus far the engine worked perfectly and everything went smoothly, as far as travel[illegible], but from here on we [illegible] terribly with weeds and the [illegible]. We passed [illegible] met [illegible] was giving us [illegible] pass thru them eas[illegible] the [illegible] noon. At five in [illegible] within five miles of [illegible] have reached it by night [illegible] but we struck a log jam, and only three Indians to break it. They worked until 9 o'clock and didn't succeed so we decided to sleep in the boat. In fact it was all we could do for there were no banks to the river here, just swamps all along. It is a very treacherous looking stream for about 20 miles near the outlet.

Then began one of the worst nights we hope we ever have to go thru with. We dispensed with supper as none of us had an appetite for mosquitoes on toast just then. If anyone ever tells you that the mosquitoes are thick up in the swamps, just believe them, it cant be exaggerated. In spite of mosquito netting and a comforter a piece, in spite of all or anything you could do they would crawl through and they certainly knew how to bite. Their relatives down in civilization have lost the art. It was still and clear, in fact nothing interrupted the beautiful harmony of the Mosquito Symphbny Orchetra on Mosquito Bay. An animal of some nature played the drum and traps in such a manner as would have made Batch green with jealousy if he could have heard them and as far as tone quality is concerned Joe and Frank would certainly have to take a back seat with their violins. The bull frogs have Sam and Bert played out on the tubas. In fact the music was of such a nature that we didn't go to sleep at all that night except Father Edmund and he would sleep in a cyclone if there were no cornets in the orchestra. Each family of mosquitoes carried his own private lantern and the orchestra was well lighted up as well as the places of amusement for the little ones.

That morning at 4:30 the log drivers showed up but Mate and Herr Von Buse had already started the jam. At six a heavy rain came up to add to our pleasure and lasted an hour. It was 9:30 when we finally got started again after having been delayed 17 hours and we had our first view of the lake at 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. As far as the eye could see there was nothing but water and to those of us who never saw a large body of water before, it appeared as if there were a large hill of it. We went up the beach a couple of miles; set camp ate dinner and took a good nap, getting up in time to get supper and to get the tent fixed for sleeping. That night we didn't have a mosquito and we slept like logs. We camped here until Wednesday noon, had some duck and strawberries for dinner. At half past one we started for the agency with quite a heavy sea rolling but as we were going with it, it didn't bother us much but ,Fr, Edmund took a trip to Europe and was liberal enough to give over all his good dinner to the fishes The rest of us were too stingy. We landed at 5 o'clock after having traveled 115 miles from Thief River Falls in 24 hours steady running. Of course we were bothered a great deal with weeds. In one or two places it took us a half hour to make a mile or so. We figure we can go back in half the time.

That evening we met some fine people, one, a certain Mr. Goddard, engineer of the Indian school, was one of the young fellows who went through our town last August in a little launch bound for Winnipeg. He tooks us all through the school. It is a large building with girls and boys dormotories, an immense dining room, a steam laundry, a large kitchen, school rooms, gymnasium, bath rooms, private rooms for instructors, offices, etc. etc. There is a large commissary department in connection which furnishes all suppies. The boys get 4 suits of clothes entire every year. The girls are taught to make their dresses. There are 10 months of school, it being out at present. About 110 are in attendance ,and they have to fight to keep them there. They have a force of police to catch and punish the runaways. The building is gas lighted, fully equipped with hot and cold water, plumbing, sewerage, fire protection, and fire escapes thoroly modern in every respect. They are taught not only from books, but all branches of practical trade. In fact the government has left nothing undone. They have more advantages than the white boys and girls of moderate means and yet they have to be forced from their parents and into the schools. Those who finish here are sent away to the larger Indian Colleges. if they wish. There are several Carlisle and Haskell graduates here.

Besides this school there are two churches here. Both services are held in Chippewa. The rector, Reverend Fred Smith of the Episcopal church, is an Indian and Father Thomas is in charge of the Catholic parish. There are several stores, hotels and many residences It is a very pretty place and should any of the Red Lake Falls people want a good outing, take the train to Redby and from there drive by stage five miles to the agency and we can assure them they will never regret their trip

Yesterday morning we went across the lake to the Cross Lake Indian school on the government steamboat, "The Marguerite." We spent all day there. Supt. Davis took us thru the building which is not as large as the Red Lake school but has every advantage. There are about 65 in attendance there. There is a store and logging headquarters on that side, but no churches. The Indians on the north side of the lake won't stand for any religion at all, The original religion of the Indians "The Grand Medicine" prevails in its original form, The Indians on this side make fun of the old religion across the lake.

We took dinner at the logging camp and we were certainly treated right.

We are invited tonight by Mr. Goddard to bring our instruments and music up to the school and we are to have a little cards, dancing and good time in general. Supt. Allen has some lady relatives visiting him and his wife and with a few other ladies who are here for an outing we expect to pass a very pleasant evening. The white people here are certainly fine, as civilized as the Indians are savage. We have seen lots of Indian camps with their tepees, birch bark canoes, dogs etc. living in their wild state.

Tomorrow morning, Saturday, we will leave for the Black Duck river and we are going to attempt to make Blackduck altho we haven't had much encouragement of late. At any rate we are going entirely around the lower lake across the narrows and come home that way.

The lake is very shallow for about a mile or so. In fact it is not over 30 feet deepest places. Day before yesterday we struck rocks about a half mile from shore and had to get out and guide our boat off to keep it from filling with the waves.

Well we hope we are as lucky with the rest of our journey as we have been thus far. If any one should ask you if we are enjoying ourselves just tell them "you bet" for us. We'll have lots of pictures to show and more to tell when we get home.

Yours for a good time,
EDWARD VII, Engineer,
FR. EDMUND, Captain,
R. LUCIUS, the Mate,
HERR VON BUSE, Custodian of the Keg.

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Notice of Mortgage Forclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 199.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $340.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows; to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 24th day of August, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1907.

DULUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer,
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
j11-a15 Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Notice to Vendee of Cancellation of Land Contract.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Ramsey. }

To W. A. Sorsoleil:

You will take notice, That default has occurred in the terms and conditions of that certain instrument, to-wit: A certain contract for the sale of land bearing date the 25th day of October, 1900, made by C. G. Edwards, as owner and vendor, to you, as vendee and purchaser, for the sale and conveyance to said W. A. Sorsoleil of that certain tract of land, lying and being in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northeast quarter (ne¼) of section nineteen (19) in township one hundred fifty-two (152), of range forty two (42), containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, according to the government survey.

And that said default consists in this, to-wit: In your having wholly failed to pay the interest on the said contract that fell due November 1st, 1904, November 1st, 1905, and November 1st, 1906, save and except interest up to the 1st day of September, 1904. That under the terms and conditions of said contract there is due and unpaid at the date of this notice the sum of One hundred and eighty-nine dollars and eighty-two cents ($189 82)

That owing to and on account of said default in the terms and conditions of said instrument the said instrument, and all rights thereunder, in or to said land will be canceled and terminated by the undersigned owner of said land at the expiration of thirty (30) days after the service of this notice upon you, and that if you fail to perform, the conditions of said instrument and to comply with the provisions upon which said default has occurred and fail to pay the costs of service of this notice upon you, the said termination and cancellation of said instrument and all rights thereunder, will take effect immediately upon the expiration of said thirty (30) days from the date of said service of this notice upon you.

C. G. EDWARDS.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1907.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Ramsey. }

On this 12th day of June, 1907, before me personally came C. G. Edwards to me well known to be the person who made and executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged he executed the same as his free act and deed.

FITZHUGH BURNS,
Notary Public, Ramsey County,
Minnesota.
(Seal) My commission expires Sept. 25, 1907.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF Red Lake, ss:

In District Court.

W. H. Bangs, doing business under the firm name and style of Bangs & Co., Plaintiff,
vs
Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment docketed and rendered in said Court in favor of W. H. Bangs & Co., plaintiff, and against Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, defendants, I have levied upon the following described real property of said defendant, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the quarter section line, two rods west of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section numbered seventeen (17), in Township numbered one hundred fifty-one (151) north of Range forty-three (43) west of the Fifth P. M., in the State of Minnesota, running thence south eighty rods, running thence west eighty rods, running thence north eighty rods, running thence east eighty rods to the place of commencement; also lots numbered sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), in Block numbered twenty-six (26), in Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, according to the corrected plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 31st day of August, A. D. 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Samuel Allard and Delia Allard in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Two Hundred Twenty-seven dollars and seventy-seven cents ($220.77), together with all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the first day of April, 1907, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated, July 18, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff, Red Lake Co., Minn.

F. A. GRADY,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Peter K. Olson and Lillie Christine Olson, his wife, mortgagors, to The West of Scotland American Investment Company, Limited, mortgagee, dated May 11th, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on May 16th, 1903, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., in book "26" of Mortgages, on page 509 thereof; that said mortgagee has paid the taxes assessed against the premises described in said mortgage for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, amounting in all to $90.00, that the amount claimed and hereby declared to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said taxes and interest thereon is one thousand one hundred thirty two and 46-100 dollars ($1132.46) that the premises descibed in and covered by said mortgage are Lots five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) of section eighteen (18), township one hundred and fifty one (151), north of range forty-three (43) west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one hundred fifty one and 41-100 acres according to government survey, situated in Red Lake county, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, and state, on August 31st, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including said taxes, together with the costs of such sale and fifty dollars attorneys' fees, stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated July 11, 1907.

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JULY has been a busy month with us. The prices we have been making had the desired effect. The people will go where their dollars will go the farthest. We propose to make August a busy month also. Prices in all departments will be adjusted in the lowest notch. Pin your faith to this store for low prices, you will not be disappointed.

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India relish worth 25c qt now	18c
Monarh asparagus tips, 3 lb	35c
Honey comb	12½c
25c box prunes	$1.45
Cooking figs, per lb	[illegible]c
Wheat flakes per lb	5c
10 lb box soda crackers	25c
Egg carrier	75c
Best cocoanut, per lb	19c
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INVADED THE CITY

Modern Shylocks of North End Burg Come For Their Pound of Flesh.

No less than a half a dozen Thief River Falls bankers, followed by a bigger bunch of the faithful, invaded the county seat Monday morning ostensibly for the purpose of attending the meeting of the board of county commissioners called to act on their late petition secured by a canvas of Marshall and adjoining counties. The reason for this invasion of the "holier than thou" gang was accounted for from the fact that they had it figured down pat that their bluffing tactics on the commissioners the past few weeks would bear fruit, and the board would meet, lest the mighty hand of the gang of boodlers further up creek would smite them to the heart.

However, from ancient history we find that several of the "best laid plans, etc.," do not always pan out as it would be nice to have them, and taking their cue from a recently promulgated popular song, the Thief River bunch "rode right in and turned around, then rode right out again." Strictly speaking, there was nothing doing, and even the tried and true Shaw and Aubol neglected to pass any stinging resolutions affecting the case.

There was no meeting of the board and it looks now as if Thief River will have to go to the courts in another long and costly fight to the taxpayers in order to make any further progress in their attempt to secure that which belongs to them not, or would result in benefit to anyone but themselves by a change. But, the people pay the bills—so what does Thief River Falls care.

A GAZETTE reporter interviewed two of the members of the county board who were in the city yesterday to get from them the exact reason for their non appearance at the meeting, and the following was the statement of both: "During the past ten days we have both consulted counsel outside of Red Lake county and in no way interested in the present county seat fight, and we have been advised in each case that until the old county seat removal petition, which Thief River claims is stolen, has been disposed of, there is absolutely no use of taking action on the new one, and in order to save the county what would be a still further useless expense in this fight, we have simply kept away from these meetings."

This is a sufficient explanation to assure the people of the county that the majority of the county board are acting to the best interests of the taxpayers, An enormous expense would be incurred by the calling of an election on this new petition and then after it was all over to have it knocked out in the courts by one side or the other would mean a direct loss. Thief River Falls builded better than they knew when they set up the cry that the old petition had been stolen, but they will now have to produce it and destroy it publicly or else prove in the courts that it is no longer in existence. There is a petition on file with the county auditor today signed by a large number of the signers of the old petition asking that some definate action be taken on that paper, but so far these demands have been entirely ignored by the Thief River partisans and they have been attempting to procure by bribery and fraud action on a petition that is in reality no petition at all.

Thief River Falls is particularly anxious for the county seat this year as the reaction from their boom is on them, and a few short years will see their town too dead to skin unless they can secure a "stimulant". Money is no object to them in in their crazy desires, but let it be resounded to the credit of all the county outside of their own corrupt haliwick that for once they are baffled and their offers of gold, made by Sunday-school workers, at that, have been turned down flat by the men whom the people elected to represent the public at large instead of Thief River Falls.

PATRONS ARE PAID

Last Pay Day at Creamery Gives Farmers Excellent Cash Returns.

The recent pay day at the local creamery was a good one for the patrons of that institution and substantial checks were given to each and all.

The receipts of cream for the month were the largest in the history of the local creamery and the steady growth of the plant is gratifying to the people in this part of the country.

The following is a list of patrons receiving over $50 for the month:

Idage Baril	$82.22
D. Patnode	81.15
J. Boutin	79.00
Wm. Schmper	72.47
Amie Carrier	76.06
C. Amoit	72.06
Ered Behn	65.19
A Bisson	65.88

A large number of others received in the neighborhood of fifty dollars and the creamery was the means of leaving a lot of money in the hands of the farmers of this neighborhood last month.

The local plant has had by far the most successful run in its history this year, and its list of patrons increases steadily. Manager Malvin knows his business thoroughly and is well liked by the patrons. Aside from this he puts out a product so good that the local plant generally gets a premium over market price for the output.

The Red Lake Falls creamery is now a decided success, but it can be made more so by the further cooperation of the farmers tributary to the city.

Reflection of a Bachelor.

New York Press; Family arguments are always run under forced draught.

A man's income is a very useful thing to those who spend it for him.

A girl believes in love at first sight until she marries on that system.

Red hair is a good thing not to be married to for the sake of the children.

A woman can always quote the Bible to prove something she says in an argument, and a man never knows it isn't there.

SCHOOL IS FINISHED

Four Weeks Session of Summer School Ends Saturday of Last Week.

The four week's session of the teachers training school for Red Lake county closed Saturday last, after a very successful season of work, and Conductor Yaeger and the other instructors have left for their homes

While the school was not nearly so well attended this year as formerly, nevertheless keen interest was manifest at all times by those who did attend, and good results are sure to develop from the fine work done.

The attendance at the school was practically all from the south end of the county, and while teachers from other parts evinced an interest early in the year, it was apparent that some pressure or other was brought upon them to stay away from the school this year. Just why this was done is not plain, but it seems strange that those most interested in this work let any local differences interfere with making the school a success, thereby leaving a chance to be cut out entirely on these schools henceforth. Whatever the reason there was not nearly the attendance the school warranted, but it is the teachers themselves that will feel the effects of not attending the greatest.

Prof. Yaeger and his corps of assistants are very highly spoken of by those that were enrolled, and aside from the attendance the school was a gratifying success in every particular.

CONCERT FRIDAY.

Band Will Give Program On Main Street:

The band will give their regular open air concert tomorrow (Friday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The following is the program prepared:

March .... Mitchell
"York Imperial"
Medley Overture .... Ascher
"Rialto"
Flower Song .... Bennet
"Venetian Roses"
Spanish Serenade .... Yradier
"La Paloma"
Waltzes .... Comstock
"Leading Lady"
Intermezzo .... McKinley
"Golden Rod"
Chilian Dance .... Missud
"Mnnnnn"
Soldiers' Chorous from "Faust"....

The Sage of the Big Fork.

A. M. Greely in Big Falls Compass: The true test of a man is what he does in emergencies.

The American way of observing a holiday is by looking around all night.

The trouble with straw hats is that they feel hot because they look so cool.

Too many men men treat the voice of opportunity like a breakfast bell, and wait for the second call.

There is fun making an enemy "toe the mark" if you can restrain the toe from exploiting your own ribs.

Large amount of money to loan on farms—L. C. Simons

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Believes In Northern Minnesota

J. E. Reynolds in Mankato Free Press: Northern Minnesota is a land of promise, a land of almost limitless resources and immeasureable possibilities. Its future greatness is assured. There is no guesswork wrapped around its development. There is no drawback attached to its industrial growth and expansion and above all it has the makings of of the finest dairy country in the United States if not in the world. It is destined to become the great agricultural section in the northwest. Those who have never visited that vast domain which lies north, northeast and northwest of the Twin Cities have no appreciation of the immense amount of wealth that must come from the bowels of the earth, the timber, and the soil, the productiveness of which is a surprise to those who have investigated crop conditions. There is room in that north country for thousands upon thousands of people and the day is not far distant when immigration will move swiftly in that direction and the land will be made to bloom as a rose. There are riches for those who do settle up and develop Northern Minnesota.

For Sale.

I have several articles of furniture that are nearly new and in excellent shape that I desire to dispose of. A good Malleable steel range, sideboard, 10 foot extension table, six dining room chairs, rocking chair, couch, heating stove and other articles. Call on M. A. Converse. 2w

Ballasting the Road.

A crew of nearly one hundred Italian laborers is located here this week, engaged in the work of ballasting and fixing up the Northern Pacific tracks. The crews have their own boarding cars but buy their supplies in town, which stimulates trade in the grocery and meat line. The N. P. is at present doing a great amount of work on their line from Winnipeg junction to Grand Forks and rumor has it that they contemplate making some changes in their service here next year. It is stated that the congestion on their north line is great and by sending a part of their heavy business around this way they could greatly relieve matters, and at the same time have a shorter cut to to the western field. At any rate conciderable work is being done on this line this year and when it is finished it will be fit for any kind of service.

Petit Jurors.

The following is the list of Petit Jurors drawn for the October term of the district court which convenes on the 28th day of October:

Mathias Waldorf, Lake Pleasant.
Herman Anderson, Sanders
E. J. Nordhagen, Norden
R. L. Hauge, River Falls.
Narcis Robidoux, Poplar River.
Ole Thoreson, Thief River Falls.
Moses Ducharme, Lake Pleasant.
Olof Larson, Numedahl.
Henry Gerlach, Louisville
Jos. Patnode, Gervais.
John Rosignal, Terrebonne.
Henry Lindblom, Bray.
John Roesner, North.
E. A. Moran, Red Lake Falls city.
Jos. Lang, Thief River Falls,
D. J. Doran, Red Lake Falls city.
Halvor Johnson, Numedahl.
Chas. Zutz, Polk Center.
Chas. Seegar, Gervais
Chas. Ford, Black River.
Orella Olson, Garnes.
Herman Ortloff, Sanders.
H. Hennemuth, Red Lake Falls.
Andrew Wassen, Thief River Falls

A large addition has been added to the CROOKSTON COLLEGE this summer. The building is up-to date in every respect and will now accommodate 500 students. The college catalogue is just printed and you can get a copy free by writing to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minn.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Washington.

An order of the interstate commerce commission promulgated on June 1 in the matter of posting tariffs has been suspended by the commission pending a hearing of the whole question on Oct. 11.

When asked if there was any truth in the report that Mr. Hitchcock was going to give up the post of first assistant postmaster general, Mr. Meyer stated that there was no accuracy in the report.

Secretary Taft has finally arranged to make a political speech at Oklahoma City Aug. 24, three weeks before the election for the adoption of the new constitution. He will stop there en route from the East to the Pacific coast, whence he sails from Seattle Sept 10, for the Philippines.

Personal.

Sigmund Rothschild, a millionaire tobacco merchant of Detroit and head of the firm of Rothschild & Sons, died suddenly in New York.

Dr. Joseph Grancher, member of the academy of medicine and professor of children's diseases in the University of Paris, died of pneumonia.

Prof. W. F. Goss, professor of experimental engineering at Purdue university, has accepted the position of dean of the engineering college of the University of Illinois.

After being in the employ of the United States uninterruptedly for fifty years, James Delaney, said to be the oldest letter carrier in the country, has retired from the service in New York.

Theodore Chartrand, the painter, died in Paris. Among the portraits that he painted were those of Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and Miss Alice Roosevelt, Pope Pius X. and Cardinal Gibbons.

Foreign.

A dispatch from Odessa says that seven persons were killed and many injured by an explosion in secret bomb factory in that place.

A young merchant has been arrested at Constantinople in connection with the bomb explosion Sunday night in front of the summer quarters of the America embassy at Therapia.

The court at Paris has ordered that Leon Maille, the naval reservist who on Sunday, July 14, fired two shots at President Fallieres on the streets of Paris, be examined as to his sanity.

The Milan correspondent of the London Tribune says that Miss Louise de la Ramee (Ouida), who has fallen into poverty, is dying at Massarosa. She needs medical care, but refuses it or any comfort. She will not see visitors.

Crystal hall, a three-story brick building on Dundas street, London, Ont., and one of the landmarks of the city, collapsed, and a score of persons were buried under the avalanche of bricks, mortar and timbers. Nine persons are known to have been killed, two are missing and four are seriously injured.

The appeal of Count Boni de Castellane from the decision of the court of Nov. 14 last, granting a divorce to the Countess Boni de Castellane, formerly Miss Anna Gould of New York, was dismissed, and a final decree of divorce duly entered. Mme. Gould is to settle the cases of the creditors both against herself and the count out of court.

Casualty.

A fast passenger train collided head-on with an accommodation near the junction in Cincinnati, and five people were injured.

Four persons were fatally and a number of other passengers badly injured when a passenger train jumped the track near Foraker, Ohio, the entire train turning over in the ditch.

The club house and part of the grand stand at the American league baseball park was destroyed by fire, and a number of small buildings in the vicinity were also damaged. The loss is about $20,000 damage.

The infant son of Herman Hamann of Ida Grove, Iowa, got hold of fly poison, extracted the cork and proceeded to suck the sweet liquid. It required the utmost exertions of a physician to save the child's life.

A section of seats gave way at a show in the circus grounds at Cleveland, precipitating 100 people to the ground. No one was killed, but fifteen to twenty persons sustained injuries of a more or less serious nature.

Frank Sceiton, a young freighter, was struck by lightning and instantly killed near Ross Fork, Mont., while driving a four-horse team attached to a wagon loaded with fence wire. The wire is supposed to have attracted the electricity, and the bolt not only killed Seelton, but all of the horses.

Mrs. John Deevers, aged seventy-five years, living near Medora, Ill., used some lard while cooking potatoes. The fat had become infected with rat poison, and Mrs. Deever, her husband, and their son, were taken sick. Mrs. Deevers died. The others will recover.

The big coastwise steamer Allegheny, one of the crack vessels of the Merchants' and Miners' Transportation company, caught fire as the vessel, outward bound, from Savannah to Philadelphia, was passing Tybee, Ga., and was destroyed by the flames. All of her thirty-two passengers and crew were saved.

While walking along the railroad track at Waterloo, Iowa, Mrs. David Gibson saw a train approaching and stepped onto another track to avoid it. A train was also approaching from the opposite direction, and this was not seen by the woman. She was thrown a distance of sixty feet, and almost instantly killed.

Presumably as the result of a fall down the shaft, Joseph Bedotte met with instantaneous death at the Cleveland Cliffs Iron company's Princeton mine at Swanzey, Mich. There were no witnesses to the fatality. The man being missed search was made and his body was found at the bottom of the skip pit.

Crimes.

Eight convicts sawed through the jail ceiling at Dalhart, Tex., and escaped, making ropes of their blankets. They are still at large.

Margaret Denner, eighteen years of age, shot and instantly killed Rafaele Darbato, nineteen years old, on the street at Cleveland. The girl had been jilted.

Theodore Price, aged sixty-five, a prominent and wealthy citizen of Muscatine, Iowa, jumped from the high bridge into the Mississippi river with suicidal intent. Ill health was the cause.

The special grand jury ordered by Judge Woods of the corporation court, to investigate the rioting at Roanoke, Va., when a mob stormed all the Greek restaurants in town, adjourned, after finding twenty indictments.

Unsuccessful attempt to take his life by cutting his throat with a razor, Timothy C. McCarthy, a miner of Butte, drank carbolic acid and was dead before a doctor could be summoned. No reason is known for the suicide.

With one blow of his fist on the jaw, Harry McGurk, a prize fighter, known as "Red" McGurk, broke the neck of David Brennan, a miner at Springfield. Brennan died before physicians reached him. McGurk telephoned the police what he had done, and officers arrested him. He refused to talk.

The abduction of a seventeen-year-old school boy, Ralph Lee, by Cora Campion, a comely woman of twenty-nine, and their subsequent marriage, has brought John Lee, a rich stockman of Mapleton, Iowa, to Sioux City in a rage. Proceedings will be at once started to annul the marriage by the father.

Circuit Court Judge J. W. Stone of Menominee, Mich., has appointed Attorney F. A. Bell of Marquette special prosecuting attorney in the case of the people against Former State Senator W. N. Mills of Detroit, charged with resisting and assaulting an officer. The case will be tried in this city Aug. 12.

General News Items.

The steel steamer Hemlock, built for the Lackawanna Steamship company, was launched at Bay City, Mich.

The farmers throughout the central part of Ohio are now in the midst of the wheat harvest and are sending out calls for farm help.

The Oklahoma constitutional convention adopted the electoral ordinance calling for the state election Sept. 15, when state officers as well as the constitution will be voted upon.

Because his neighbors for a radius of two blocks testified that he snored so loud that he kept them awake, Carson Emory of Logansport, Ind., has been placed under bonds of $50 to keep the peace.

"My seven-months-old baby drinks three bottles of beer a day. I drink a lot of it a day and my husband drinks the rest of $4 worth." Mrs. Caroline Lemmo of Middleboro, Mass., told the court. The judge refused to swallow the story and fined her $75.

To save the body of their playmate, Elizabeth Galvin, nine years old, from being buried in the potter's field in New York, all of the children in the neighborhood earned and begged money enough to have her interred in consecrated ground in Calvary cemetery.

Dr. Edward R. Taylor, physician and lawyer, dean of the Hastings law college and of the University of California, has been by the board of supervisors elected mayor of San Francisco, and by the open avowal of the bribery graft prosecution the so-called "reign of the big stick" came to an end.

Impatient over the law's delay in smashing 2,200 bottles of beer which Sheriff George Ross of Dallas county, Iowa, had been ordered to destroy half a dozen members of the county normal institute, in session here, seized the wet goods, and, taking them to a grove in a wagon, broke them upon a rock pile. The party was in charge of Ruth Ross, daughter of the sheriff.

Efforts of City Controller Metz and other city officials, acting in behalf of Mayor McClellan of New York, to prevent a recount of the votes cast for mayor in the last city election suffered a severe check when the appellate division of the supreme court denied their application for a writ of prohibition.

Bread is the staff of life; sugar is the cane.

The steamer William A. Mills, one of the largest on the lakes, was launched at Lorain, Ohio. The vessel is 605 1-2 feet long.

TRIAL OF HAYWOOD

For Murder of Gov. Steunenberg.

Defense Rests Its Case.

Boise, Idaho, July 20.—A day of arguments on the admissibility of points of evidence followed the announcement from the defense that they had no further witnesses to offer in behalf of Haywood. The jury was not brought into court, Judge Wood having been informed by counsel of their decision to rest without offer of sur-rebuttal. Clarence Darrow spoke for an hour and a half in the morning session. Senator Borah replied in the afternoon and was followed by E. F. Richardson. Judge Wood will probably announce his decision this morning.

To Exclude Evidence.

The point argued was the proposition to exclude consideration of evidence offered by the defense to show by proof of the deportation of miners and the employment of detectives in Cripple Creek district of Colorado that a conspiracy was formed among the mine owners and the citizens of the district to prevent the employment of members of the Western Federation of Miners. The position taken by the Haywood defense was that Harry Orchard was employed by the Mine Owners' association through detectives to commit crimes that were charged to the federation; that public opinion was aroused against the union miners, and that, if the Colorado evidence for the state was admitted the defense had the right to show a counter conspiracy.

State Replies.

The reply of the state was that the defense had failed legally to connect their case in any of the particulars stated, and therefore their evidence merely confused the issue.

J. M. Hawley will open the argument for the state this morning. It is expected that he will take the entire day. Mr. Richardson, for the defense, will speak Saturday.

Limits Field for Argument.

Boise, Idaho, July 21.—The field for argument, both for the prosecution and defense of William D. Haywood, has been limited by Judge Wood, who in a decision handed down yesterday removed from the consideration of the jury all evidence bearing on the alleged conspiracy by mine owners and others against the Western Federation of Miners.

Immediately after the announcement of this decision argument commenced.

Hawley Addresses the Jury.

Judge Hawley, leading counsel for the state, spoke for two hours and fifteen minutes at the afternoon session. Mr. Hawley's address was at times eloquently impassioned, but yet a plain analysis of the case. He characterized the case as the "most important ever given to a jury in the United States." He denounced the defendant and his alleged co-conspirators as the "worst band of criminals that ever infested any section of this country."

Calls Orchard's Story True.

Mr. Hawley described Orchard's story as truthful, not only because of the manner in which it was told, but because it had been corroborated in every important detail. Mr. Hawley concluded with the statement that already he had shown enough to convict, and that any juryman not willing to convict on the evidence connecting the conspirators with the blowing up of the Bunker Hill and Sullivan concentrator in 1899 and the explosion at the Vindicator mine in 1903 alone "ought only to rid himself of an unpleasant duty to his state."

Mr. Hawley will continue his argument to-day.

Life is Passed in Boise Court.

Boise, Idaho, July 23. — James H. Hawley, leading counsel for the State of Idaho, presenting the first of the arguments to the jury in the case against William D. Haywood, closed Saturday after speaking for nearly eight hours, distributed over three sessions of court.

From time to time Haywood took copious notes in a small book and frequently made suggestions to one or other of his counsel, seven of whom were in court.

Throughout the day Mr. Hawley used an almost conversational tone. The analysis of testimony in contradiction of Orchard's story concluded frequently with the denunciation of witness after witness as a willful perjurer.

Exonerates Rank and File.

Mr. Hawley's peroration was impressive. He said he did not charge that a majority, or even that many of the Western Federation of Miners were criminals, but that the evil deeds of the officers and the scum of the organization had brought discredit on the rank and file.

With the utmost deliberation the leading counsel for the state charged willful perjury against several witnesses. He argued the truth of Orchard's story and said that two men in particular might have been brought to contradict him, but that the defense was afraid to produce either Pettibone or Adams, and he said Adams had been brought to Boise from jail in Shoshone county in order that the defense might use him as a witness.

White to the lips, Clarence Darrow sprang into action.

"The statement is false and counsel knows it," he shouted.

Hawley took a step closer to the defense table and shook his finger close to Darrow's face, and said:

"When counsel says that, he utters a deliberate falsehood."

The atmosphere here was charged with danger. Sheriff Hodgins stood up alert, and his deputies drew in closer, but Judge Wood, with a sharp command and insistent warning, patched up a temporary peace.

Strong Plea for Life of Haywood.

Boise, Idaho, July 24. — For four hours and a half yesterday E. F. Richardson pleaded with the jury for the life of William D. Haywood. Under order of the court the hours for the day's sessions were changed and court met at 6 o'clock last evening.

Mr. Richardson plunged directly into the death of Gov. Steunenberg in his opening sentence.

"When the death of Gov. Steunenberg was flashed to the world there was the immediate conclusion in nearly all quarters that there was some connection between the Coeur d'Alene troubles and the bomb which was placed at his gate."

Reviews Events.

Mr. Richardson then reviewed the events following the death of Former Governor Steunenberg, saying Harry Orchard was caught almost red-handed in the act. A Pinkerton detective came to Idaho and soon had a confession from a man who, to save his own worthless neck was ready to place the blame upon others. The matter was taken up by that portion of the press which depends upon the prosperous and capitalistic classes, and the leaders of the Western Federation of Miners were adjudged guilty without a hearing.

The attorney begged the jurors to lay aside any impression they may have formed from reading the newspapers during the last year and to start with him at the beginning of the case and go through the various events one by one, without feeling or prejudice.

Not Connected With Orchard.

The contention of the defense, Mr. Richardson declared, was that no connection has been shown between Orchard and the defendant.

Mr. Richardson, as he proceeded with his argument, reviewed all the principal points in the case, and declared that neither the defendant nor any of his associates was connected in any way with the crimes with which they are charged.

Attorney Flays the Pinkertons.

Boise, Idaho, July 25. — Forsaking the theory of vengeance as Orchard's motive for the murder of Former Governor Steunenberg, E. F. Richardson argued that Orchard was in the employ of the Pinkerton Detective agency when he killed Steunenberg and that the murder was a part of a conspiracy to hang Haywood. This sudden departure was followed by a tremendous denunciation of Capt. James McParland and the Pinkertons and passionate vituperation of Orchard, Gov. Gooding of Idaho, Senator Borah, Gov. Peabody of Colorado and all who have acted on the side of the prosecution of Haywood came in for a share of the avalanche of Mr. Richardson's peroration.

Calls It Pinkerton Plot.

Mr. Richardson denounced and charged the Pinkerton detective agency with a systematic plot to secure the conviction of Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone as a means to the desired extermination of the Western Federation of Miners. Clarence Darrow will commence his argument in Haywood's behalf this morning. It is expected he will require two days to close for the defense.

Perjury Charge Does Not Hold.

Dr. I. L. McGee, the witness for the defense, who was arrested, charged with perjury, was discharged yesterday by the magistrate before whom the preliminary hearing was held. The justice ruled that the evidence was insufficient to hold McGee.

ST. PAUL MAN KILLED BY CARS.

Charles McKissick Meets With Accident at Frazee.

St. Paul, July 21.—Charles McKissick of the live stock firm of McKissick Bros., South St. Paul, was instantly killed by a train at Frazee at 5 o'clock yesterday morning. From information received at South St. Paul he was on the way to catch a local train for Detroit and was struck by the flyer, coming in an opposite direction. Death was instantaneous.

Set of Tools in His Leg.

Deadwood, S. D., July 21.—Henry Anderson has for many months been troubled with his leg. Finally he became unable to walk and consulted doctors, who decided to perform an operation. The leg was cut open and the doctors took out a chisel, a couple of nails, a screwdriver, some chunks of wood and a piece of tin. Anderson recalled that several years ago he was the victim of a premature explosion while digging a ditch, but he was ignorant of what his leg was carrying.

SENATOR BORAH IS SENSATIONAL

BEGINS CLOSING ARGUMENT FOR PROSECUTION IN HAYWOOD CASE.

NO IMMUNITY FOR ORCHARD

SENATOR IS MOST DRAMATIC IN DISCLAIMING ANY SUCH INTENTION.

Boise, Idaho, July 27.—The case of the State of Idaho against William D. Haywood, charged with the murder of Frank D. Steunenberg, will rest with the jury by night. Clarence Darrow, after speaking for eleven hours, concluded the final plea for Haywood's life at 4:20 p. m., and at 7 in the evening Senator Borah opened the closing argument for the prosecution. He will speak for three sessions, or about seven hours. Judge Wood will charge the jury Saturday morning.

At least 1,000 people were unable to find seats in the court room last night.

Governor's Widow Present.

Aside from the unusually large crowd in the court room and the large number of women present, the scene was much as it has been at each of the sessions during the last eleven weeks. Mrs. Steunenberg, the widow of the murdered governor, was in the court room for the first time. She occupied a seat inside the railing, beside her youngest son.

Senator Borah's speech was a sensation. From time to time he turned on counsel for the defense, fierce denunciation pouring from his lips, and at times he brought protests from Richardson and Darrow, but with blazing eyes and hot words he silenced every effort to break the rush of words.

No Immunity for Orchard.

The climax was, when in behalf of the State of Idaho, its people, its governor and himself, he disclaimed all intention or desire to give immunity to Orchard. Finally, his face pale and voice quivering with emotion, the senator raised his arm and said:

"If I should ever join in an attempt to give immunity to this man I hope the great God may wither my right arm in its socket."

ENGINE BUTTS INTO MAN.

He Is Hurled Fifty Feet and Escapes Without Broken Bones.

Waseca, Minn., July 27.—A man giving his name as Nelson was struck by the north-bound local on the Minneapolis & St. Louis railroad near New Richland and thrown about fifty feet. He was brought to this city in a supposedly serious condition and taken to Dr. Cumming's office. An examination revealed a good many bruises, but no broken bones. After his wounds were dressed the young fellow got up and walked to the depot.

Bolt Kills Young Sheep Herder.

Great Falls, Mont., July 27. — Another lightning fatality is reported from the Holliday ranch, twelve miles northwest of Cascade. A young ranch hand known only as "Bob" was driving a band of sheep to the shearing sheds when a storm came up. There was a flash of lightning and the man fell dead.

Creamery Is Burned.

Black River Falls, Wis., July 27. — The creamery owned by Lund Bros., in the town of Garfield, has been destroyed by fire at a loss of $2,500, with $1.500 insurance. A deal was nearly completed by which it was to become a farmers' co-operative company, but the plant probably will not be rebuilt.

Car Strikes Boy on Coaster.

Toledo, Iowa, July 27.—While coasting down Connell hill in a coaster wagon, Roy Bridge, eleven years old, ran in front of a street car and received injuries which will result in his death. The boy was caught under the wheels and dragged for some distance before the car could be stopped.

Poisoned Dog Biscuit Kills Child.

Albia, Iowa, July 27.—A bit of dog biscuit poisoned with strychnine caused the death of the infant child of Charles Mich of Russell yesterday. The child was playing in the yard when it found the piece of biscuit and ate it. Its death, in awful agony, followed soon afterwards.

Fifth Drowning in Two Weeks.

Houghton, Mich., July 27.—Edward Klotz, twelve years old, was drowned yesterday at Huron dam, near here. This makes the fifth drowning in this district in two weeks, all due to cramps while the victims were swimming.

Killed in Runaway.

Waterloo, Iowa, July 27. — Robert Teel, a farmer living near Lamont, Buchanan county, was killed in a runaway yesterday afternoon. His team became frightened at an automobile, and he was hurled against a telegraph pole, crushing his skull.

Lightning Fatal to Four.

Otter Lake, Mich., July 27.—Three, and possibly four, persons lost their lives when lightning struck the hardware store of W. S. Hemingway, exploding a quantity of dynamite.

WOMAN IS VICTIM OF PLOT

SAYS HER ARREST IS DUE TO FEARS OF LOOTERS OF RED MEN.

Helena, Mont., July 27.—Miss Helen Pierce Gray, accused of obtaining money under false pretenses, who was bound over at Billings to await the action of the grand jury, and who is now in jail here because of inability to furnish $1,500 bond, in a sensational interview yesterday charges that the real motive of her arrest is to bring discredit on her story of graft, loot and robbery of the red men.

Miss Gray asserts that she came West last October to write up the Crow Indian fair for a New York magazine. Government officials, a state senator and a prominent live stock men are charged with being parties to her arrest.

As a result of her trip west last fall, she says she unearthed many scandals which she told personally to President Roosevelt and Secretary Garfield.

She admits that she received $450 from the Indians, but says that it was with the understanding that it was to defray her expenses on the Washington trip to set matters before the officials. Her chief charge is that the Crow reservation opening was tainted with fraud, by which a railroad, a townsite company, several well known stockmen and government officials were to profit.

She declares that the Crows were robbed of $1,600,000 through forgery. Miss Gray also declares she has ample evidence to support her charges. She will publish her story soon, with all of the names, she says.

CUT IN TWO BY WHEELS.

Ride on Cowcatcher of Engine Results in Death.

Livingston, Mont., July 27.—After a thrilling ride on the cowcatcher of an engine pulling a freight train, Michael Heffron, in attempting to get off, slipped and fell under the wheels, his body being cut in two. Heffron, who was a foreman in a grading camp, was returning to camp after a visit to town. He was overtaken by a freight train going in his direction and decided to ride home. He managed to leap onto the pilot of the engine while it was going at a rapid rate of speed, and clung to his perilous position until the grading camp was reached. Then he attempted to alight and was killed.

WOMAN IS BURNED.

Runs Through the Street With Her Clothes on Fire.

St. Paul, July 27.—Her clothing a mess of flames, Mrs. Mamie Welsh, twenty-two years old, ran half a block late last night before she fell in a faint. She is in a critical condition at St. Joseph's hospital, the victim of gasoline. Her body is terribly burned from head to foot, even her tongue being badly blistered, which leads the physicians to believe that she inhaled flames. It is not thought that she can recover.

TO HOLD "HOME COMING."

Black River Falls to Celebrate During County Fair Week.

Black River Falls, Wis., July 27. — A meeting has been held and a committee elected to arrange for a "home coming" for the former residents of Jackson county. The date has been fixed for Sept. 23 and the balance of the week. This is the week of the Jackson county fair, and a large attendance is anticipated.

DENTAL OFFICES ROBBED.

Systematic Burglaries of Two Years Ago Are Repeated.

Marshfield, Wis., July 27.—A number of dental robberies have occurred in this section in the last week, seemingly the work of the same band that operated the same scheme two years ago. In every case dentists' offices are entered and a few dollars' worth of gold taken, everything else being left untouched.

VERDICT FOR $18,500.

Northern Pacific is Mulcted by Montana Jury.

Helena, Mont., July 27.—After being out four hours, a jury in the United States court returned a verdict awarding the complainant $18,500 damages in the suit of J. J. Barry against the Northern Pacific for injuries received in a wreck near Butte in 1903.

Refuse to Work for Fares.

Fergus Falls, Minn., July 27.—Four Finlanders were brought over from Wadena last night to answer to the charge of failing to work out fare. The complaint is preferred by Jacob Kohler, a ditch contractor, who alleges that he paid their fares from Duluth with the understanding that they would work it out on a ditch which he is constructing, but they refused to work and have been committed to jail here.

Child's Head Crushed.

Mason City, Iowa, July 27.—In a fall from a load of hay Willie Bohh, nine years old, son of Frank Bohh, a farmer, living south of Ventura, had the back of his head crushed by wagon wheels, from which he died.

Horse Thief Robs Minister.

Bruce, Wis., July 27.—A horse and buggy belonging to Rev. Franklin of this place was stolen last night while he was conducting religious services at Weyerhaeuser. The thief is still at large.

THE STATE DAY BY DAY

News of Interest.

FIRST RAIL TRIP IN 38 YEARS.

When Tar Anchors Far Inland He Stays Long in Port.

Among the numerous pioneers who assembled at the annual reunion of the Otter Tail County Old Settlers' association this summer, few if any have had a more interesting career than that of Ragnor Kalling, a man who spent twelve years in constant travel, and thirty-eight years without taking a rail trip. Mr. Kalling was born in Sweden in 1840, and at the age of seventeen years shipped as a sailor aboard a merchant vessel engaged in the Brazilian trade.

RAGNOR KALLING

Of Otter Tail county, who as a sailor sees the world and then casts anchor in Minnesota.

Mr. Kalling remained in the Brazilian trade for three years, and then spent several years in the Mediterranean and the East Indian trade. All in all, he crossed the equator twelve times, and as there was no Suez canal in those days he has been three times around the Cape of Good Hope.

His last voyage carried him as far east as the island of Java, and the vessel, on which he was sailing as second mate, took on a cargo of tobacco and coffee there. The voyage occupied 163 days, and on the return journey the ship was run down and dismantled by a French vessel in what was known to the sailors as the "Spanish sea," outside the Bay of Biscay. The captain and first mate, believing that the vessel would quickly sink, boarded the Frenchman and were taken to St. Thomas, but Mr. Kalling, as second mate, maintained that it would float, and with a part of the crew determined to stay with the ship and make the nearest port. This port was Falmouth, England, and after two days of partial sailing and partial drifting they landed safely in the harbor. Another boat was sent out from Rotterdam and towed the dismantled vessel to that port.

Meantime Mr. Kalling's brother had located in Minnesota, and had been writing glowing descriptions of the beauties of this state and its matchless possibilities. These letters induced him to visit Minnesota, and his marriage, which took place in St. Paul, was the determining factor in making him a landsman during the balance of his career. His bride had come from Sweden and met him there, and the couple settled first in Meeker county, but remained there only a short time, and on May 21, 1870, arrived in Otter Tail county, which ever since has been their family home. Mr. Kalling came here in a covered wagon, drawn by an ox team, and from the time he landed in Meeker county to the time he started from Fergus Falls to Underwood to attend the Old Settlers' association, a few days ago, he never boarded a train. He simply had no wish to travel.

On arriving in Fergus Falls he took a homestead just outside that city, and was elected assessor for that locality. While holding that office he assessed the first logs that were brought to the sawmill, which at that time marked the site of the future city of Fergus Falls. He has held practically all of the other township offices from time to time, and was the second judge of probate of the county. An Indian outbreak was feared during Gov. Austin's term of office, and a militia company was hastily organized at Fergus Falls. Gov. Austin appointing Mr. Kalling its captain and consigning him sixty stands of arms. He also holds a sea captain's commission.

TWO STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

Frank Pawtak and John Matz Injured by Bolt Near Ivanhoe.

Ivanhoe, Minn., July 23. — Frank Pawtak and his father-in-law, John Matz, while shingling a house two miles north of Ivanhoe, were struck by lightning. Pawtak's leg was mangled and he is internally injured and may die. Matz is badly injured, but may recover.

Lightning Causes Heavy Loss.

Perham, Minn., July 23.—Lightning destroyed a barn on the farm owned by Gustav Haut. Eight hundred bushels of oats, a quantity of hay and some valuable machinery also were destroyed. One team of horses was killed by the bolt. The loss is between $3,000 and $4,000.

Aged Woman Run Down.

Breckenridge, Minn., July 23.—Mrs. Christina Ekert, seventy-five years of age, was struck by a butcher's wagon and seriously injured.

Alexander Olson, aged seventy-five, was accidentally shot and killed by an old muzzle-loading shotgun at Hallock

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A brakeman by the name of McElhoney was caught between two box cars at Benson and was seriously injured.

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M. Rivers, who has operated a little shoe shop in Winona, has disappeared from his home, and no trace of him can be found.

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Bennie Ferguson, fifteen years old, son of Frank Ferguson of Luverne, was killed by the pole of a hay loader falling upon him.

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James A. Strane was drowned in the Minnesota river near Mendota, by the capsizing of a canoe in which he and a companion, Albert E. Simmons, were paddling.

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Willie Howard, nine years old, of Preston, blew off a part of one foot with a shotgun, and there is grave danger of blood poisoning from the powder burns.

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While workmen were employed in the Lake Emerson drainage ditch near Lake Crystal, the side walls caved in, and Hans Iverson and John Wilson narrowly escaped death.

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Mrs. M. S. Hall of Garden City accidentally shot herself through the hand with a 32-caliber revolver while demonstrating to her son and nephew how the revolver worked.

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Frank Riolo, an Italian laborer, was run down by a switch engine in the Northern Pacific yards at St. Paul. He received injuries, from which he died an hour later in the city hospital.

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A young son of William Sickner, superintendent of the government sawmill at White Earth, was killed while playing underneath the mill. He was caught in the gearing of the sawdust conveyor.

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Poultry raisers at Geneva are becoming alarmed at the large number of birds being killed by the new fly. Great havoc among some flocks is being reported, some losing as many as 200 fowls.

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August Olson, aged sixteen, was drowned in Hamilton lakes, near Norway. He was in bathing with a friend. Neither could swim. Olson got out too far and sank. His friend could not help him.

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While attempting to board a moving train, J. O. H. Nelson, fireman on a steam shovel, at work on the big cut being made by the Northern Pacific, near Hawley, was thrown against a string of box cars and instantly killed.

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A log cut at Swan River Landing was pronounced by lumbermen to be the largest ever cut in the State of Minnesota. It measured fifty inches at the smallest end and scaled 2,222 feet. Instead of being loaded on cars it will be floated down the Mississippi river to Dubuque, Iowa.

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F. Rossa, engineer on a trenching machine, was probably fatally injured while at work on the sewer system at Madison. Rossa made a misstep and thrust his leg into the gearing machine. The powerful machine crushed the bone to splinters and ground off the flesh.

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Showers, accompanied by electricity and some hail, occurred at Fergus Falls, and the residence of Gilbert Ingersoll, in the eastern part of the city, was struck by lightning and burned. Reports of three other residences in this city and vicinity having been struck have been received, but the fires were extinguished.

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The Norman county commissioners have established two additional county drainage ditches, making the total number of ditches completed and now under construction in this county thirty-two. Another ditch has been petitioned for in the eastern part of the county, which will drain a large area of valuable farm land.

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Royal A. Stone of Morris, assistant attorney general, is preparing to leave the service of the state within a few months, and will enter into a law partnership with Thomas D. O'Brien, state insurance commissioner, who retires from office at the end of this month. Mr. Stone will not leave the department until after the railroad cases in which the state is now involved have been tried.

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The Ottertail county commissioners have decided to order the construction of a big ditch in the towns of Eastern and Effington, and bids will be opened early in August. The construction will necessitate the removal of approximately 45,000 cubic yards of earth, and the estimated cost is $8,318.58. A great deal of ditch work has been ordered in this county during the present summer, the commissioners having held meetings every week or two to consider petitions.

A Man Story.

The Big Fish (boastfully)—Yes, sir, he was at least ten feet long and must have weighed 500 pounds if he weighed an ounce, but the line broke and I got away from him.—Puck.

BRINGS HOME PRIZES WON AT WEST POINT

Alexander E. Chilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Chilton of Frazee, Minn., has returned to his home from West Point. He was graduated from the United States military academy with honors this spring. He bore the distinction of being the youngest member of his class, and carried off several prizes as a marksman. He has chosen the light artillery and will receive his commission as second lieutenant in a few days.

PREMIUMS ARE LIBERAL.

State Fair Association Hangs Up $70,000 to Be Won.

As it is considered probable that 50,000 people will attend the coming Minnesota state fair, which is to be held Sept. 2 to 7, the occasion will be a great one in which to exhibit the products of the Northwest, both agricultural and manufactured. The various superintendents of divisions are receiving many applications for space in the buildings, and entries of horses, cattle, swine, sheep, poultry, grains, vegetables and flowers, all to compete for the premiums offered by the state fair management.

About $43,000 are offered in the ordinary premium list, while $27,(000 additional will be given in purses for the great races, making in all $70,000 to be disbursed to persons having animals or farm products of superior quality. In most of the animal divisions entries close on Aug. 15.

Special interest will attach this year to the exhibits of poultry and poultry-house supplies and apparatus, which will be shown in the new poultry building, the largest in the United States. Even more interest will be shown in the dairy building, which is also the largest of its class, and which will not only contain a very elaborate assortment of dairy and creamery apparatus and supplies, but will have a refrigerator ninety feet long, in which there will be a tub of butter from every creamery in the state.

RULES ADOPTED.

Board of Control Tells How to Settle Dispute Over Poor.

The state board of control has power under the revised laws to decide as to the residence of poor persons who are charges on counties or towns. Under the law, the board has adopted rules for getting evidence when there is a dispute as to residence.

Any county or town having a charge that it claims to be a resident elsewhere is to file a petition with the board. A copy will be sent by the board's secretary to the other party in the controversy, to be known as the respondent. It must file an answer in twenty days, and the petitioner will have another twenty days to reply. Either party may on request have twenty days to prepare a written argument, after which the board will decide where the person in question properly belongs.

MILKING CONTEST.

Interesting Feature at the State Fair This Year.

An interesting milking contest will take place at the Minnesota state fair under the new competition offered in connection with the national display of Shorthorn cattle by the American Shorthorn Breeders' association. The contest is open to two classes of cows, those under three years old and those over that age. The sum of $200 is put up in premiums.

On the first morning of the show all cows are to be milked in the ring in the presence of the judge, who shall also see each animal's milk weighed, and shall be done for three consecutive days, morning and evening, at hours to be fixed by the superintendent.

Masked at Church.

Two sisters, one 15 the other 17, have been charged at Olmutz, with offending the public feeling of reverence by going to church in masks. In defense, they protested that they meant no harm. They had been at a masked ball till five o'clock in the morning, and had slipped into the church just as they were. The court delivered judgment to the effect that the accused were certainly guilty, but meant no harm. They were, therefore, acquitted.

CONTRACTORS PUSH WORK.

New Buildings at State Fair Ground Are Being Rushed.

The enormous amount of improvement work now under way on the Minnesota state fair grounds is making satisfactory progress and Secretary C. N. Cosgrove said that everything will be in perfect shape for the fair, which opens on Sept. 2.

The contractors who are erecting the poultry building have the walls practically completed and are putting in roof timbers. The dairy building is not so far advanced, but the walls are well up and there is no doubt that both these buildings will be finished by Aug. 15, the date set by the contracts. At the manufacturers' building annex roofers are at work and the interior work is being done.

A large crew of men is at work on the sewer system for the grounds, and heaps of dirt and piles of drain pipe may be seen in all directions along the avenues. The pumping station at the southwest corner of the grounds is well under way. From this plant the sewage will be pumped through a wrought iron pipe more than a mile long to connect with the St. Paul sewer system.

Another large crew is erecting a wire fence around the new forty-acre purchase and along the east side of the fair grounds where the old fence requires replacing.

Carpenters have the new bleachers in hand and are making good progress with the heavy timbering which will support the seats. These bleachers will have a seating capacity of 5,000. Still another gang is overhauling and partially rebuilding the main grandstand.

DAKOTA AS TO FLOUR MILLS.

State Labor Bureau to Begin Compilation Aug. 1.

Statistics relating to the flour mills and the flour milling industry of the state will be compiled by the state labor bureau. The work will be taken up immediately after Aug. 1, but as there are between 300 and 400 flour mills in Minnesota, it will take some time to gather complete statistics.

The purpose of the labor department is to get as full information as possible in regard to the ownership of the different mills, the investment in each, character of work done, method of operation, number of employes, disposition of product with reference to foreign or domestic consumption, beside the character of the machinery and other equipment and conditions of labor. At present there are no such statistics.

Of the total number of flour mills in the state, about twenty-seven, including practically all of the largest ones, are in Minneapolis.

Early in the fall the labor department will begin a compilation of statistics regarding the canneries of Minnesota, which have grown very rapidly in number in the past few years. In 1900 there were but four canneries in this state, and none of them was large enough to be considered of great importance among the state's industries. In 1904 the number of canneries had been increased to sixteen, and at present there are about thirty.

CHAUTAUQUA IS SUCCESSFUL.

Three Senators Appear at the Worthington (Minn.) Session.

The second annual Worthington chautauqua closed after a session of eleven days. It was successful in every way, the weather being the finest, the attendance large and the program well selected.

Senator Dolliver of Iowa spoke to an audience of about 2,500 people. He took issue with portions of Senator La Follette's address which was delivered here July 5, and inferentially paid his compliments to Senator Tillman for his utterances and profession upon the race question.

The new amphitheater erected this year at a cost of about $3,000 was repeatedly crowded to overflowing by large audiences. The Chautauqua association, after cleaning up all indebtedness, has something like $1,000 ahead. Next year's meeting will find better and improved accommodations.

BUTTER FOR THE NAVY.

Hutchinson Creamery Fills Contract for 100,000 Pounds.

A Hutchinson creamery has just finished filling a contract for 100,000 pounds of butter for the United States navy. This is one of three creameries which were awarded such contracts, the requirements being that the butter should score 95. Maj. M. W. Long of the bureau of animal industry has been here to inspect the butter for the government, and an expert chemist, packer and weigher also have been constantly at work watching the preparation of the butter. The butter is sealed in three-pound tin cans and will keep for many months.

Fined for Using Vile Language.

Faribault, Minn., July 20.—Joseph McCarthy was convicted by a jury in justice court of using vile language, Mary Mohan being the complaining witness. He was fined $10 and costs, making $39.40. He will appeal the case to the district court.

Man Buried in Well.

Annandale, Minn., July 20.—Thomas F. Bullock, a pioneer of Wright county, while digging a well was buried underneath tons of earth which suddenly caved in.

2,300 Volts Kill Man.

Billings, Mont., July 20.—Lewis O. Johnson, a lineman employed by the Billings Water Power company, was instantly killed here as a result of coming in contact with a live wire, carrying 2,300 volts.

LIFE INSURANCE ACTIVITY.

The New York Life's Business Nearly Up to the Legal Limit.

The New York Life Insurance Company announces that its new paid business during the half year just ended was over seventy million dollars. As the new law allows no life company to write over one hundred and fifty millions per year, it would appear that this company is working early up to the limit. The New York Life gained such headway before the law was passed and suffered so little, comparatively, from the Armstrong investigation, that the question with its management has been how to keep business down to the limit, rather than how to reach it. No other company is writing nearly as much as the law allows. The New York Life has evidently become a preferred company.

The company's payments to policy holders during the six months ending June 30 were $21,660,761. It is interesting to note that this amount was almost equally divided between payments under policies maturing by death and payments made to living policy holders. Thus, while death-claims were $11,180,626, the amount paid for matured endowments, annuities, trust fund installments, for purchased policies and for dividends was $10,480,135. Modern life insurance, as practiced by the best companies, embraces a wide field, and covers many contingencies. It is money saved for the aged, as well as money provided for the families of those who die prematurely.

ULTIMATE FATE OF FISH.

They Never Die a Natural Death, Says an Observant Fisherman.

"Fish never die a natural death," said an old fisherman who has observed as he fished. "If they did bodies of dead fish would be floating on the surface of the water about all the while, because such bodies if unmolested would have to float.

"I mean, of course, fish in nature never die a natural death, not fish in captivity. And perhaps it should not be called natural death that fish in captivity die. Their environment induces mortality that fish in their native habitat would escape, and these causes might be properly classed as among the accidents that carry the captive fish off.

"If fish in their native element were never molested I believe they would never die. If they had sufficient food, which would be impossible if they no longer preyed on one another, there would be no reason for their dying. It was to prevent such uninterrupted tenure of life that all fish were made fiercely predatory, if not remorselessly cannibalistic, as many kinds are.

"A fish's life is a constantly strenuous one and one entirely selfish. A fish lives only to eat and to avoid being eaten."

International Observatory.

The International observatory on the summit of the Monte Rosa perched at a height of 15,200 feet, is completed, and will be opened soon. The construction of the observatory, which is the highest in the world, is due to the generosity of Queen Margherita of Italy, who, it is said, will attempt the ascent of the Monte Rosa in order to open the building.

Slow Development There.

Northeast Australia develops very slowly. Farmers grow maize in the old-fashioned way. The maize crop in Queensland this year is a record one. Canning pineapples is becoming an important industry in Queensland. Opal mining is growing steadily.

Our Annual Sugar Consumption.

The American sweet tooth during the past year consumed 6,300,000,000 pounds of sugar valued at $300,000,000. This is seventy-six pounds per year for every resident.

MEAT OR CEREALS.

A Question of Interest to All Careful Persons.

Arguments on food are interesting. Many persons adopt a vegetarian diet on the ground that they do not like to feel that life has been taken to feed them, nor do they fancy the thought of eating dead meat.

On the other hand, too great consumption of partly cooked, starchy oats and wheat or white bread, pastry, etc., produces serious bowel troubles, because the bowel digestive organs (where starch is digested), are overtaxed and the food ferments, producing gas, and microbes generate in the decayed food, frequently bringing on peritonitis and appendicitis.

Starchy food is absolutely essential to the human body. Its best form is shown in the food "Grape-Nuts," where the starch is changed into a form of sugar during the process of its manufacture. In this way, the required food is presented to the system in a pre-digested form and is immediately made into blood and tissue, without taxing the digestive organs.

A remarkable result in nourishment is obtained; the person using Grape-Nuts gains quickly in physical and mental strength. Why in mental? Because the food contains delicate particles of Phosphate of Potash obtained from the grains, and this unites with the albumen of all food and the combination is what nature uses to rebuild worn out cells in the brain. This is a scientific fact that can be easily proven by ten day's use of Grape-Nuts. "There's a Reason." Read, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Andrew Gilbertson, while walking on the railroad track east of Madison, was killed by a freight train.

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Two men were blown to pieces and three others were badly injured by a premature explosion of dynamite in the Minnesota mine near Soudan.

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Mrs. James McDowell and daughter Minnie were probably fatally injured in a runaway accident at Preston. A little girl also was slightly injured.

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N. E. Prindle, fourteen years old, was struck by an automobile in St. Paul and badly injured. He is injured in the chest and internal injuries are feared.

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Knute Johnson, twenty-one years old, was almost instantly killed at the Cloquet Lumber company's mill at Cloquet by being hit by a piece of flying timber.

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Burglars broke into the offices of the Northern Pacific depot at Perham blew open the safe with dynamite, secured about $75 and escaped without leaving any clue.

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While fishing alone in Mud lake, near Bovey, John Hager, eighteen years old, was seized with an epileptic fit and fell from his boat into the water and was drowned.

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Bemidji is to have a second sawmill. The plant will have a capacity for sawing from 30,000,000 to 50,000,000 feet of timber a year, and will give employment to from 200 to 300 men.

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Henry Sensiver, twenty years old, son of Oliver Sensiver of Hugo, was drowned in Eagle lake near his home within sight of several companions who attempted in vain to rescue him.

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Crops are in excellent condition in the vicinity of West Concord. Hay is light. The farmers are unable to secure help for haying, though they are offering as high as $2.25 a day and board.

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Jason Bemis, seventy years old, a prominent resident of Owatonna, shot himself with a revolver at his home at Owatonna. It is thought that worry over unfortunate speculations was the cause of the suicide.

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The driving of logs that were cut from lands along the upper Mississippi river is nearing an end, and the drivers state that the last of the logs will be out of the river within the next fifteen or twenty days.

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Insects supposed to be green bugs, have destroyed great patches in the oat fields in the vicinity of Preston, though the yield so far is not materially threatened. All other crops are fully up to the average.

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Seven hundred and fifty ore trimmers on the Duluth, Missabe & Northern docks at Duluth struck for increase in pay. The day men want $2.50 in place of $2.25, and the night men want $2.75 in place of $2.50.

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Henry, the thirteen-year-old son of John Dill of Ramsey sustained terrible injuries by being run into by a lawn mower. Two sections of bone were cut out of his ankle, and the leg is fearfully lacerated. He may lose his foot.

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County Auditor Joseph F. Jones of Fillmore county has resigned, to take effect Oct. 1. George E. Weatherill, present abstracter, has been appointed to the position. Mr. Jones will enter the employ of a Minneapolis printing company.

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Oswald Banderson, twelve years old, only son of Brank Blanderson, a well-to-do farmer, was accidentally killed at St. Peter. While walking through a pasture he was kicked by a horse. The blow fractured his skull, and he lived but a few moments.

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Mabel Bradbury, eleven years old, drowned at Cass Lake while bathing with a companion, who also had a narrow escape. They got a piece of timber and floated out into the lake. Mabel jumped off in water too deep and drowned before help came.

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A man giving his name as Ingvold Christianson was arrested at Fergus Falls on the charge of robbing freight cars in the local yards. He was caught in the act of burying tobacco which he had pilfered from a car, and there is a clear case against him.

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Lightning struck the store building of N. O. Romness of Roscoe, and fire that resulted destroyed the store building with the entire stock of general merchandise and the house adjoining. With the exception of $600 insurance on the house the property is an entire loss.

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Rudolph Lahel, who robbed a homesteader's shack near Bridgie on June 8, has been sentenced to serve three years in the state prison at Stillwater, having been allowed to plead guilty to the charge of burglary in the third degree.

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A Hutchinson creamery has just finished filling a contract for 10,000 pounds of butter for the United States navy. This is one of three creameries which were awarded such contracts, the requirements being that the butter should score 95.

TOO LATE

When you have lost your eye-sight to fit any glasses

If your eyes don't feel just right call at once and have them examined . .

HENRY W. ANDERSON, Optician

Red Lake Falls Gazette
AND RED LAKE COURIER
BY JOHN E. KING
SAM S. HAISLET, LOCAL EDITOR
Printed Every Thursday at Red Lake Falls Minnesota.
OFFICIAL PAPER RED LAKE COUNTY
OFFICIAL PAPER RED LAKE FALLS CITY
$1.00 Per Year in Advance

It doesn't pay to be n bng, nnd it is high time St. Paul was discovering this fact.

THE Buffalo Lake News man announces that "fifty country newspapers have suspended publication in the last six months and half a hundred more are on the verge of the grave."

THE St. Peter Free Press suggests that "an extra session of legislature would be acceptable to St. Paul, for it would mean a four month's session, as a matter of course, and incidentally an expenditure in the saintly city of several hundred thousand dollars."

THE St. Paul newspapers are entering a protect because all of the employees of the new immigration bureau are from the country. It is not good taste for St. Paul to register a kick. They have the capitol and an army of state officials—three times as many as would be their share if a proper geographical diviion was made.

THE Northfield News gives this excellent advice: "If you expect other people to trade at home, remember to set the proper example. If you are a merchant don't expect to convince your customers that trading at home is a virtue if you are using an outside brand of any article of the same kind manufactured in your own town and giving employment to home labor."

THE staid old Pioneer Press is undergoing a metamorphosis. Jim Hill's holdings in the paper have been purchased by a company headed by Tams Bixby, once the leader of the Republican machine, and Mr. Bixby is to be the manager of the paper. On the theory that "a new broom sweeps clean," we may expect some notable improvement in St. Paul's morning newspaper.

INSPIRED by the happiness which is gained from living on a farm, the Fergus Falls Press waxes eloquent:

"Not even Rockefeller or Morgan at their residences in New York, can surround themselves with the genuine comforts and beauty that cluster about the homes of prosperous farmers. They can't get such sweet, fresh milk and cream, such pure undefiled butter, such honest wholesome bread, such appetizing vegetables and fruit as the best farmers have in abundence. In short, life is most worth living in the country."

THE Haywood jury did not perpetrate a surprise when it brought in a verdict of acquittal. The evidence was wholly circumstantial, and the attempt of the state to make a hero out of Orchard was damaging to the prosecution. Moyer and Pettibone, against whom the evidence is admittedly weaker than against Haywood, will likely be set free without trial.

THERE is some thoughtless and unfair critizism of the Minnesota supreme court indulged in by the public press, and from the source of these aspersions it is easy to believe that personal pique and spite furnishes the controlling power. THE GAZETTE is not among those who believe that courts and judges are sacred and above reproach, but it does believe that the integrity of the judiciary should not be questioned for light and trivial reasons. If we lose faith in the highest court of the state it is a long step toward a general dissatisfaction with our system of government, and might lead to disorder and disaster. Notwithstanding the fact that politics plays altogether too important a part in the selection of judges, Minnesota has been fortunate generally in choosing good lawyers and able jurists. Let us guard carefully the belief that our courts are honest—at least until it can be clearly substantiated that the reverse is true.

For Sale—Southwest quarter of section 14 152 45 Write Frank Thayer, owner, 517 N. 72 street, Seattle, Washington. 41 4t

Use McLaughlin's XXXX Coffee Every Day Because—

McLaughlin's XXXX Coffee is always uniform in quality and properly blended and roasted.

You do not get good coffee one day and poor coffee the next.

The handy air-tight package and the glazing of pure sugar keeps this coffee clean and fresh, protected from dust, dirt and foul odors. Each package is one pound full weight.

McLaughlin's XXXX Coffee is Sold by

THEO. LaBISSONIERE
GARCEAU & ZAISER
M. SKALA
J. N. NIMESGERN

STATE FAIR OF '07.

The Forty-eight Annual Show on September 2nd.

With many new buildings, great changes on the grounds, wonderful improvements in lighting and sanitation, and a large area added to its exhibition space, the Minnesota State Fair will this year indeed be the "greatest fair in America."

The fair is to open Monday, Sept. 2nd, (Labor Day) and continue thru the week, closing on Saturday Sept. 7th. Unusual efforts have been put forth by the managers to make the fair a success and even at this early date very largely increased exhibits have been assured in all divisions of the fair.

The opening of the mammoth live stock amphitheater last year attracted the attention of stockmen all over the country and they are coming in great numbers this year to show their animals in the best equipped stock division of any fair in the country.

The new dairy building is an adequate structure to represent the enormous dairy interests of the state. Near is the new Poultry Hall—the largest building for the exhibition of poultry in the world. A new manufacturers building will supplement the one erected a few years ago. The grand stand has been rebuilt and made perfectly safe and new bleachers accommodating 5000 more people have been erected. The new sewer system and perfect comfort stations make the grounds perfectly sanitary.

At night the grounds and buildings will blaze with electric lights and races under arc lights and wonderful pyrotechnics in connection with "The Seise of Jericho" spectacle will furnish magnificent amusement.

A mammoth airship will sail about the grounds daily and visit each city in turn. The races will be of the finest and will be pulled off amid absolutely clean surroundings,

Dan Patch will appear again on Monday in an endeavor to break his record made last year, when he reduced the world's record for a harness horse to 1:55. On Thursday, Sweet Maria, the champion trotting mare will go against her record of 2:02. Saturday will be automobile day. A hundred other amusement features will fill up the programs and there will be something doing every hour of the six days.

B. F. Nelson is president of the fair and C. N. Cosgrove, secretary. The fair grounds are located midway between St. Paul and Minneapolis and easily accessible from each city by electric cars.

Back From Honeymoon.

The Warren Register of last week contains the following notice of the marriage of a young couple well known to Red Lake Falls people:

Mr. S. J. Swanson, the genial manager of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.'s elevator and lumber business at Luna, was married at Minneapolis on June 23, to Miss Nora L. Dargan, an esteemed lady of Wylie, Red Lake county, Minn. After the ceremony the happy couple started on a five weeks honeymoon trip, which included a delightful steam boat ride on the Mississippi to St. Louis, Mo., and visits to several of Minnesota's beautiful lakes in the vicinity of Atwater. Mr. and Mrs. Swanson arrived in this city on Monday and have been busy since receiving the congratulation of friends. Mrs. Swanson is a niece of E. Dady, of this city. They will make their home here for the next two months or until the company will have completed the new house which it is building for them at Luna.

Fined For Killing Moose.

Storvall Thompson, a farmer and trapper of Middle River, Marshall Co. was arrested Sunday last and taken to Warren where he was fined $50 and costs, which were very heavy, for killing a cow moose.

Game Warden Munch of Crookston secured the evidence against him the first week in July the cow moose having been killed June 22. The chain of evidence was completed, the spot having been located where the moose was shot, traced to where it had been dragged to the woods and dressed and 160 strips of meat located in a smoke house where it was being cured. The hide had been hidden and the head had been eaten by the wolves, but not until it had been seen by several people.

Thompson refused to plead guilty and County Attorney Brown sent Sheriff Forsberg of Warren after him last Thursday and he was taken to Warren where he was fined.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Haying Time

We are headquarters for everything you will need for haying purposes,

Hay Forks
HAY TOOLS of all kinds
Hay Carriers

See us before you buy your Haying necessities

For the Summer Months

our **New Perfection Blue Flame Oil Stove** will do away with the hot kitchen. See them in our window. **Refrigerators. Ice Chests** and everything needed in the hardware line. We can please your pocketbook.

Leading Hardware G. A. KANKEL Red Lake Falls

JAMESTOWN EXPOSITION

is an attraction not to be missed in your trip East this summer. Norfolk, Fort Monroe, and Newport News are historic spots, and there are many interesting side trips to Richmond and other places that can be made.

See the Adirondacks, the Catskills, the White mountains, the Hudson and the watering places of the East in connection with an Exposition trip.

Ask Northern Pacific Agent about fares, etc.

Northern Pacific Railway

A. M. CLELAND
General Passenger Agent,
St. Paul, Minn.

BRAY.

Everybody is busy putting up hay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schumacher and daughter Bertha, of Carrol, Iowa are visiting with their son, W. F. Schumacher.

A. F. Anderson transacted business at St. Hilaire, Friday.

Mrs. C. P. Johnson left last Friday for Barnesville for a short visit with her husband who is working at that place.

John Scholin was at Crookston Saturday and Sunday.

John Gunderson of St. Hilaire, a former Brayite, was here for a few days last week looking over old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Booth of Crookston were in Bray last Sunday.

Loyd Crown came home from Thief River Falls Saturday for an over-Sunday visit with his parents.

Miss Cora Bakken of Thief River is visiting at her uncle, Ed Crown's home.

Christ Person wears the smile that wont come off, because of the arrival of a baby girl at his home last Sunday.

Notice to Canadian Subscribers.

A recent ruling of the Canadian postal department requires that every copy of THE GAZETTE sent to subscribers residing in Canada bear a one cent stamp. This increase in the postal rates and the labor involved in affixing the stamps makes an increase in the subscription list to Canada subscribers necessary. After this date renewals and new subscriptions to be sent to Canada post offices will be charged at a rate of $1.50 per year.—Editor.

A Novel Scheme

Of advertising has been conjured up in the fertile brain of Professor Watkins, proprietor of the Dakota Business College of Fargo. He is a strong believer in good, original advertising. During the past year he has been "hustling" hard to locate his young bookkeepers and stenographers at good salaries. He finally decided to put in the daily papers every situation secured—his list showed 350 positions last year.

HAY STACK COVERS
Save the Hay and Grain.
Write for prices on all kinds of Canvas goods.
AMERICAN TENT & AWNING CO.
307-9-11 Washington Av. N. MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Have you got a farm for sale?
If so, see V. M. Higinbotham

"B. B." and "I LEAD" CIGARS

do not have fancy colored bands around them, but the smoker should buy a cigar for quality and not for the "trimmings."

The "B. B." cigar contains more pure tobacco than any 10c cigar on the market, and is made carefully and with a view to the comfort of the smoker. The money that is necessarily spent to sell the foreign brands of cigars is put into the quality of the "B. B." Why shouldn't they be better....................

Manufactured in Red Lake Falls by

BRUNELLE BROS.

Buy your legal blanks at the GAZETTE office.

SPILLANE'S

PHONE 7

GROCERIES---We have them

Whether you want a nickel's worth of cookies or a large order you can always find what you want here.

Have you tried our teas and coffees?

THE QUALITY STORE

Main Street **W. T. SPILLANE** Red Lake Falls

In the Local Line

Band concert Friday night.

Spillane has a new ad in today's paper.

Remember the band concert Friday night.

The Busy Store has a new ad in today's paper.

Chatel wants your eggs. See his new ad in today's paper.

Register Quist was a caller at Thief River Falls yesterday.

Attorney F. A. Grady was a Thief River Falls visitor Tuesday.

For Sale—a top buggy and surrey both good as new.—P. O. Floan.

Charley Gervais was an over-night business visitor at Crookston Tuesday.

S. M. Sivertson was an over Sunday visitor at points south of Crookston.

Mrs. M. R. Hall was a business visitor at Crookston over Friday night.

C. C. Jackson, of Thief River Falls was an over-night visitor nere last Friday.

Attorney F. A. Grady was a professional caller at Crookston last evening.

Hiram Belair is home to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Belair.

Rev. Father Thiellon of Gentilly was a guest of Rev. Father Fayolle last Thursday.

Note what an array of seasonable bargains the Big Store is quoting in today's GAZETTE.

County Attorney Germo was a professional caller at Thief River Falls Saturday.

S. A. Swanson and J. A. Duffy were business visitors at Garnes and Plummer yesterday.

M. M. McCarthy, general agent for the Gun l people spent last Saturday in the city.

Mrs. Harry E. Ives and daughter are spending the week at the Pir ath home in this city.

Miss Amelia Berget was an over-Sunday visitor wtih her parents and friends at Crookston.

J. W. Lynch was here from Equality over Sunday, attending to some business matters.

Miss Ella Krueger is at home, having just completed a term of school in Equality township.

The official proceedings of the recent session of the county board are published in today's paper.

Mrs D Collins, of St. Hilaire, was a guest at the home of County Auditor O'Brien over Sunday.

M St. Pierre and wife of Crookston spent a couple of days at the Lucien Philion home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brosseau, of Crookston are spending today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bray.

Mrs. Omer Hall returned Saturday from a visit of several days with friends at Grand Forks.

James Egan went to Fargo Monday evening and from there to points west in North Dakota on a business mission.

Mrs. Dan Latendresse went over to Cass Lake Monday evening for a couple of weeks visit with her sister and friends.

D. P. O'Neil, of Thief River Falls spent several hours in the city Monday on his way to his farm in Norman county.

Miss Kathrinn Grey in in the Twin cities this week selecting a large new fall stock of goods for the millinery store.

Little Miss Bella Bray went down to Crookston last evening to spend several days with her aunts and uncles there.

Miss Albina Lemieux returned homn Tuesday evening from a week's visit with relatives and friends at Grand Forks.

County Attorney Germo went down to Crookston last evening and from there weut to Warren where he is spending today on legal matters.

Theo. LaBissoniere and Noel Delorme left last evening for Black duck, where they will spend several days fishing and enjoying an outing.

Miss Clara Guerin returned home Tuesday from Maxbass, North Dakota, where she has been visiting with her brother for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cairns returned home the latter part of last week from a three weeks visit with home folks at Rices, St. Cloud and other points.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls Aug. 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you

Mrs J. E. Argue and Miss Anna Rodgers went out to Maple Lake Monday evening to spend the week with Red Lake Falls people encamped there.

Wm. Fisher and wife returned to their home at Hoople, North Dakota Saturday morning, after having visited several days with Mr. Fisher's uncle, V. M. Higinbotham.

Miss Lesa Isaacson and Miss Anna Sivertson, of Stephen are guests of Miss Isaacson's sister, Mrs. L. A. Nelson this week. They arrived here last Thursday.

E. McCraney, of LeClaire, Iowa, spent a couple of days here the first of the week looking over his real estate interest. Mr. McCraney owns a fine half section south of town.

Franz Freund received a handsome new Boston cornet this week and if any unusually large holes are discovered in the atmosphere henceforth it can be laid to Frank.

Mrs. J. B. Demarais returned home Tuesday from a three weeks' visit with relatives at Winnipeg. Mr. Demarais wen down to Crookston Monday evening to meet her.

Mrs. Fred Borchers and children and Miss Esther Zaiser went to East Grand Forks this morning where they will spend a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Borchers.

R. H. Bourdon went to Argyle Tuesday evening, and from there expected to go west to North Dakota and Montana. Bob is in the horse business in earnest this year and is doing very well.

Ed Hermanson, of Thief River Falls passed through here Monday on his way for a visit at Halstad. Ed was employed on THE GAZETTE a few months last fall and made many friends while here.

Mrs. Charles Groshong returned Monday evening to her home in Arlington, this state, after a several weeks visit at the home of her son, A. G. Al accompanied her as far as Crookston on her way home.

Services will be held at the Norwegian Luthern church next Sunday. Services in Norwegian in the morning at 10:30 and in English at 8 o'clock in the evening. Rev. I. T. Aastad will occupy the pulpit.

The thorough business training given students at Minneapolis Business College is a quick and sure avenue to a good paying position. For handsome free catalogue write Rigg & Bryce, 300 Central Avenue.

Wm. Zaiser's family returned home Sunday from Maple Lake, where they had been enjoying a ten days' outing. They rented a cottage on the lake shore and put in their time enjoying life to the fullest extent.

Joseph Paradis is at present visiting his brother and many old-time friends, at North Yakima, Washington. Mr. Paradis left here last week with the intention of going to Winnipeg, but on reaching Crookston changed his mind and took the flyer to go out west. He will be away about two weeks, and is having the time of his life.

Fresh Groceries at the Lowest Prices

Can be found at Chatel's Cash Grocery.

New and up-to-date stock. Anything you need in the Grocery line. We want butter and eggs. Highest market prices

Kaus Block **E. CHATEL, Prop.** Red Lake Falls

Mrs. John Bastain and daughter arrived here Tuesday from Wabasha for a visit with Mrs. Bastain's brothers, Peter and N. Nimesgern. They are guests at the home of Pete, and expect to remain a couple of weeks at least.

J. Drew Marshall came up from St. Paul this morning to spend a week with his mother and many friends. Drew has been out in Nebraska the past couple of months, installing an electric lighting plant in the city of Friend.

Judge of Probate Tarrant officiated at the marriage of John Mattson of Garfield township, Polk county, to Esther Olson of Lambert township, Monday afternoon. The happy couple left on the evening N. P. train for a honeymoon trip.

Mrs. E. S. Bryant, of Grandin, North Dakota, visited a couple of days last week with Agent J. L Tracy and wife. Mr. Bryant was was formerly employed at the Great Northern depot here, but is at present agent at Grandin, and is doing well.

A fine new baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. James E Ford last Wednesday evening. The GAZETTE reporter missed this item last week, but trusts that the time is yet opportune to wish for the young lady a long life of health and happiness.

A couple of representatives of the international correspondence school of Scranton Pa. have been at Schreiter's drug store all week with a free exhibit of their work. It is understood that several of our townspeople have contracted for courses in the school.

Attorney A. A. Miller came over from Crookston Monday. Mr. Miller was here for the Thief River end of the county seat scrap, but like the rest of the bunch that day, "he walked right in and turned around and walked right out again."

Dr. J. E. Argue left Monday evening for Minneapolis and is spending the week in that city on a combined business and pleasure trip. The national dentists' convention is in session there this week, and Dr. Argue looked forward to an enjoyable time.

Olaf Flоad returned home Monday morning from Fergus Falls, at which place and tributany points he has been spending a pleasant month's vacation. He spent a greater part of his time at the lake resorts in that neighborhood and was loathe to leave them.

Lee Healy, Raph Healy and Clem Brunelle arrived home Friday from their river trip, having reached Thief River Falls early that morning. The boys had a very enjoyable time and while they encountered a few difficulties, nevertheless they were greatly pleased with their trip.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter left Tuesday evening for a visit with relatives and friends at Oshkosh, Milwaukee Appleton and other Wisconsin points. Mr. Schreiter left yesterday to join her on her trip and they expect to spend the next three weeks enjoying a visit with friends of years ago.

A. Vanderwall, of eastern Poplar River, was a caller at the county seat Tuesday, to take his daughter who has been attending summer school, back home. Mr. Vanderwall reports the crops as looking fine out his way, and says that Red county is the best all around county in the state.

Cass. Sanscartier, whose home is near Badger, is here from the iron range country spending the week. He is employed as a fireman on the iron range road, but the strike up there resulted in the suspension of operations for a few weeks and he took advantage of the opportunity to visit the home folks.

THE GAZETTE reporter had the pleasure of seeing a piece of corn on the Boyd place near Badger, Tuesday evening, that is certainly a fine one and unless all signs fail will produce a crop of sufficient proportions to throw back the lie to those who insist that corn cannot be raised in Red Lake county.

A general re-union of the Fourteenth Minnesota Infantry, A. V. S. will be held at the St. Paul armory on September 4—which is Wednesday of State Fair week. All preparations have been made for a big time, and the fun will last all day. All veterans of the regiment are earnestly requested to attend.

Napoleon Bray and bride, of Crookston, were here over Sunday, guests at the Ed Bray home. Nap was married at Winnipeg Tuesday of last week to Miss Josephine Lalonde, a charming young lady of that city. The young couple will make their home at Crookston and will have the best wishes of a host of friends.

H. C. Clement, the Terrebonne cheesemaker, was here on business Tuesday. Mr. Clement states that he recently made a deal with a big St. Paul wholesale house to take all of the product of his cheese factory at a price one-half cent above the market value. Mr. Clement has an enviable reputation as a cheese maker and his goods are always in demand.

The band concert advertised for Monday evening was not given on account of the storm that came up right after supper. A great many people had already turned out but had to seek shelter for a half hour or so while the rain fell. The concert will be given tomorrow evening (Friday) provided the weather is agreeable.

Theo. Majeres desires THE GAZETTE to announce that he has again opened his feed store in the building formerly occupied, one door south of the Grand View. Mr. Majeres will handle "Mascot" flour and a full line of all kinds of feed and asks his old patrons to remember him when in need of anything in that line,

Mrs. A. G. Groshong received word Sunday of the death of her father, Freeman Vaghn, at his home in New Auburn, after a brief illness. Death was due to old age, Mr. Vaughn being ninety years old. The old gentleman had visited here several times in the past few years, and was quite well known to our people.

August Mathews and Carl Stenzel of the southern part of the state, were here a couple of days this week. Mr. Matthews owns a piece of land east of the city and Mr. Stenzel came up to look over the country with a view of buying. He was shown over the country by the Ed L. Healy Land company and was well pleased with what he saw.

O. W. Pangburn and E. E. Baker of Marshall, Lyon comnty, were visitors here a day or two this week. Mr. Pangburn owns a farm north of town, and while here rented it to Mr. Baker who will move his family here within a short time to take up his residence. Mr. Baker is recommended as a first class farmer and will undoubtedly succeed here.

Miss Selvida Hagenson from Rock Dell, Minn. was a visitor between trains with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Tandberg, on her way from home, where she had been attending the funeral of her father, Sivert Hagenson, who recently was killed in a runaway on his way home from Stewartville, Minn. Miss Hogenson is teaching school at Leads, N. D.

The Wylie cheesemaker has purchased the machinery for a new creamery wnich he will he will establish in the country district about twenty miles north of the present factory at Wylie. The latter factory is meeting with such success that Mr. Kvinlaug is having it greatly enlarged and will put in more equipments which will allow him to turn out more and better cheese.

W. T. Spillane left Monday evening for Minneapolis and from there goes to Duluth where he will proceed by boat to Buffalo. He will visit Buffalo, Boston and all the principal eastern cities and at his old home Orlean, New York, for the next three weeks. It has been a long time since W. T. enjoyed a vacation, and his visit to the scenes of his boyhood days cannot help but be highly enjoyable.

Crookston Times (Friday): E. L. Quist, county register of deeds of Red Lake county, was a visitor in Crookston today. He was here between trains, being enroute home from an extended trip through North and South Dakota and he states that the crops of the Red Valley are ahead of anything he saw through out those two states. "The crop of grain and the crop of farmers" to put it in Mr. Quist's words, "are neither able to compare with the same 'crops' raised in the Red River Valley.

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CROP CONDITIONS IN WESTERN CANADA

Lateness of Spring Overcome by Excellent Growing Summer Season.

Once more the farmers of Western Canada rest at ease and grow rich while they slumber. Their season of anxiety is over. For a time it looked as though a backward season was for once going to prevent the western country from maintaining its preeminent position as leader of the grain growing countries of the world. The unusual lateness of the spring coupled with the rapid advance in the price of foodstuffs gave the pessimists some reason for their gloomy forebodings. And among even the optimistic Westerners imbued as they usually ore with a spirit of buoyancy and hope, there commenced to glimmer a fear that perhaps this year their sanguine expectations were not to be realized. On May day when a large proportion of wheat had usually been sowa there was this year very little seeding done. Finally, however, winter which bad tarried so late in the lap of spring in all parts of the Continent vanished before the vertical rays of the sun, and the hurry and bustle of spring work commenced on the western prairies.

By the 20th of May 85% of the spring wheat was sown and the fall wheat in the districts devoted to its cultivation was covering the fields with a mantle of green. Wheat sowing finished on May 30 and by June 10 the coarser grains were also in the ground. The heavy snowfall during the winter left the ground in excellent shape when once seeding operations commenced and from the tima weather conditions permitted tha commencement of work until ploatiag was completed, the farmers were a husy class. The area in wheat is not much larger than last year, but oats, barley and flax ore much in excess of past records, the farmers deemiag it wiser on account of the loteness of the season to put in a heavier proportion of the coarser grains. From tho most reliable reports to haad it appears that the ecreage as compared with 1906 will show an increase of 12% in oats, 19% in barley and 13% lo flax.

Around Akotoks, High River, Nanton, Claresholm and other winter wheat centers, if the present weather conditions continue, tbe winter wbeat will be in head by the middle of July.

The backword weather in the early part of Moy allowed tho newly sown grain to get a firm root in the ground, and now with an ahundaace of moisture and warm weolher tho growth ie remorkable. All danger of injury from droughts is practically over as tho green crop covers tbo groud retaining tho moisture required for its growth ood preventing tho too rapid evaporatloa which might otherwisa take place.

Crops in Weetern Canade matura io ooe hundred days of good weather, and as tho weather conditions have been ideal sinco seeding, and witb spring wheat now from 14 to 18 iaches abovo the ground, n full nverasga crop is confidently expected.

In additioa to tha choering prospects of this year's yield tba farmers are to be congrotulated oo the fact that they still have in their possession five million bushels of wheat from last year's crop which they ara now disposing of at high prices.

The splendid yield of 90,000,000 bushels of wheat raised in 1906 in the three proviaces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan nnd Alberta, together with the almost certain ossuranca thnt thie year will sec n considerahle lacrease, is as in the past, ealling the atteation of the world of the "Last Beet West," and thousands from the United States nod the agriculturel districts of Europe are each month securing free grant lands or purehasiag farms in the land which has proved itself peerless omong the grain growing couutries of the world.

No Nurses for the Navy.

Surgeon General Rixey has ealled attention to the curions fact that tha navy, unlike the army, has no reguior corps of troined nurses, ond at the next session of congress he will urge the necessary appropriation for the organization of a nurse corps. With $15,000 he feels that he ean make a respectable beginning in the organization of the proposed corps.

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Wears Two Victoria Crosses.

Lord Roberts is the only man alive who has the privilege of wearing two Victoria erosses. One is thnt worn hy bimself in the mutiny: the other is that won by his son, the lat eLieut. Roberts at Colenso.

Expensive Railway.

The most expensive piece of railwey line in tbe world is said to ba that of tha North British railwoy which rune over the Forth bridga. Thie portion of the line, including approechas, ie about four miles long and cost $4,000,000 a mile to construct.

Anything that is worth while is worth more or less money.

SISTER ROSE.

A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS

CHAPTER XIII.—(Continued.)

Tbe look of him, as he turned his gbastly face towards the audience, silenced and steadied tbem in an instant, just as tbey wera oo the point of faliiag into fresb confusion. Everyone stretched forward eogerly to hear what he would say. His lips moved; but tbo few words that fell from them were ineudible, except to the persons who happeaed to be close by him. Having epokeo, he left the table, supported by a police-agent, who was seen to lead him towards the private door of tha court and, consequently, also towards the prisoner's platform. He stopped, however, half way, quickly turned his face from the prisoners, and pointing towards tbe public door ot the opposite side of the hall, caused himself to be led out iato the air hy that direction. Wben he had goae, the president, addressing himself portly to Trudaine aad partly to the audience, said:

"The Citizen-superintendent Danville has been overcome hy the heat in tha court. He has retired (hy my desire, uader the care of a police-agent) to recover in the open air; pledging himself to me to come hack and throw a new light on the extraordinary and suspicious statement which the prisoner has just mnde. Until the return of Citizen Danville, I ordered the accused, Trudaioe, to suspend ony further acknowledgment of complicity which ha may have to nddress to me. Tbis matter must be cleared up before other matters are eatcrcd on. Meanwhile, in order that tbe time of the tribunal may not be wasted, I authorize the female prisoner to toke this opportunity of making any statement concerning herself which she may wish to eddress to the judgee."

"Sileaca him!" "Remove him out of court!" "Gag him!" "Guillotina him!" These cries rose from tha nudience the moment the president had dona speaking. They wera all directed at Trudaine, who had mada a last desperate effort to persuada bis sister to keep silence, and bad been detected in the attempt by the spectators.

"If tbe prisoner speaks another word to his sister, remove him," said the president, addressing the guard round tha platform.

"Good! We shall hear her at last. Silence! Silence!" exclaimed the women, settling themselves comfortably on their benches, and preparing to resume their work.

"Rose Danville, the court is waiting to hear you," seid tba president, crossing his legs and leaning back luxuriously in his large arm-chair.

CHAPTER XIV.

AMID all tha noisa and confusion of the last few minutes, Rose had stood ever in the same attitude, with that strongely fixed expression never altering on her face but once. When her husbond made his way to the side of tbe table, and stood there prominently alone, her lips trembled a little, and a faint shade of color possed ewiftly over her cheeks. Even that elight change bad vanished now—ehe was paler, etiller, more widely altered from her former self than ever, as she faced the president and said these words:

"I wish to follow my brother'e example, and make my confession es he has mode his. I would rather he had spoken for me; hut he ie too generous to say any words exeept such as be thinks may save me from sharing his punishment. I refuse to be saved, unless he is saved witb me. Where he goes when he leaves this place, I will go; what be suffers, I will suffer; if he is to die, I believe God will grant me the strength to die resignedly witb him!"

She paused for a moment, and halfturned toward Trudaine—then checked herself instantly, and went on: "This is whet I now wish to say, as to my shore in the offense charged against my hrother: Some time ago, be told me one day that he had seen my husband's mother in Paris disguised as a poor woman; thot he had spoken to her, and forced her to acknowledge herself. Up to this time we had all felt certain that she had left Frnnce, beceuse she held old-fashioned opinions, which it is dengerous for people to hold now—had left France before we came to Paris. Sbe told my brother that she hnd indeed gone (with an old tried servant of the family to help and protect her) es far os Marseilles; and that, finding unforeseen difficulty there in getting farther, she had taken it as a warning from Providence not to desert her son, of whom she was very passionately fond, and from whom she bad heen most unwilling to depart. Instead of waiting in exile for quieter times, she determined to go and hide herself in Paris, knowiag her son was going there too. She asaumed the name of her old and faithful servant, who declined to the last to leave ber unprotected; and she proposed to live in the strictest secrecy and retirement, watching, unknown, tha career of her son, and ready at a moment'a notice to disclose herself to him, when the settlement of public affairs might reunite her safely to her beloved child. My brother thought this plan full of danger, both for herself, for her son, and for the honest old man who wae risking his head for hia mistress' sake. I thought so too; and in nn evil hour I said to Louis, 'Will you try in secret to get my husband's mother away, and see that her faithful servant makes her reolly leave France this tima?' I wrongly asked my brotber to do this for a selfish reason of my own—a reason connected with my married life, which had not been a happy one. I had not succeeded in goining my husband's affection, and was not treated kindly by him. My hrotber, wbo has always loved me far more dearly I am afraid than I have ever deserved; my brother increased hie kindness to me, seeing me treated unkindly hy my husband. Tbis made ill-blood between them. My thought, when I aeked my hrother to do this for me what I have said, wse, that if we two in secret saved my husband'e mother, without danger to him, from imperiling hereelf and her son, we should, when the time ceme for speaking of what we had done, appear to my hushand in a new and better light. I should have shown how well I deserved his love, and Louis would have ehown how well he deserved his brother-in-law's gratitude; and so we ehould have made home bappy at lost, and all three have lived together affectionately. This was my thought; and when I told it to my brother, and asked him if there would be much risk, out of his kindness and indulgence toward me he said 'No!' He had so used me to accept sacrifices for my heppiness, that I let him endanger himself to help me in my little household plan. I repent this bitterly now; I ask his pardon with my whole heart. If he is acquitted, I will try to show myself worthier of hie love. If he is found guilty, I too will go to the ecaffold, and die with my hrother, who risked his life for my sake."

Sha ceased ae quietly as she had begun, and turned once more to her brother.

As she looked away from the court and looked at him, a few tears came into her eyes, and eomething of the old softness of form and gentleness of expression seemed to return to her face. He let her take hie hand, hut he seemed purposely to avoid meeting the anxioue gaze she fixed on him. His head sunk on hie breast; ha drew hie breath beavily; his countenance darkened and grew distorted, ae if he were euffering some sharp pang of pbysical pain. He hent down a little, and, leaning his elbow on the rail before him, covered his face with hie hand; and so quelled the rieing agony, so forced hack the sceldiug tears to his heart. The audience had heard Rose in silence, and they preserved the same tranquility when ehe had done. This was a rare tribute to a prisonsr from the people of the Reign of Terror.

The president looked round at his colleagues, and sbook his head suspiciously.

"This etatement of the female prisoner complicates the matter very seriously," said he. "Is there anyhody in the court," he added, looking at the persons behind his chair, "who knows where the mother of Superintendent Danville and the servant are now?"

Lomaque came forward at the appeal, and placed himself by the table.

"Why, citizen agent!" continued the president, looking hard nt him, "are you overcome hy the heat, too?"

"The fit scemed to take him, citizen-president, when the femsle prisoner had made an end of her statement," explained Magloire, pressing forward officiously.

Lomaque gave his suhordinate a look which sent tbe man hack directly to the shelter of the official group; then sold, in lower tones than were customery with him:

"I have received information relative to the mother of Superintendent Danville and the servant, and am ready to answer any questions that mey be put to me."

"Where are they now?" asked the president.

"She and the servant are known to have crossed the frontier, and are supposed to be on their way to Cologne. But since they have entered Germany, their whereabouts is necessarily a metter of uncertainty to tbe republican authoritiee."

"Have you any information relative to the conduct of the old servant while he was in Paris?"

"I havs information enough to prove that he was not en object for political suspicion. He seems to have been simply animated hy servile zeal for the woman's interests; to have performed for her all the menial offices of a servant in private; and to have misled the neighbors hy affected equality witb her in public."

"Have you any reason to believe that Superintendent Dnnville was privy to his mother's first attempt at escaping from France?"

"I infer it from what the female prisoner haa said, and for other reasons which it would be irregulor to detail before the tribunal. The proofs can no doubt be obtained, if I am allowed to communicate with the authorities at Lyons and Marseilles."

CHAPTER XV.

AT this moment Danville entered the court, and advancing to the table, placed himself close hy the chief-agent's side. They looked eoch other steadily in the face for an instant.

"He has recovered from the shock of Trudaine's answer," thought Lomaque, retiring. "His hand trembles, hie face is pale, but I can see regained self-possession in his eye, and I dread tha consequences already."

"Citizen-president," began Danville, "I demand to know if anything has transpired affecting my honor and patriotism in my absence?"

He spoke apparently with the most perfect calmness, but he looked nobody in the face. His eyes were fixed steadily on the green haize of the tabla heneath him.

"Tbe female prisoner has made a statement, referring principally to herself and her brother," answered tha president, "hut incidentally mentioning a previous attempt on your mother's part to break existing laws by emigrating from France. This portion of tha confession contains in it some elements of euspicion which seriously affect you——"

"Thay ehall be suspicions no longar—at my own peril I will changa them to certainties!" exclaimed Danville, extending hie arm theatrically and looking up for the first time. "Citizen-president, I avow it with the fearless frankness of a good patriot; I was privy to my mother's first attempt at eecaping from France."

Hissas and cries of execration followed this confession. He winced under them at first, but recovared hie self-possession hefora eilence was reatored.

"Citizene, you have heard the confession of my fault," he resumed, turning with desperate assurance toward tha audience; "now hear the atonement I have made for it at the altar of my country."

He waited at the end of that santence, until the secretary to the trihunal had done writing it down in the report-hook of the court.

"Transcribe faithfully to the letter!" cried Danville, pointing solemnly to the open page of the volume. "Life and death hang on my words."

The secretary took a fresh dip of ink, and nodded to show that he was ready. Danville went on:

"In these times of glory and trial for France," he proceeded, pitching his voice to a tone of deep emotion, "what are all good citizens most sacredly bound to do? To immolate their dearest private affections and interests hefore their public duties! On the first attempt of my mother to violate the laws of emigration, by escaping from Frnnce, I failed in making tha heroic sacrifice which inexorable patriotiem demanded of me. My situation wae more terrible than the eituation of Brutus sitting in judgment on his own sons. I had not the Roman fortituda to rise equal to it. I erred, citizens—erred as Coriolanus did, when his august mothar pleaded with him for the safety of Rome! For that error I deserved to ba purged out of the republican community; hut I escaped my merited punishment—nay, I even rose to tbe honor of holding an office under the governmant. Time passed; and again my mother attempted to escape from France. Again, inevitahle fate hrought my civic virtue to the test. How did I meet this second supremest trial? By an atonemant for past weakness, terrible as the trial itself! Citizens, you will shudder; but you will applaud while you tremble. Citizens, look! and while you look, remember well the evidence given at tha opening of this case. Yonder stands the enemy of his country, who intrigued to help my mother to escape; here stands the patriot son, whose voice was the first, the only voice, to denounce him for the crime!" As he spoke, he pointed to Trudaine, then struck himself on the breast, then folded his arms, and looked sternly at the henches occupied by the spectators.

"Do you assert," exclaimed the president, "that the time when you denounced Trudaine, you knew him to be intriguing to aid your mother's escape?"

"I assert it," anewered Danville.

The pen which the president held, dropped from his hand at that reply; his colleagues sterted and looked at each other in blank silence.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

NON-ANIMAL BOOTS.

Featura of the Vegatarian Fad in England.

There are vegetarians who deny flesh food on sanitary grounds only, while others cling to the diet on humanitarian grounds. They refuse to eat meat because they decline to even remotely eanction the slaughter of a living creature for any purpose, saye the New York World. This feeling ie carried to the point of a fad in England, and as n result, "vegetarian hoots and shoes" are advertised as for sale in the London papers. The uppere are made of "jannus corium," which, hy the way, is oak-tanned leather, but few people will recognize the fact. This is all the leather used in the shoe, however. The soles are of closely waterproofed flax helting. The vegetarians in arguing that the skins of slaughtered animals are not necessary say that India ruhber, gutta percha, ateel, iron, and hrass nails, cashmere, cotton, elastic webbing, wood, paper, cork, straw, silk, jute and wax go to form the modern mystery of a lady's ahoe, in which oftentimes no element of leather enters.

Enginas Are Lika Individuals.

It is better to key up an engine in the morning than at night. If it ia done at night what proof doea the engineer have that he will he there to attend to it the next morning? An engine may appear to he keyed up all right, and yet when it ia started up the crenk pin or eome other part may heat because the key waa driven too far; therefore all of the parta should be closely watched until it ia known that they will run cool.—Ex.

Necessary.

Ratsey—Wonder why they call that frail little hoat a catboat?

Catlin—Becausa to risk sailing in one a man ought to have nine lives.

DIRECT TO THE SECRETARY.

Man-of-War's Man Takes Complaint to Head of Bureau.

"It is very seldom, remarked an official of tha navy departmant, "that the secretary of the navy receives a eall from a man-of-war'a man, hut secretary Metcolf had that experience recently. It was during business hours at tha department. A young hluajacket very much excited and apparently in troubla appeared in tha secratary's anter-room and asked Private Secretary Clark if he couldn't hava a private interview with the secretary on important business. Secretary Metcalf happened to be disangaged at tha time and ha said he would eea the man. Tha sailor want into the secretary's private offica and told a yarn of troubla. It seems that ha is attachad to Farragut's old flagship Hartford, now used by tha midehipmen at Annapolie ae a practica ehip, and that ha had walked from Annapolis to Washington, a distanca of ahout 40 miles, in order to lay hie grievanca bafora tha head of the naval astablishment. Acording to his etory the hluejacket was sick and couldn't get proper food on his ehip. Ha said that the doctors had pnt him on a light diet, but that ha was given nothing but regulation food, which wae too coaree for hie delicate digestion, and made him sick. Tha man was in pretty bad shape, but whether it was due to improper food or simply the result of his long tramp from Annapolie it was hard to tell. Anyhow his tale axcited Secretary Matcalf's aympathy and at his auggestion tha man wae sent to local naval hospital for treatment and observation, in addition to which the sacretary said ha would investigate his complaint of improper treatment on tha Hartford. The ease is unusual, in that tha eailor man was abla to preeant his casa to the head of the navy in person."

New in Gastronomic Line.

Epicures experience much difflculty in finding new diehes, but it took a Virginia negro in a Washington eafa the other day to introduca a distinct novelty in the gastronomic line. A belated and tired traveler got off a train at the Pennsylvania depot and headed for an eating placa which soma chance acquaintanca in tha smoker suggested. Seating himself at the table he was handed a menu card by an obsequious server of viands. On account of the dearth of waiters, dua to the exit of many for seaside and mountain resorts, tha management was put to the necessity of employing the negro referred to, who was not overburdened with either experience or intelligence. "As a matter of fact, said the traveler, in relating his experience, "the man only knew ona dish on the card. After finishing up a hasty meal of steak, fried potatoee and coffee, I asked him what elea ha had that was good, meaning dessert. 'We've got some fina orang-outang pie,' was the response. Just as a flyer I told him to get ma eome, having considerable misgivings as to what he would bring. A great uproar went up when he set before ma a piece of meringue pie. The fun wae worth tha enlarged tip I handed him, hut when I got home it'e orang-outang pia for me."

White House Fun and Jollity.

The evening visitors who sit about the "camp fire" in the president'a library do not hava altogethar a eilent tima of it, says a correspondent. Thera is their own convarsation and that of thair host, and thera ie the occasional reminder that the younger Roosevelts ara not far off. It's a good healthy noiee that comae from the hall on occasion, and tha fact that it is made by two or threa boys and a dog or two having the time of their lives in tha big hallway without makes it, in one senee at least, appealing. Tha president'e childran are like tha children of other sansibla Amarican parents. They are allowad to maka all tha noisa that they care to, provided it doesn't interfera with the comfort of othare. No visitor is worried by it, for it quits early. The youngeters of the executiva mansion go to bed early and get np early, hut they do hava a time of it while they are awake, and their father saya it is a good thing.

Has Seen Many Lands and Races.

Probably nobody in tha government eervica has had so many intaresting and unusual experiences as have fallen to tha iot within tha past year of Prof. Frank N. Meyer, axplorer for the agricultural department. He hae juet completed a remarkahla tour of Chioa, Korea and Alaska in search of plants, flowers and cereals. In the prosecution of his work ha penatrated remote and mysterioue parts of those lande which it is helieved were naver before viaited hy a white man. He has brought hack to Waahington apecimena of plants, flowere and cereals that are new to tha agricultural department and is now preparing an alaborate raport that will include soma of his mora noval expariancas whila travaling.

Senator Knox as "Littla Phil."

Although no one in Washington would dream of calling Senator Knnx "Phil," that ia the affectionata diminutive generally applied to him in Pittshurg, where ha haa lived for 30 years. His Christian namea ara Philandar Chase, conferred upon him hy his parenta aa a mark of their respect for Bishop Philandar Chase. Pittshurg knows the senator ae a royally good fellow, who telle a capital atory, enjoye thoaa told hy hie acquaintances and is tha moat approachable nf men. He is one nf tha earliaet risers in the capital and usually is at work by seven o'clock in the morning.

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Work on New Campanile.

Work on tha Campanile at Venice has been resumed aftar a year, and the tower is now aight faet above the plaza of St. Mark. Tha work haa so far cost about $25,000. The graatest eare is heing takan to reproduca exactly the famous old bell towar which fell in 1902. Much of the old Campanile is being built into the new and the old angel will again be high on its top and tha old ball from Crete hung on the eummit.

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The Doing of Him.

"Better keep away from that old haysaed," cautioned tha first bunko man.

"What for?" demanded the other.

"Becauea I did the old fellow myeelf a couple of months ago."

"Well, 'what man has done man can do.'"

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"You're right," replied Duhley. "We ehouldn't ba expected to forgive our enemies except when they freely admit that they don't deserve our forgiveness."

Impatient Tommy.

Tommy went to kindergarten. One day the teacher said: "Now children, I waut you all to be so quiet you can hear a pin drop." The little ones straightaned up and kapt very quiat, not one moving a fingar or toe. Pratty soon Tommy, becoming impatient, eried out: "Well, why don't you drop 'er?"

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A sickly, irritable, and complaining woman always carries a cloud of depression with her; she is not only unhappy herself but is a damper to all joy and happiness when with her family and friends.

It is the bright, healthy, vivacious woman who always charms and carries sunshine wherever she goes.

If a woman finds that her energies are flagging and that everything tires her; if her feminine system fails to perform its allotted duties, there is nervousness, sleeplessness, faintness, backache, headache, bearing-down pains, and irregularities, causing constant misery and melancholia, she should remember that **Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound** made from native roots and herbs will dispel all these troubles. By correcting the cause of the trouble it cures where other treatment may have failed.

Miss Elizabeth Wynn, of No. 205 8th Avenue, New York City, writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"For months I suffered with dreadful headaches, pain in the back and severe hemorrhages. I was weak and out of sorts all the time. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound helped me when all other medicine had failed. It seemed to be just what I needed and quickly restored my health."

Miss Hulda Kughler, of No. 25, West 15th Street, New York City, writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"For months I was ill with an internal trouble. I suffered terrible agony, was nervous, irritable, and sick all the time. I took different medicines without benefit. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended and within six months I was completely restored to health and I want to recommend it to every suffering woman."

Women who are troubled with painful or irregular functions, backache, bloating (or flatulence), displacements, inflammation or ulceration, that bearing-down feeling, dizziness, indigestion, or nervous prostration may be restored to perfect health and strength by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound,

Mrs. Pinkham's Invitation to Women.

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. From the symptoms given, the trouble may be located and the quickest and surest way of recovery advised. Out of her vast volume of experience in treating female ills Mrs. Pinkham probably has the very knowledge that will help your case. Her advice is free and always helpful.

CUTTING DOWN EXPENSES.

The Logic of a Man Who Made Things Pay.

"At a meeting of the Oregon Short Line directors," said a Chicago broker, "E. H. Harriman made a fine speech on economy in railway management. At the end he told an appropriate story.

"He said that a keen business man bought at a low price a theater that had long been unprofitable, and by economical management put it immediately on a paying basis.

"But he was very economical. He watched the expenses with the sharpest eye.

"The first month's expense account contained the item:

"'Meat for eight cats—to protect the scenery and properties from the rats' ravages—$2.'

"The proprietor struck this item out, writing on the margin:

"'If the cats eat the rats, wherefore the meat? If they don't, wherefore the cats?'"

Changes in the Blood.

In an endeavor to determine what chemical change takes place in the blood with age two French investigators, C. Dhero and G. L. Grimme, have been examining the blood of dogs and rabbits for calcium content. It was noted that in dogs the proportion of calcium in the blood decreased regularly with age, but no generalization from this can be drawn, inasmuch as rabbits' blood did not exhibit a similar characteristic, the proportion of calcium varying greatly with individuals of the same age.

DIET AND THE COMPLEXION.

Be Careful When, What, How and How Much to Eat.

Women who want to have a good complexion should take to heart the remarks of Dr. G. H. Fox on the subject of diet and the skin. Dr. Fox declares that more complexions suffer because of overeating than from almost any other cause.

"For every patient suffering from inflammatory skin-disease who is eating too little and suffering from lack of nourishment," he says in the Journal of Cutaneous Diseases, "we meet a score or more who eat far more than they actually need and feed the eruption for which they seek relief.

"In advising our patients what to eat it is wrong to say 'Don't eat this or don't eat that,' for one might spend an hour or more in making out an expurgated diet list and still leave foods unmentioned which might if taken in excess, or at the wrong time, prove extremely detrimental. It is far better to name a few nutritious and easily digested articles. Limit the patient to these for a short time.

"It is not what a patient eats so much as it is how and when and under what circumstances he eats it that tends to the production of an inflammatory condition of the skin. Hasty eating, irregular eating and meals taken under the stress of excitement and worry are the daily experiences of many of our patients, rich and poor."

If all the world loves a lover it has a queer way of showing it at times.

WHEN you buy oatmeal always buy

Quaker Oats

It's the best oatmeal made and in the twenty-five cent family package you get a beautiful piece of American china. There is a nice assortment of cups and saucers, plates, bowls, etc. It's easy to furnish your table this way.

The Quaker Oats Company

CHICAGO

Quaker Wheat Berries is the newest thing in cereal foods—delicious. Buy a package today. Two quarts 10¢.

RARE OLD VOLUME

UNIQUE COPY OF THE KORAN OWNED IN KANSAS CITY.

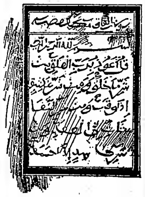
All Hand Work and Must Represent Labor of Many Years—Proof That Moro Art Was Once of High Grade.

A rare old book is owned by Frederick C. Butler of 1224 Harrison street, says the Kansas City Star. He found it in a deserted bamboo house in Sulu island while he was with the Fourteenth United States cavalry in the Philippines in 1903. It had been owned by a Moro Mohammedan priest.

The book is a copy of the Koran and is made wholly by hand. Even the paper is hand made. The binding is of thick, stiff caribou hide. Each folio is sewed with cord made from help fibers and is of an even size, showing cleverness and skill in spinning. In one place there is a little piece of smooth bamboo twisted in the cord to bring it tight when slackened from use. As for age, that cannot be denied by anyone on seeing the pages. The leaves at the beginning and end are frayed and worn and the paper throughout is yellow with age.

The most wonderful thing about the book is that every character, it being written in Arabic, was made with a stub pen or flat reed. Each page is covered on both sides with closely written characters that appear to be printed when viewed from a little distance. Around the writing is a margin of an inch or so and in this margin are single characters, display letters or characters, and sprays of tiny flowers done in color. Dispersed through the writing at irregular intervals are little circles drawn with a compass, the center picture of the needle being plain in a majority of the circles. The circles are filled with different colors and are appropriately punctuation marks.

Two pages in particular always excite wonder and admiration. They alone, of all others, show the height that Moro art had reached at the time the book was made. These pages were executed with a pen or reed as the others were, except that the writer brought a brush and gold leaf into play. The marginal design departs radically from the rest of the book and the writer made a design distinctly oriental. It looks like the border of a Bokara or Damascus rug. It is almost impossible to describe the many little painstaking curves and curlycues that he put in these two pages, the color of which is still bright and clear notwithstanding the age of it.



The Hand Illumined Koran.

When the book was found it was taken to Hadji Buto, prime minister of the sultan of Sulu, and he said of it:

"This book is a Koran, written by a Moro in Arabic many years ago. There are nowadays no people in this island can write such a book. I myself can write it; it would take me about three months. I know the Koran by heart and could write out of my memory, although it is Arabic. It must have taken that writer more than a year to finish the work. We Moros don't have a Koran in the Moro language. We read it in Arabic and the priests, or hadjis, tell us what it means in our language."

Routed by Snapping Turtles.

As John Patterson, a huckster, was driving into town from Darlington this morning he came upon a drove of 15 or 20 snapping turtles crossing the road, says a Beaver Falls correspondent of the Pittsburg Despatch. Thinking a few of them would meet with ready sale he attempted to catch them, whereupon the turtles showed fight, and, hissing angrily, made for him with outstreached heads and snapping jaws.

Patterson hastily got back into his wagon, turned his horse and beat a retreat. He says most of the turtles were as large as a washtub. He drove into town by another route.

Half of Snake Fought.

Church Barkley had a terrible battle with a monster snake a few days ago, says a Harrodsburg, Ky., dispatch. He heard a nose upstairs and went to investigate, and found a snake coiled on the bed. He fired at it with his shotgun and cut it in two. The part with the head, about three feet long, made battle and tried to bite and coil around Barkley's legs. He had to fight it out with part of the snake, and he says he never did faster kicking, but finally dispatched that part of the reptile. The entire snake measured nine feet nine inches in length, and had a horn, or some hard substance, three inchhes long, on the end of its tail.

AWFUL EFFECT OF ECZEMA.

Covered with Yellow Sores—Grew Worse—Parents Discouraged—Cuticura Drove Sores Away.

"Our little girl, one year and a half old, was taken with eczema or that was what the doctor called it. We took her to three doctors but by this time she was nothing but a yellow, greenish sore. One morning we discovered a little yellow pimple on one of her eyes. Doctor No. 3 said that we had better take her to some eye specialist, since it was an ulcer. So we went to Oswego to doctor No. 4, and he said the eyesight was gone. We were nearly discouraged, but I thought we would try the Cuticura Treatment, so I purchased a set of Cuticura Remedies, which cost me $1, and in three days our daughter, who had been sick about eight months, showed great improvement, and in one week all sores had disappeared. Of course it could not restore the eyesight, but if we had used Cuticura in time I am confident that it would have saved the eye. Mrs. Frank Abbott, R. F. D. No. 9, Fulton, Oswego Co., N. Y., Aug. 17, 1906.

Hair Cut Without Orders.

A native paper states that the magistrate at An-Hyun, Korea, has arrested a great number of people belonging to the Il Chin Hoi society; and having charged them with cutting their hair without any order from the government had them severely flogged. The sympathizers of the society and its members have held crowded meetings and violent speeches have been made denouncing the unwarranted action of the official.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop and Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn., Wm. H. Bot, Jr., Ghent, Minn., boiler-flue fastening; Martin Boyer, Elbow Lake, Minn., stirrup; Virgil V. Jones, Hudson, S. D. car-replacer; John S. Kirstein, Canton, S. D., truing-tool; Lawrence D. Manchester, Sioux Falls, S. D., oven-s top; Geo. W. Rubl, Racine, Minn., wheel; Halvor Steenerson, Crookston, Minn., swimming mask.

How He Might Be Identified.

A man from town was calling at a farm house on business. Meeting a half-grown boy in the yard, he inquired for the farmer who lived there. "Oh, he's my dad, an' you'll find him down in the holler with the hogs. You'll know him, for he's got a hat on," was the information innocently given by the boy.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Wasp Also Enemy to Fly.

Wasps prey on flies—a fact which is well known in Italy. On a summer or early autumn day in the Tuscan country parts, when the luncheon table is blackened with flies, one may see a wasp sail in at the open window, select a fly, roll it over, curl it up and carry it out into the sunshine and soon return for another.

HIDES, PELTS AND WOOL.
To get full value, ship to the old reliable N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Cheap Railroad Travel.

Hungarian railway traveling is the cheapest in Europe. On some lines one can travel third-class six miles for 2 cents.

PRESENCE OF MIND.

The Ready Actor Who Prevented a Scene Being Spoiled.

E. H. Sothern, a few days before he set out on his London venture, talked at a farewell dinner about stage presence of mind.

"When a dilemma unexpectedly crops up," he said, "I manage, in an awkward way, to master it somehow; but I never acquit myself with the brilliance that marks the typical anecdotes of stage presence of mind.

"They tell of a really remarkable case that happened in Cincinnati. It was a melodrama. The hero in the second act stood in the bow of a ship, soliloquizing about love, while the waves rolled and rocked on all sides.

"The waves were made in this way: Blue canvas was spread loosely over the stage, and under the canvas some twenty or thirty supers lay on their backs, kicking and rolling and beating about with their arms.

"But it happened that at this performance there was a large hole in the canvas. Through the hole, as the actor talked passionately about love the head of a super suddenly protruded. The head looked about in a wild, scared way, and quick as thought the actor shouted:

"'Man overboard!'

"Then, when the head disappeared he said sadly:

"'Alas, the perils of the deep! Another poor soul gone to his last reward.'"

Scientific Precautions.

"Wouldn't you suppose that minister would be afraid to perform such a scandalous marriage?"

"Oh, no; he takes every precaution. He always washes his hands in an antiseptic solution before accepting the fee."

DACOTAH BRAND PANTS, SHIRTS
And Mackinaws, guaranteed to wear. We replace them if they don't, demand them of your dealer. Dacotah Mfg. Co., St. Paul.

A Blasted Bud.

"Miss Bud, I am thinking of marrying into your family."

"How original you are! But I have no papa whom you may ask."

"No; so I have asked your mamma, and we are to be married next month."

WE PAY TOP PRICES FOR CREAM.
Cash every day. Write for prices and tags.
MILLER & HOLMES, St. Paul, Minn.

Speedy Manufacture of Shoes.

By modern processes a piece of leather is converted into a complete pair of shoes in fourteen minutes and during this time it passes through the hands of sixty-three persons and fifteen machines.

"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA
worth a dollar a lb, sold for 50c. Write Wm. McMurray, St. Paul, Minn., for free sample.

If She Blushes She Knows.

Speaking at Cardiff, Wales, recently Miss Gawthorpe, a suffragette stated that a bride's blushes are caused by the knowledge of the kind of man she is going to marry.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

Society in Argentina.

Girls and men are still kept carefully apart in Argentina, and a man does not introduce even his most intimate friend to his sisters. Marriages of girls of 12 to 14 to boys of 16 to 18 are common.

Cure for Opium.

Reports of the American consul general at Singapore confirm the story story of discovery of a cure for the opium habit in the leaf of a certain plant which is boiled in water and the residuum drunk. So great is the demand for the cure from the drug-beset masses that depots for its distribution have been opened in every large town or village. It seems to be as harmless as it is effective.

People Tell Each Other About Good Things.

Twelve years ago few people in the world knew of such a preparation as a Powder for the Feet. To-day after the genuine merits of Allen's Foot-Ease has been told year after year by grateful persons, it is indispensable to millions. It is cleanly, wholesome, healing and antiseptic and gives rest and comfort to tired aching feet.

It cures while you walk. Over 30,000 testimonials. Imitations pay the dealer a larger profit otherwise you would never be offered a substitute for Allen's Foot-Ease, the original foot powder. Ask for Allen's Foot-Ease, and see that you get it.

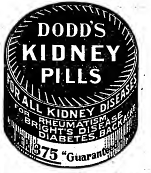
Hand Fire Engines Still in Use.

The New York fire department has two hand fire engines still in use. They are stationed with Engine Company 46 on Blackwell's Island.

SHIP CATTLE, HOGS AND SHEEP.
Highest market price gauranteed.
CARSON, WOOD & WEILLER,
South St. Paul, Minnesota.

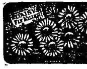
Too many men talk an hour for every minute they work.

How patriotic a politician is when he is out looking for a job.



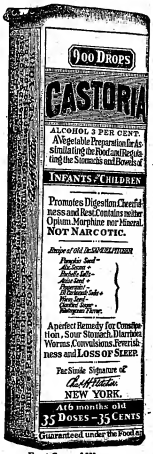
FREE To convince any woman that Paxtine Antiseptic will improve her health and do all we claim for it. We will send her absolutely free a large trial box of Paxtine with book of instructions and genuine testimonials. Send your name and address on a postal card.

PAXTINE cleanses and heals mucous membrane affections, such as nasal catarrh, pelvic catarrh and inflammation caused by feminine ills; sore eyes, sore throat and mouth, by direct local treatment. Its curative power over these troubles is extraordinary and gives immediate relief. Thousands of women are using and recommending it every day. 50 cents at druggists or by mail. Remember, however, IT COSTS YOU NOTHING TO TRY IT. THE R. PAXTON CO., Boston, Mass.



DAISY FLY KILLER For getting rid of and destroying flies, it leads everything. One lasts the entire season, is neat and clean and ornamental. Sold by all dealers or sent by mail postpaid for 20c. HAROLD SOMERS, 149 De Kalb Ave., BROOKLYN, N. Y.

PATENTS Watson E. Coleman, Patent Attorney, Washington, D. C. Advice free. Terms low. Highest ref.



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ALCOHOL 3 PER CENT.
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of
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Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral.
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Recipe of Old Dr. SAMUEL PITCHER
A perfect Remedy for Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea, Worms, Convulsions, Feverishness and LOSS OF SLEEP.
Fac Simile Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher.
NEW YORK.
At 6 months old
35 DOSES – 35 CENTS
Guaranteed under the Food and

Exact Copy of Wrapper.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

ESTABLISHED 1879.
WOODWARD & CO.
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If afflicted with sore eyes, use Thompson's Eye Water

When Answering Advertisements Kindly Mention This Paper.

S'MORE LOCAL.

Go to Anderson & Wander for sheet music. Ten cents a sheet.

Just Received—1000 sheet music at 10c per sheet.—Anderson & Wander.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn

Mrs. H. N. Johnson returned here Tuesday after having visited ten days with Mr. Johnson at Lankin, North Dakota.

A. Koerner, with the Miller Davis Printing company, of Minneapolis, was interviewing the county officers last Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Alexander, of Spokane Washington, arrived Tuesday for a visit of a few weeks with her aunt, Mrs. J. L. Tracy.

If you intend to attend business [illegible] enroll with the M[illegible] Commercial College Sept. 3, and get [illegible] tuition.

Dan J. Doran is having a new cement sidewalk built around his [illegible] this week. Contractor Lindt[illegible] is doing the work.

Attorney Charles E. Boughton [illegible] to Minneapolis Tuesday [illegible] a couple of days looking [illegible] business matters.

Miss Alice Boyd left last Thursday evening for a visit of a couple of weeks with her brother near Watertown, South Dakota

Evangelist Quesnell came over from Crookston Saturday and remained until Monday evening, a guest of relatives hereabouts.

Mrs. C. C. Jackson, of Thief River Falls was a visitor at the home of Mrs. E. F. Marshall over Sunday, returning to her home yesteaday.

M. O. Sortedahl left Monday evening for points in central and southern Minnesota, where he will transact business for his land company.

John Wzientek of Deer River township was brought before Justice Swanson Monday at the instigation of B. Henry Costello, of the same town, who asked that Wzientek be placed under bonds to keep the peace. Attorney Boughton represented Wzientek while County Attorney Germo conducted the state's case. Sufficient evidence wasn't produced to show that Wzentek was at all dangerous, and after hearing the case, the justice released the defendant.

WANTED TO HIRE—100 horses: either single teams or in bunches, with one or more men in charge, to [illegible] either scrapers or graders; good accommodations and dry work which will last until it freezes up. More clear money in this than in threshing, work practically every day. Can put on teams any time. Prefer to hire until it freezes up. [illegible] pay $2.50 for man and team or $1.75 for team and found. Will [illegible] shorter time. Write L. Twichell, Fargo, N. D., or see him at Mapleton, N. D. 13 miles west of Fargo 3w

Under the laws of 1907 (chapter [illegible]) a burial permit is required in all cases before a burial can be made and a death certificate must be on file before the burial permit can be granted. In each city or village, the health officer is the registar, and the law requires that he appoint a deputy who can act in case of absence, illness or disability on his part. All should assist in every way possible in making the registration of births and deaths complete in Minnesota. Blanks for reporting can be secured from the local registar.

Plummer Pioneer: During the heavy storm on Tuesday evening, lightning struck the big new barn of Con Short, of Equality, and killed [illegible] cows belonging to Mr Short. The lightning traversed the entire length of the building and did some damage to the latter but fortunately no fire ensued. Miss Ella Krueger and Miss Maggie Short were here on Saturday last from [illegible] Miss Krueger has just completed teaching a term of school out there and was on her way home to Red Lake Falls. Miss Short returned home with Buttermaker T. A. Hovland, who was in for repairs for the machinery in the Clearwater creamery.....On Monday morning while Knute Henderson was coming into town with his cream he was very much surprised to meet a big moose cow and her calf on the road about a half mile east of here. The big animal stood and looked at Mr. Henderson's team a moment or two, and then trotted off with her calf in the direction of the Clearwater river.

Notice.

All who know themselves indebted to me are requested to pay on or before June 5, or accounts will be placed in an attorney's hand for collection.—Elina Peterson. 1 w

A New Kind of Bread.

The Germans are said to be making a new kind of bread of wheat or rye for which the grain goes through a process similar to malting. It is said to have a delicate flavor and by reason of the process is more easily digested. The same is true of beer which is sometimes called liquid bread. The brewing of golden grain belt beer converts the barley into a delicious food-drink that besides containing a high percentage of nourishment is an aid to digestion. Recommended for home use. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

"I'd like something to eat," said the frazzled pilgrim at the kitchen door. "I'm that tired and hungry I don't know which way to turn." "I'll show you how to do that," encouragingly replied Farmer Haycraft, picking up a dull ax and leading him in the direction of the grindstone.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS.

Official Proceedings of the Session of Thursday, July 25

Regular meeting of the City Council held at the city hall July 25th, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called.

Aldermen present, Borchers, Cromoe, Brady, and Paul.

Alderman absent, Hennemuth.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

The following bills were allowed and ordered paid:

John Deforge, for street work	$19.80
Telesphore Grandbois, for street work	15.00
Joseph Salley, for coal	3.10
L. K. Wood, for establishing grades	11.00

On motion the meeting adjourned.

FRED BORCHERS, President.

Approved this 31st day of July A. D. 1907.

J. A. DUFFY, Mayor.

Attest

A. P. Toupin

City Clerk.

Treasurer's Annual Report

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS

For the school year ending July 15th, 1907.

To the Clerk of District No. 15, County of Red Lake.

Sir: In accordance with law, I file with you, for presentation at the next annual school meeting, the following financial report for the year ending July 15th, 1907.

T. A. CROMPE.
District Treasurer.

RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR.	
Cash on hand at the beginning of the year	$ 1874 78
Received from apportionment	2275 08
Received from local one mill tax collected	251 71
Received from special taxes collected	7093 32
Received from all other sources	1106 75
Total receipts for the year	$ 12607 65

DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR.	
Paid for teachers' wages	$ 6816 87
Paid for fuel and school supplies	291 47
Paid for repairs and improving grounds	1851 81
Paid for cancelling bonds or interest	711 03
Paid for text books	343 65
Paid for janitors and others	925 25
Paid for all other purposes	195 90
Cash on hand at end of year	1470 67
Total	$ 12607 65

Cash now on hand is applicable to the following purposes, in the following sums:

ACCOUNTS BALANCED.

Cash on hand beginning of the year	$ 1874 78	Total disbursements for the year	$11136 98
Received from all other sources	10732 87	Cash on hand at the end of the year	1470 67
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CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL.

This certifies, That we have examined the Treasurer's records and vouchers, and that we find them and this report correct.

Dated this 20th day of July, 1907.

P. TOUPIN, District Clerk.
THEO. GARCEAU, President.

Attend the Minnesota State Fair

At the Fair Grounds between
St. Paul and Minneapolis

SEPTEMBER 2nd-7th, 1907

DAN PATCH, world's record harness horse will go against his last year's record opening day.
SWEET MARIE champion trotting mare of the world will appear.
Great Speed Contest, most celebrated horsemen in America have entered their best trotters and pacers. Free Pike this year. Magnificent Pyrotechnic Spectacle every night. Daily Airship Flights. New Buildings, New Exhibits, New Amusements.

Great Northern Railway

offers following train service between Red Lake Falls and the Twin Cities:
Lv Red Lake Falls 5:25 pm., Ar St. Paul 7:30 am. Minneapolis 7:00 am.

For rates enquire of JOS. L. TRACY, Agent.

Great Northern Railway

There Were Limits.

Nervous Old Lady—Do people lose their lives here very often?

Old Salt—No, mum; only about once! —Tatler.

They're a Majority.

He—I understand two of your sisters have joined the great majority.

She—Yes. One of them married a man named Jones and the other a man named Brown.—Evening Mail.

Grim Humor.

"I never do have any luck. Now a raging toothache has begun just at the moment that I was going to take my life, and the nearest dentist lives at least three leagues from here."—Pele Mele.

Taking No Chances.

Young Wife (who has cooked the dinner for the first time)—Whatever will my husband say when he sees that I have quite spoiled the joint? Come, Anna, we will toss who shall take it in to him.—Fliegende Blatter.

His Limitation.

"Your friend D'Anber is an artist, isn't he?"

"Yes, that fellow can draw anything."

"Indeed! I have heard it said that he hasn't drawn a sober breath for years."—Philadelphia Press.

Division of Labor.

"Excuse me, my good man, but are you sure you know the difference between edible mushrooms and poisonous ones?"

"Oh, that's nothing to me! I don't eat 'em; I sell 'em!"—Sourire.

Notice of Mortgage Forclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 191.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $345.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows; to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 24th day of August, 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of July, 1907.

DULUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer,
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
Attorneys for Mortgagee.
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Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF Red Lake, ss:

In District Court.

W. H Bangs, doing business under the firm name and style of Bangs & Co., Plaintiff,
vs
Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment docketed and rendered in said Court in favor of W. H. Bangs & Co., plaintiff, and against Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, defendants, I have levied upon the following described real property of said defendant, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the quarter section line, two rods west of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section numbered seventeen (17), in Township numbered one hundred fifty-one (151) north of Range forty-three (43) west of the Fifth P. M., in the State of Minnesota, running thence south eighty rods, running thence west eighty rods, running thence north eighty rods, running thence east eighty rods to the place of commencement; also lots numbered sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), in Block numbered twenty-six (26), in Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, according to the corrected plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 31st day of August, A. D. 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Samuel Allard and Delia Allard in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Two Hundred Twenty seven dollars and seventy-seven cents ($227.77), together with all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the first day of April, 1907, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated, July 18, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff, Red Lake Co., Minn.

F. A. GRADY,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Peter K. Olson and Lillie Christine Olson, his wife, mortgagors, to The West of Scotland American Investment Company, Limited, mortgagee, dated May 11th, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on May 16th, 1903, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., in book "26" of Mortgages, on page 509 thereof; that said mortgagee has paid the taxes assessed against the premises described in said mortgage for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, amounting in all to $30.00, that the amount claimed and hereby declared to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said taxes and interest thereon is one thousand one hundred thirty two and 46-100 dollars ($1132.46) that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) of section eighteen (18), township one hundred and fifty one (151), north of range forty-three (43) west of the fifth principal meridian; containing one hundred fifty one and 41-100 acres according to government survey, situated in Red Lake county, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state, on August 31st, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including said taxes, together with the costs of such sale and fifty dollars attorneys' fees, stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated July 11, 1907.

THE WEST OF SCOTLAND AMERICAN INVESTMENT CO., Limited.
Mortgagee.

B. H. Whitney,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Slayton, Minnesota.
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Why Do Doctors Differ?

As an illustration of the old saying that "doctors will differ" the following is related by a physician of unquestioned veracity: In the course of a lecture which he was delivering before a number of students he had brought in by the mother a child six months old, which, he stated, was suffering from a very peculiar affection, and he requested five of the students present each separately to diagnose the case.

The first gave it as his medical belief that the child was suffering from incipient pneumonia; the second, after examination, pronounced it incipient diphtheria; the third staked his reputation upon its being peritonitis; the fourth called it marasmus, while the fifth said it was malaria. When they had each made a careful examination the lecturer said:

"Well, gentlemen, have you anything further to say in regard to the case?"

"Nothing more than has been already said," was the reply from each.

"Well," said he, taking the little one and holding it before them, "this is a child that has never had a day's illness since its birth. It is the most perfectly healthy child that I have ever seen."—London Answers.

Compensation.

Mrs. High—Our new rector is such a heavenly man. Don't you think so? Mrs. Low—Heavenly! Why, I saw him dancing the other night at the Trillions'. Mrs. High—He likes to set an example of Christian cheerfulness, you know. Mrs. Low—But he danced only with the best set there. Mrs. High—That was because they have only this world to enjoy themselves in, you see.—Town and Country.

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Titanium, the rare metal, resembles tin in its chemical properties, and it is the characteristic element in the beautiful red and brown crystals of rutile. These, in the shape of needles, are sometimes found penetrating large white quartz crystals, forming gems that the French call "love's arrows."

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THE BIG STORE

A BUSY MONTH!

JULY has been a busy month with us. The prices we have been making had the desired effect. The people will go where their dollars will go the farthest. We propose to make August a busy month also. Prices in all departments will be adjusted in the lowest notch. Pin your faith to this store for low prices, you will not be disappointed.

Dry Goods

12½c and 15c ginghams now 10c

$1.50-$1.75 wrappers now 98c

$1.25 wrappers now 89c

$1.00 waists now 59c

A few desirable patterns in WASH GOODS at about ½ price.

A new lot of up-to-date neck-wear, full size, four-in-hand, 50c value, now 25c

See our new stock of Palmer cravenettes and skirts the latest and finest made goods in this country.

Hot weather shirts in Soisette, Linene, Duck negligee at 50c to $2.00

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India relish worth 25c qt now	18c
Monarh asparagus tips, 3 lb	35c
Honey comb	12½c
25c box prunes	$1.45
Cooking figs, per lb	[illegible]c
Wheat flakes per lb	5c
10 lb box soda crackers	25c
Egg carrier	75c
Best cocoanut, per lb	19c
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Fleecing the Farmers.

Edward L. Slater, state dairy and food commissione, has just issued a bulletin in which he tells some interesting things of the results of examinations of sample packages taken from box car merchants of Chicago who insist on operating in the rural districts of Minnesota whenever they get a chance.

Out of eighty-two samples of different products taken from one shipment, only two complied with the pure food laws. Every one of the eighty packages were short in weight thus clearly demonstrating that the fraud was not accidentally accomplished. The average net weight of the so-called three-pound packgaes of spices were a trifle over two and three-quarter pounds, representing an illegitimate saving to the company of nearly one-fourth of a pound on each package. The price asked for the goods was not an inducement for the purchaser to be content with short-weight packages.

The bulletin further tells of the chemical analysis of these box car goods. Ground roasted beans were found to be mixed with coffee, and blackberry cordial was well supplied with salicylic acid and coal tar dye. White pepper proved to be in part ground cocoanut shells and starch.

Go to Anderson & Wander for sheet music. Ten cents a sheet.

Just Received—1000 sheet music at 10c per sheet.—Anderson & Wander.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Hamilton and Ellington

PIANOS

I have taken the agency for Red Lake county for D. H. Baldwin & Co., manufacturers of these pianos, and have a number of styles on exhibition. We would be glad to show the instruments and quote prices. We are prepared to meet all competition. Quality and prices guaranteed.

SCHREITER'S PHARMACY

SLATER WOULD HELP.

Believes that Inspectors Should Be Sent to Aid Farmers.

E. K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner, has in mind the sending of a number of dairy inspectors throughout Northern Minnesota where dairying is just getting a footing, and which he has already gone on record as saying is the most promising section of the state for dairying in years to come because of its luxuriance in clover and hay. These inspectors are not to go as critics, but as helpers.

"I believe our next step should be to go right to the farms of our cow-keepers and help them to see the folly of keeping cattle at a loss. The Northern Minnesota cow is producing very little more than 150 pounds of butter annually. She produced practically as much ten years ago. She should be on the increase when properly handled. My plan is for a dairy inspector to go to each creamery and cheese factory and remain long enough at each to talk with each patron about his herd and advise him where he can improve his methods. I would have the inspectors give their whole attention to improving two things—quality and quantity. I can see no better way for the practical encouragement of dairying in this new field.

"I would also suggest to farmers who are interested to arrange for two or three rousing meetings of neighbors who are interested in bettering their herds and getting more money out of their cows. If I am notified in time, I will be glad to send an inspector to such meetings where he can give practical instruction that should mean, if followed, gold dollars for all farmers who hear and follow his advice."

Paper Carpets.

They are making carpets of paper in Bohemia. One may say truthfully of these carpets that they cannot be beaten. Neither can golden grain belt beer be beaten as a home beverage. This delicious beverage is brewed from the best of nature's products in a better way than other beers and should be served daily with your meals to insure perfect health. Order of your dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

WILL MEET HERE

The Red Lake County Sunday School Convention In Session Here Next Week.

The annual meeting of the Red Lake County Sunday School association will be held at the Presbyterian church in this city Thursday and Friday of next week, the 15th and 16th.

The program is a long one, and full of interest to Sunday School enthusiasts. A. M. Locker, of St. Paul, and Miss Grace Longfellow, of Minneapolis, two of the most prominent workers in this line in the state, will be here to assist at the meetings, and several prominent church people from other parts of the county have agreed to come.

Day and evening sessions will be held during the two days and those interested are looking forward to a pleasant and profitable gathering:

The following is the program in full:

THURSDAY, AUG. 15

9:30 A. M. Organization and Conference.
2:00 P. M. Song and Devotional Service—Miss Iza Tibbetts.
2:15 Primary Work—The Primary Teacher's Difficulties and Encouragements—Mrs. D. N. McNiven.
2:22 Work with Junior Boys and Girls—Miss Grace Longfellow.
2:23 Round Table Conference on Primary Problems, using printed question slips.
3:00 Paper—Teachers Equipment. (a) Mental, (b) Spiritual—Miss Ada Clements.
3:15 The Sunday School Teacher, (a) Before the Class, (b) Between the Sundays—Mrs. H. W. Bagley.
3:30 General Discussion on Above Topics—E. W. Chamberlain.
3:45 Open Parliament—The Sunday School Teacher—A. M. Locker. Discussed under sixteen subheads.
4:15 Meeting of all County and District Officers with the State Workers to discuss plan of work for the county.
7:45 Song and Praise Service—Rev. S. Stone.
8:15 Address—A. M. Locker.
Offering for County and State Work.
Music.
Benediction.

FRIDAY, AUG. 16

9:00 A. M. Devotional Service—Rev. Chas. F. Flesher.
9:30 Round Table Conference—Sunday School Grading under thirteen subheads—A. M. Locker.
10:15 Reports from County Officers. (a) President (b) Secretary, (c) Treasurer, (d) Teacher Training Supt, (e) Primary Supt. (f) Home Dept. Supt., (g) Temperence Supt.
11:00 Business End of the Sunday School under seven subheads—A. M. Locker.
11:30 Report of Committees and Election of Officers.
11:45 Prayer and Devotion.
1:00 P. M. Meeting of Newly Elected County and District Officers to plan work for ensuing year.
2:00 Song and Praise Service.
2:10 Training of the Sunday School Teacher, (a) The Lesson Taught, (b) The Why and How—Miss Grace Longfellow.
2:45 Open Parliament—Teacher Training under twelve subheads.
3:15 The Adult Bible Class, (a) What it is, (b) What it ought to be—L. C. Simons.
3:30 Home Department, (a) Object, (b) Plan, (c) Possibilities—A. M. Locker.
3:45 General Discussion—Rev. Barackman.
4:00 Consecration Service—Rev. E. Gillman.
7:45 Song and Praise Service.
8:00 Junior Problems, (a) Proper Classification, (b) Supplemental Work—Miss Grace Longfellow.
8:20 Class Organization, Purpose and Results—A. M. Locker.
8:35 What is Worth While in the Primary Sunday School Hour—Miss Grace Longfellow.
8:45 How to Secure Home Study of the Sunday School Lesson—A. M. Locker.

CLOSING EXERCISES

Entertainment furnished to all visiting guests by people of Red Lake Falls.

County Fair On.

The Red Lake county fair is in progress at Thief River Falls this week and reports from there state that a big crowd is in attendance. The Cash Carnival company is furnishing the amusements features, while the race program is well filled up, A fair-sized crowd from this end of the county is attending the fair.

A large addition has been added to the CROOKSTON COLLEGE this summer. The building is up-to-date in every respect and will now accommodate 500 students. The college catalogue is just printed and you can get a copy free by writing to J. C. Sathre, Crookston, Minn.

ATTACK OF PARALYSIS.

County Treasurer Tandberg Very Ill At His Home Here.

County Treasurer O. T. Tandburg was suddenly stricken with paralysis at his home last Saturday evening, and since that time has been very seriously ill. The right side of his body is affected and the patient has suffered a great deal. The best of medical attendance is being given him and he is getting along as well as might be expected, although it is probable that he will be confined to his bed several weeks at least. Mr. Tandberg has been working very hard for the past couple of months and the strain was more than he could stand. The people of Red Lake county in general join THE GAZETTE in hoping that his illness may be of a very short duration and that he will soon be able to return to his work.

Took a Long Fall.

John Hennemuth, the twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hennemuth, had a narrow escape from serious injury Saturday noon. He had been out towards the mill picking berries and was returning home across the high Great Northern bridge just north of town. Whether he stumbled and fell or was attempting to crawl down on the frame work of the bridge is not just clear but at any rate he lost his balance and fell headlong to the ground, thirty feet below, striking on the side of his head and face. Some boys in the neighborhood heard his cries and assisted him up when help was summoned and he was taken home. Dr. Watson was summoned but on examination found that no bones were broken, although the young fellow's head and face were badly cut and bruised. It was feared at first that some internal injury might result but nothing turned up and the young man is on the high road to recovery. It was a long fall and might easily have resulted fatally.

CONCERT FRIDAY NIGHT.

Band Will Appear In Another Choice Program.

The band will give another of their popular open air concerts on Main Street tomorrow (Friday) evening, at 7:80, and Professor Maxwell has prepared a particularly pleasing array of musical numbers for this occasion. Under Professor Maxwell's excellent leadership, the band has been making rapid strides, and these outdoor recitals are proving very popular this summer.

The program for Friday night's concert will be as follows:

March .... Deeble
"Heroes of Luzon"
Overture .... Suppe
"Banditenstreiche"
Serenade .... Moret
"Moonlight"
Mazurka .... Navarro
"Amoroso"
Selection .... DeKoven
"Robin Hood"
Intermezzo .... McKinley
"Golden Rod"
Patrol .... Dulbey
"The Blue and Grey"
Waltz .... Codina
"As a Dream"

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

WHY NOT GET BUSY

Red Lake Falls Should Have a Couple of Market Days Again This Fall.

THE GAZETTE has been asked by several farmers in this neighborhood during the past week, whether or not the Red Lake Falls people intended holding any market or bargain days again this fall.

The two that were held last year struck a popular chord with the people of this part of the county and they are anxious to see the idea continued.

It seems, too, that the business people would not need any great urging to get busy and arrange for a day of bargains, sports and general good time, as it means a great deal to the town in the advertising it will get. Some good sports could be arranged for, prizes could be given for different articles brought in by the farmers, a band concert by the celebrated Red Lake Falls band could be given in the afternoon, and with just a little exertion on the part of the business people there would be no question as to the success of the venture.

These market days are a good thing in more ways than one, and should be made a regular fall feature with all Minnesota towns. It brings in the farmers for a day of pleasure and they get together and become better acquainted, thereby exchanging ideas that are bound to be of benefit to all.

Then again, it gives them an idea that the business people are pleased to furnish entertainment once in a while in appreciation of the trade accorded them year in and year out.

By all means, let's arrange for a market day or two this fall. It will bring returns in more ways than one.

Prof. C. O. Smith Dead.

Word was received here last Saturday of the death of Prof. Clint O. Smith, of Linton, North Dakota, at one time director of the Red Lake Falls concert band, and who was well known to the people here. Death was due to heart failure, with which Prof. Smith had suffered for several years. Mr. Smith was a fine man and a good leader, and during the time he had charge of the local band made friends with all whom he came in contact. He was of a kind generous nature and was a favorite with the band boys and people who knew him best. Prof. Smith was only 57 years old, but his career as a bandmaster and musician was a long one, having during his lifetime directed the 3rd P. Regimental band, Araphoe, Neb. 2nd K. P. Regimental Guard Band, Kansas; Saybrook, Ill., Light Guards band; Red Lake Falls, Minn., concert band; Mandan Military band; Reynolds concert band; Hillsboro Metropolitan band; Linton concert band; he was also director of the State Band Union of Nebraska from 1893 to 1896.

Deceased leaves one son, Dr. Claude O. Smith who is also well known to the band boys, and as these men were bosom companions as well as father and son, the loss falls heavily on the Doctor, and the sympathy of all who know them is extended to him in his bereavement.

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JOHN E. KING, Publisher.

RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

People Talked About.

Maj. Gen. George W. Mindel, who earned the rank of colonel of New Jersey regiments during the Civil war, died of heart disease at his home in New York.

After a brief illness, due to excessive heat, Capt. Bart E. Linehan of Dubuque, Iowa, died at Memphis. Mr. Linehan was president of the Dubuque Light and Gas company.

James F. English, pair clerk of the Democratic caucus of the house of representatives, died in Washington of liver complications. He has been connected with the house for twenty-five years.

Mrs. Emma Marins, aged sixty-three, of Winsted, Conn., and Cornelius Mullins, aged thirty-six, employed as a hired man by Mrs. Marins, have surprised their friends by getting married.

Francis Patrick Clements, brother of the earl of Leitrim, who recently crossed the ocean serving as a stoker, is on his way to Denver to become a real cowboy. He writes that he wants no tomfoolery, but expects to begin at the bottom and learn the business.

While the majority of the world has been snarling, scratching and getting things tangled in the divorce courts, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel H. Pick of Denver have been living in beautiful peace. For sixty years not a word of contention has passed between them.

Crimes and Criminals.

Andrew Trice, a negro, accused of the murder of his mistress, was lynched at Olive Branch, Miss., by thirty members of his own race.

The partially decomposed body of Charles Linskey was found in a corncrib at his home, two miles south of West Side, Iowa. It is thought that ho committed suicide by takiag poisoa.

Sitting on the edge of tho bed at the home of her parents at Burlington, Iowa, Carrie Dobbleman fired two bullets in her head, dying instantly. Tho unfaithfulness of a lover is said to have been the causo of tho deed.

Mrs. Margaret J. King, thirty-one years of age, a well known Pittsburg musician, committed suicido by cutting her throat after playing Tschaikowsky's Sixth Symphony on the piano. Mrs. King had been despondent for a long time.

Accused of tearing down a United States flag and thon trampling on it, James Grant was tried and convicted in justico court at Birch, Mich., and was sentencod to serve thirty days in jail, in addition to which he was fined $10. Hs is a subject of Kiag Edward.

Threo masked men eatered a noodle parlor located on Tweaty-sixth street south, at Billings, Mont., nad at the point of six-shooters compelled the proprietor, Wing Wong Chung, and a number of other Orientals in the place to face the wall with their hands up while they rifled the cash register and took all the cash in sight.

Grief strickea by the receipt of a notification that her services would not be required after tho end of this month, Mrs. Nielsen, a housekeeper for a land owner named Ulljaer of Jutland, Denmark, hanged three of her employers children as well as three of her own and killed herself by hanging.

Foreign.

It is reported that King Victor Emmanuel intends to visit England, accompanied by an Italian fleet.

Fifty workmen are reported to have been suffocated as the result of a fire in a sulphur mine in Girgenti, Sicily.

The governor general of Moscow has fined eight Liberal newspapers $500 each. The Liberal press in the provinco is almost extinct.

Thero was a fatal explosion in a colliery at Toyooka, in Bunge province, Japan. It is reported that nearly all of tho 470 miners in tho pit at tho time were killed.

Yaqui Indians raided tho camp of the Richfield Copper Mining company, just north of Querobabi, Mex., and stripped it clean of everything of value, but tho Indians refrained from murder.

A military dirigible balloon made a most successful flight over Berlin. Tha trip lasted for three hours, and this length of time in the air has been attained only once, by tho Lebaudys in France.

The water has been entirely pumped out of the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm II., that listed Saturday at Bremerhaven. Tho steamer sustained no injuries and will bo ready for service in five days.

Advices from tho Congo state that an officer and nino nativo militiamen have been killed by the natives, and that in French Congo a missionary had been slain in tha interior, whera tho native soldiera aro rising against tho whites.

A dispatch to the London Globe from Brussels brings a report that negotiations are in progress between the Netherlands and Japan looking to the purchaso by the lattor of an island in tho Dutch East Indies for a coaling station. The island is said to be close to the Philippines.

Spain and Switzerland have signed a treaty, under the terms of which they agree to submit all differences arising between them that cannot be settled through diplomatic chanaels to the Hague arbitration tribunal.

The khedive of Egypt, Abbas Hilmi has spent two days in Paris in such strict incognito that his presence did not become known until after his departure for Switzerland. He will visit England before returning to Egypt.

An American giving the name of Duryea was arrested at Balboa, Spain, while trying to get change for a counterfeit $500 American bank note. When examined counterfeit bills to the face value of $50,000 were found in his possession.

Accidental Happenings.

Five blocks were burned at Victoria B. C. Loss, $250,000.

Two men were killed and five others seriously injured by the falling of some scaffolding at the Pittsburg & Conneaut dock at Conneaut, Ohio.

J. L. Davis, a well known young man, and Miss Oocla Vebryke were drowaed by the capsizing of their boat at Liaia, Ohio. The two were to have been married soou.

Four persons were injured, one seriously, when a car collided with a heavily loaded passenger car on the Detroit, Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor & Jackson trolley liae at Ann Arbor.

Caught undor a shower of molten metal at the Homestead steel works, near Pittsburg, five men were seriously burned, two perhaps fatally, while many others received minor injuries.

Arnold Johnsoa, eight years old, was electrocuted at Burliagton, Iowa, when he picked up a broken telephone wire which had become crossed with a wire heavily charged with an electric current.

Mrs. Jennie Lauberbauer, forty-seven years old, was shot dead and instantly killed hy her husband at their bomo in Chicago. Lauberbauer, who was arrested, told the polica that he mistook his wife for a burglar. The police are inclined to believa his story.

Pauline Judson, eleven years old, was fatally burned by tha axplosion of a gasoline stove at Ottumwa, Iowa. Tho flames enveloped the child and she ran out into the strest a veritabla torch. Befora tha firo could bo extinguished she was frightfully burned.

On the eve of sendiag for his wife and four children to coma from Russia to join him at Sioux City, Steva Beback, a packing house man, climbed into a tree over tha Floyd river and fell into tha watsr when the limb broke aad was drowned.

Knowing that ha could not avert a wreck, William Elliott, an eagineer on the North-Western railroad, jumped to his death. A few secoads later his train crashed into the rear-end of a freight. Tho accident happenad about three miles south of Balla Plaine, Iowa.

Walter Coulson, sevon yeara old, the son of a wealthy Mahaska county, Iowa, farmer, was killed whila returning homa from Oskaloosa with his pareats. Tho boy was riding in a wagon and by a sudden jolt was thrown out, the wheels passing over bis abdomea.

Threa fatalities occurred in Marquette county, Mich. Alfred and Nogel Remeer, brothers, of Negaunee, were drowned in Teal lake while boating, and John Andorsche of Marquetta was fearfully burned in a gas explosion at the Pioneer Iron company's blast furnace.

Mrs. Broderick, who has been blind and an invalid for fifteen years, was burned to death at Harlowtown, Mont., recently. She was cleaning soma paint brushes with turpentiae and accidentally spilled some of the liquid on her clothes, which became ignited by coming in contact with the stove. She was at onca enveloped in flames and was so badly burned when assistanca arrived that sho lived but a short time.

Domestic.

Federal Judge G. B. Adams of New York declared constitutonal the employers' liability act passed by congress June 11, 1906.

Eighteen big ore-carrying vessels were tied up at Cleveland as the result of the strike of ore handlers at upper lake ports. Big fleets are also tied up at othar Lake Erie ports.

Loggers and workmen in the camps along Slavo river and othar points in the upper Fraser valley in British Columbia have been driven from their work on account of the unusual number of mosquitoes in the woods this season.

James Taylor, ona of the best known lawyers in Iowa, died at San Diego, Cal., where ha had gono for his health. Only a brief dispatch was received at Bloomfield, Iowa, his home, snnouncing that Mr. Taylor had died of taking poison.

The memhsrs of the university party have made the first ascent of the season to tha summit of Mount Ranier, in Washington, headed by Dr. Hanry R. Cowles of tha University of Chicago. Soma of the membera were slightly bruised by failing rock fragments.

Threa young women of Helena, the Misses Bartha and Fredrika Volker and Miss Kenton Kepner, have hean apprised that after threa years' litigation in German courta they have heen declarad heiresaes to tha estate of their grandfather, valued at $40,000,000. The young women will go to Germany shortly to claim their fortuna.

The fight schaduled at Brazil, Ind., between Willis Fitzgerald of Brooklyn and Paddy Lavin of Buffalo, N. Y., did not take place on account of the small attendance, the fighters refusing to go on.

HAYWOOD WALKS FORTH A FREE MAN

IS ACQUITTED OF THE MURDER OF FORMER GOVERNOR STEUNENBERG.

WILL PROSECUTE THE OTHERS

STATE ANNOUNCES THAT CASES OF MOYER AND PETTIBONE WILL BE PUSHED.

Boise, Idaho, July 30. — Into the bright sunlight of a beautiful Sabbath morning, in the stillness of a city drowsy with the lazy slumbers of a summer Sunday, William D. Haywood, defendaut in one of the most noted trials involving conspiracy and murder that the country has ever knowu, walked yesterday a free man, acquitted of the murder of Former Governor Frank Steunenberg.

The probability of a verdict of acquittal la the case of the secretary-treasurer and ackuowledged leader of the Western Federation of Miners had beeu

Freely Predicted

since Saturday, when Judge Fremont Wood read his charge, which was regarded as strongly favoring the defense in its interpretation of the law of conspiracy, circumstantial evidence and the corroboration of an accomplice who confesses.

It was also freely predicted that in the eveat of Haywood's acquittal the state would abandon the prosecution of his associates, Charles H. Moyer, the president of the federation, and George A. Pettibone of Denver. Statements from counsel and from Gov. Gooding issued yesterday dispel this viaw of the situation.

Jury at Last Agrees.

It was after heing out for twenty-one hours that the jury, which first had heen divided at ten to two, finally came tn an agreement. Events moved rapidly eaough nfter this, and when at last the principal actors in tha trial had heen gathered into tha court room at a few moments before 8 o'clock the white envelope handed by the foreman to the judge was torn open and the verdict read.

Haywood's attorneys were fairly lifted from their seats, and Judge Wood made no effort to restrain them as they surrounded Haywood to shout nloud their congratulations.

First Thought of Mother.

Haywood's first thought after his release wns of his aged mother, who Saturday had suffered a complete nervous breakdown after the jury had retired. Haywood walked to St. Luke's hospital and unannounced rushed into his mother's room. So great was the effect of the news upon the elderly lady that last night she wa sup and about and happy.

Next Haywood went to the little cottage where his wife and daughters have been stopping. Once home, Haywood said: "I want to thank the people of Boise for their kindness to my wife, my mother, my family and my friends."

Will Prosecute Others.

Senator Borah said:

"I have no comment to make other than that twelve good men and true men of the State of Idaho have passed upon the case, and that disposes of it so far as the State of Idaho and Haywood are concerned. The prosecution of the other men indictetd will be pushed vigorously and without any reference to the Haywood trial."

E. F. Richardson, one of Haywood's leading counsel, said:

"We have had a fair trial. We have had an impartial trial and conscientious jury and an impartial judge."

SENATOR PETTUS DEAD.

Oldest Man in Public Life at Washington Passes Away.

Hot Springs, N. C., July 30—Senator Edmund W. Pettus of Alabama died here last night at 10 o'clock. He was eighty-six years old July 6.

Senator Pettus was not only the oldest member of the senate, but also the oldest man in public life in the United States.

The senator, without apparently being seriously, succumbed to old age. He lapsed into unconsciousness while at breakfast yesterday morning.

Senator Morgan, three years Pettus' junior, but his senior in service in the senate, died two months ago.

Birmingham, Ala., July 29.—The successor to Senator E. W. Pettus will be Former Governor Joseph F. Johnson of Birmingham.

Stella (Wash.) Burned.

Stella, Wash., July 30.—This town was practically destroyed hy fire. Among the buildings burned were two hotels, two saloons, whnrvea, mills, warehouses and hospitals. The loss is estimated at $200,000.

Launchea Burned.

Houghton, Mich., July 30.—Leaking gasoline in a hoathouse of Jnmes Pryor & Sona here caused the destruction by fire of two gasoline launchea and two hoathouses. The loss is ahout $5,000.

CONEY ISLAND IS DEVASTATED

PLAYGROUND OF NEW YORK'S MILLIONS VISITED BY DISASTROUS FIRE.

New York, July 30. — Coney Island the playground of New York's millions, was visited by a disastrous fira early yesterday, and seven hlocks in the amusement zone were completely destroyed. Tilyou Steeplechasa Park and nearly a score of small hotels were wiped out, and for a time the flames threatened destruction to Luna Park aud Dreamland, great homes of summer amusement, and to the scores of smaller places which fringe the water edge for a mile. A lucky shift of the wind to seaward aided the firemen and probably saved the whola picturesque area, hut not until $1,000,000 damage had been done.

Three Persons Injured.

Three persons were injured, one of them, Gottfried Messerli, a fireman, probably fatally. Only the advance guard of the 300,000 people who flocked to Coney Island yesterday saw the fire, but the thrilling tales of the fearless rescue of San Dora, the armless and legless man, and of tha flight of Francesco, the fire eater, wheu the alarm was sounded, were told and retold along noisy Surf avenue and ia the less particular Bowery.

The inflammable character of the many attractions made flue food for the flames, and notwithstanding the many streams of water poured on them the conflagration seemed to defy all efforts to stop its course.

Panic Among Freaks.

The destruction of Steeplechase Park was a spectacular sight. Tho alarm of fire woke up dozing Coney Island with a start, and in a few minutes Surf avenue was jammed with excited freaks and frolickers, chorus girls, snake charmers, animal trainers and performers.

The fire put many small danca halls and bathing pavilions out of business, and many sandwich men and frankfurter men who had stored their stands and carts in nooks and crannies hetween buildings lost everything.

STATE WINS IN FARE WAR.

Railroads Capitulate to North Carolina After a Hard Struggle.

Raleigh, N. C., July 30.—The State of North Carolina has won its fight to hava its passenger rate law of 2 1-4 cents observed hy all the railroads, pending an appeal to the courts hy tha roads which proposa to fight tha law, following the arrest Saturday at Asheville of President Finley of the Southern railroad.

The promisa of obedience to tha law was given at a conference the railroads sought with Gov. Glenn, who had stated that as a precedent to any agreement the 2 1-4 cent rate must be put into effect.

Aftar the conference Gov. Glenn stated that at the heginning of tha conference the railroad representatives declared they were ready to agrea to the 2 1-4 cent rate, which later is to be tested in tha original injunction case befora Judge Pritchard, an appeal if necessary to he taken hy the state to the suprema court of the United States, while the railroads would appeal the case in Wake county to the North Carolina supreme court, and if necessary take tha case on writ of error to the supreme court of the United States.

The only trouble in the conference was a selection of the data at which the 2 1-4 cent rate should become effective. The railroads wanted a longer time than the atate was willing to grant, hut finally the 8th of August was agreed upon, as the railroad representatives said it would he impossible sooner to make the proper arrangements.

14 DEAD IN TENEMENT WRECK.

Explosion, Followed by Fire, Fatal to Women and Children.

Auburn, N. Y., July 30.—The steamboat Frontenac was burued and beached opposite Farley's Point, at Lake Cayuga, Saturday and eight lives were lost. The victims were all women and children passengers and all were drowned.

Several other passengers were severely hurned before the boat could bs beached. The Frontenac, an old side-wheeler, douhle-deck craft, which has plied between Ithaca and Cayuga on Lake Cayuga for twenty-five years, left the former place for the upper lake points, carrying fifty passengers and a crew of twelve men.

In midlake fire broke out in the engine room, and fanned hy a stiff north-east wind spread quickly to the after section of the hoat. The crew of twelve men behaved well, fighting the flames at first, but seeing that nothing could save the hoat they turned their attention to the passengers.

Life preservers were put on every ona that could he found in the brief time, but in spite of these efforts eight women and children perished. Capt. Brown directed the work of the crew and was the last to leave the hurning boat.

SHOCK KILLS LIVERYMAN

Drives Off Grade Into Water and Narrowly Escapes Drowning.

Belmont, Iowa, July 30.—Driving off a grade in the darkness, Henry Cartenson, a local liveryman, and a traveling salesman narrowly escaped drowning. Their horse was drowned and their huggy wrecked and the men regained solid ground with much difficulty. The shock of the accident and the struggle was too much for Cartenson, who had been in ill health, and he died soon after getting ashore.

LEADER ADVISES THE USE OF GUNS

GIVES GOVERNOR TWENTY-FOUR HOURS IN WHICH TO "GRANT MEN JUSTICE."

FEAR TROUBLE ON THE RANGE

GOVERNOR'S REPRESENTATIVES INVESTIGATE—MINES BEING OPENED.

Duluth, Aug. 3. — One working day hss passed since operations on the range, following the settlement of tha ore dock strike, were hegun hy the United States Steel corporation and the independent mines, and no serious disorder was reported. The industrial sky over the range is not cloudless, however, for the sullen attitude of the followers of the Western Federation of Miners indicate an attitude of desperation, which was somewhat intensified by a vitriolic address delivered hy Petriella, the strike leader, in which, while counseling peace, he advocated the use of guns to maintain what ha said was their right to sell their labor where they could to the hest advantage.

Advises Violence.

In this address Petriella gave the governor twenty-four hours in which to "grant tha men justice," at the end of which time he advised the men to he "ready to strike the head off any man who tries to crush you; if not as American citizens, do it as human heings." Whether at the end of twenty-four hours anything will come of this is awaited with anxiety and the officials are prepared. All of the special guards who have been in Duluth during the past few days were rushed to the range. It was said that 250 men were in the party and they will augment Sheriff Bates' force of deputies in case there is any trouble.

Resuming Operations

The Steel corporation officials ara carrying out the wishes of Gov. Johnson in the manner in which they are resuming operations. They ara opening the mines one at a time and gradually resuming work with as many men as they can get to go to work. All the old men will be given an opportunity to return to work without discrimination and with the guaranty of being protected by the forces at the sheriff's command.

The strikers will not he interfered with if they go about in small groups, but if they attempt to march in larga bodies they will be stopped.

Give No Pretext for Clash.

This was made clear to them when they attempted to march from Hibbing to the meeting at Chisholm, where Petriella made his violent speech. Otherwise the officials will handle them gently in order that there may be no pretext for a clash.

Reports received here yesterday indicate that mining operations were resumed heavily in both Hibbing and Eveleth districts. Thomas D. O'Brien, former state insurance commissioner, and Harvey Grimmer, executive clerk to Gov. Johnson, who visited the range towns yesterday as personal representatives of the governor, returned to Duluth last evening.

Will Report to Governor.

They reported everything quiet on the range. Mr. O'Brien said he had succeeded in getting each side to agree to respect the other's rights under the law. He thought the governor would issue a proclamation defining these positions and any infraction on either side would then be dealth with accordingly.

Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Grimmer left last night for St. Paul, and their report will be submitted to-day.

FOUR LOSE THEIR LIVES.

Greek Lahorers Killed by Collapse of Trestle.

San Pedro, Cal., Aug. 3. — Four Greek laborers lost their lives yesterday when 400 feet of the trestle leading from the wharf of the Pacific Wharf and Storage company collapsed. The dead men were crushed by carloads of rock or drowned in tha harhor. Four others went down with them, hut were rescued. The trestle collapsed as a train of twenty flat cars laden with rock hacked on the wharf.

STATE BOARD ACTS.

Sweeping Cut Made in Coal Rates From Lake to Wisconsin Points.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 3.—By an order of the state railroad commission yesterday sweeping reductions were made in freight rates on coal between Superior and Ashland to Eau Claire and intervening points. The reduction approximates 40 cents a ton for hard and soft coal. The order affects only tha Omaha road.

Inventing Kills Man.

Des Moines, Aug. 3. — His health shattered by too close application to the invention of a machine for the cure of tuberculosis, Charles A. Jonea a traveling man and inventor, died yesterday of dropsy, aged twenty-seven yeara.

Brick Plant Burned.

Cumherland, Wis., Aug. 3. — The large hrickyard plant owned and operated hy S. Donatelle at this place hurned to the ground, entailing a loss of $4,000, with uo insurance.

HAILSTORM SPREADS RUIN

CROPS IN SOUTH DAKOTA TOTALLY DESTROYED BY FALL OF ICE.

Aherdeen, S. D., Aug. 3. — Several farmers face ruin or mortgages which will tie them down for some years to come as a result of the hail storm that swept through this section of tha state. First reports did not exaggerate the disaster, which is the worst of tha kind ever known in this region. Reports are beginning to come in of heavy losses. One farmer reports 940 acres devastated; another 1,120 acres wiped out. Many who hanked on a big harvest find themselves not only minus crops, but with useless ground, injured cattle and damaged buildings and homes. The area of the storm was more than sixty miles in length and seven miles in width.

Immense sheets of solid ice still are seen on the low ground. The storm started west and northwest of Aberdeen and passed due south, through Warner, Rudolph, Rondell, to Ashton and Mellette, in Spink county; thence eastwardly. Wherever the storm struck crops were totally destroyed. The aggregate loss will be not less than half a million dollars.

TEDDER FORK KILLS MAN.

Farmer Thrown Beneath Machine in Runaway Mets Death.

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 3.—Gottlieb Kresslin, a well-to-do farmer south of here, met with a horrible death while at work harvesting his hay crop. Ha had his horses hitched to a hay tedder when the pole hroke.

The horses, a span of hronchos, became unmanageable and ran away, throwing Kresslin beneath the tedder and dragging him for some distance. The forks of the tedder pierced his hody in many places.

GETS MINING OPTIONS.

Man Makes a Purchase of Rights on Fourteen Farms.

Richville, Minn., Aug. 3. — B. Magoffin, Jr., a mining man who has been exploring in this vicinity since early in the spring, has purchased options on fourteen farms northwest of Dent and near Vergas. The land purchased is in a low range of hills that run northeast and southwest, and the supposition is that iron ore has been discovered. Drilling operations will begin shortly. The price paid is about $50 for mineral rights.

CARS ROLL INTO DITCH.

Soo Train Jumps Track, but No Passengers Are Hurt.

Minot, N. D., Aug. 3.—The Soo train jumped the track four miles east of here last night, caused by the tender breaking the connection. The engine remained upright, but the combination baggage, express and mail cars and smoker left the track and rolled into the ditch. The baggageman was slightly hurt, but none of the passengers were even bruised.

CONFUSION IS FATAL.

Woman Frightened by Train Runs Across Track and Is Killed.

Westboro, Wis., Aug. 2.—Mrs. Hannah Johnson, living near here, while picking berries along the track of the Wisconsin Central railway become frightened at the approach of a train, started to run across the track, stumbled over the rail and was run over by passenger train No. 12. She was instantly killed.

GOGGINS WILL DECLINE.

Prefers Present Home and Law Practice to an Office at Madison.

Grand Rapids, Wis., Aug. 3. — Bernard Goggins, who was appointed a member of the state railway commission to succeed John Barnes, yesterday announced that he would decline because of the necessity of changing his residence and sacrificing his law practice.

Hail Damage Is Heavy.

Redfield, S. D., Aug. 3.—Over a half million dollars' loss was sustained hy Spink county farmers last evening in the terrific hail storm which swept over the northern and eastern parts of the county. The storm was two miles in width and extended a distance of forty milea, practically destroying all crops in its path.

Storm Scare Is Fatal.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 3. — An electrical storm yesterday morning and a wind storm in tha afternoon did considerable damage in this vicinity. Joseph Stilp was found dead in hed, death presumably being due to heart failure, caused hy the lightning.

Scuffle Fatal to Couple.

Rainy Lake City, Minn., Aug. 3. — Burt Wesley and Maud Wheeler, members of an outing party, were drowned here. They were engaged in a friendly scuffle on the dock and fell in and were drowned before assistance could reach them.

S. M. Stephenson Is Dead.

Marinette, Wis., Aug. 3.—S. M. Stephenson, former congressman, multimillionaire and lumberman and a hrother of Senator Isaac Stephenson died at his home in Menominee, Mich., of injuriea received in a fall from a carriage.

Child Choked to Death.

Webster City, Iowa, Aug. 3. — The four-year-old child of Amos Urich, who residea northeast of thia city, choked to death last night during an uncontrollable fit of coughing.

PROMINENT MEN MAY BE ENTANGLED

ANOTHER SUICIDE ADDS HORROR AND MYSTERY TO GRUESOME CASE.

SCANDAL MAY BE UNEARTHED

INTIMATE FRIEND FOLLOWS THE YOUNG LADY'S EXAMPLE AND TAKES HIS LIFE.

Colorado, Springs, Colo., July 31.—Amos N. Rumbaugh of Washington, D. C., a close friend of Miss Laura Matthews, the young woman who committed suicide near Broadmoor Sunday night, added horror and mystery to the gruesome case by shooting himself through the head yesterday in the same manner adopted by Miss Matthews, dying later in the hospital to which he was taken for treatment.

Rumbaugh committed the act in his room at the Alta Vista hotel. The time when the fatal shot was fired is not known.

Fails to Attend Inquest.

The deed was discovered only when officers went to his room to ascertain why he had not responded to the subpoena to attend the coroner's inquest over Miss Matthews' body yesterday.

That the act of Rumbaugh was the direct result of the death of Miss Matthews is not doubted. He was to have appeared yesterday afternoon as a witness at the coroner's inquest to tell what he knew of his friend's tragic end. Rumbaugh claimed to be but a chance acquaintance of the girl, but it developed that he knew here in Chicago, and also knew C. A. Coey, the wealthy Chicagoan, and Dr. M. A. Thomas of the "101 ranch." He was frequently a member of parties at which Miss Matthews and the other men referred to were members.

May Entagle Prominent Men.

It was he who sent the telegram to Coey, demanding that he "do the right thing by the girl," and it was with him that Miss Matthews left the letter in which was inclosed another letter to Coey.

The officers have not yet had time to examine Rumbaugh's papers and affairs, and the coroner has had his room locked. If Rumbaugh did not destroy the letter left him by Miss Matthews, together with the letter to Coey, it is believed they will show startling facts that may entangle many people of prominence.

WILD PANIC ON CANAL BOATS.

Arches Supporting Canal Give Way—Boats Drawn Into Creek Beneath.

Syracuse, N. Y., Aug. 1.—The stone arches that support the bed of the Erie canal at a point near the center of this city where it passes over Onondaga creek gave way yesterday afternoon and four canal boats were drawn into the bed of the creek beneath. Fifty feet of the wall of the three-story Empire flouring mill fell into the water and the Bartels and Greenway breweries, respectively on the north and south banks of the canal, were threatened with demolition.

The driver of the canal boat, Peter J. Rolter of Black River noticed that the boat was moving too rapidly, and hurriedly moored it to the canal bank. The rope snapped like a thread, carrying away a part of the wall upon which the flouring mill stands. Fred Race, owner of the boat, brought his wife and daughter on deck, and when the boat neared a safe section of the wall all jumped ashore.

The Goodalle was tied up at the gas plant to a crane. It pulled the crane over and severed a steel anchorage cable. A foreman in the gas plant caught two women and a child as they jumped to the bank, and the boat was drawn into the break. Two boats owned by Frank G. Foot of New York were swept into the vortex. Mr. Foot's wife and four children were saved by a deck hand.

All canal traffic is tied up and it will be several days before the damage can be repaired.

INSURGENTS WIPED OUT.

Small Band of Greeks Fight Valiant Battle With Turkish Troops.

Athens, Aug. 1.—There has been a pitched battle between Turkish troops supported by Bashi-bazouks and a small band of Greek insurgents who had intrenched themselves in a house in the outskirts of Seres, European Turkey (fifty miles northeast of Salonika). The band was completely wiped out, but thirty men were killed before the soldiers, aided by the artillery, succeeded in capturing the miniature fortress. During the fighting the Bashi-bazouks pillaged over a hundred houses and burned a number of Greek buildings in Seres.

Miss Root to Marry Lieut. Grant.

Washington, July 31.—Announcement was made yesterday of the engagement of Miss Edith Root, only daughter of Secretary of State and Mrs. Elihu Root, to Lieut. Ulysses S. Grant, III., U. S. A., son of Maj. Gen. Frederick Dent Grant.

Auto Kills Farmer.

Blodgett, Wis., July 31.—Nicholas Maurer, sixty years old, a retired farmer living at Brookfield, was run down and killed by an automobile on the plank road near here.

WOULD WRECK POWDER TRUST

GOVERNMENT FILES SUIT ASKING FOR AN INJUNCTION OR RECEIVER.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The government yesterday filed in the United States circuit court for the district of of Delaware at Wilmington a petition against E. I. Dupont de Nemours & Co., the E. I. Dupont de Nemour Powder Company of New Jersey and twenty-four other corporations and seventeen individuals connected with the corporations, which are made defendants in the petition.

The petition relates that all the defendants are engaged in interstate trade and commerce in gunpowder and other high explosives and are violating the act of July 2, 1890, commonly known as the Sherman anti-trust act. It seeks to prevent and restrain the unlawful existing agreements, contracts, combinations and conspiracies in restraint of such trade and commerce, to prevent and restrain the defendants to monopolize such trade and commerce and to dissolve the existing monopoly therein.

The court is asked to determine whether public interests will be better subserved by the appointment of receivers to take possession of the property of the alleged trust, with a view to bring about conditions in trade and commerce that will be in harmony with the law.

STRANGLER AT WORK.

Bodies of Two Unidentified Women Found in New York.

New York, Aug. 1.—The bodies of two women with the marks of the strangler on their throats have been found here within the last twelve hours. Neither of the victims has been identified.

One woman was found dead early yesterday in an areaway on East Ninetieth street. The marks of a thumb and forefinger were visible on her throat. She was about twenty-seven years old. No one in the neighborhood heard sounds of a struggle.

The body of the other woman, also the victim of a strangler, was found last night in a Twenty-second street boarding house. A necktie had been knotted tightly around her throat and she had been dead for several hours.

Police Are Baffled.

At a late hour no arrests had been made. Detectives have been hard at work on the cases but have been unable to find any traces of the murderer or murders.

The police believe that both crimes were committed by the same person, as both bodies were mutilated in the same manner.

HOLD LEGISLATORS' DAY.

Prominent Men on Platform at Jamestown Exposition.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 1.—A. E. Stevenson of Illinois, former vice president of the United States; Congressman J. Warren Keifer of Ohio, former speaker of the house of representatives, and Jose Diego, speaker of the Porto Rico house of delegates, were the central figures of attraction at the celebration at the Jamestown exposition yesterday of "Legislative Assembly day," or the 288th anniversary of the convening of the first house of burgesses of Virginia, at Jamestown Island July 30, 1619, this being the first legislative assembly to meet on American soil.

PROHIBITION IN GEORGIA.

Bill Passes Legislature and Governor Is Pledged to Sign It.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 1.—The Hardman-Covington prohibition bill passed by the Georgia senate some days ago was adopted by the house last evening by a vote of 139 to 39. Two amendments added to the bill by the house will necessitate the bill going back to the senate for concurrence, of which there is no doubt, and the bill will then go to Gov. Hoke Smith for his signature, which has been practically pledged, and prohibition will become a law in Georgia.

AID BEVERIDGE WEDDING.

Germans Extend Courtesies, Waiving Usual Residential Restrictions.

Berlin, Aug. 31.—As a courtesy to Senator Albert J. Beveridge and other prominent Americans interested in his approaching wedding to Katehrine Eddy in Berlin, the German foreign office has secured a special dispensation, waiving the usual legal restrictions regarding residence qualifications upon the marriage of foreigners. David Graham Phillips will act as best man.

BEER BOTTLE IN FISH.

Muscalonge Swallows Receptacle, but Evidently Not Its Contents.

Tomahawk, Wis., Aug. 1.—A muscalonge has been caught in the Tomahawk river by Guy Fuller of this city, in the stomach of which was found an empty beer bottle of the pint size. The fish weighed about fifteen pounds and measured three and one-half feet long.

FATHER AND SON DIE.

Former Was Trying to Save the Latter From Death.

Boone, Iowa, Aug. 1.—George Tipler, a well digger, gave his life in a vain attempt to save his fourteen-year-old son, whom he had sent down a well on a rope. A rod slipped and the boy was precipitated to the bottom of the well, 110 feet deep, into thirty feet of water. He was still alive, but could not hold on to the rope let down to him. Tipler then descended and both were drowned.

State News of Interest

50,000 TONS OF BUTTER.

Minnesota's Creamery Output Grows Rapidly.

From a total production of 7,500,000 pounds of butter in 1887 to an annual increase of about that number of pounds in the past three years is the record of the growth of the creamery industry in the State of Minnesota. While the figures for the year ending July 31, 1907, have not been compiled, the total undoubtedly will reach 100,000,000,000 pounds, and possibly exceed that number.

The annual report of State Dairy and Food Commissioner Edward K. Slater, which has just come from the printer's hands, gives the details of the production of butter by the creameries of the state for 1904. In that year the total production was 78,455,459 pounds. In the next two years the increase was about 7,000,000 pounds a year, and the increase will probably exceed that amount somewhat, so that the total production for the year will be about 100,000,000 pounds. This relates only to the products of the creameries and does not include the dairy butter, the production of which has also increased in late years, although the rapid increase in the number of creameries has put their production greatly ahead of that of the dairies.

In referring to the creamery statistics the report states:

"During the past two years eighty new creameries have been added to the number previously in operation, and this is not only addition of a quarter million dollars to the taxable property of the state, but is carrying the important industry more extensively into that portion of our state where diversified farming is so essential to its upbuilding.

"The figures show an increase of 7,000,000 pounds of butter over that produced in 1903, a gain of $1,540,000, and this money very largely goes into the pockets of the farmers."

The report shows that in 1904 there were 825 creameries in the state, which, with the eighty added during the next two years, makes a total of 905 creameries in operation in the state on July 31, 1906.

R. F. D. LIFE STRENUOUS.

Country Mail Carrier Covers 52,246 Miles in Seven Years' Service.

Al Burgess, carrier on Rural Free Delivery Route No. 1, out of Amboy, who now is enjoying the fifteen days' vacation allowed by the postoffice department, has had a strenuous time during the more than seven years he has been on this route.

Burgess is now serving his eighth year, and during his employment has drawn $4,100 from the government. His first year's pay was $450, and it has been gradually increased until now it has reached $900. His route is twenty-six and one-half miles long, and he has covered 62,246 miles.

He has had thirteen runaways, made one trip on his wheel; that is, he started on the wheel, but came in on foot; one trip on horseback, threatened to "lick" a patron, did errands the first year for the schoolma'am free, has been and still is a general favorite with those he serves. He has used up three new buggies, three second-hand ones and three carts. He does not use up his horses completely, for on the first symptoms of breakdown he trades them off.

SEEK AGENCY TIMBER.

Lumber Companies Back Proposed Red Lake Reservation.

There is a rumor to the effect that a bill will be introduced at the next session of congress authorizing the sale of a large amount of standing pine timber on the Red Lake Indian reservation, between the arms of upper and lower Red lakes. That there are several lumber concerns that operate in the northern part of the state anxious to have the pine placed on the market has been made evident of late by the visit to Red Lake of several prominent lumbermen, and also the representatives of a number of other companies. It is estimated that there is on the entire Red Lake Indian reservation about 500,000,000 feet of standing pine timber. Of this amount there are 125,000,000 feet embraced in the territory covered by the proposed congressional legislation. The latter timber lies east of the narrows between the two arms of Red lake, and stands thickly on the ridges, the low spots being covered with tamarack, spruce and other merchantable timber. This timber easily could be logged and placed in Red lake.

FOR STATE BUILDING.

Minnesota Club of Seattle Urges Cities to Act.

The Minnesota club of Seattle, composed of former residents of this state, is agitating the matter of a Minnesota building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition in that city in 1909. An attempt was made to secure an appropriation from the legislature. This having failed, Christopher W. Hoar, formerly of St. Paul, is trying to secure the help of the cities of the state to erect the building.

PURE-BRED CATTLE AT FAIR.

Auction Sales, as Usual, Will Be Feature This Year.

The auction sales of pure-bred cattle are always very attractive features of the Minnesota state fair. City and country people alike throng the great amphitheater when the beautiful cattle are brought into the arena to be knocked down (not literally) under the auctioneer's hammer. Whether a judge of animals or not, everyone likes to see them. This year's sale of Hereford cattle will be in charge of Thomas Smith, better known to the breeders as "Tom" Smith of Crete, Ill. In a letter to the fair management received recently Mr. Smith says that there will be about forty-five head of registered Hereford cattle consigned to the Minnesota state fair.

"We will have," says Mr. Smith, 'sons and daughters and grandsons and granddaughters of such sires as Peerless Wilton XXXIX., who has sired more international champions than any other bull living, and also progeny of the $9,000 champion Perfection and his full brother, Perfection III., said by good judges to be equal to the champion. There are also consigned a goodly string of young animals sired by Anxiety Wilton Yet, of Anxiety Wilton and Grove III. breeding. This Anxiety Wilton cross made the name of Thomas Clark famous among breeders. And a young bull sired by Anxiety Wilton Yet topped the Minnesota state fair last year.

"There will also be grandsons of Pride of Evergreen, who sired the international champion, Woods Principal. G. W. Way & Son of New Sharon, Iowa, will send three yearling show bulls of Beau Brummel breeding, and J. C. Robinson & Son of Evansville, Wis., will have cattle on exhibition and will enter in the sale four animals. These breeders have Pride of Evergreen and Kansas Lad blood of Evergreen and Kansas Lad make a good showing as well as topping the average in any sale they enter.

"It goes without saying that when the following breeders consign to a sale there will be something on hand worth seeing and bidding for: H. G. Fluck, Goodman, Ill.; C. N. Cosgrove, Le Sueur, Minn.; G. W. Way & Son, New Sharon, Iowa; J. C. Robinson, Evansville, Wis.; F. Stoll, Viroqua, Wis.; M. Schoonmaker, Crete, Ill.; McEldowney & Wallace, Chicago Heights, Ill.; A. Butterman, Dyer, Ind.; F. Mussman, Giant Park, Ill.; George Mason, King City, Mo.; William Long, Goodman, Ill."

The Hereford sale is to take place on the afternoon of Wednesday, Sept. 4, of fair week.

SHORT WEIGHT.

Food Department Does Business With Box Car Merchant.

In a bulletin just issued by Edward K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner, attention is called to the seizure of a carload of goods shipped into the state by a box car merchant and what happened when the department had concluded its investigation of the various packages of foodstuffs in the car. The bulletin shows that over 98 per cent of the packages were short in weight.

The report on this matter says:

"The real value of the law passed by the legislature in 1905, giving this department authority to seize shipments of food products into the state, has never been better exemplified than recently. An inspector of this department tied up a shipment of goods from Chicago and submitted samples to the laboratory. Out of eighty-two samples of different products taken from one shipment only, two complied with the pure food laws. Every one of the eighty packages were short weight, thus clearly demonstrating that the fraud was not accidentally accomplished.

"Complaint was entered against the agent of the company and, upon pleading guilty, he was fined $50 and costs, amounting to $86.24. Attention is called to the findings of the chemists upon the examinations of a number of articles seized:

"Coffee, marked fifteen pounds. Net weight, thirteen pounds, eight ounces.

"Cinnamon, marked fifteen pounds. Net weight 12 pounds 12 ounces.

"Cloves, marked three pounds. Net weight two pounds 12 ounces.

"White pepper, marked five pounds. Net weight 4 pounds 11 ounces.

"Rice, marked five pounds. Weight of bag and contents, four pounds thirteen ounces.

"The average net weight of the so-called three-pound packages of spices is about two pounds twelve and one-half ounces, representing an illegitimate saving to the company of nearly one-fourth pound on each package.

"The price asked for the goods was not an inducement for the purchaser to be content with short weight."

BOLTS HIT SAME BARNS.

Buildings Two Miles Apart Struck and Burned Second Time.

Faribault, Minn., Special.—Two years ago two large barns east of here, situated near Kenyon and about two miles apart and owned by M. H. Davis and E. G. Miller, were struck by lightning and burned to the ground. Both of the barns were rebuilt on the same foundations. During the heavy storm the other evening both barns were completely destroyed, no other buildings in this section being injured.

IN THE SCANDINAVIAN NORTH

Gleanings of Important News of Norway, Sweden and Denmark, with Occasional Comments.

By MARTIN W. ODLAND.

NORWAY.

The tourist traffic has become lively along the west coast, hundreds of foreigners pouring into the interior.

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A young Norwegian singer, Mrs. Goudappel, nee Jordan, has been engaged for the coming opera season at Lubeck.

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The storthing has appropriated 100,000 crowns for the support of a steamship line operating between Norway, Cuba, the United States and Mexico. Herr Bryde of Christiania is at the head of the company.

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During the year 1906 the income of the city of Stavanger was 1,284,101.50 crowns and the disbursements were 1,276,426.58 crowns, leaving a surplus of 7,674.92 crowns. This compares favorably with the showing made by Bergen.

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There is a remarkable tree on the Fidge estate, in Soknedal. It is a combination of three species, the birch, the mountain ash and the oak, made by nature herself. At a distance the tree resembles an oak, but if one glances at the top he sees the birch crown. The trunk is that of an oak, but many years ago it was cut off about ten feet from the ground, and from the stump has grown a birch, now about thirty feet in height. By the side of the birch, springing from the same stem, stands a mountain ash, about half as high. A wreath of strong oak branches grows out of the trunk.

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Two expert fishermen of Norway have been engaged by the steam fishing company, Salmo, of St. Petersburg, to take charge of a fishing expedition that is to be sent into the Siberian waters to fish for salmon. A score of Finlanders will serve as assistants, together with a strong force of Russians. Norse methods are to be used, as well as Norse seins.

A very interesting find of ancient relics was recently made in Haa. It consists of three spears and a dagger, made of flint, apparently during the stone age, all showing remarkable skill in workmanship. The relics were found at a depth of about four feet, in a moor. They are of an extremely rare type, there being only one other relic of the kind at the Stavanger museum, to which these valuable remains were presented.

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The national agricultural exposition—one of the first of its kind—recently held at Frogner, near Christiania, was a complete success, and augurs well for the country's future advancement in agriculture. The well known correspondent, Michael Alger, wrote the following account while the exposition was in progress:

"This exposition, like most expositions, was not a finished product on the day of the opening. However, it is well worthy of a visit. The animals, the farm products and the agricultural machinery and implements exhibited, are all that could be expected in a country with a surface like that of Norway. Several old buildings are exhibited, showing the different stages of development which the abodes of the Norwegian farmers have passed through during the last three centuries. Dairying is shown by 'life exhibits.' The most primitive way of buttermaking can be seen going on alongside of production of the article according to the latest scientific methods. There is also a 'saeter,' with cows, goats, 'budeier' (female caretakers), and everything else to make it an exact copy of the real Norwegian mountain summer pastures.

"That farming in Norway during the last fifty years has made rapid strides toward cultivation of the soil on scientific principles is obvious, and the results must, judging from the impression that this exposition gives, be very gratifying, both to the farmers themselves and to the country in general. Farm machinery has also come into use to an extent that hardly could be expected when the broken condition of the country is taken into consideration."

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SWEDEN.

A home for the regeneration of fallen women is in process of construction at Gafle.

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A dispatch from Stockholm says that several inches of snow recently fell in Karungi. This is the first snowfall that has occurred in that part of Sweden at such a time of the year.

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The well-known Swedish opera singer, Miss Anna Tropp, who last year withdrew from stage life, to wed Ernst Gustaf Wigart, a prominent government official, has begun suit in the courts for damages on account of breach of promise. She alleges that Wigart has declined to marry her, after having permitted it to be publicly announced that they were engaged, on which account she holds that she is his lawful wife and therefore entitled to a part of his property. Owing to the prominence of both parties, the case is attracting widespread attention.

This summer it is the city of Lund's turn to welcome the people of Sweden and the world to the annual exposition. It is eleven years since Malmo, a Southern city of the kingdom, had the exposition, and it is time to hold the exposition in a south coast city again. Owing to the proximity of Lund to Copenhagen, it is expected that thousands of Danes will visit the exposition, and, of course, the attendance from Southern Sweden will be of a record-breaking character. The exposition buildings, arches and colonnades are all ready, presenting to the visitor a most attractive appearance.

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The population of Gotland seems to be unique in that almost one-half of it is feminine, the number of males being 24,670 and the number of females 27,285. As is well known, there is a great preponderance of women in all European countries, despite the fact that more male children are born than female babes, so the large percentage of males in the population of Gotland is rather remarkable. Another unique thing about the population of this district is the remarkable longevity of the people. Out of every 1,000 people 233 attain or pass the age of fifty years, while in the rest of Sweden only 164 out of every 1,000 reach that age.

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A Russian torpedo boat recently entered the harbor of Gafle, arousing great curiosity. The commander stated that the boat was merely making a trial trip, but why it should come direct from St. Petersburg to this city he would not say. It was learned that on the way the torpedo boat had followed closely after E. Kronberg's fine new steam yacht, which it seemed to study with extreme care. On account of the old-time suspicion and fear in Sweden of the purposes of the Russian government, the unexpected visit of the warship was not a very pleasing one to the Swedish imagination.

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DENMARK.

A congress of the deaf and mute is to be held in Copenhagen this summer—the first in the history of the city. There will be speeches without end, and a variety of other attractions.

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Herr Henry Olson writes from Viennat to "Daghladet" that during the past five years more than five times as much Danish merchandise is being sold in Australia as was the case before that time.

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And now the Danish government has become modern, indeed. The latest railway tickets carry advertisements, as do street car transfers in American cities, and the conservatives are astounded at the innovation.

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The socialists are making a move to establish a bank in Copenhagen. Hitherto they had divided their business among the various banks of the city, but of late there has risen a strong demand for a socialist bank, to be managed by socialists, on socialistic principles, so far as possible, under existing laws. This is but one of the many indications of the increasing strength and activity of the socialists of Copenhagen.

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In a recent issue we spoke of an excursion to Iceland, undertaken by some forty members of the Danish rigsdag, the purpose being to get an insight from first hand knowledge of the needs of the island in the way of legislation. Now it is announced that the king is also going to visit Iceland, and great interest attaches to the event, as it is known that his majesty's hope is to cement the bonds of friendship between Denmark and its tributary. The Icelanders are getting restless under the Danish rule, however mild and just it may be, and are beginning to talk pretty boldly of declaring their independence. To quiet them the Danish government has made them various concessions of a far-reaching character, one of these being the granting of very large rights to the Icelandic parliament—rights that are practically equivalent to home rule for the island, so far as lawmaking is concerned. But Iceland, which has little in common with Denmark, will be asking for complete independence before long, unless a change comes over the people, and the king hopes to bring about such a change by his visit. He will be democratic and seek to win the love of the people.

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Emperor William of Germany, his queen and son, Prince Adalbert, were guests at the Danish court the early part of July, and now it is rumored that the betrothal of the Danish king's youngest daughter, Tyra, and the German prince was arranged. Important, if true.

How Odd.

Galley—I tell you, we had a hot old time last night.

Ascum—Really? What was the cause of it?

Galley—Cold bottles.

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GENERAL MILES thinks we may lose the Philippines. But the General always did look on the bright side of things.

THE earthquake which was recorded by the seismograph, but not otherwise heard from, is strangely like the Thief River county-seat boom.

AT last there is a legitimate excuse for a rise in the price of gasoline. The Standard oil will need a little extra change to pay the $29,240,000 fine imposed by Judge Landis last Saturday.

THE Buffalo Lake News was raised $50 by the board of equlization, but Editor Landy takes it philosophically. He admits that anyone fool enough to invest in a country newspaper plant ought to be made to pay for his folly.

THE Editor of the Windom Citizen was married a few weeks ago, and already is in open rebellion. Hear him: "The Nebraska Supreme court has decided that 'woman is boss of the house.' There are other states where it didn't need a supreme court to decide that point."

THE Minneapolis Journal speaks very highly of Thomas D. O'Brien, the retiring insurance commissioner, calling him "the Taft of Minnesota." Mr. O'Brien is one of the big brain men of the state, honest as the day is long, and measuring up of every responsibility. The state needs more such men.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON has shown ability and sagacity in the miners' strike. There was almost universal demand for troops on the part of the range people but the Governor exhibited better sense than any of these people who want to settle things with bullets. He was ready to send the troops on a moments notice did occasion require, but fortunately for all concerned the situation did not reach such an alarming phase. One of the most admirable traits of Governor Johnson is his level-headedness and common sense.

REGARDING the newspaper consolidations that have been made in many Minnesota towns recently, the Adrian Democrat says: "John E. King, of the Red Lake Courier, has purchased the Gazette and consolidated the two papers. In small country towns having two or more papers the tendency is to do away with competition. Experience has shown that in the country newspaper field competition is not the life of business by a long shot, and the sooner publishers in small towns realize this, the better it will be for them. Where country editors are too numerous it is better for some of them to drop out of the game."

The Hutchinson Leader voices the sentiment of a whole lot of people in saying that "it is a good thing for Minnesota that Joel P. Heatwole quit congress. While he was a power in the house he is still a great power as editor of the Northfield News, and through him and his paper the common people of this great commonwealth have their case against the corporations stated week by week in a way that commands respect and compels a hearing. It is well that Heatwole was in congress; it is well that he quit and again got busy on the Northfield News. He has a habit of telling the truth and adducing the facts that track with the Heatwolian truth."

Notice to Canadian Subscribers.

A recent ruling of the Canadian postal department requires that every copy of THE GAZETTE sent to subscribers residing in Canada bear a one cent stamp. This increase in the postal rates and the labor involved in affixing the stamps makes an increase in the subscription list to Canada subscribers necessary. After this date renewals and new subscriptions to be sent to Canada post offices will be charged at a rate of $1.50 per year.—Editor.

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Eastman's Logic.

There is a strong sentiment growing in Thief River Falls to the effect that the people here should be more patriotic and use more of the home flour. A large per cent of the flour sold in Thief River Falls today is that manufactured by the Red Lake Falls Milling company of which Marcus Johnson is the head. Mr. Johnson has been one of the main contributors to the Red Lake end of the county seat fight, and why Thief River Falls people who are buying his product should in an indirect way contribute to the Red Lake Falls campaign fund is not easy to understand. The flour made here in Thief River Falls is just as good as that made anywhere, and should be used exclusively. Let the housewives show a little more patriotism and help Thief River Falls grow.

If THE GAZETTE would tell its readers that any one else but John Eastman wrote the above article, many would at once declare that one more lunatic was ready to be taken to Fergus Falls. As it is they know that Eastman is guilty, and therefore but little attention is paid to what is said. Eastman's logic is rich. If every town would refuse to use flour other than that manufactured at home, flour mills would be a scarce quantity and a whole lot of people would go hungry for bread. The Red Lake Falls milling company as well as the mill at Thief River Falls depends practically altogether upon the outside trade for sustenance, and naturally will place their wares upon the market wherever they can. The Red Lake Falls milling company has been really a business institution in Thief River Falls and the fact that they have been having a good trade does not necessarily mean that the people who buy this flour are contributing to the Red Lake Falls "county seat" fund—although it does signify that they want and have good bread. The Thief River Falls Lumber company has a yard in Red Lake Falls—but never for an instant has an idea been entertained that by patronizing this yard we were donating to Thief River Falls as a community. The Thief River Falls Lumber company is in the lumber business to sell all they can, and if it were not for the trade they receive outside of Thief River Falls, it would be a short lived concern indeed. Eastman's logic in this instance is like a lot more of his county seat "arguments," and why it is that Thief River people have not long ago secured the services of an experienced fool killer, is indeed a mystery.

Milk Must Be Pure.

The state dairy and food department has started war on dairy farmers who are careless with the supplies of milk and cream they sell to creameries.

"As a result of an investigation of complaint by our inspectors," said D. K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner, "we have found that in some instances milk and cream that were positively putrid were sent to creameries by farmers who did not take proper care of the product. This is especially bad when it is considered that one can of tainted cream, mixed with the supplies of scores of well kept dairies supplying a creamery will make the whole lot bad. Minnesota has already attained too high a place to have the products of Minnesota creameries endangered in their high character by the actions of a few farmers who are uncleanly in the handling of milk and cream. Our inspectors have already caused several arrests in different parts of the state and we intend to instigate a strenuous campaign against such inexcusable evil."

BRAY.

It looks as if we were going to have a very good crop this year, as the grain looks better than it has done for a few years.

Miss Cora Bakken of Thief River Falls who has been here visiting returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Johnson returned home from Barnesville Wednesday.

Alfred Olson transacted business at St. Hilaire Wednesday.

Charles Lindquist returned from Red Lake Falls Friday.

Christian Jensen was at St. Hilaire Friday.

Chas. Eagluad drove to Wylie Wednesday.

Carl Fagel of Polk Centre helped Emil Larson stack hay Friday and Saturday.

Miss Clara Lindholm drove to St. Hilaire Wednesday.

Quite a number of St. Hilaire people visited at at Alfred Olson's last Sunday.

P. Lindholm transacted business at Thief River Falls Saturday.

O. P. Olson drove to Crookston Saturday returning Monday.

A. P. Hogstrom was at Hilaire Monday.

Willie Crown drove to Thief River Falls Saturday.

Brooks

Mrs. H. Jacobson from Ludlow, Pennsylvania, has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Sorenson for several weeks past. She returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bray went to Blackduck for a few days visit with relatives and friends.

Haying has been going on the last few days and the hay crop is simply immense in this vicinity. Never has there been such a stand of timothy and clover as this year.

Abraham Paquin has started his creamery and has been receiving on an average of 1500 pounds of cream daily, thus adding to the country's prosperity.

Blueberry picking is now is now the order of the day. Pickers say the blueberries are plentiful this year.

Frank E. Hunt and daughter drove in from Red Lake Falls the other day to attend to business matters with his hard ware store at this place.

Postmaster Laniel and family and several others from Brooks went to Thief River Falls last Friday to take in the circus performing there that day.

Miss Ida Zeigler from Terrebonne has accepted a position as sales lady in H. L. Premo's store.

Miss Lea Beaudrin of Terrebonne visited with friends here this week.

H. Premo is building a new addition to his residence. Alfred Paque is doing the work.

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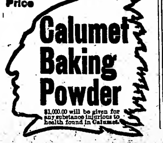

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In the Local Line

Dr. F. F. Fletcher will be at Dr. Wilkinson's office on Saturday and Monday, Aug. 10 and 12. All work guaranteed.

Mrs. Matt Mayer, of Crookston, and Miss Fannie Verboncenr, of Grand Forks visited a couple of days with their sisters here this week.

Mrs. J. J. Doe and Mrs. B. Zaiser went up to Bigfork country last Thursday evening and are spending the week with the family of V. L. Knight.

Judge of Probate Tarrant and Sheriff Nelson are among those from this end who are gazing at the pigs and cows at the Thief River fair this week.

Philip Girard, an employee on the Valley View of East Grand Forks, spent Monday evening in the city on his way to Thief River Falls for a week's sojourn.

Mrs. Lewis A. Nelson and children went up to Roseau Tuesday morning and will spend a couple of weeks with relatives and friends in that neighborhood.

County Auditor O'Brien was a visitor to the northern part of the county last Saturday, where he looked after matters pertaining to Rocksbury ditch No. 23.

V. H. Alstead, of Hibbing, arrived here Tuesday to spend a few days visiting with his cousin, Miss Clara Berg. Mr. Alstead is on his way to his home at Evansville for a visit.

Miss Stella Bottineau and sister, Emerald, returned to their home at Duluth last Friday, after a month's visit with their grandmother Mrs. Pieire Bottineau, and other relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Jerome of Battle River, arrived here Saturday evening to spend a week or ten days with her sister, Mrs. Chas. E. Boughton and her numerous Red Lake Falls friends.

Franz F. Freund, Harry Healy Ralph Healy and Clem Brunelle drove up to Thief River Falls last evening where they furnished music for a big baseball benefit dance held there last evening.

J. A. Button has been employed to check up the books of the Northern Minnesota Milling Co. of this city. Prof. Button is owner of the Buttons Business College and is an expert accountant.

Buttons Business College of Crookston will open its fall term Sept. 2nd. 200 pupils enrolled last year and 190 are in good positions at from $45 to $75. Write us for list of successful students and new catalog.

George Dupont, the Terrebenne merchant, was a visitor here Monday, looking after some business and shaking hands with his many friends. George reports business good at Terrebonne this year.

The demand for competent people in business is greater than the supply. A diploma from the Minneapolis Business College, 300 Central Ave., is a sure passport to good employment. Catalogue free.

A fine new baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bray last evening. Ed has been persistent in his efforts to induce the stork to leave a girl, but as long as he didn't get his wish he is celebrating nevertheless.

The board of county commissioners will meet at the office of the county auditor next Monday. The meeting is for the purpose of taking care of a bunch of county business that has accumulated during the past month.

Manager Tracy announces that the band will give open air concerts every Friday evening during August, commencing Friday night of this week. This idea will no doubt meet with popular favor by the peo- of the city.

Miss Margaret Hurley arrived here Monday from Spokane, Washington, for a visit with her cousin, Mrs. F. A. Grady. Miss Hurley is employed at Spokane and is on her way for a visit with her parents in Scott county.

Several extra coaches were attached to Monday's Great Northern passenger to accommodate the outfit of the Ca h carnival company which was on the way to Thief River Falls, where they are showing at the county fair this week.

Ernie Buse is driving around in a handsome rubber-tired runabout, which he added to his list of possessions last week. The rig is a very neat one, and naturally Ernie is more popular now than ever with the girls, if such a thing were possible.

Stephen Quesnelle was in from Mentor last Friday. Mr. Quesnelle's daughter who had been attending the summer school here returned home with her father. Mrs. Joseph Remick and children also accompanied him for a visit with the home folks.

Wm. Zaiser purchased a handsome new team at St. Hilaire this week and will use them on his medicine wagon this fall. The team are excellently matched chestnuts, and are large and strong, well able to care for the work they will be called upon to do.

Sheriff Nelson and family went to Thief River Falls last Friday to attend the Norris & Rowe circus. As the show didn't get there in time to give a performance early enough for them to return home the same evening, they remained over night and came back Saturday.

Attorney Charles E. Boughton returned home from the cities Friday morning. While there Charley purchased some new tires and other supplies for his choo choo wagon and doesn't anticipate any more trouble when he wants to take a trip into the country.

Mrs. James Egan arrived home Tuesday from Fargo, where she has been confined in a hospital for six weeks past as a result of an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Egan's case was a very serious one but she is almost entirely recovered from the effects of the ordeal.

Foreman Pat Sullivan is spending the week here. His large log drive on the Red Lake river is up the line a few miles but will be here any day now. The river is fairly high at present making log driving much easier than it was earlier in the year. Several Red Lake Falls men are with this drive.

This section was visited by an all day's rain Sunday. It started in early in the forenoon and kept up a continuous downpour until late in the evening. A large amount of water fell but the warm sunshine of Monday and Tuesday dried things nicely and haying operations were continued with renewed energy this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Germo arrived home this morning from Rochester, where Mrs. Germo has been for the past six weeks. While at Rochester Mrs. Germo underwent an operation for the removal of a trouble that has long bothered her, and returns home greatly improved in health.

Mrs. N. W. Tarrant and daughter, Doris, went to Thief River Falls last Friday to take in the Norris & Rowe circus. However, they were no more successful than was Nick in seeing the Barnum shows, as misfortune overtook the circus up on the border and it did not arrive at Thief River Falls until late in the afternoon.

THE GAZETTE acknowledges a complimentary ticket to the annual fair of the Roseau county agricultural society, which will be held at Roseau, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week, August 14, 15, and 16. The men in charge of the society have arranged for a fine show this year, and are expecting a big crowd of people.

For Sale: A high grade phaeton buggy with full leather top and side lamps, used only a few weeks. Also a double buggy harness with collars and hames, full nickle mounted, new; also a second hand single driving harness with collar and hames, in good condition, and will sell above cheap for cash. Can be seen at Guerin's barn. 2w

Marshal Lizee rounded up a couple of suspicious characters at the Great Northern depot last evening and they were put in safe keeping over night. The fellows wore acting strangely at the depot, and when the marshal came on the scene one of them was trying the windows. It was thought that the best place for them over night was the city bastile.

James E. Ford came down from Roseau last night to spend a day or two at home. The work of viewing the proposed new state ditch in Roseau and Kittson counties has just been nicely started but it was necessary for one of the viewers to return home so the work was stopped a few days. Mr. Ford will go to Hallock where the viewers will meet to continue their labors.

James E. Ford visited with his family between trains here last Friday while on his way to Roseau, where in company with E. A. Nelson of Hallock, and Judge of Probate Holm, of Roseau, he will act as viewer on a big state ditch up there. The state will widen and deepen the Roseau river and thereby make a drainage canal that will afford great relief to the wet lands in that neighborhood. The viewers expect to be up there a couple of weeks.

Joseph Paradis arrived home Tuesday from his two weeks visit with his brother and many oldtime friends at North Yakima, Washington. Joe met a great many former Red Lake county people, and enjoyed his visit there immensely. He brings back the news that they are all well and apparently prospering. When asked as to his opinion of that country Mr. Paradis doesn't say much but he does say that he is more of the opinion than ever before that Minnesota is the best state in the union.

Spectator: Manager G. W. Hooper, of the local telephone exchange, came up from Crookston the first of the week and has been busy the past few days, getting things in shape to commence work in earnest next Monday. As soon as the work in town is completed then lines will be run out through the rural districts and soon then this section of the state will be networked with telephone lines. We are all anxiously awaiting the time when we can use the local exchange.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Gaass and son, Harold, leave this evening for Pella, Iowa; where they will spend the next three weeks visiting with Mr. Gaass' parents. A family reunion will be held next week when all the family will be home. With all the members of the family and their children there will be some twenty people there, and as it will be the first time the brothers and sisters have all been together in some ten years. Mr. Gaass is looking forward to a delightful visit.

Joseph Perrault is assisting County Auditor O'Brien for a few weeks. Mr. Perrault is at present engaged in making a copy of all the personal property tax books, with the raises made by the town and county equalization boards. These lists when completed are to be sent to the state tax commission, where they will be reviewed with a view to adjustment of the personal property tax. The extra work entailed makes necessary the employment of at least one more deputy in the auditor's office.

Joseph Corbiel, of this city, calls the attention of THE GAZETTE to the fact that the swimming mask patented by Hon. Halvor Steenerson is not the first one ever made, as in the year 1875, Mr. Corbiel made and used a swimming mask nearly the exact pattern of the one now patented by Congressman Steenerson. Mr. Corbeil never patented his model, however, and does not claim that Mr. Steenerson's patent is infringing on his rights. Mr. Corbiel patented several inventions in the early 70s and last week showed THE GAZETTE several of his invention of years ago.

WANTED TO HIRE—100 horses: either single teams or in bunches, with one or more men in charge, to haul either scrapers or graders: good accommodations and dry work Job will last until it freezes up. More clear money in this than in threshing, work practically every day. Can put on teams any time. Prefer to hire until it freezes up, will pay $3.50 for man and team or $1.75 for team and found. Will make price on shorter time. Write T. Twichell, Fargo, N. D., or see him at Mapleton, N. D. 13 miles west of Fargo. 3w

Spectator: N. A. Nelson, one of our prosperous farmers living out southeast of town, believes in keeping abreast of the times and is continually adding new improvements about his place. He is making preparations to build a silo this fall, and we understand he has placed an order for a Green Mountain ensilage cutter and gasoline engine to operate both machines. The silo is practically a necessity on the dairy farm, and while the first cost is seemingly large the result will easily offset the cost the first year. Work on Mr. Nelson's silo will be watched with much interest and when completed we expect other rural citizens to go home and do likewise.

GETTING READY FOR WORK

St. Joseph's Parochial School Will Open Sept. 2.

Rev. Father Fayolle tells THE GAZETTE that St. Joseph's parochial school will commence on their year's work, Monday Sept. 2nd. The same corps of teachers that conducted the school last year will be in charge of the work again this fall, and they are expected to arrive here next week to get things ready for the opening of the school.

Father Fayolle recently received the returns from the state examinations passed by the pupils of St. Joseph's last spring, and he was highly gratified at the showing made. The percentage was very high, and the markings showed that excellent work is being done by the scholars of that school. The average markings of the entire school was 87 for last year's work, which is surely very satisfactory.

A large attendance is assured for next year's term and a continuance of the excellent work can be looked for.

Sweet Marie To Go.

Sweet Marie, champion trotting mare of the world, will be at the Minnesota State Fair to endeavor to break her world's record of 2:02, made at Columbus, Ohio, last September. Sweet Marie is one of the greatest horses alive and is undoubtedly the fastest trotting mare and perhaps the fastest trotter the world has seen. Cresceus is the only race horse that has ever been in her class and it is possible that a race will be arranged between the two for fair week. At all events Sweet Marie will go against her record and will give a magnificent exhibition. If Dan Patch again lowers the world's record for a pacer and Sweet Marie should lower the record for a trotting mare the state fair meet will be one of the great events in the horse world. The fair is to be held the week of Sept. 2 to 7 and will be the largest in the history of the state.

Geo. Jello, the young man who started the automobile business at Greenbush which has since increased to such large proportion has had his auto wheels fitted out with solid rubber tires instead of pneumatic tires which wear out so quickly. These tires are made of soft rubber and it is said they give almost as good satisfaction as the pneumatic tire while their life is several times the life of a pneumatic tire. Since Jello made such a big success with his machine, there have been three passenger carrying automobiles put on between Greenbush and Roseau and the business men of Roseau recently purchased a large freight carrying machine which has been shipped already and will be used this fall. There is an excellent natural gravel road between the two towns.

County Surveyor Wood was down from Thief River Falls several days this week.

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New and up-to-date stock. Anything you need in the Grocery line. We want butter and eggs. Highest market prices
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All our Oxfords for men, women and children, of the summer styles will be sold at a great reduction.
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TWO SISTERS HAD ECZEMA.

Cuticura Cured Scalp Troubles of Two Illinois Girls—Another Sister Took Cuticura Pills.

"I must give much praise to all the Cuticura Remedies. I used but one cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment, as that was all that was required to cure my disease. I was very much troubled with eczema of the head, and a friend of mine told me to use the Cuticura Remedies, which I did, and am glad to say that they cured my eczema entirely. My sister was also cured of eczema of the head by using the Cuticura Remedies. Another sister has used Cuticura Resolvent and Pills and thinks they are a splendid tonic. Miss Edith Hammer, R. F. D. No. 6, Morrison, Ill., Oct. 3, '06."

The Useful Boxes.

"I don't suppose it would worry you very much, little boy," said old Growler, "if there was no such thing as soap."

"Sure it would," replied the ragged youngster, "if dey wuz'n no soap dey wouldn't be no soap boxes ter make go-carts wagons outer."—Philadelphia Press.

No Headache in the Morning.

Krause's Headache Capsules for over-indulgence in food or drink. Druggists, 25c. Norman Lichty Mfg. Co., Des Moines, Ia.

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Schoolmistress—Now, tell me the truth, Johnny Jones. You know what will happen if you tell a lie, don't you?

Johnny Jones—Yes, ma'am, I'll go to a bad place.

Schoolmistress—Yes, and that isn't the worst of it. You'll also be expelled from school.

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On the Outskirts.

Traveler—The 9:15 train is very late again this morning, porter.

Porter—It is a bit behind, sir, but we're expectin' it every hour now.

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War Against Moving Pictures.

A war against moving pictures is being made in Berlin. Physicians have shown that they are injurious to the eyes. It is declared that the quivering movements of the films are most harmful, particularly to the eyes of children. At present there are 200 kinematograph theaters in Berlin and the suburbs.

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Collegiate, Academic, Normal, Business, Ladies' Seminary, Elocution, Music. Illustrated catalogue free on application. Address Prof. R. Bogstad, Moorhead, Minn.

Always Kicking.

"Ostend," remarked the visitor, "as your father is quite a prominent man I suppose he makes a great many after dinner speeches?"

"Oh, no," replied Ostend; "pa makes all his speeches before dinner."

"Before dinner?"

"Yes, that is when he begins to find fault with the cooking."—Chicago News.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Fargo, N. D.

What's the Use?

First Summer Girl—"Who is that clean shaven, handsome boy?"

Second Summer Girl—"Oh, he's an actor."

First Summer Girl—"No; I mean the other one."

Second Summer Girl—"Oh, he hasn't any money either."

Hubby's Tales From Home.

The fond husband was seeing his wife off with the children for their Easter in the country. As she got into the train, he said: "But, my dear, won't you take some fiction to read?"

"Oh, no," she responded sweetly. "I shall depend on your letters from home."

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SISTER ROSE.

A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS

CHAPTER XV.—(CONTINUED.)

A murmur of "Monster! monster!" began with the prisoners on the platform, and spread instantly to the audience, who echoed and echoed it again; the fiercest woman-republican on the benches joined cause at last with the haughtiest woman-aristocrat on the platform. Even in that sphere of direst discords, in that age of sharpest enmities, the one touch of nature preserved its old eternal virtue, and roused the mother-instinct which makes the whole world kin!

Of the few persons in the court who at once foresaw the effect of Danville's answer on the proceedings of the tribunal Lomaque was one. His sallow face whitened as he looked toward the prisoner's platform.

"They are lost," he murmured to himself, moving out of the group in which he had hitherto stood. "Lost! The lie which has saved that villain's head leaves them without the shadow of a hope. No need to stop for the sentence—Danville's infamous presence of mind has given them up to the guillotine!" Pronouncing these words, he went out hurriedly by the door near the platform, which led to the prisoners' waiting room.

Rose's head sank again on her brother's shoulder. She shuddered, and leaned back faintly on the arm which he extended to support her. One of the female prisoners tried to help Trudaine in speaking consolingly to her; but the consummation of her husband's perfidy seemed to have paralyzed her at heart. She murmured once in her brother's ear, "Louis! I am resigned to die—nothing but death is left for me after the degradation of having loved that man." She said those words and closed her eyes wearily, and spoke no more.

"One other question and you may retire," resumed the president, addressing Danville. "Were you cognizant of your wife's connection with her brother's conspiracy?"

Danville reflected for a moment, remembered that there were witnesses in court who could speak to his language and behavior on the evening of his wife's arrest, and resolved this time to tell the truth.

"I was not aware of it," he answered. "Testimony in my favor can be called which will prove that when my wife's complicity was discovered I was absent from Paris."

Heartlessly self-possessed as he was, the public reception of his last reply had shaken his nerves. He now spoke in low tones, turning his back on the spectators, and again fixing his eyes on the green baize of the table at which he stood.

"Prisoners! have you any objection to make, any evidence to call, invalidating the statement by which Citizen Danville has cleared himself of suspicion?" inquired the president.

"He has cleared himself by the most execrable of all falsehoods," answered Trudaine. "If his mother could be traced and brought here, her testimony would prove it."

"Can you produce any other evidence in support of your allegation?" asked the president.

"I cannot."

"Citizen-superintendent Danville, you are at liberty to retire. Your statement will be laid before the authority to whom you are officially responsible. Either you merit a civic crown for more than Roman virtue, or——" Having got thus far, the president stopped abruptly, as if unwilling to commit himself too soon to an opinion, and merely repeated—"You may retire."

Danville left the court immediately, going out again by the public door. He was followed by murmurs from the women's benches, which soon ceased, however, when the president was observed to close his note book, and turn around toward his colleagues. "The sentence!" was the general whisper now. "Hush, hush—the sentence!"

After a consultation of a few minutes with the persons behind him, the president rose, and spoke the momentous words:

"Louis Trudaine and Rose Danville, the revolutionary tribunal, having heard the charge against you, and having weighed the value of what you have said in answer to it, decides that you are both guilty, and condemns you to the penalty of death."

Having delivered the sentence in those terms, he sat down again, and placed a mark against the two first condemned names on the list of prisoners. Immediately afterward the next case was called on, and the curiosity of the audience was stimulated by a new trial.

CHAPTER XVI.

THE waiting room of the revolutionary tribunal was a grim, bare place, with a dirty stone floor, and benches running round the walls. The windows were high and barred, and at the outer door, leading into the street, two sentinels kept watch. On entering this comfortless retreat from the court, Lomaque found it perfectly empty. Solitude was just then welcome to him. He remained in the waiting room, walking slowly from end to end over the filthy pavement, talking eagerly and incessantly to himself.

After a while, the door communicating with the tribunal opened, and the humpbacked gaoler made his appearance, leading in Trudaine and Rose.

"You will have to wait here," said the little man, "till the rest of them have been tried and sentenced; and then you will all go to prison in a lump. He, citizen!" he continued, observing Lomaque at the other end of the hall and hustling up to him. "Here still, eh? If you were going to stop much longer, I should ask a favor of you."

"I am in no hurry," said Lomaque, with a glance at the two prisoners.

"Good!" cried the hunchback, drawing his hand across his mouth. "I am parched with thirst, and dying to moisten my throat at the wine shop over the way. Just mind that man and woman while I'm gone, will you? It's the merest form—there's a guard outside, the windows are barred, the tribunal is within hail. Do you mind obliging me?"

"On the contrary, I am glad of the opportunity."

"That's a good fellow—and, remember, if I am asked for, you must say I was obliged to quit the court for a few minutes, and left you in charge."

With these words, the humpback jailer ran off to the wine shop.

He had scarcely disappeared before Trudaine crossed the room, and caught Lomaque by the arm.

"Save her," he whispered, "there is an opportunity—save her!" His face was flushed—his eyes wandered—his breath on the chief-agent's cheek while he spoke felt scorchingly hot. "Save her!" he repeated, shaking Lomaque by the arm, and dragging him toward the door. "Remember all you owe to my father—remember our talk on that bench by the river—remember what you said to me yourself on the night of the arrest—don't wait to think—save her, and leave me without a word! If I die alone I can die as a man should—if she goes to the scaffold by my side my heart will fail me—I shall die the death of a coward! I have lived for her life—let me die for it, and I die happy!"

He tried to say more, but the violence of his agitation forbade it. He could only shake the arm he held again and again, and point to the bench on which Rose sat—her head sunk on her bosom, her hands crossed listlessly on her lap.

"There are two armed sentinels outside—the windows are barred—you are without weapons—and even if you had them, there is a guard-house within hail on one side of you and the tribunal on the other. Escape from this room is impossible," answered Lomaque.

"Impossible!" repeated the other, furiously. "You traitor! you coward! can you look at her sitting there helpless—her very life ebbing away already with every minute that passes, and tell me coolly that escape is impossible?"

In the frenzy of his grief and despair, he lifted his disengaged hand threateningly while he spoke. Lomaque caught him by the wrist, and drew him toward a window open at the top.

"You are not in your right senses," said the chief-agent, firmly; "anxiety and apprehension on your sister's account have shaken your mind. Try to compose yourself and listen to me. I have something important to say"—(Trudaine looked at him incredulously.) "Important," continued Lomaque, "as affecting your sister's interest at this terrible crisis."

That last appeal had an instantaneous effect. Trudaine's outstretched hand dropped to his side, and a sudden change passed over his expression.

"Give me a moment," he said, faintly; and turning away, leaned against the wall, and pressed his burning forehead on the chill, damp stone. He did not raise his head again till he had mastered himself, and could say quietly, "Speak—I am fit to hear you, and sufficiently in my senses to ask your forgiveness for what I said just now."

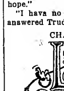
"When I left the tribunal and entered this room," Lomaque began in a whisper, "there was no thought in my mind that could be turned to good account, either for your sister or for you. I was fit for nothing but to deplore the failure of the confession which I came to St. Lazare to suggest to you as your best plan of defense. Since then, an idea has struck me, which may be useful—an idea so desperate, so uncertain—involving a proposal so absolutely dependent as to its successful execution, on the merest chance, that I refuse to confide it to you except on one condition."

"Mention the condition! I submit to it beforehand."

"Give me your word of honor that you will not mention what I am about to say to your sister until I grant you permission to speak. Promise me that when you see her shrinking before the terrors of death to-night, you will have self-restraint enough to abstain from breathing a word of hope to her. I ask this, because there are ten—twenty—fifty chances to one that there is no hope."

"I have no choice but to promise," answered Trudaine.

CHAPTER XVII.



LOMAQUE produced his pocket-book and spoke again.

"I will enter into particulars as soon as I have asked a strange question of you," he said. "You have been a great experimenter in chemistry in your time—is your mind calm enough at such a trying moment as this to answer a question which is connected with chemistry in a very humble way? You seem astonished. Let me put the question at once. Is there any liquid, or powder, or combination of more than one ingredient known, which will remove writing from paper, and leave no stain behind?"

"Certainly! But is that all the question? Is there no greater difficulty?"

"None. Write the prescription, whatever it may be, on that leaf," said the other, giving him the pocket book. "Write it down, with plain directions for use." Trudaine obeyed. "This is the first step," continued Lomaque, putting the book in his pocket, "toward the accomplishment of my purpose—my uncertain purpose, remember! Now listen: I am going to put my own head in danger for the chance of saving yours and your sister's by tampering with the death-list. Don't interrupt me! If I can save one, I can save the other. Not a word about gratitude! Wait till you know the extent of your obligation. I tell you plainly, at the outset, there is a motive of despair, as well as a motive of pity, at the bottom of the action in which I am now about to engage. Silence! I insist on it. Our time is short; it is for me to speak and for you to listen. The president of the tribunal has put the death-mark against your names on the prison list of to-day. That list, when the trials are over, and it is marked to the end, will be called in this room before you are taken to St. Lazare. It will then be sent to Robespierre, who will keep it, having a copy made of it the moment it is delivered, for circulation among his colleagues—St. Just, and the rest. It is my business to make a duplicate of this copy in the first instance. The duplicate will be compared with the original, and possibly with the copy, too, either by Robespierre himself, or by some one in whom he can place implicit trust, and will then be sent to St. Lazare without passing through my hands again. It will be read in public the moment it is received, at the grating of the prison, and will afterward be kept by the gaoler, who will refer to it as he goes around in the evening with a piece of chalk, to mark the cell doors of the prisoners destined for the guillotine to-morrow. That duty happens, to-day, to fall to the hunchback whom you saw speaking to me. He is a confirmed drinker, and I mean to tempt him with such wine as he rarely tastes. If—after the reading of the list in public, and before the marking of the cell doors—I can get him to sit down to the bottle, I will answer for making him drunk, for getting the list out of his pocket, and for wiping your names out of it with the prescription you have just written for me. I shall write all the names, one under another, just irregularly enough in my duplicate to prevent the interval left by the erasure from being easily observed. If I succeed in this, your door will not be marked, and your names will not be called to-morrow morning when the tumbrils come for the guillotine. In the present confusion of prisoners pouring in every day for trial, and prisoners pouring out every day for execution, you will have the best possible chance of security against awkward inquiries, if you play your cards properly for a good fortnight or ten days at least. In that time——"

"Well! well!" cried Trudaine, eagerly.

Lomaque looked toward the tribunal door, and lowered his voice to a fainter whisper before he continued: "In that time Robespierre's own head may fall into the sack! France is beginning to sicken under the Reign of Terror. Frenchmen of the Moderate faction, who have lain hidden for months in cellars and lofts, are beginning to steal out and deliberate by twos and threes together, under cover of the night. Robespierre has not ventured for weeks past to face the Convention committee. He only speaks among his friends at the Jacobins. There are rumors of a terrible discovery made by Carnot, of a desperate resolution taken by Tallien. Men watching behind the scenes see that the last days of Terror are at hand. If Robespierre is beaten in the approaching struggle, you are saved—for the new reign must be a Reign of Mercy. If he conquers, I have only put off the date of your death and your sister's, and have laid my own neck under the axe. Those are your chances—this is all I can do."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Faithful Little Dog.

A remarkable illustration of a dog's intelligence has occurred in Sutton. A married lady there has a small pet and on her removal to a London hospital, owing to ill health, the animal became greatly distressed, running hither and thither in search of his mistress, to whom he was greatly attached. A week afterward the dog disappeared and two days later returned to its home footsore and weary. It subsequently transpired that the faithful terrier had found his way to the hospital where his mistress lay. No one guided him and he traveled the whole way alone. He waited about for hours trying to gain admission and finally, after many rebuffs, succeeded in running into the hospital and finding the bed where the lady lay. With great delight he hailed her, and after satisfying himself that she was safe, he trotted back to Sutton, about fourteen miles distant.—Exchange.

A Genial Thing in Spiders.

There is a spider in New Zealand that usually throws coils of its web about the head of its prey until the wretched victim is first blinded and then choked. In many unfrequented dark nooks of the jungle you may come across most perfect skeletons of small birds caught in these terrible snares.

One Useful Indian.

Rain-in-the-Face, who was a leader in the Custer massacre, is now a policeman at the Standing Rock Agency, and is looked upon as a valuable man.

CRADLE OF STRONG SECT.

Here Was Birthplace of Primitive Methodism in England.

The centenary of primitive Methodism was celebrated under remarkable conditions the other day at Mow Cop, a lonely mountain on the borders of Cheshire and Staffordshire, England. It was on Mow Cop in 1807

that a Staffordshire carpenter, Hugh Bourne, a Wesleyan, invited an American preacher, Lorenzo Dow, to hold a meeting. Five men attended it, and Primitive Methodism was born.

RIFLE IN TREE TRUNK.

Oak Has Grown Around the Gun, Almost Completely Imbedding It.

About 11 miles from Centralia, on the road to Little Rock, is a curiosity, to see which would amply repay any one for the drive, says the Seattle Times. About fifty yards from the road, near a deserted homestead, is an old-fashioned rifle imbedded in the trunk of a tree.

The trunk of the scrub oak is not more than six inches through at the point where the rifle is imbedded, so that the stock and barrel are in complete view. The rifle is in a perfect state of preservation.

It is evident that the rifle was placed in a crotch of the tree many years ago, probably at the height at which a man would rest a gun when taking careful aim.

In the course of years the tree has grown completely around the rifle, the lock being imbedded. The crotch is now about six inches above the barrel and the gun is about ten feet from the ground.

Romances innumerable might be woven about the old rifle, but it stands as a memento to the development and progress that have taken place. What was a wild and unexplored country at the time when the rifle was first placed in the crotch of the tree, with the red man monarch of all he surveyed, with scattered settlements of hardy pioneers already preparing to contest his supremacy, is now dotted with farms and homes of prosperous families.

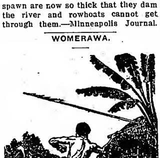
Herring Carry a Boat a Mile.

The latest fish story to come in is that of James Maddock, a fisherman, who was caught in the midst of a large school of herring in Gunpowder river, and claims that his boat was fairly carried along on the backs of the fish.

According to Maddox, despite his efforts at the oars, he was carried nearly a mile out of his course before he succeeded in extricating his boat from the school. In one haul of a big 600-fathom seine so many herring were surrounded that it was impossible to land the seine.

Schools of herring moving into the head waters of Chesapeake bay to spawn are now so thick that they dam the river and rowboats cannot get through them.—Minneapolis Journal.

WOMERAWA.

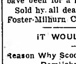


The womerawa is a curious stick which the Australians use for flinging long arrows against enemies or animals.

A Great Bonfire.

The biggest bonfire ever seen in this vicinity was the burning Saturday night of the old Portsmouth, N. H., government drydock, which was towed to the Point of Pines a few weeks ago to be broken up for junk, says the Hartford Courant.

The immense structure, which cost $1,000,000, went up in smoke for the amusement of about 20,000 people. The old dock was fired at 7:30, and so solid was the timbering that after blazing for six hours the frame still stood. It was 360 feet long and 110 feet wide, and contained millions of feet of heavy timber. Great sheets of flame shot up hundreds of feet and the column of smoke made a beacon that was seen far out to sea. Scores of yachts and launches took out pleasure parties and lay in the vicinity to watch the burning.



A WOMAN'S SUFFERINGS.

A Dreadful Operation Seemed to Be the Only Outcome.

Mrs. Clyde Pixley, Bridge St., Belding, Mich., writes: "I had inflammation of the bladder and the trouble had gone so far in five years that my physicians said nothing but an operation would cure me. Awful bearing down pains, backaches and headaches tortured me, there were spells of dizziness and faintness, the kidney secretions were like blood and passed with intense pain. I had lost 30 pounds when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, and was dreadfully nervous. In one week I felt better and to-day I am a well woman and have been for a long time."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

IT WOULDN'T KEEP.

Reason Why Scotchman Did Not Have Demijohn of Whisky.

Miss Elizabeth Marbury of the board of governors of New York's woman's club, the Colony, was discussing the question of the club's liquor license.

"It is rather a matter of indifference to us," she said, "whether we get a license or not. Women, you know are not given to drinking. They are too careful of their appearance. They desire to remain slim and fresh, and wine tends to make us coarse and stale and fat.

"So if we had a license I think we should sell little. It would not be with us as with a farmer I once met in Scotland.

"Traveling in the Scottish highlands one summer I stopped at a farm house for a cup of milk, and the view from the door was so lovely that I said to the farmer:

"'Ah, what a superb place to live in.'

"'Ou, aye,' he answered, in conventional Scots, 'it's richt; but hoo wad ya like, ma'am, to hae to walk fufteen mile ilka time ye wanted a bit glass of whuskey?'

"'Oh, well,' said I, 'why don't you get a demijohn of whisky and keep it in the house?'

"He shook his head sadly.

"'Whusky,' he said, 'won't keep.'"

Her First Long Skirt.

She was a girl of seventeen or thereabouts, and while she waited for a street car the men stared when she wasn't looking at them. The car came and the maiden gathered up her long skirts and stepped aboard. But something happened suddenly. The smokers, in the rear vestibule all sprang to her assistance, for she had stepped on her skirt and fallen.

"I knew I'd do something like that," she said to her companion. "But I wore it all day Easter and didn't have a single mishap."

He Could Not Tell.

Dyer—What did your wife say when you told her you wouldn't be home till late?

Rownder—I don't know. I hung up the receiver as soon as I was through talking.—Brooklyn Life.

Have Trouble with Your Food?

Try

Grape-Nuts

Perfectly Cooked,
Ready to Serve,
Delicious and Healthful

"The ordinary breakfast cereal cooked a few minutes in a half-hearted way will in time weaken the stomach of anything short of an ox.

"Any preparation of wheat or oats put into water that is below the boiling point and cooked as mush is usually served, remains a pasty, indigestible mass. The cells are tough and unopened. In addition, the stomach of a person sensitively constituted refuses to do anything with the pasty mass. It is sent into the second stomach, the Duodenum, where in consequence of the long time of the first process of digestion, is fermented and soured. As an eminent medical man pertinently states, the stomachs of half the people going about the streets are about in the condition of an old vinegar barrel.

"Intestinal dyspepsia is the direct consequence of such feeding."

Knowledge of these facts and a wide experience in the preparation and use of cereals brought out the product known as Grape-Nuts, manufactured with special reference to having the nitrogenous and starchy parts of the grains, of which the food is composed, perfectly and scientifically cooked at the factory, ready for immediate use and therefore not subject to the manipulations of any cook, good or bad.

The starch of the grains, changed to grape-sugar, can be seen glistening on the little granules, and gives forth a delicate sweetish taste, very palatable.

Children and adults obtain fine results from the use of Grape-Nuts food. It is so perfectly adapted to the wants of the human body and so easily digested that many cases are on record of nursing babes being fed very successfully on it. "There's a Reason."

Made at the pure food factories of the Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Is Pe-ru-na Useful for Catarrh?

Should a list of the ingredients of Peruna be submitted to any medical expert, of whatever school or nationality, he would be obliged to admit without reserve that each one of them was of undoubted value in chronic catarrhal diseases, and had stood the test of many years' experience in the treatment of such diseases. THERE CAN BE NO DISPUTE ABOUT THIS WHATEVER. Peruna is composed of the most efficacious and universally used herbal remedies for catarrh. Every ingredient of Peruna has a reputation of its own in the cure of some phase of catarrh.

Peruna brings to the home the COMBINED KNOWLEDGE OF SEVERAL SCHOOLS OF MEDICINE in the treatment of catarrhal diseases; brings to the home the scientific skill and knowledge of the modern pharmacist; and last but not least, brings to the home the vast and varied experience of Dr. Hartman, in the use of catarrh remedies, and in the treatment of catarrhal diseases.

The fact is, chronic catarrh is a disease which is very prevalent. Many thousand people know they have chronic catarrh. They have visited doctors over and over again, and been told that their case is one of chronic catarrh. It may be of the nose, throat, lungs, stomach or some other internal organ. There is no doubt as to the nature of the disease. The only trouble is the remedy. This doctor has tried to cure them. That doctor has tried to prescribe for them.

BUT THEY ALL FAILED TO BRING ANY RELIEF.

Dr. Hartman's idea is that a catarrh remedy can be made on a large scale, as he is making it; that it can be made honestly, of the purest drugs and of the strictest uniformity. His idea is that this remedy can be supplied directly to the people, and no more be charged for it than is necessary for the handling of it.

No other household remedy so universally advertised carries upon the label the principal active constituents, showing that Peruna invites the full inspection of the critics.

A Pertinent Question.

Senator Rayner of Maryland is in favor of adequate salaries for school teachers, and at a reception he told a story about a teachers' meeting in a district where the salaries were extremely low.

"A rich, portly banker opened the meeting with an address," he said. "The banker concluded his remarks with an enthusiastic gesture and the words 'Long live our school teachers!'

"'What on?' shouted a thin, pale, seedy woman in a black gown, slightly smeared with chalk marks."

Exposed.

"Great joke on Brown."

"How's that?"

"He was going fishing, but broke his leg and couldn't go."

"That's no joke."

"No; but the fish dealer heard of the accident and sent out the string of fish Brown said he would call for."

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Rector Knew His Business.

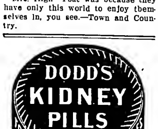
Mrs. High—Our new rector is such a heavenly man. Don't you think so?

Mrs. Low—Heavenly! Why, I saw him dancing the other night at the Trillions.

Mrs. High—He likes to set an example of Christian cheerfulness, you know.

Mrs. Low—But he danced only with the best set there.

Mrs. High—That was because they have only this world to enjoy themselves in, you see.—Town and Country.



Help the Horse

No article is more useful about the stable than Mica Axle Grease. Put a little on the spindles before you "hook up"—it will help the horse, and bring the load home quicker.

MICA AXLE GREASE

wears well—better than any other grease. Coats the axle with a hard, smooth surface of powdered mica which reduces friction. Ask the dealer for Mica Axle Grease.

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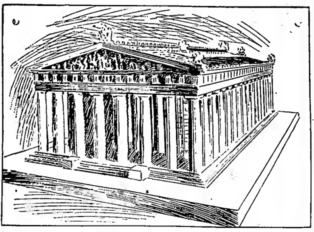

A model has been prepared in Philadelphia of the proposed memorial to the authors and signers of the Declaration of Independence, which is to be erected in Washington by the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Association of the United States. The association, which is purely nonpartisan, was organized April 13, 1902, in Washington. They expect to erect the building by voluntary contributions from the people, without any aid from the federal government. The building is modeled after the Parthenon of Athens. It is estimated that the cost will be $500,000.

ON THE BIG DOME

STRUCTURE NOT A PLEASANT PLACE IN A STORM.

Workmen Above Roof of Capitol in Washington Have Their Own Troubles When the Lightning Plays About Them.

It is worth while glancing up Capitol Hill way just now at the big dome on the roof of the legislative gas works, for 35 human flies are just winding up the job of spreading waterproof paint over its fancy-work surface, says the Washington Star. It has taken nine tons of paint and nearly two months' steady labor to do the trick, and they're glad—every one of them—that 'tis nearly quitting time. For the job doesn't look easy and isn't as easy as it looks.

Just think of painting—with two and three coats in places—about eight city blocks! That's what this dome-covering proposition about amounts to, for the immense iron structure that looms so large above the big pile of the capitol has somewhere around 800,000 square feet of surface.

This is the first time in five or six years that the dome has been touched up, and David Lynn, foreman of the superintendent's office at the capitol, who runs things around the gas house while Superintendent Elliott Woods is making sure that for about the first time in history a big piece of government work gets done on time, decided that it would be done to the queen's taste. So the human flies were first sent aloft without their paint buckets and told to look for rust and all its metal-destroying relatives. They carried out instructions and every time they noticed even a thin spot in the old paint they scraped clear down to the bright iron, bound the suspicious spot in oil-soaked linen and later slapped on a new elastic paint over that. It doesn't pay to take chances when there are 9,000,000 pounds of iron roof of a building that is crowded to the doors half a dozen months in the year with patriots chosen of the people.

It is for more reasons than one that the human flies are happy that their work on the dome is nearly at an end. One of the reasons—perhaps the greatest one—has to do with thunderstorms. Now, those human flies are sensible men, with more than the average share of courage. Some of them have no nerves at all about ordinary things, and there isn't one who wouldn't enjoy sitting on his covered front porch during a thunderstorm and watching the lightning knock bricks out of his neighbor's chimney. But they are different people when working on the dome, and every time a thunderstorm comes along and catches them up there they scatter for terra firma, shelter and safety like a bunch of Plymouth Rock egg factories from in front of a purring, honking automobile.

When the human flies slipped down their swaying ladders after a recent big storm was over—not feeling much like any more work that day, you can wager—they sat around and chinned about their experience, and finally one of them told the story to Elliott Woods, the wizard of the capitol. And after Mr. Woods had pondered some, and scientific friends of his had pondered some more, one of the human flies climbed up on the shoulders of the Goddess of Freedom to examine the platinum tips of the lightning arresters. And a glance at those tips explained things. They were ripped, and torn, and frayed and frazzled, but not melted or burned even a little bit.

There's a fine scientific way of telling what this means, but it involves the use of considerable brainproof language. Reduced to first principles, however, it means that the dome of the capitol soaks up stray electricity like a poplar tree or a storage battery, and that instead of lightning striking the platinum and traveling down into the dome, it soaks into the dome and travels out of the pits, back up into the sky.

Freaky lightning wasn't the only thing the human flies found up around the dome. In the big gutter just below the top bulge they discovered four men's derbies, a lady's toque, nine ordinary straw lids, one medium Panama, 13 cents in pennies, a nursing bottle, two ham sandwiches in poor repair and a nest containing 38 English sparrow eggs. This latter discovery is considered the most important, as it bears out the theory of some bird fanciers that a community of sparrows, when settled in a thoroughly safe and secure place, place all their eggs in one nest and employ a larger bird of another species at so many worms an hour to do the hatching.

FUN FOR THE MOTHS.

Cedar Chest Just Their Idea of a Domicile.

One day last winter a Washington newspaper man was talking to a friend and the subject turned to the pesky moth and the best means of exterminating the busy little creature. The newspaper man told of innumerable garments that had been riddled by the wee destroyer, and the friend was springing that ancient chestnut on him about capturing the moth and pulling its teeth out, when a practical man of the world, a carpenter by trade, came along and joined in the conversation.

"You can take my word for it," interpolated the carpenter, "that the best way to protect your clothing against moths is to pack them in a chest made of cedar wood. The strong odor of cedar is pizen to the moth and you can't get one of 'em to light within smelling distance of the cedar chest. A friend of mine tried it and his goods proved to be perfectly immune to the destroyers."

Impressed by the words of the man of wood, saws, hatchets and the like, the newspaper man forthwith had a cedar chest constructed and proudly informed his wife he had at last reached a safe and sane solution of the moth problem. Of course he packed his best garments in the chest, and it was but the other day that he had occasion to go into the immune chest to get a garment, when lo! to his horror a flock of moths were seen hustling about in the receptacle.

He removed his clothing piece by piece and found that each of the garments had been perforated early and often by the pestiferous insects, until they looked as though they had been shot at and hit by several loads of bird shot, causing him a loss of many of his best articles of dress.

Now the newspaper man is looking for the carpenter to give him some good advice, and in the meantime the cedar chest has been used as kindling to start a blaze in the furnace.

Five Languages at Command.

Among next October's passengers to Russia from America will be Elizabeth Rosen, aged 17. Little Miss Rosen will have been in this country then a little more than two years. She is a child of luxury, but it cannot be said that during her stay here she had what an American girl would call a play spell.

Miss Rosen's winters have been passed in Washington, her summer home is on the Massachusetts coast. This sounds attractive enough. One has to consider besides, in her case, five hours a day of hard study, exclusive of time devoted to music and art. For recreation there have been two long walks each day, one with a governess speaking French and one with a secretary speaking English. No society, no theaters, no meeting company at home.

Miss Elizabeth knows French, Italian, German and English. She does not know the language of free young girlhood. She knows what is classical in music, but not what is joyous in the young maidenly romp. During her two years in the choicest center of American life she has made no friends of her own age.

She is the Baroness Elizabeth Rosen, daughter of the Russian ambassador. Because of her accomplishments she will make a brilliant debut at St. Petersburg next winter.

Bryce's Place of Worship.

The Hon. James Bryce, the British ambassador, has taken a pew at the New York avenue Presbyterian church, Washington. He is a member of the United Free church, of Scotland.

PARLOR-BRED PIGS

OHIO MAN IS TO TEST A NEW THEORY.

Believes That the Animal Is Naturally a Lover of Cleanliness,—But Has Never Been Given a Chance to Prove It.

R. K. Rutter of Lexington, O., has leaped into fame at one jump by announcing that hereafter he is going to keep the pig in the parlor, says the Chicago Record-Herald. Mr. Rutter, from advices from the correspondent at Lexington, is a man with a theory. His idea as he has evolved it is that pigs are naturally lovers of cleanliness, all reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

He will attempt to prove his theory by taking six tiny little porkers and bringing them to bright adult age in his parlor. They will never know the contamination of the muddy slough and the pen. They will be raised as real ladies and gentlemen and then turned loose to choose their future career in the parlor or in the muddy bog. Mr. Rutter is willing to bet dollars to doughnuts that the swine will give the merry "oof-oof" to the muddy hog and waddle back to the parlor.

Mr. Rutter says that pigs are set down by the unthinking as being lovers of dirt because usually all their early environment is dirt. The ordinary or garden variety of pig, says Mr. Rutter, has never had an opportunity to show that naturally he is neat and tidy. Pig raisers take it for granted that hogs love mud and dirt and they do not permit them to demonstrate to the contrary.

The six pigs that Mr. Rutter is about to adopt, to demonstrate his parlor raising theory, are to be plucked from the pen before they even get their young eyes open to see the vile dirt lying all about them.

They are to be hurriedly rushed to the parlor, and when for the first time they look about they will see nothing but Turkish rugs and silk sofa cushions and beautiful pictures.

Mr. Rutter is going to surround his merry little guests with only the most attractive environment. Coming to maturity as they will, surrounded always with the gentle environment of a cultured home, Mr. Rutter does not believe that his piggies will after they are grown up ever depart from it. He is going to give them a nice hot bath with perfumed toilet soap and Florida water every day. They will have their little bristles brushed with military hair brushes, and their teethies will be diligently scrubbed with an ivory-handled toothbrush.

"Their Teethies Will Be Scrubbed."

Each little pig will have his hoofies manicured three times a week, and wear pink ribbons on its tail. Any little pig that doesn't keep its hair parted and its snout clean will be in disgrace and can't eat at the table for a week.

For Recreation Mr. Rutter will lead the piggies for a walk every afternoon on the graveled path in front of the house. After they are old enough to sit up and notice things intelligently, he is going to take them out in his automobile. Every night Mr. Rutter will gather the little piggies around him and read to them from Bacon, and Barrow, and Swinerton, and other standard and appropriate authors and sing to them such dear old songs as "Higgiety Pigglety" and "Ah Certenly Do Luh Ham," and give little talks from such subjects as "The Pen Is Mightier Than the Sword" and "Cheer Up, There Are Many Hogs with Only Two Legs.".

For diet the Rutter swine will not be fed in a vulger trough. They will eat sterilized food from chemically cleaned plates and wear nice little sterilized bibs so as not to spill food on their clean little feet so that visitors might call them dirty little pigs.

And after they are raised to full swine maturity Mr. Rutter knows that his parlor grown pigs will not go back to the low wallow of their ancestors. They will never loaf around the trough at night ready to swill up anything in sight. They will not be muck rakers or rooters or anything like that that. They will look down towards the pens of their relatives and grunt their disapproval and hasten back to the parlor and make a noise like a cake of soap.

Turned the Tables.

In a crowd waiting for a car at Eleventh street and Grand avenue yesterday was an old negro, who was inclined to be discursive. Two high school boys believed they saw a chance to make fun of him, and made several remarks at which they themselves laughed heartily. Finally one of them said: "You're a preacher, aren't you, uncle?"

"Yas, sah," replied the negro, bringing forth a card. "Ah'm a undertaker, too. Ah don't wish you no bad luck, but Ah'd lak teh have yo' business."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Walter Airhart, Blunt, S. D., hen's nest; Arne H. Berg, Clarkfield, Minn., telephone attachment; Christian C. Bergh, St. Paul, Minn., rake attachment; George C. Berglund, Cloquet, Minn., gymnasium apparatus; William C. Clopton, Fargo, N. D., mandolin; Joseph S. Evan, Minnesota Lake, Minn., separator; Peter C. Forgard, Lake Preston, S. D., steam boiler.

The Lawyer and the Reformer.

The prison reformer met the convicted lawyer in his striped garb.

"And what brought you here, unhappy man?" she asked him.

His old-time cleverness asserted itself.

"An automobile," he blithely replied.

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Another Nursery Affected.

"The state legislature," said the patriot, "is the nursery of political greatness."

"Yes, answered the expert in horticulture, "but don't you think that in some nurseries they pay too much attention to grafting?"

"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA
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After the Explosion.

De Style—Does your motor cover much ground?

Gumbusta—One of them did. Why, parts of it were found in three different counties.—London Tatler.

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South St. Paul. Minnesota.

Sticking to the Subject.

"She has enormous feet."

"But she's a very, very clever girl."

"She must be. A horse with feet like that would interfere."—Washington Herald.

HIDES, PELTS AND WOOL.
To get full value, ship to the old reliable
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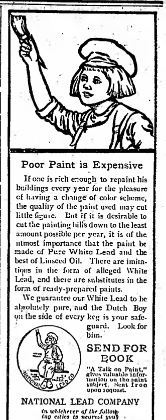
"Rus in Urbe."

He was a countryman, and he walked along a busy thoroughtfare and read a sign over an engineer's door, "Cast Iron Sinks." It made him mad. He said that any fool ought to know that.—Exchange.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Big Source of Revenue.

The automobile industry in the state of Michigan alone is paying the railroads $1,000,000 a year in freight rates.



Poor Paint is Expensive

If one is rich enough to repaint his buildings every year for the pleasure of having a change of color scheme, the quality of the paint used may cut little figure. But if it is desirable to cut the painting bills down to the least amount possible per year, it is of the utmost importance that the paint be made of Pure White Lead and the best of Linseed Oil. There are imitations in the form of alleged White Lead, and there are substitutes in the form of ready-prepared paints.

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I would like very much to personally meet every reader of this paper who owns any horses that have sore shoulders and tell him about Security Gall Salve. This is impossible so I am going to tell you through the paper.

You and I both know that horses working with sore shoulders are in pain, and that they can't do as much work without running down as when they are free from pain. I also know perfectly well that Security Gall Salve will cure these shoulders, but you do not know it. If you did you would buy a box of your dealer at once and cure them up, for you have no doubt often wished that you knew of something you could rely on. You can rely absolutely on Security Gall Salve. It will do its work every time, or if you prefer to try it first I will mail you a sample can free. Just write for it—it will go to you on first mail.

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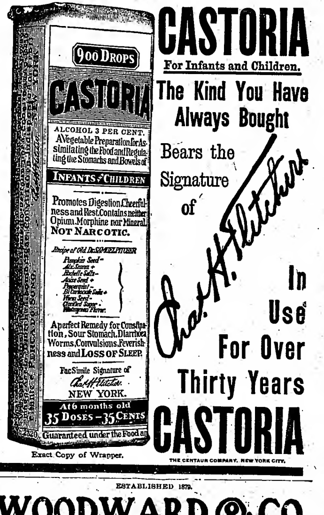

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Dr. Argue made his regular visit visit to St. Hilaire yesterday.

Dr. Spofford, the eye specialist, spent yesterday in the city.

For Sale—a top buggy and surrey both good as new.—P. O. Floan.

A. P. Toupin was a business visitor at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Mrs. C. C. Jackson was a guest of Mrs. E. F. Marshall over last Friday night

For Sale - Second hand Deering binder, one fresh milch cow.—Frank [illegible] 2w

Chas. Cyr was a guest of his son, John B., at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Mrs. Harry E. Ives and daughter returned to their home at St. Hilaire yesterday.

County Attorney Germo was a professional caller at Thief River Falls Saturday.

S. L. Lewis visited St. Hilaire last Friday talking insurance to the [illegible] of that place.

Telesphore Robillard returned [illegible] from a visit at points in [illegible] county.

[illegible] Zaser went up to St. Hilaire [illegible] to spend the day [illegible] some business matters

[illegible] Perl W. Mabey was [illegible] Thief River Falls Tuesday [illegible] to legal business.

The Misses Eva Guerin and Selma [illegible] visited with friends at Thief River Falls last Friday.

Miss Grace Meehan, of Thief River Falls, was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Boughton.

Mrs. Dan Latendresse returned [illegible] yesterday from a visit with her sister and other relatives at Cass Lake.

Hon. Marcus Johnson came up from St. Paul Tuesday and is looking after business matters here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Hall came over from Crookston yesterday for a few days visit at the T. A. Crompe home.

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Mrs. Fred Borchers returned home last evening from a week's visit with relatives at East Grand Forks.

Miss Emma Allard came over from East Grand Forks last evening for a visit with her many Red Lake Falls friends.

It pays to attend the best school. Mankato Commercial College will place you in a good position. Send for catalogue.

P. A. Gunders, with the Pioneer Press company, of St. Paul, was interviewing the county officers here Monday.

J. W. Bourdon is very much improved from his recent attack of blood poisoning, and is able to be out again.

Mrs. Louis Barrett and Miss Della Gervais, mother and sister of Mrs. Albert Brunelle, spent Monday at the Brunelle home here.

Drew Marshall was a business visitor at St. Hilaire Monday in the interests of the St. Paul electrical company he is employed with.

Dr. Spofford makes his next regular visit to Red Lake Falls Aug. 7. At Grand View hotel. Remember the date if your eyes trouble you.

"Hear! Hear!"

The parliamentary "Hear, hear!" was not always an expression of approval. So one learns from Dr. Murray's dictionary. The phrase was originally "Hear him, hear him!" used as an exclamation to call attention to a speaker's words. We have a record of its use in 1689 and as late as 1763. A member of the house of commons in 1768, being interrupted in a speech by a "Hear!" retorted, "That very word, 'Hear!' I dread of all others," and a member in 1770 referred to its use as "disorderly." The unabridged form, "Hear him!" was in use so late as the beginning of the century. Lord Stanhope tells us, in his "Life of Pitt," that when that statesman reappeared in the house of commons in May, 1803, after a long absence in opposition, he was hailed as he passed up the gangway with cries of "Hear him!" Francis Horner, who was in the strangers' gallery, noted as a remarkable thing that when Pitt rose to deliver his memorable speech on that occasion he was cheered—met with cries of "Hear him!"—before he had uttered a word. We have warmer blood nowadays.—London Chronicle.

Told of President McKinley.

The love which Mrs. McKinley bore her husband was so much the ruling passion of her life that she was extremely sensitive about him. In spite of herself she was jealous even of the demands which the public made upon his time. Her love was matched by a most unusual devotion on the part of the president, as this incident illustrates. Colonel John N. Taylor of East Liverpool, O., a lifelong friend of Mr. McKinley, who was known in Washington as "the man who had a latchkey to the White House," took his little granddaughter, Pauline Taylor, aged three, to the executive mansion for a visit.

She climbed upon Mr. McKinley's knee and soon discovered his watch. Then she pried open the back of the case, as if looking for something.

"Why, Mr. President," she lisped, "it's empty! My papa has my mamma's picture in his watch."

Mrs. McKinley's face fell on the instant, but the president was not found wanting.

"I carry my wife's picture in my heart, Pauline," he said quietly, and Mrs. McKinley was all smiles again.—New York Tribune.

A Hole In the Ballad.

Conjurer—You saw me put your watch in your handkerchief?

Small Boy (on stage)—Yes.

"You can feel it still in the handkerchief?"

"Yes."

"You can hear it ticking?"

"Yes, but"—

"But what?"

"My watch hasn't been going since I took the works out at school."

The word "slothful" is rather a misnomer, for in its native habitat—a large tree—a sloth can and does travel very rapidly.

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Willie—No; but I'd like to see the angel.—Punch.

Why Take the Trouble to Kill and Stuff the Birds?

—Harper's Weekly.

The Next Time.

Friend—I sympathize most deeply with you on the loss of your wife, and I regret so much that I was not able to attend the funeral.

Widower—Don't mention it, my dear fellow. Come next time.—Ne Pour Rire.

Old Cutter.

Miss Brush—Is it true you said I was actually ugly?

Razor—I did.

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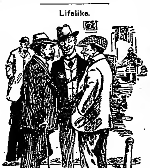
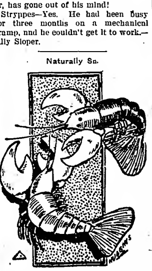


Lytsute—So poor Jones, the toymaker, has gone out of his mind!

Stryppes—Yes. He had been busy for three months on a mechanical tramp, and he couldn't get it to work.—Ally Sloper.

Naturally So.



Says She—You are positively awkward, sir!

Says He—Yes, I know it! I seem to go at everything backward.—Philadelphia Press.

Minnesota State Fair

Hamline, Week of Sept. 2, 1907

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Frank Wagoner, who may be remembered by some of our readers, has just been placed in an excellent position as stenographer and assistant bookkeeper for the First National Bank of Fargo. About a year ago Mr. Wagoner entered the Dakota Business College of Fargo, where he made a good record and at the completion of his course the school secured the above position for him. This school got about 350 positions for pupils last year.

Notice of Mortgage Forclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 194.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $538.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows: to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

DULUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer.
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
a8 s12 Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF Red Lake, ss:

In District Court.

W. H. Bangs, doing business under the firm name and style of Bangs & Co., Plaintiff,
vs
Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment docketed and rendered in said Court in favor of W. H. Bangs & Co., plaintiff, and against Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, defendants, I have levied upon the following described real property of said defendant, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the quarter section line, two rods west of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section numbered seventeen (17), in Township numbered one hundred fifty-one (151) north of Range forty-three (43) west of the Fifth P. M., in the State of Minnesota, running thence south eighty rods, running thence west eighty rods, running thence north eighty rods, running thence east eighty rods to the place of commencement; also lots numbered sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), in Block numbered twenty-six (26), in Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, according to the corrected plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 31st day of August, A. D. 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Samuel Allard and Delia Allard in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Two Hundred Twenty-seven dollars and seventy-seven cents ($220.77), together with all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the first day of April, 1907, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated, July 18, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff, Red Lake Co., Minn.

F. A. GRADY,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. j18a29

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Peter K. Olson and Lillie Christine Olson, his wife, mortgagors, to The West of Scotland American Investment Company, Limited, mortgagee, dated May 11th, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on May 16th, 1903, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., in book "26" of Mortgages, on page 509 thereof; that said mortgagee has paid the taxes assessed against the premises described in said mortgage for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, amounting in all to $90.00, that the amount claimed and hereby declared to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said taxes and interest thereon is one thousand one hundred thirty two and 46-100 dollars ($1132.46) that the premises descibed in and covered by said mortgage are Lots five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) of section eighteen (18), township one hundred and fifty one (151), north of range forty-three (43) west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one hundred fifty one and 41-100 acres according to government survey, situated in Red Lake county, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state, on August 31st, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m, to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including said taxes, together with the costs of such sale and fifty dollars attorneys' fees, stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated July 11, 1907.

THE WEST OF SCOTLAND AMERICAN INVESTMENT CO., Limited,
Mortgagee.

B. H. Whitney,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Slayton, Minnesota. j18-a29

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The state fair this year will not result in any reductions in railroad fares. Visitors will be compelied to pay the full fare of 2 cents a mile, which will mean a greater expense than under the old regular price cf 3 cents per mile. Present rates will hold good all during fair week. Round trip tickets for one fair used to be the rule.

The one advantage under the new system will be that visitors will be allowed to stay as long as they please in the Twin cities, for as they are paying the regular rates, the railroads will not be in a position to put a limit on the time they mus. return home. In cutting off the special privelege tickets the railroads are carrying out their idea of cutting off all reduced rates while the 2-cent law is in effect.

Write Things Down.

All persons find their memories deceptive in some particular. If it is not dates that one forgets it is names, and the best help to memory is to write down the things one one is apt to forget. Not that the memorandum is ever looked at again —but the act of writing a thing down is likely to impress it on the memory Write it down now that you should order a case of golden grain belt beer or, better still, do it now before you have a chance to forget. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Just Received—1000 sheet music at 10c per sheet.—Andersoa & Wander.

DRIVING IS DIFFICULT.

Red Lake River is Very Low At Present Time.

Crookston Times: If the present stage of the Red Lake river is not improved before long, the big sawmill of the Crookston Lumber company, and the mill of the Grand Forks Lumber company at East Grand Forks will have to depend on shipments of logs by rail to a greater extent thaa for several years. River Boss Pat Sullivan passed through the city yesterday enroute to Crooks Rapids about two miles above Red Lake Falls with an additional crew to assist in bringing down a drive ef 3,500,000 logs.

He says the river there is at a lower stage than he has seen for many years, at this season, and it is lower here than for a number of years. In view of the fact that there have been copious rains all summer it is hard to discover why the water is so low.

The existing conditions make the progress of the drive very slow, and it will be about three weeks before the drive will reach Crookston, and several more before it will reach Grand Forks unless there will be some very heavy rains which are not expected. Unless the stage of water is higher than at the present time, this will be the last big drive that will be brought dowa the Red Lake river this year, though there are millioas of logs to be driven down should the river be in better shape later.

Reflections Of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Women seem to be ashamed to like to eat real food.

There would be lots more fun in being good if it was agaiast the law.

A girl wants to be engaged to somebody even if she den't intend to marry him.

A woman is afraid if she doesn't go to her frieads' funeral they wont go to hers.

A man is real tricky to tell his wife how pretty she is when he wants her to believe in him.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

AUDITOR IS BUSY

New Tax Commission Makes Large Amount Of Extra Office Work.

The new state tax commission in its demands upon the county auditors of the state, is creating a large amount of additional work in which the commission is making no adequate returns and in no county has the additional burden been harder on the clerical force than in Red Lake. The auditors office in Red Lake county has for several years past been experiencing a steady increase in its official business, the increase being largely due in the last two or three years to the large amount of ditching ordered by the county board and the new towns added to the county. This with the regular work which comes to an office fast approaching the border line beyond which additional hire is permitted, has been a heavy strain upon the small force under the auditor. Now, with only a few days to complete the equalization of the work of the town assessors required under the law, the state tax commission, which is a new broom, comes in with requests which would tax to the limit the work force of any county auditor in the state. The state tax commission is a new board authorized by the laws of 1907, and is supposed to perform the labors of the state auditors in reviewing the work of county boards of equalization and abatement, and much more, since its creation was the out growth of a desire to give the state a more equal system of taxation on both real and personal property. Under the law the commission exercises general supervision over the administration of the assessment and taxation laws, over assessors, town, county and city boards of reviews, to the end that all assessments may be made just. As it was late for the state commission to make any departure this year from the established custom of assessing property, the new body commences with with boards of review and the valuation of personal property. One of its first demands on county auditors is a complete statement from the 1907 assessment rolls of the personal property of each tax payer in the county, the returns to be furnished by August 20. Without this, the state commission says, it can make no true scientific valuation or equalization. In remuneration the commission offers 75 cents per 100 names which is about half the value of the work required. The commission further requests samples of every blank, sheet, form, blank page of record books, these to be used for comparison, preliminery to preparing a uniform system of blanks. Certified copies of proceedings of county boards of equalization are demanded, in addition to a great deal of other information. While county auditors are hurrying to fill this rush order, none of the clerks are going fishing or indulging in day dreams.

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PLANK IS BUSTED

Famous Anti-injunction Johnson Deserts His Campaign Thunder Machine.

The unexpected has happened. After being elected on a widely proclaimed "anti-injunction" plank, Red Lake county's brilliant but busted court commissioner has fallen by the wayside and yesterday aided and abetted the Thief River partisans in a scheme to saddle another bill of expense upon the taxpayers. The duties of the office of court commissioner have rested heavily upon this Yankee with the misleading name, and the only reason that he hasn't already saved the county from eternal ruin is because of the fact that he has strictly evaded the law, and not maintained an office at the county seat where all these high-handed depredations are being carried on.

However, he has assiduously rested upon one end of his famous "anti-injunction" plank at all times and the added prestige his title has given him has enabled him to hold his end of the plank down safely and serenely.

But then, too, there was a reason for this. After the recent campaign the Thief River grafters figured that all they had to do was come down and take the county seat and anything else they needed, and in their hurry they entirely forgot their weighty "anti-injunction" commissioner. Baffled in their attempts to get that which belongs to them not, they now turn to the only remedy, and the way their heavy-weight county seat committeemen landed on the tother end of that "anti-injunction" plank was a caution, and even the extreme importance of their own court commissioner was insufficient to keep it from breaking square off.

The result is that an injunction has been filed restraining the auditor from calling a meeting of the county commissioners to act on the county seat removal petition that the Thief River bunch so neatly and cutely made away with this spring. The order is made returnable before Judge Watts next Tuesday, the 20th and is made at the instigation of M. V. Evenson, who alleges that county Auditor O'Brien has "threatened" to call a meeting of the board to act on this old petition.

Thus it is that Thief River has again dragged the county seat question into the courts, and with it, of course, a big bill for the taxpayer to pay in the end. In doing this they have also lowered the colors of their own important court officer, and shattered his hopes of some day being elected to coroner or some other important office. Johnson was elected on a clearly "anti-injunction" platform and now that his plank is shattered beyond repair, the problem is what will become of him who was so determined to save the country.

The new phase of the case simply means another legal battle, which will of course be fought out to the limit. Thief River has long hollered how Red Lake Falls rushed into the courts on every provocation, but in this case they will attempt to pull the wool over Mr. Taxpayer's eyes by telling him that their actions are justified.

But the court commissioner, and his broken plank—the picture is too sad to long contemplate—let's draw the veil to shield him.

AVERAGE IS HIGH

Crop Expert Writes Regarding Conditions In The Red River Valley.

John Inglis, the crop expert, who has been making a careful investigation of conditions in the Red River Valley in the past few days, and who is considered as one of the most conservative men in the business, has sent a dispatch to the Chicago Inter-Ocean in which he states that the crops in the Red River Valley are above average and is the best crop in years.

The cool weather during the past week has had a very beneficial effect on the spring wheat crop of the Northwest, and the reports which now come as to the conditions of the grain are encouraging. In the Red River Valley, the outlook is as good as could be hoped for at this time. The grain is just filling, and of course it is too early to tell how it is going to turn out, but there are no unfavorable signs, and the showers and low temperature are what are needed at present. The stories of black rust in the Northwest are either entirely false or greatly exaggerated as no complaints of damages from that cause are now heard. Reports from all sections of the Northwest now point to an average crop and the indications are that the farmers will get higher prices than last year so that an average crop would be fully as valuable as a bumper crop when prices are lower. The August government report will be issued next Saturday, and there will be much interest taken in its figures on the spring wheat conditions.

The winter wheat yields are expected to be lower than a year ago, and it is claimed now that the August government report will show an average yield per acre of about 13 busels for the entire winter wheat area, suggesting a total crop of about 370,000,000 bushels, or about 112,000,000 bushels less than the crop of 1906. But this estimate may be too low as highly satisfactory stories of the progress of the crop come from many sections. Bumper corn crops are expected from Nebraska, Iowa, and Illinois, three of the great producing states for this grain.

Indeed cheerful reports come from practically every section of the United States regarding the conditions of all crops thus giving a denial to the predictions made that the late spring had practically destroyed a large part of all the important crops.

The big crops, towards which the conditions now point, will have a mighty influence in continuing the prosperity of the country. With the farmers enjoying good crops and receiving good prices for their grain, there can be no room for pessimism as to the continuance of good times. With a great wheat crop assured, the prosperity of the country will have no setback.

Notice to Canadian Subscribers.

A recent ruling of the Canadian postal department requires that every copy of THE GAZETTE sent to subscribers residing in Canada bear a one cent stamp. This increase in the postal rates and the labor involved in affixing the stamps makes an increase in the subscription list to Canada subscribers necessary. After this date renewals and new subscriptions to be sent to Canada post offices will be charged at a rate of $1.50 per year.—Editor.

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NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Personal.

Joseph Hatton, the author and journalist, is dead in London. He was born in 1841.

Catherine Moore died at Rahway, N. J., aged 112 years. Her faculties, except for slight deafness, were well preserved.

Mrs. Newton C. Blanchard, wife of the governor of Louisiana, died at Mineral Wells, Tex., where she went for her health.

Rev. Dr. W. S. Schnefer, president of the board of publication of the general council of the Evangelical Lutheran church, died in Philadelphia.

Edward D. Shurtless, speaker of the lower house of the Illinois legislature, has formally announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for governor.

Dr. Antony Varicle, Parisian inventor, scientist, balloonist and dentist, known from Paris to Dawson, Y. T., died in a hospital at Seattle after an illness lasting several weeks.

John Maxwell, the pioneer knit goods manufacturer of Amsterdam, N. Y., who established the first mill at that place more than fifty years ago, is dead, aged ninety-three years.

Francis Miles Finch died at Ithaca, N. Y., aged eighty years. Mr. Finch was judge of the court of appeals of New York state from 1880 to 1896. He wrote the ballad, "The Blue and the Gray."

"Con" T. Murphy, prominently connected with the American stage for almost half a century, died at his home in Lake Bluff, Ill. He played important roles with Edwin and John Wilkes Booth, John McCullough, Joseph Jefferson, Lawrence Barrett, Edwin Forrest, W. H. Crane and Maggie Mitchell.

From Other Shores.

An ordinance disbanding the Korean troops has been promulgated.

Queen Wilhelmina has conferred upon Andrew Carnegie the Order of Orange Nassau.

Official announcement is made at Turin that Queen Helene's accouchement is expected in a few months. Three children have already been born to the royal Italian couple.

Paradiss, the painter of Trieste, has found two hitherto unknown picture by Titian in a church in the village of Traci, Dalmatia. The pictures are of great value.

Another hitherto unclimbed Alpine mountain has been conquered by Sig. Castelnuovo, a Milanese, who ascended the highest of three peaks called the Dames Anglaise, in the Mont Blanc range. It is 11,400 feet high.

The program has been arranged for a meeting between King Edward and Emperor Francis Joseph at Ishol, in upper Austria, on Aug. 15 and 16. Immediately afterward King Edward will continue the journey to Marienbad.

It is reported in Paris that a naval convention exists between France, Great Britain and Spain, under the terms of which either country may, in case of war, use the ports of the other countries.

Prince Alexis Orloff of Russia was badly wounded in the face while driving his automobile to Paris by a broomstick thrown by an "anti-autoist." The prince's assailant was arrested.

The twenty-one anarchists, comprising the entire national convention of the German anarchist societies, who were placed on trial at Mannheim on the charge of holding an illegal open air meeting, were acquitted by the court.

A new contrivance likely to be of great service in diagnosis of the eye is reported to the Academy of Sciences in Paris. Dr. Fortin discovered that light from a mercury lamp passing through two sheets of blue glass reflected in the eye by a large lens reveals the internal condition infinitely better than an ordinary white light.

Casualty.

Frank O'Brien died of sunstroke while at work in a hayfield on a farm ten miles south of Ottumwa, Iowa.

One man was killed and another injured, perhaps fatally, by the overturning of an automobile in Chicago.

Six firemen were injured at a fire in a stable and storehouse at Albany, N. Y., owned by Swift & Co., the packers.

A. A. Smith, a prominent shingle manufacturer, was killed at Everett, Wash., by the overturning of his automobile.

John Biros, aged twenty-eight, a miner, was instantly killed by a fall of slate in the White City mines at Oskaloosa, Iowa.

The plant of the Chicago, New York & Boston Refrigerator company in Chicago was damaged by fire to the extent of $300,000.

Fire destroyed three business blocks in the village of Moravia, N. Y., entailing a loss of $25,000. The cause of the fire is unknown.

A tornado swept across Urbana, Ohio, destroying the plant of the United States Paper and Box company. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

A locomotive attached to a Wabash freight train blew up one mile east of Sincoe, Ont. The engineer and fireman were instantly killed. A brakeman, who was riding on the engine, was fatally scalded.

The barking of a pet dog saved the life of Mrs. Frank Bird of Helena, Mont. Mrs. Bird was awakened by the continued barking of the puppy and found the house in flames. She rushed out for assistance and neighbors soon had the blaze under control.

A quantity of dynamite in a miner's trunk exploded while the trunk was being handled at the union station in St. Louis, seriously injuring two men, slightly wounding six others and creating a noise that almost started a panic. Baggageman Warner Sparks and Hugh Gavin were seriously injured.

With her clothing ablaze and leaving a trail of fire behind her, Lily Lees of Oakland, Iowa, ran screaming across lots to the house of a neighbor. The neighboring woman wrapped the girl in a blanket and extinguished the flames, but not until the young woman had been so badly burned that it is believed she cannot survive. She had attempted to hasten the kitchen fire by pouring kerosene upon it.

Crimes.

August Overpeck of Baltimore, Md., was arrested as he sat on the brink of the Niagara gorge, preparing to leap into the river.

Two men were seriously wounded in a fight with four Italians who held up a number of section men in a bunk house in the railroad yards at Red Lodge, Mont.

W. H. Richardson and George Wilson, police detectives, were shot by an unknown burglar at Council Bluffs, Iowa, and probably will die. The murderer escaped.

Rendered temporarily insane by the heat, Henry Baumayer of Evansville, Ind., a mechanic forty years old, made an attempt to kill his wife and two children and then killed himself.

Mike White and Shorty Green, alleged leaders of the mob that lynched the negro Frank Bailey at Osage, Okla., were held to the federal grand jury for murder in the first degree.

Nuncio Sergius was arrested in Philadelphia on a warrant issued at the instance of his brother, Emilie Sergius of New York, charging him with the theft of antique jewelry valued at $30,000.

John Lockert of Guthrie, Ky., was severely whipped by unknown persons until his flesh was gashed and a portion of his clothing cut into the flesh. He is in a precarious condition. The men told Lockert he had done too much talking last year about the time the tobacco plant beds were scraped.

After quarreling with her husband at Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. William Blackburn waited until Blackburn left the house and then attacked her twelve-year-old stepdaughter, beating her to death with a broomstick. Sentiment is high against the woman. She will be taken to Hot Springs for safekeeping.

Samuel J. Jones of Butte, Mont., who is visiting relatives in Menominee, Mich., jumped into Menominee river. He was rescued by his wife, with whom he had quarreled, and who, surmising his intention, followed Jones to the river. After a heroic struggle, in which Mrs. Jones was aided by some fishermen, the brave little woman succeeded in rescuing her husband.

General News Items.

The pastors in the various churches at Joplin, Mo., Sunday morning offered prayers for rain to dispel the drouth. Three hours later a heavy downpour began.

Mrs. Mary Park is dead and eighty others, comprising almost the entire population of Van Vleet, Miss., are ill as the result of eating pork which had become poisoned.

James Farrell, a well known horseman, died at Clinton, Iowa, in terrible agony as the result of glanders contracted from a diseased horse. Physicians state that such cases are extremely infrequent.

F. McClellan & Co. of Seattle was the lowest of five bidders for the construction of what will be the largest government dry dock in the country, to be located at the Bremerton naval station, Puget sound.

Harry Phillips of Jacksonville, Iowa, has a curiosity in the form of a four-legged chicken, which was hatched early last week. The two extra legs stick out from the rear of the body and are complete in every particular.

In excavating for a sewer at Seneca Falls, N. Y., workmen dug up the skeleton of a prehistoric animal that is likely to arouse much interest among scientists. The skeleton shows a body formation of an animal, with legs and feet like those of a giant bird.

In return for kindness shown his wife during her illness and death, Louis Slowers of South English, Iowa, willed Mrs. H. L. Elliott of Fort Dodge his entire fortune of $80,000 worth of Iowa land. Notice of his death has just been received.

Rev. W. F. Smith was stricken with apoplexy in the pulpit of the Presbyterian church at Madisonville, Tenn. He had been dwelling on the uncertainty of life in his sermon and had just uttered these words: "It may be the last time I will ever speak to you," when he began to totter. Friends rushed to the pulpit and caught him. He died a few hours later.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Edith Root, only daughter of Secretary of State and Mrs. Elihu Root, to Lieut. Ulysses S. Grant, III., U. S. A., son of Maj. Gen. Frederick Dent Grant.

STRIKE ON IRON RANGE

Leader Advises the Use of Guns.

Duluth, Aug. 3. — One working day has passed since operations on the range, following the settlement of the ore dock strike, were begun by the United States Steel corporation and the independent mines, and no serious disorder was reported. The industrial sky over the range is not cloudless, however, for the sullen attitude of the followers of the Western Federation of Miners indicate an attitude of desperation, which was somewhat intensified by a vitriolic address delivered by Petriella, the strike leader, in which, while counseling peace, he advocated the use of guns to maintain what he said was their right to sell their labor where they could to the best advantage.

Advises Violence.

In this address Petriella gave the governor twenty-four hours in which to "grant the men justice," at the end of which time he advised the men to be "ready to strike the head off any man who tries to crush you; if not as American citizens, do it as human beings." Whether at the end of twenty-four hours anything will come of this is awaited with anxiety and the officials are prepared. All of the special guards who have been in Duluth during the past few days were rushed to the range. It was said that 250 men were in the party and they will augment Sheriff Bates' force of deputies in case there is any trouble.

Believe End Is Near.

Duluth, Aug. 3. — While disquieting reports are constantly being sent in from towns on the Mesaba range there is a general feeling in Duluth that the end of the struggle is near at hand, and that inside of a week or eight days everything will be moving along with accustomed regularity. Heavily loaded ore trains came down all day yesterday to the docks at Two Harbors, Oneota and Allonez. The fact that the ore dock strike has been ended paves the way for the end of the miners' strike, for as long as the corporation is able to ship ore it is not believed there will be any further interruption to traffic.

Has Salutary Effect.

The promulgation of Gov. Johnson's proclamation, according to advices received from the range towns, has had a salutary effect, and the strikers, most of them at least, are firmly convinced that if the rules as laid down by the state's chief executive are willfully violated by them, the governor will keep his word and send the troops there immediately. Arrangements have been made whereby two local companies of state guards may be summoned on a moment's notice.

Bids Strikers to Keep the Peace.

St. Paul, Aug. 4.—A working agreement for preserving peace and order on the iron range was outlined in a proclamation issued by Gov. Johnson yesterday. The governor makes it clear that any intimidation or attempts to prevent those who desire from working in the mines, or any trespassing on private property, will be met with the calling out of the troops. On the other hand, the governor wants it understood that the miners have a perfect right as citizens to meet in public halls to discuss the situation, and while parading will not be tolerated, ordinary groups of strikers are to be allowed on the public streets and highways without molestation.

The governor's action in issuing the strike proclamation was largely based on the report of the investigating committee appointed by him to investigate the situation. The committee, consisting of T. D. O'Brien, Harvey Grimmer and C. H. Day, spent a day on the ranges and obtained the views of the strikers and disinterested citizens on the situation. The general feeling seemed to be that the strike would be a peaceful one, despite the fact that Petriella, the strike leader, had instructed the strikers to use violence if necessary to prevent interruption of their meetings.

This Week Will See End of Strike.

Duluth, Aug. 6. — A News-Tribune special from Hibbing says:

"The third week of the strike on the Mesaba range, which was engineered by the Western Federation of Miners, probably will see the last of the conflict. It is believed by those who have been constantly in touch with the situation that the next seven days will witness the culmination of the struggle. The crisis is past, and no further trouble of a serious nature is expected unless something unforeseen occurs."

The Western Federation of Miners has not given up the fight, and the statements in the foregoing must not be construed as indicating that it will abandon the purposes which gave birth to the strike.

Miners Not Disheartened.

On the contrary, the leaders are entering into the third week of the labor difficulty with renewed vigor.

The federation on the range is now led by the national secretary, C. E. Mahoney. He has prepared several thousand circulars which will be given to every miner, urging them to continue the conflict with the Steel corporation. He advances the claim that the federation is gathering new recruits every day. The federation is preparing for a big labor conflict two years hence, following the presidential election.

About 2,000 miners, it is expected, will return to work Monday morning.

Quiet Now Prevails.

Within a few days all of the open pits of the Steel corporation will be shipping 80 per cent of the ore mined by that corporation on the Mesaba range. The independents are working all of their open pits.

In the Eveleth-Sparta-Virginia district the miners will resume work in the underground mines. The situation on the Mesaba range east of Chisholm is more satisfactory than in the Hibbing and Chisholm districts, and nearly all of the local deputies have been discharged from further service. In order to maintain the peaceful status that prevails at the Hibbing-Chisholm district, deputies imported by the United States Steel corporation, under Sheriff Bates, will remain on duty.

Strikers Are Landed in Jail.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 7. — Twenty-three strikers were arrested at Hibbing last night, charged with threatening to blow up an Austrian boarding house. There was a clash between the deputies and the men, but all were landed in jail.

Two strikers were placed under arrest at Eveleth also, charged with intimidation and were lodged in jail pending their preliminary hearing, which was set for 11 a. m. Tuesday.

Approve Proclamation.

Printed proclamations have been distributed among the strikers at Eveleth by the Eastern Federation of Miners, approving the proclamation of Gov. Johnson, and commanding obedience to its mandates.

The printed slips are addressed in bold type to the "strikers," and the proclamation is prefaced by the announcement: "His excellency, the governor of the State of Minnesota, has issued the following proclamation, which henceforth shall govern your actions, as we expect it will rule the actions of our opponents in the industrial field."

Citizens Patrol Streets.

Alarmed by the reports that the strikers would take advantage of the fact that the special deputies had been released, Chief of Police Kent spent several hours yesterday delivering personal summons to each of the 125 citizens who had been previously deputized for guard duty. The result was that when the people of Eveleth awoke yesterday morning they found the streets heavily patrolled, and on all of the roads leading to the mines there were lines of deputies armed with guns, just as they had been during the troublous times of last week.

Were Warned Not to Work.

Eveleth, Minn., Aug. 7.—The latest episode in connection with the strike is the verdict of guilty rendered against Jian Inthart and Matt Petric yesterday afternoon by Judge Prince on charges of attempting to intimidate Anton Laurich and Jake Greber and causing them to abstain from working for the Oliver Iron Mining company, acting upon the advice of John D. Mahanny of the Western Federation of Miners. Notice was given by Attorney J. C. McGilvery that the cases would be appealed to the district court.

On one complaint Inthart was given a fine of $100 or ninety days in the county jail, and on the same complaint Petric was given $25 or thirty days. On the second complaint Inthart was fined $50 and Petric was acquitted.

Jake Greber, Anton Laurich, Joe Lushin, Joe Hren and George Drobnich were the witnesses for the state. All said the defendants went into Laurich's house on Sunday afternoon and asked them if they worked Saturday. The men men said they did work and would work again that night. Then the prisoners told them to "look out for their hides," or words to that effect, in the Austrian language.

County Attorney Norton held that this constituted a threat under the law and Judge Prince by his decision showed that he coincided with this view.

Keep Up Fight for Two Years.

Duluth, Aug. 7. — Teofila Petriella, leader of the Western Federation of Miners, arrived in Duluth last evening.

"We have not been getting a square deal on the Mesaba range, and we propose to continue this strike if it takes two years," he said. "We are bound to win in the end."

HURLED FROM TRAIN DIES.

Man Thrown From Platform Gets Fatal Injuries.

Monroe, Wis., Aug. 4.—Edward Flannery of Argyle died at Brownton yesterday from injuries received in being pitched down a high embankment while riding on the platform of a Milwaukee road passenger train. Farmers who heard him calling for help found him two hours later. Both legs were broken, and his head, back and hip were badly injured.

HAIRPIN PIERCES BRAIN.

Iowa Girl May Recover From Peculiar Accident.

Atlantic, Iowa, Aug. 4.—While Miss May Nane of Noble township was playing with a number of girls in the yard she bumped her head against a post with sufficient force to drive a common wire hairpin into her skull to the depth of two inches, penetrating the brain. She was unconscious for three hours, but it is thought she will recover.

LEGAL BOMB FOR STANDARD OIL

SPECIAL ATTORNEY KELLOGG MAKES CONFIDENTIAL REPORT ON TRUST.

WALL STREET IS NERVOUS

FEAR SOME MAJOR GENERAL OF INDUSTRY MAY BE THROWN INTO JAIL.

Washington, Aug. 10.—An important confidential report in connection with the government's suit for the dissolution of the Standard Oil company is at the department of justice, awaiting the return of Attorney General Bonaparte. It is from Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul, the special counsel who conducted the investigation into the oil trust management, which culminated in the suit in equity to demolish the trust.

Persons who have kept in touch with this sensational suit hint at the explosion of a legal bomb under the Standard before the taking of testimony is completed, which may not be for four months.

To Take Testimony.

The first testimony in the suit to dissolve the Standard Oil company and allied companies on the ground that they constitute a trust will be taken in New York Sept. 3. Former Judge Franklin Ferris of St. Louis, who was appointed special examiner, has issued an order for the taking of the first testimony, which will mark the actual beginning of the government's fight to overthrow the Standard Oil company.

The federal grand jury will convene at Jamestown, N. Y., this afternoon and report to Judge Hazel its findings in the investigation of the government's charges against the Standard Oil company and the Pennsylvania and the New York Central railroads. The indications are that a number of indictments will be returned.

Wall Street Is Nervous.

New York, Aug. 9. — Apparently Wall street is frantic with apprehension over the possibility that the federal department of justice will put some major general of industry in jail and thus shock the world of finance into a state of numb inactivity.

The sharp decline in quotations Wednesday was without explanation, further than that it was due to heavy selling by holders of railroad and other shares who did not care to retain their securities at this time. There was nothing to show whether their desire to sell was because they were tired of waiting for the upward movement of prices, because of the low supplies of money, or because of depressed sentiment in Wall street over the difficulties in which many corporations find themselves with the national and state governments.

Prices Plunge Downward.

A futile effort to sustain prices gave way to downward plunges in which raiding tactics by the bears were indicated by the feverish recovery.

The speculators for the decline used as their principal fresh ammunition reports from Washington of the intention of the department of justice to push criminal prosecutions against certain heads of corporations. The violence to the collapse in prices gave rise to the usual anxiety over possible embarrassment, but no such trouble developed.

PEACEMAKER IN JAIL.

Started Argument and Ended by Killing His Prospective Father-in-law.

New York, Aug. 10.—Losing his temper because his efforts as a peacemaker did not succeed, Edward O. Mulvaney knocked down and killed his prospective father-in-law, Robert Sealander, a contractor. The killing was the outcome of a quarrel between Mr. Sealander and his son. Mulvaney, fearing that the disputants would harm each other, intervened. Argument developed and Mulvaney and Sealander adjourned to the street to settle their quarrel. Mulvaney struck Sealander a powerful blow on the head, knocking him down. The contractor died shortly afterward. Mulvaney was taken into custody.

MURDERESS GOES FREE.

Indian Territory Woman Is Pardoned by Roosevelt.

Washington, Aug. 10. — President Roosevelt has pardoned Nancy Miller, who was convicted about six years ago in Indian Territory of manslaughter for killing Alice Brake in a dispute over a gosling. The woman was sentenced to pay a fine of $500 and to serve ten years in the Ohio penitentiary.

She has been imprisoned for about six years, and the president thought she had served sufficiently for her crime.

No Bribery in Peonage Case.

New York, Aug. 10. — Stanley S. Bagg and William Smith were acquitted of attempted bribery in connection with peonage cases the federal government is prosecuting in Florida. This was the second trial. At the first the jury disagreed.

Three Killed in Wreck.

Grand Forks, N. D., Aug. 10.—Three men were killed last evening when a Great Northern railway work train engine crashed into some gravel cars, six miles north of Park River.

CHANCE FOR EXTRA SESSION

LEGISLATURE MAY BE CALLED AFTER JUDGE LOCHREN ISSUES INJUNCTION.

St. Paul, Aug. 10.—An extra session of the Minnesota legislature is still a decided probability. It need not surprise any one if Gov. Johnson calls the house and senate together in extraordinary session some time in September or October.

No action will be taken in any event until Judge Lochren has given his decision on the temporary injunction in the stockholders' cases. It is taken for granted that he will at least issue the injunction against the commodity rate law, which he has tied up now by a temporary restraining order. The case comes up Sept. 3; arguments will probably last several days, and a decision on the temporary injunction will come shortly after. Judging by his action so far, it seems certain that the judge will grant the stockholders' plea.

Counting on this action, plans are being discussed for calling the legislature together immediately after the decision comes down. Gov. Johnson has the matter under serious consideration.

WHEAT PROSPECTS GOOD.

Minneapolis Grain Men Return From Trip Very Optimistic.

Minneapolis, Aug. 10.—Several Minneapolis grain men returned yesterday from a trip through the wheat fields and report that everything looks promising. With three more weeks of good weather there will be plenty of wheat harvested to make the year a very successful one, according to the men who studied the situation carefully during their trip along the Soo line to Thief River Falls, across North Dakota to Kenmare and back to Minneapolis on the main line of the Soo.

CLAY DEPOSIT VALUABLE.

Options Are Secured and Pottery and Tile Plant May Be Built.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 10. — A valuable deposit of clay has been discovered near the city. The clay is fine and is said to be valuable for the manufacture of pottery and tiling. The deposit is believed to be extensive, and a short time ago a company of citizens from Stanley took options upon it. Efforts will be made to establish a large factory here for the making of pottery and tiling.

MOWER KILLS RANCHMAN.

Driver of Machine Is Thrown Under Knives in Runaway.

Forsyth, Mont., Aug. 10.—Nels Olson, a well known sheep man living on Porcupine creek, thirty miles north of here, was killed while at work in the hay field on his ranch. Olson and an employe were running a mower when the team became unmanageable. Olson was thrown from the seat directly in front of the blades. He was badly gashed about the head and arms and a hole was cut in his stomach. He was dead when picked up.

LIGHTNING KILLS HORSES.

Nineteen Equines in Livery Stable Burned During Electrical Storm.

Clear Lake, S. D., Aug. 10. — A tremendous electrical storm occurred here yesterday morning. Lightning struck the livery barn of Stevenson & Hanson, destroying the building, nineteen horses and all the buggies in the outfit. The loss is total on stock and is estimated at $10,000. No insurance on contents and only $500 on building. Considerable damage was done to crops.

LONG LIES UNAIDED.

Farmer Suffers Paralytic Stroke and Found in Field Two Days Later.

Eau Claire, Wis., Aug. 10. — Fred Yohm, a farmer living between here and Mondovi, was stricken with paralysis while in the field hoeing corn. The man lay in a helpless condition for two days and two nights before he was found. The exposure to the weather and lack of food had so weakened him that he lived only a short time after being found.

AFTER THE TRUST'S MONEY.

Damage Suits Aggregating $296,000 Against Minnesota Ore Companies.

Duluth, Aug. 10. — Twenty-two personal injury cases, aggregating $296,000, were filed in one batch yesterday against mining companies on the range. The Oliver company is the principal defendant. Seventeen injured miners are asking over $200,000, the amounts varying from $3,000 to $50,000.

Robbers Blow Safe.

Delano, Minn., Aug. 10.—"Yeggmen" blew the safe and demolished the cash register in Bartlett Bro.'s flour mill last night and secured $70. It is thought to be the work of the same gang that entered several business places in Rockford the night before.

Shed Collapses; Two Killed.

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 10. — Two men were killed, one was slightly injured and two others narrowly escaped death or injury in the collapse of a storage shed at the plant of the International Harvester company yesterday.

Play on Raft Fatal.

Superior, Wis., Aug. 10. — While playing on a raft at a brickyard pond near South Superior, Sybil Cowing, five years old, fell from the raft and was drowned.

News of the Northwest.

WISCONSIN MOB MAY LYNCH MAN

CADOTT POSSE HUNTS ALLEGED ASSAILANT OF 15-YEAR-OLD GIRL.

LIFE SENTENCE FOR MURDERER

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 8. — In the vicinity of Cadott, a small town on the Wisconsin Central line, there is in progress a manhunt that may terminate in a lynching as the sequel of a brutal assault upon a fifteen-year-old girl.

Mand Tantaui, the victim of the assault, accuses John Lyons, who Monday night was arrested by the town marshal. Fearing mob violence and believing that the town and lockup would prove inadequate to resist possible attack, the peace officer took his prisoner to the hotel for the night. Before morning Lyons had escaped.

Posse on the Hunt.

Yesterday a posse was formed by residents of Cadott and farmers living in the vicinity. Lyons is believed to be in hiding not far from the town, and as the search for him continues the anger of the men seems to be rising, and threats of violence grow in number.

The Tantaut girl says that she was attacked when in the road near her sister's home. Frightened by a noise, her assailant left her, and she managed to reach the home of her sister, to whom she told her story.

Lyons was in Cadott last night and when news of the attack on the girl became known he was arrested

Given Life Sentence.

Wausau, Wis., Aug. 7. — Rudolph Fullhweiler, self-confessed murderer of Jennie Reihle, yesterday was sentenced to life imprisonment in the state prison at Waupun. Fullhweiler appeared before Judge Marchetti at Wausau Monday and waived preliminary examination, admitting his guilt and refusing to have witnesses testify.

Public feeling against the man has been high, and threats of lynching have been made frequently.

The crime was one of the most brutal ever committed in Marathon county.

Crime Wave Unchecked.

New York, Aug. 7.—More of what have come to be seriously known at police headquarters as "near" crimes against girls were followed by nearer lynchings yesterday. Out of the score of complaints that reached the police a half dozen demanded serious attention. Whether the number is extraordinary is disputed, but certain it is that never before has mob vengeance so frequently attended attacks upon children.

Led by a woman who alternately in Italian and broken English cried, "Avenge my daughter!" a reckless crowd of perhaps 2,000 persons last night stormed the Fourteenth street car barns of the Metropolitan Street Railway company, where a policeman had sought refuge with a seriously pummeled prisoner.

Paul Sorgeraior, a Greek peddler had made the mistake, it is alleged, of kissing Grace Jenco, an Italian of eleven years. Police reserves stood off the mob while the Greek was bustled into a patrol wagon. Through a crowd that cried "Kill him!" "Lynch him!" the police fought their way to the nearest station house. Cheated of their man, the crowd vented its fury on Gnnton Keriskel, an unoffending workman, homeward bound. As he was passing the rioters a boy pointed him out, at the same time yelling: "That's the man's friend. He was there, too." Kerinkel was pounded until he was unconscious. The police reserves finally got the injured man and removed him to a hospital.

INJURY DUE TO MEDDLER.

Auto Backs When Woman Starts It; Is Hurled Out and Run Down.

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 8. — Miss Katherine Msilman was painfully injured in a peculiar automobile accident. She had left her auto standing by the curb while she went into a church, and during her absence a small boy who was examining the machine inadvertently reversed the controller. When Miss Moliman stepped into the car and inserted the connecting pin the machine at once started backward, throwing Miss Maliman to the ground. The machine turned a complete circle, and before the young woman could arise the car struck her. She was badly crushed and bruised, but it is believed that she sustained no serious injuries.

Child on Picnic Killed.

Milwaukee, Aug. 8. — While John Michalski, his wife and three children were on the way to the country for a picnic his seven-year-old son was run down and instantly killed by a locomotive at the Kilbourn road crossing.

Love Token Identifies.

Oshkosh, Wis., Aug. 8.—Peter Penkeiski, a bricklayer, was drowned in Lake Winnebago yesterday. His identity was established by the finding in his pocket of a love letter written to him by a young woman in Milwaukee.

ADMITS GIRL'S MURDER.

Jennie Reihle's Slayer Tells of Brutal Crime.

Milwaukee, Aug. 7. — Rudolph Fullweiler, under arrest at Wausau on the charge of murdering sixteen-year-old Jeanie Reihle, has confessed. Copies of his two confessions were received yesterday by a detective agency which has been investigating the murder.

Fullweiler also appeared before Judge Marchetti at Wausau and waived preliminary examination, admitting his guilt and refusing to have a witness testify. The Wausau authorities will endeavor to have him sentenced as soon as possible, as public feeling against the man has been high.

The crime was one of the most brutal ever committed in Marathon county. Jennie Reihle lived on a farm four miles from Stratford, near Wausau. On Sunday, June 30, she went to church in Wausau. It was on the way back that she was attacked by Fullweiler, who had made previous advances to her.

In his signed statement Fullweiler admits committing criminal assault and murder, the latter being accomplished by choking the girl.

FROG EATS DYNAMITE.

Man Stepped on Frog and Was Hurled in Air by Explosion.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 7.—The question of whether a frog ate dynamite is puzzling the residents of Emet. While stumps were being blown out of a new road, ten pounds of dynamite disappeared mysteriously. Yesterday George Humber accidentally stepped on a bullfrog, which exploded instantly, tearing a large hole in the ground and hurling him several hundred feet. He came down on a soft spot, and beyond being shaken up was uninjured. While some of the farmers are positive that the frog ate some of the dynamite the more conservative are of the opinion that the frog was probably only feasting upon the explosive when Humber came along.

RED WING MAN LOSES LIFE.

Body of A. G. Freirmuth Recovered With Grapple He Himself Made.

Red Wing, Minn., Aug. 7.—Anton F. Freirmuth lost his life yesterday by drowning in the Mississippi river a short distance below the high bridge. He was being towed up stream by a fishing party when the chain of his boat broke, with the result that his skiff capsized. The launch hurried to Freirmuth's assistance, but the engine broke down just when the men in the launch were about to rescue him. The body was raised from the water by E. C. Erh by means of a grappling hook made by Mr. Freirmuth early this spring.

CHILD-BEATER IS FINED.

Man Must Pay $100 for Brutally Beating His Son.

Hot Springs, S. D., Aug. 7.—W. H Warren, a carpenter, living at Edgemont, was arrested yesterday, charged with beating his ten-year-old son. He had a hearing before a justice of the peace and the evidence showed that he used a heavy piece of a harness to punish the boy. The little fellow's body was brought into evidence and showed great welts and bruises all over the back and body. Warren was found guilty and fined $10 and costs.

SON DEFEATS HIS MOTHER.

Attempt to Remove Him as Executor of Father's Estate Fails.

Vermillion, S. D., Aug. 7.—Alleging that her son is a drunkard and incompetent, Mrs. Josiah Schotty attempted to have Milleen Schotty removed as executor of a $50,000 estate left by her husband to herself and nine children. The children opposed their mother, and Judge J. A. Copeland yesterday rendered a verdict in their favor.

SHOCKS GIRL MOWER.

Lightning Hits Team and Machine and Storm Does Much Damage.

Hot Springs, S. D., Aug. 7. — A daughter of Mr. Westover, near Fairburn, was mowing yesterday when lightning struck the outfit, killing the horses instantly, melted part of the machine and made the girl unconscious for more than four hours.

Child Scalded to Death.

Boone, Iowa, Aug. 7.—The nineteen months' old daughter of Frank Cooper, who pulled a plug from a washing machine, allowing gallons of scalding water to pour over her body, died yesterday at the hospital from the effects of the burns.

His Back Broken.

Two Harbors, Minn., Aug. 7.—Theodore Rollett was fatally injured while unloading coal from a vessel here. He fell under a car and when picked up it was found that his back was broken.

Dies in Police Station Cell.

Madison, Wis., Aug. 7. —Carl Herschla was found dead in his cell at the police station yesterday. Death was due to heart failure, caused by the excessive use of intoxicants. He was fifty-five years old.

Dragged and Killed.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Aug. 7. — His foot caught in a stirrup, Clifford Finders, a nine-year-old boy of Farguson, was dragged a hundred yards by a wildly running horse and fatally injured.

HAVOC IS CAUSED BY FIERCE STORM

WIND AND HAIL CAUSES GREAT DAMAGE IN WISCONSIN AND MINNESOTA.

GRAIN POUNDED INTO EARTH

St. Paul, Aug. 8.—Following twenty-four hours of severe electrical storms in various parts of Wisconsin and Minnesota, terrific wind and rain swept down on portions of Minnesota, Iowa and Wisconsin late yesterday afternoon, doing immense damage to crops and buildings. Several persons are reported to have been hurt, though only one death was reported up to a late hour last night.

Telegraph and telephone companies were among the heaviest sufferers, communication being interrupted for several hours, and the Associated Press wires were out of commission until almost midnight.

In several cities the electric light and telephone service were destroyed, and in other towns street car traffic was made impossible by the blocking of the streets by uprooted trees.

Winona Suffers Heavily.

Winona was the greatest sufferer from which accurate information could be obtained, though no lives were reported lost, and as far as was known last night nobody was seriously injured. The damage there was over $100,000.

Bridges were ruined by the storm, and the rain in some instances amounted almost to a cloudburst. Cars were blown from the tracks, and near Kiester, Minn., it was reported that a herd of fifty cattle was lifted bodily from the ground and carried into an adjoining pasture.

During the storms, which were of short duration, rain fell with terrific force, and between this cause and the wind great damage was done to crops of all kinds. Grain was pounded into the earth and corn was stripped clean.

Lack of means of communication made it impossible to obtain complete details of the storms last night.

Three Distinct Cyclones.

Des Moines, Aug. 7.—Clear Lake, Hanlontown and Mills City were struck by a cyclone shortly after 6 o'clock last evening. Reports of damage from the latter two places are meager, as all wires are down. It is reported, however, that buildings have been demolished and several persons killed.

At Clear Lake the daughter of G. E. Rice was struck by a flying timber and probably fatally injured.

STEAL FIVE HORSES.

Raid of Rustlers' Band Causes Talk of Vigilance Committee.

Mandan, N. D., Aug. 8. — Frank Welch of South Little Heart reports that rustlers have stolen five head of valuable horses from his ranch. There appears to be a well organized band of horse and cattle thieves operating in this section and numerous other ranchers recently have reported stock losses. There is no clue to the thieves in the present instance. The county officials are making an investigation and the ranchmen are talking of organizing a vigilance committee.

ROSS CLARKE ENDS HIS LIFE.

Prominent St. Paul Man Was Despondent Over Family Affairs.

St. Paul, Aug. 8.—Ross Clarke, fifty-three years old, a resident of St. Paul more than twenty years and prominently known in public and political life, was found dead in bed at his summer home at White Bear at 5:40 yesterday afternoon. There is much evidence that he ended his own life by taking poison. He was known to have been despondent over family matters, and last Saturday stated that he had decided to kill himself and nothing could change his mind.

IS NEAR $260,000,000.

South Dakota Assessment Within Half a Million of Estimate.

Pierre, S. D., Aug. 8.—The total assessment of the state this year will be within $500,000 of the estimate of $260,000,000. At least the figures, without the changes of the state board, show that amount, and of this $236,000,000 is on general property, leaving the balance as the corporate property. Representatives of different counties appeared to ask for changes in the assessments, the Black Hills being interested in mining lands, which were not changed from last year's figures.

GETS MAIL; KILLS SELF.

Agent of Eastern House Commits Suicide in South Dakota.

Belle Fourche, S. D., Aug. 8. — Mystery surrounds the suicide here of Robert J. Baird, a wool buyer for a Philadelphia firm. His body was discovered near evening on the road above town. There was a bullet wound through the heart, and a new revolver he had just purchased was by his side.

It is said a letter from home caused the act.

State News of Interest

PRICES BREAK RECORD.

Sale of State Fair Concessions Held Last Week.

The greatest privilege sale in the history of the Minnesota state fair was held last week at the grounds. Last year it was thought that it would be hard to equal the enormous total of sales, but this year's prices ranged from 25 to 50 per cent higher than in 1906.

Supt. Lyman D. Baird called the first lot for sale about 10:30 in the morning. Men who have made the sale of merchandise at fairs a business all over the country were present, elbowing ladies representing the churches of the two cities who sought to secure locations for church eating booths, which are so popular during fair week. Many of the people had made money at former Minnesota fairs, and knew well what the choice positions were worth. They bid eagerly and ran the price up without delay.

By noon the sales had run up 37 1-2 per cent ahead of last year for the same lots. The crowd in the afternoon was even larger, and the remaining spaces brought very good figures, sometimes nearly doubling the 1906 prices. The old dining hall, which has been used for all sorts of purposes of late years, will be a dining hall again this year, and the buyer paid $1,240 for the concession.

HOW HARDY IS THE GREEN BUG?

Uncertainty as to Whether Grain Pest Can Withstand Winter Cold.

Prof. F. L. Washburn, entomologist at the state experiment farm, has had men in the field tracing the progress of the green bug in the Northwest. The area covered by the insect is an important consideration, in view of the uncertainty attending the visitation and doubt as to whether or not the bug will be exterminated by the winter weather or will live through to reappear in the spring.

Fergus Falls, Breckenridge, Wolverton and Grand Forks have the green bug in nearby grain fields. This does not mean that damage of importance has been done. On the contrary, Prof. Washburn is of the opinion that the damage on the whole from this source in the Northwest this year will not be material. But for those who are interested in the insect and its bearing upon the crops, the report will be surprising, for it has not generally been supposed that the green bug had reached so far beyond the original source of infection, which was in Southern Minnesota.

The bug reached the Northwest too late to affect the crops at all seriously. Entomologists will now find an interesting and practical study before them in the determination of whether or not it will survive the cold weather.

WAR ON BAD FOOD.

Butcher and Grocer Are Caught by State Inspectors.

The inspectors of the state dairy and food department are waging a strong campaign to enforce obedience to the provisions of every section of the pure food laws in the state, and a number of cases are pending in which violations of the law are sought to be established and punished. Of two recent convictions one was for selling bad meat and the other was for refusing to take out a license to sell milk.

A Montevideo man was fined $50 and costs for selling mutton in such a pronounced state of putrefaction as to be utterly unfit for food. Other seizures of impure meat have been made and the department is preparing for the trial of these cases. The inspectors are instructed to keep watch for impure food offered for sale.

Inspector A. Palmquist, stationed in Minneapolis, has reported the fining of a grocer for refusing to take out a milk license. The inspector reports that he notified the dealer that he must take out a license, and after several warnings, upon his refusal to comply, the warrant was sworn out and the grocer was fined. The cost of the license is $1.

FIX GOODHUE FAIR RATES.

Zumbrota Merchants Contribute to Amusement Fund.

At a recent meeting of the officers of the Goodhue County Fair association, held in Zumbrota, it was decided to hold the annual fair in Zumbrota on Sept. 18, 19 and 20. The officers of the association are: B. A. Kolbe, president; M. H. Baskfield, secretary, and H. E. Weias, treasurer. The merchants of Zumbrota have subscribed $600 to the fund, which amount will be added to the state appropriation and spent in amusements. The feature of the fair will be a band concert, for the winners of which liberal cash prizes will be given.

BIG STONE TO HAVE FAIR.

County Agricultural Association Fixes Oct. 2-4 as Dates.

Big Stone county will have a three days' fair. At a meeting of the officers of the Big Stone County Agricultural association at Clinton it was decided to hold a county fair at Clinton Oct. 2, 3 and 4. Superintendents of divisions and committees were appointed, and strong efforts will be made to make the coming fair the best exhibit of farm produce and stock that has been made by the county.

COUNTY EXHIBIT AT FAIR.

Fourteen Counties Will Be Represented—Everything Points to Big Fair.

Fourteen county exhibits are to be made at the coming Minnesota state fair. This is the largest number ever made at any Minnesota fair—a fact which shows the continued growth of the fair and the interest felt among the various counties of the state. The large exhibit was reported to the board of managers of the fair by J. M. Underwood, superintendent of the agricultural and horticultural divisions of the fair.

Reports from all the superintendents present were received and the consensus showed that all the claims heretofore made this summer for a greatly enlarged fair have ample foundation in hard facts. William E. Lee, superintendent of manufactures and farm machinery, said that all the buildings in his division were full and all the space formerly used by the department out of doors had been assigned. In addition he had some forty applications for exhibition space which would be assigned to the new ground recently purchased as soon as it was platted. This new ground will be one of the handsomest and most attractive parts of the fair grounds. It is being pierced by two wide avenues and two miles of cement walk will be laid down. The poultry building will stand on this part of the fair grounds and ample sanitation will be afforded by the sewer system, which will extend into its midst.

As the new lighting system will give abundant light, this as well as all other parts of the grounds will be well illuminated at night. It is in this part of the grounds that the great air ship will have its stopping place, and from which it will rise on its daily flights.

Mr. Lee's report was echoed by the other superintendents. J. J. Furlong said that the main and woman's buildings were already filled, and G. W. Patterson and Col. W. M. Liggett, reporting respectively for the horse and cattle divisions, affirmed that their departments would want more space than ever. D. S. Hall reviewed his plans for police protection, and C. M. Griggs described the improvements around the grand stand and reported fourteen excellent attractions engaged for the stage entertainment.

The board during the day authorized the purchase of wheeled chairs for use during the fair. These will be for rent, and with men to push them will doubtless prove a popular way of seeing the fair.

Another innovation will be named streets and signs at all points, directing the visitor to this and that building in the vicinity. The board decided to again have a bureau of information and made plans for the postoffice which has been maintained for some years during the fair. Last year the postoffice handled over 15,000 pieces of mail and issued nearly $5,000 of money orders.

STATE LOANS $60,000.

Investment Board Has Applications for $200,000.

The state investment board granted applications for loans of state funds aggregating about $60,000 for school and other county purposes and received applications amounting to about $200,000 for county drainage projects. The applications for drainage loans were not acted on and will be taken up at a later meeting of the board, so that the question of granting these loans can be investigated somewhat. The applications for loans for drainage ditches were nearly all from the counties in the northern part of the state.

Of the applications for loans granted by the board, Red Lake county will get $10,000 to refund bonds. Hallock received $10,000 for a new school building. Otter Tail county receives $5,000 for a new school, the other loans being for amounts ranging from $500 to $1,200.

WILL GO AFTER SETTLERS.

State Immigration Board Organizes for Work.

The recently organized state immigration board met at the capitol and prepared to take up its work by the appointment of Neil O'Brien of Minneapolis as clerk with a salary of $1,200 and Mrs. Grace Gallagher of Duluth as stenographer with a salary of $900 a year. George Welch of Morton, the commissioner of immigration appointed by the board a few days ago, will be given office room for his department in the new capitol, probably in one of the legislative committee rooms.

The board decided to purchase 500 copies of Miss Julia C. Gaultier's illustrated guide book to the capitol. The books will be distributed among the visiting delegates to the national convention of the Odd Fellows which meets in St. Paul in September.

A Big Sturgeon.

The largest sturgeon which has ever been landed at Aberdeen, was exposed for sale recently, at the fish market. The fish was caught by a local trawler, at the northern fishing grounds, and when weighed at Aberdeen turned the scale at 560 pounds. It was nine feet, three inches in length, by about five feet in girth, and was sold by auction. Bidding was keen, and at £9 5s the sturgeon was knocked down.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Mrs. Henry Smith of North Branch is dead.

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J. B. Smith, aged ninety years, died last week at Waseca.

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John Michaelson, a farmer residing near Euclid, killed a large wildcat last week.

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John Lane was struck and killed by a Great Northern train near Cambridge. His neck was broken.

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W. J. Keister has resigned as treasurer of the city of Staples, and W. A. Broom has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

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The school building in district 134, town of Leaf Lake, near Fergus Falls, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground.

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It has been definitely decided to hold a grand potato carnival in Anoka on Sept. 19 to 21. A potato parade will be a feature.

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Wolf's feed mill at Preston was burned. Loss, $3,000. This is the second fire in the mill within a week. Both fires are laid to incendiaries.

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W. H. Roberts, a well known banker of Bemidji died in Chicago last week, where he had been taken for treatment. He was president of two banks.

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John Marshall, a ten-year-old student at the Bena Indian school, was accidentally killed by one of his companions while hunting near the school.

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William Johnson's right foot was crushed to a pulp by a heavy steel rail falling on it while he was at work with a tracklaying crew near Moorhead.

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Storvold Thompson, living near Middle River, pleaded guilty at Warren to shooting a cow moose and was fined $50 and costs, amounting in all to about $100.

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For the first time in many years the jail of Rice county houses no prisoners. Sheriff Geiger discharged the last prisoner last week, and the building is now empty.

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The Lucss millinery store at Willmar was destroyed by fire. The building was destroyed before the fire department could get the flames under control. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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A team belonging to John Ulfer, living near Heron Lake, ran away with a binder. The team ran home and ran over Ulfer's little son, killing him instantly. The body was frightfully mangled.

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Harvesting commenced last week on the Tierfeldter farm, three miles southwest of Barnesville. The grain is short but well headed and will be a good yield. Tierfeldter has about forty acres cut.

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Sheriff Lundgren, secretary of the Minnesota Sheriffs' association, announces a change in the date for holding the second annual meeting, which now will take place at Bemidji Aug. 14 and 15.

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An epidemic of housebreaking is rife at Little Falls. Several houses have been entered, though nothing has been taken. The burglar's purpose is a mystery, as he has in no instance tried to steal anything.

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John Martin, a homesteader who has been working on the extension of the Minnesota & International railway north from Big Falls to International Falls, was hit by a construction train and quite seriously injured.

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John G. Huber, seventy-four years old, committed suicide by hanging himself in the cellar of his home in St. Paul. Despondency over the death of his wife, which occurred four weeks ago, was the cause of the suicide.

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O. Gulbarg has given an option on his farm near Brainerd on the Cuyuna range at the rate of $100 a acre to Leon E. Lum. The farm consists of 160 acres and the option was given for a consideration of $16,000.

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Louis Nordin of Atwater was seriously injured by the attack of a vicious bull. Nordin was out in the pasture when the bull suddenly attacked him. The man was knocked down and five of his ribs broken.

Walter A. Petrie, engineer at the North American Storage company's plant at Paynesville, was seriously injured by the blowing off of the handhole of an engine. Mr. Petrie was enveloped in a cloud of steam. His back and arms were seriously scalded.

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J. Smith, the negro stabbed by William Price at East Grand Forks, refused to appear against his assailant, and Price was released after paying a $25 fine for using abusive language. Price is suffering a good deal from wounds received in the encounter, in which his head was jammed in the broken glass of a show case.

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Christopher Theis, eighty-four years of age, born in Germany, a resident of Waseca since 1880, died last week from dropsy. Mr. Theis was a veteran of the Civil war.

TOO LATE

When you have lost your eye-sight to fit any glasses

If your eyes don't feel just right call at once and have them examined. . .

HENRY W. ANDERSON, Optician

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THE government is after the powder trust. It ought to be easily blown up.

GEORGE ADE says he is making money faster than he can spend it. George neither runs a newspaper nor owns race horses.

THE Johnson family is doing pretty well politically. Governor Joe Johnson of Alabama has been elected United States Senator.

Scotland has eliminated vertical writing from its schools. It is about time this fad has run its course but it is too bad that the harm done millions of children can never be corrected.

CHANCELLOR DAY has nothing to say about the Standard Oil fine. This may be because the Doctor doesn't know but that Rockefeller may conclude to pay his fine by eliminating his educational and ecclesiastical beneficiaries rather than by raising the price on his wares.

THE Detroit Record observes that "the strike of the miners on the iron range is all over, just as we prophesied it would be when we heard of Governor Johnson's intended visit. As a pacifier John A. Johnson stands in a class by himself and about the only people (seemingly) who dislike the fact, are the poor fellows who have to count the votes when Mr. Johnson runs for office."

THE Minneapolis Journal observes that "wealth after all is a relative thing. A man on a salary of a thousand a year who is keeping ahead of the game, spending something less than he earns, and accumulating a little, meanwhile enjoying health and an appetite, is not so bad off relatively as that young scion of wealth whose yearly income is $125,000 and who is reported to be pulling aside from social obligations for a time because he had been living at a rate of $180,000 a year and he finds he cannot keep it up."

EIGHT Mormon elders made a raid on Marshall and from all appearance the town is there yet. Bro. C. C. Whitney does not think their proselyting amounted to anything. Here is what Bro. Whitney's paper says:

From the public utterances of these elders, there seems to be no necessity for their labors, any more than there is reason to oppose their efforts by other denominations or the people at large. They teach the divinities and inspirations of the holy bible, belief in God and Jesus Christ and plead for the leading of a Christian and moral life, with prayer and praise. And this is the teaching of other church denominations nearly all of which are well represented hereabouts, hence we see no need of our Mormon friends butting in where they are not needed or wanted.

IN speaking of the increasing mail order house business the Duluth Herald says that the only effectual way for local merchants in small towns is to do as the mail order houses do: advertise. "How do the mail order houses get the business? By advertising. They advertise skillfully, to make prospective customers believe they sell goods cheaper than home merchants do and many believe it." The trouble with too many merchants is they consider advertising a useless waste of money, without returns, and the way some of them advertise they are right. Proper advertising requires more than a mere announcement that one deals in clothing, groceries or hardware. This is a fact already known to most people, in that vicinity. Business men in big cities never advertise that way. They always go into particulars as to the kind of goods which they intend to push on certain days. They give qualities of goods and they quote prices at which they intend to dispose of the goods, and they invariably get the business. Advertising is as much and more of an art than the selling of goods over the counter and in these times of sharp competition no one can epxect to succeed unless he falls in with the demands of his business.

WHAT WOULD HAPPEN?

Sam Langum, of the Preston Times preaches a sermon nearly every week, and the following is one of his best ones. It is well worth perusing by that large army of foolish men who give no thought to the responsibilities of tomorrow:

Mr. Married Man, did you ever give much thought to what might happen when you died? Did you ever spend much time upon the fact than you were going to die? Did you ever realize that your wife would cease to be your wife and become a widow? Did you comprehend that your children would no longer be your children but would be known as your orphans? If you did grasp these facts which many men try to dodge, did you ever carry your speculations any further, thus wise.

Will my widow wear as good clothes as my wife? Where will the bread come from when the bread winner passes away? Will my orphans have the advantage of my children? It is rather a grim subject —this idea of death. Not dinner conversation at all. It's a pleasant thing to forget. Many people do successfully dodge the subject of their lives. But there is no dodging death itself. It never forgets. It never skips. Rich or poor —mighty or lowly—no matter. It is a fine thing to live. It makes a married man proud to have a home, to dress his wife, to give his children educational advantages and to keep his family in the front rank. It takes money, yes—but its fine for the children, delightful, for the wife, satisfying to the man. But—

When youve run your length, Mr. Married Man, what then? Some day your friends will lay a lily on your chest, heap the praise, the reverence, the kindly tributes that should have been yours through life, upon what is left of you, lay you away and proceed to forget you. But the widow wont forget. When you go to the cemetery will the widow go to the poorhouse? When you pass into the unknown, will your children pass into the asylum. There is no time to decide this but now. Prune a few luxuries. Start a bank account. Save! Leave an income! If you left your wife while alive the law would put you in jail. Death relieves you of the law, but not of the responsibility. Then again, Mr. Man, your saving may not merely be for your widow or your orphans. It may be for yourself. There are such things as blindness, paralysis, insanity. Think it over.

UNFAIR REPORT.

St. Paul Dispatch Publishes Misleading Article.

The St. Paul Dispatch published a dispatch from Crookston stating that a disastrous hail storm had passed over Red Lake county doing a very large amount of damage. The report was entirely untrue, as absolutely no damage has resulted from hail this year, or for several years past. The article attracted the attention of Mayor Duffy, who took the matter up with the Dispatch and wrote the following letter which will undoubtedly cause them to be more careful of what they print regarding Red Lake county matters in the future. The letter is as follows:

August 13, 1907.

St. Paul Dispatch,
St. Paul, Minn.

Gentlemen:

Enclosed I hand you a clipping from your issue of the 12th, dating from Crookston. It strikes me that your Crookston correspondent takes in too much territory, and is really doing Red Lake county, the dairy county of the state, an injustice to send in an article like this. Now, there was no hail or storm in Red county on this date or any days corresponding them. We had a little light shower, which was beneficial and did no damage, and as a patron of your paper and Mayor of this city I feel that a great injustice has been done this community. This is not the only time but has followed for a long series of time. Your correspondent with others at Crookston has got the Red River Valley in very much discredit in talking about their drainage schemes and their overflow and it seems they want to drag in the tributary territory in the same class with themselves. I am sure the patrons of your paper in this city would be thankful if you would confine your correspondent in Crookston to his own territory.

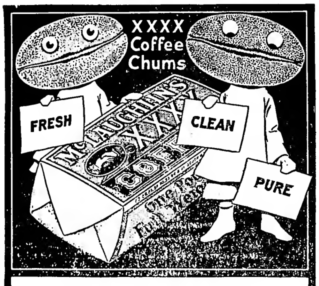
Knows the Reason.

It remained for Sunbeam Hunt to discover the reason why John Eastman is kicking against the product of the Red Lake Falls Milling company being sold at Thief River Falls and THE GAZETTE deems it timely to give Mr. Hunt's comment without [illegible]:

The Thief River Falls News complains that the Thief River Falls people are not patriotic because they use the celebrated "Mascot flour" manufactured at Red Lake Falls instead of the other stuff manufactured in their city. It takes lots of patriotism for a man to eat soggy bread and face an angry house wife when he goes home to dinner, so we suppose the house wives will continue to use Mascot flour even if hubby is in a county seat fight with the manufacturers.

For Sale—a top buggy and surrey both good as new.—P. O. Floan.

For Sale—Second hand Deering binder, one fresh milch cow.—Frank Busch. 2w



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BRAY.

Theodore Zaiser of Red Lake Falls was here and purchased a fine team of horses from Chas. Englund Sunday.

Oscar Swanson made a trip to Red Lake Falls Friday.

Joe Davidson a young "cowpuncher" employed on Mike Ault's farm had the misfortune of having his right shoulder hurt by falling from a horse which he was riding.

An agent of the Higinbotham land company of Red Lake Falls passed through here Thursday looking over hay land.

Mike Ault was at Radium last Sunday.

Ernest Akerland, Henry Lindbolm and Thomas Larson were seen going in a westerly direction last Sunday. Your correspondent does know their destination but most likely they went in quest of feminine attraction.

Sam Person of Polk Centre was in Bray last Sunday.

Among the Brayites at the fair at Thief River Falls were John Scholin, Thomas and Richard Larson, Henry Lindholm and sister, Clara.

Ed Crown was at St. Hilaire last Fridad.

Misses Clare and Esther Johnson drove to St Hilaire Wednesday.

Carl Johnson and daughter Emily of St. Hilaire were here Thursday.

George Hanson drove to St. Hilaire Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson visited with friends at Crookston Sunday and Monday, returning home Tuesday.

Sam Allard of East Grand Forks, came over yesterday and is spending today with his many Red Lake Falls friends.

Miss May Hamel arrived here Monday from Grafton, North Dakota, for a visit with her cousin, Miss Lillian Base.

George H. Tibbetts came up from the White Earth reservation Saturday and is spending the week with his family here.

Miss Alyce Boyd returned home yesterday morning from a several week's vacation trip with friends at Pierre, South Dakota.

Clement Brunelle went down to Crookston Sunday and spent Monday and a part of Tuesday looking over business matters.

William Philion has purchased the Nap Miller residence in the south part of town and moved his family there Tuesday.

The concert by the local band last Friday evening attracted a good crowd and as usual the program pleased the people immensely.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you

Mrs Joseph Jerome left this morning for her home at Battle River after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Charles E. Boughton.

The board of county commissioners was in session a few days this week. The official proceedings will be published in next week's paper.

You will harvest your crops with a smile on your face by using Plymouth binder twine and a Deering binder. For sale at Wm. Findeisen.

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Arthur Zaiser and Harry Garceau went to Grand Rapids Saturday and from there are visiting some of the pleasure resorts in the big wood-country south of the rapids.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall went up to Thief River Falls Monday and in company with Mrs. C. C. Jackson proceeded to the twin cities via Soo line for a visit with friends.

Miss Elida Peterson is spending this week with her parents near Wylie. Miss Peterson expects to leave shortly for Fargo where she will engage in the dressmaking business.

Father Fayolle desires THE GAZETTE to state that Sister Cecelia, the music teacher of St. Joseph's school has returned and is ready to commence giving music lessons again.

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The Red Lake Falls contingent of county fair visitors returned home Saturday. The fair is spoken of as having been very good this year, and a first-class crowd of visitors was present.

Mayor George E. Duis, of Grand Forks, spent last night in the city on business. Mr. Duis is general agent for the Gaar-Scott threshing machine company and was here conferring with local agent Swanson,

Leland E. and Verne E. Healy entertained a party of young people at the K of P. Hall in honor of their guest, Paul Spooner, of Morris. Dancing furnished the diversion and those present had a delightful time.

Henry Hennemuth has finished repairing the Red Lake Falls Milling company's elevator in Perrault station and returned home Saturday. The elevator was fixed up in first-class shape for the fall business.

Ovide Moreau came up from Norman county yesterday and is spending the week with his relatives and friends. Mr. Moreau has been employed on ditch work in Norman county and reports a prosperous season.

"Bud" Townsend shook hands with a number of friends at the depot Monday morning while on his way to Thief River Falls. "Bud" wanted to stop off a day or two in Red Lake Falls but didn't have time this trip.

C. O. Kankel, of Terrebonne, arrived home Tuesday from a week's trip through Montana and North Dakota, covering lots of territory while away, and he was favorably impressed with the parts of the country he went through.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Gaass and son left last Thursday evening for Pella, Iowa where they will attend the family reunion planned at the home of Mr. Gaass' parents. S. L. Lewis is looking after Mr. Gaass' office during his absence.

Plummer Pioneer: Louis Hanson was down from Thief River Falls on Tuesday morning to transfer the local agency of the Henson Barzen Milling Co. from Ole J Johnson to James Alrick. Mr Johnson talks of going west in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs T. Jacobson, of Montevideo, arrived this week and will make their home in this part of the country, it being their intention to rent a farm and engage in farming. They are at present visiting with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. James Enevoldson.

W. A. Reichel's photograph gallery will be closed for two weeks, beginning August 24th. Mr. and Mrs. Reichel intend to take in the photographic convention at St. Paul and visit with Mr. Reichel's mother and other relatives and also take in the state fair. 2w

Sheriff L. A. Nelson went over to Bemidji Tuesday to spend a couple of days attending the annual outing of the State Sheriffs' association which is being held there this week. Nearly every sheriff in Northern Minnesota is in attendance and reports are that they are having a fine time.

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Fred Burgdorf, George Beuder, and Emery Lasha returned home last evening from Montana where they have spent the past summer working at railroad construction.

Every farmer in southern Red Lake county has been "making hay while the sun shines" and a large amount of hay is in stack as a result. The hay crop is a good one and the farmers intend to have plenty to keep the dairy cattle up to top notch during the winter months.

Ed Wells, of Grand Forks, passed through the city Saturday evening in his Cadallic auto for an outing at Maple Lake. On the return trip through here Monday George Hennings and H. H. Zaiser accompanied him to the Forks and spent the night, returning home Tuesday.

A black bear was seen meandering through the woods near the Northern Pacific depot early Monday morning and a crowd of sportsmen hurried out there to try to get a shot at him. Mr. Bear was foxy however, and disappeared in the woods before the hunters could get at him.

Mr. and Mrs. George McConnell arrived here Friday evening and are spending the week with their many old-time Red Lake Falls friends While in the city they are guests of Mrs Anna Mikkelson. The McConnells are living at Minneapolis at present and are well and prospering.

Paul Spooner, of Morris, is a guest this week of his friends, Leland, Ralph and Verne Healy. Paul is a son of Senator Spooner of Stevens county, and is at present attending the University of Minnesota. He has visited here several times and is a favorite among the young people of Red Lake Falls.

The crew of Italians that has been working on the N. P. track near Perrault station have moved further south for a few days but will return to Perrault within a short time. Mose Ducharme, the elevator man, says that they have music and a parade every night and that the dusky fellows are good entertainers.

The Northfield News gives this excellent advice: "If you expect other people to trade at home, remember to set the proper example. If you are a merchant don't expect to convince your customers that trading at home is a virtue if you are using an outside brand of any kind manufactured in your own town and giving employment to home labor."

Having cinched the pennant in the North Valley league the Warren base ball club, a member of that league disbanded last week after the game with the Dooney-LePage team of Minneapolis. The Indians in the team were let go about two weeks ago, and Manager Brown has been gradually reducing It is probable that Cy Dahlgren and Holstein will be retained for some time longer and the rest of the team is made up of local boys.

The big Red Lake river log drive has been been here all week and they passed through the city yesterday. Foreman Sullivan has a big crew of men at work but has been experiencing a great deal of trouble in driving as a result of the low stage of water in the river. The water is being held at the St. Hilaire dam and let out about noon which makes the afternoon work much easier.

Mr. and Mrs C. C. Spaulding and children, Wilhelmina, Claire and Chester, arrived here last Friday, and are spending the week at the home of Mrs Spaulding's brother, Sam S Haislet. Mr. Spaulding is in the real estate business at Lincoln, Nebraska, and has been dealing largely in Colorado irrigated lands. He is very much impressed with the looks of Red Lake county and thinks it is the coming dairy county of the world.

Dr. J. E. Argue had an expert here the first of the week to look over his gasoline launch, and after a thorough overhauling the engine was started and the launch is now running nicely. The boat is one of the best made, but there was apparently some defect in the engine that took an expert to straighten out. The doctor expects to get a full measure of enjoyment out of the launch from now on until it freezes up.

An interesting story comes from Eagle River, in Kewaunee county, Mich. It concerns a farmer and a flock of geese. To prevent a jug of whiskey from breaking while being transported over the roads, he had placed it in a sack of peas. The cork came out, and when the farmer reached home he found that the whiskey had been absorbed by the peas. He threw the peas out in the yard, where unknown to the household, the geese ate them. In the morning the geese lay stark and cold. The wife, thrifty woman, did not cry over spilt milk but proceeded to save what she could from the wreck, and she plucked the geese before throwing away the supposed carcasses. The fowls lay there all day till late in the afternoon when the woman again heard the familiar call, and, looking out, she was amazed to see the flock of birds solemnly parading around the barn-yard arrayed only in their innate modesty. The geese had simply indulged an orgie with with the whiskey soaked peas and were sleeping off their "jag" when found by the farmer. He now has the original flock of featherless geese.

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"Poet and Peasant"
Trombone Solo.............. Sherman
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Selection ....Offenbach
"Offenbachiana"
Waltz.......................... Redfield
"Anadora"
Airs from "Bohemian Girl.."Balfe
Patrol.......................... Dalbey
"Blue and the Grey"
Intermezzo..........................Scull
"Missoula"

RACE IS FINISHED.

Rainy Lake Road First To Reach the Border.

The railroad construction race to the Canadian border, which has been on between the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg and the Minnesota & International roads for more than a year past, came to an end last week.

The Rainy Lake road is the victor. The Minnesota & International does not expect to be able to drive the last spike before Sept. 1, while the rival line was finished last week. The last spike was driven Saturday. Freight trains will begin running immediately, but passenger service will not be installed before Aug. 20, or probably before the first of September.

The new line strikes the border at Ranier and not at International Falls, as many people suppose. Ranier is located on the Rainy river, about two and one-half miles east of International Falls. A bridge at this point connects the Rainy river road with the Canadian Northern, giving direct connection with Winnipeg and other Canadian points.

The completion of the road will be an important event in the history of Duluth. Duluth is the distributing center for the entire region tapped by the Rainy River road. This territory is developing at a rapid rate and offers a fine field for local business interests, particularly the wholesalers and jobbers. In addition to the extensive lumbering industry, the land thru the territory crossed by the road is very fertile, rich in agricultural possibilities.

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A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS.

CHAPTER XVII.—(CONTINUED.)

He paused, and Trudaine again endeavored to speak such words as might show that he was not unworthy of the deadly risk which Lomaque was prepared to encounter. But once more the chief-agent peremptorily and irritably interposed.

"I tell you, for the third time," he said, "I will listen to no expressions of gratitude from you, till I know when I deserve them. It is true that I recollect your father's timely kindness to me—true that I have not forgotten what passed five years since, at your house by the river side. I remember everything, down to what you would consider the veriest trifle—that cup of coffee, for instance, which your sister kept hot for me. I told you then that you would think better of me some day. I know that you do now. But this is not all. You want to glorify me to my face for risking my life for you. I am weary of life. I can't look back to it with pleasure. I am too old to look forward to what is left of it with hope. There was something in that night at your house before the wedding—something in what you said, in what your sister did—which altered me. I have had my days of gloom and self-reproach, from time to time, since then. I have sickened at my slavery, and subjection, and duplicity, and cringing, first under one master, then under another. I have longed to look back at my life, and comfort myself with the sight of some good action, just as a frugal man comforts himself with the sight of his little savings laid by in an old drawer. I can't do this, and I want to do it. The want takes me like a fit, at uncertain intervals—suddenly, under the most incomprehensible influences. A glance up at the blue sky—starlight over the houses of this great city, when I look out at the night from my garret window—a child's voice coming suddenly, I don't know where from—the piping of my neighbor's linnet in his little cage—now one thing, and then another, wakes up that want in me in a moment. Rascal as I am, those few simple words your sister spoke to the judge went through and through me like a knife. Strange, in a man like me, isn't it? I am amazed at it myself. My life? Bah! I've let it out for hire to be kicked about by rascals from one dirty place to another, like a football! It's my whim to give it a last kick myself, and throw it away decently before it lodges on the dunghill forever. Your sister kept a good cup of coffee hot for me, and I give her a bad life in return. Thank me for it! What folly! Thank me when I have done something useful. Don't thank me for that!"

He snapped his fingers contemptuously as he spoke, and walked away to the outer door to receive the jailer, who returned at that moment.

"Well," inquired the hunchback, "has anybody asked for me?"

"No," said Lomaque; "not a soul has entered the room. What sort of wine did you get?"

"So-so! Good at a pinch, friend—good at a pinch."

"Ah! you should go to my shop and try a certain cask, filled with a particular vintage!"

"What shop? Which vintage?"

"I can't stop to tell you now; but we shall most likely meet again to-day. I expect to be at the prison this afternoon. Shall I ask for you? Good! I won't forget!" With those farewell words he went out, and never so much as looked back at the prisoners before he closed the door behind him.

Trudaine returned to his sister, fearful lest his face should betray what had passed during the extraordinary interview between Lomaque and himself. But whatever change there might be in his expression, Rose did not seem to notice it. She was still strangely inattentive to all outward things. That spirit of resignation, which is the courage of women in all great emergencies, seemed now to be the one animating spirit that fed the flame of life within her.

When her brother sat down by her, she only took his hand gently, and said: "Let us stop together like this, Louis, till the time comes. I am not afraid of it, for I have nothing but you to make me love life, and you, too, are going to die. Do you remember the time when I used to grieve that I never had a child to be some comfort to me? I was thinking a moment ago how horrible it would have been now, if my wish had been granted. It is a blessing for me, in this great misery, that I am childless! Let us talk of old days, Louis, as long as we can—not of my husband, or my marriage—only of the old times, before I was a burden and a trouble to you."

CHAPTER XVIII.

THE day wore on. By ones, twos, and threes at a time, the condemned prisoners came from the tribunal, and collected in the waiting room. At two o'clock all was ready for the calling over of the death-list. It was read and verified by an officer of the court; and then the gaoler took his prisoners back to St. Lazare.

Evening came. The prisoners' meal had been served; the duplicate of the death-list had been read in public at the grate; the cell doors were all locked. From the day of their arrest, Rose and her brother, partly through the influence of a bribe, partly through Lomaque's intercession, had been confined together in one cell; and together they now awaited the dread event of the morrow.

The morning came, and the hot summer sunrise. What life was left in the terror-struck city awoke for the day faintly; and still the suspense of the long night remained unlightened. It was drawing near the hour when the tumbrils were to come for the victims doomed on the day before. Trudaine's ear could detect even the faintest sound in the echoing prison-region outside his cell. Soon, listening near the door, he heard voices disputing on the other side of it. Suddenly the bolts were drawn back, the key turned in the lock, and he found himself standing face to face with the hunchback and one of his subordinate attendants.

"Look!" muttered this last man, sulkily, "there they are, safe in their cell, just as I said; but I tell you again they are not down in the list. What do you mean by bullying me about not chalking their door last night, along with the rest? Catch me doing your work for you again, when you're too drunk to do it yourself!"

"Hold your tongue, and let me have another look at the list!" returned the hunchback, turning away from the cell door, and snatching a slip of paper from the other's hand. "The devil take me if I can make head or tail of it!" he exclaimed, scratching his head, after a careful examination of the list. "I could swear that I read over their names at the grate yesterday afternoon, with my own lips; and yet, look as long as I may, I certainly can't find them written down here. Give us a pinch, friend. Am I awake or dreaming? drunk or sober this morning?"

"Sober, I hope," said a quiet voice at his elbow. "I have just looked in to see how you are after yesterday."

"How I am, Citizen Lomaque? Petrified with astonishment. You yourself took charge of that man and woman for me, in the waiting room, yesterday morning; and as for myself, I could swear to having read their names at the grate yesterday afternoon. Yet this morning there are no such things as these said names to be found in the list. What do you think of that?"

"And what do you think," interrupted the aggrieved subordinate, "of his having the impudence to bully me for being careless in chalking the doors, when he was too drunk to do it himself?—too drunk to know his right hand from his left! If I wasn't the best natured man in the world, I should report him to the head gaoler."

"Quite right of you to excuse him, and quite wrong of him to bully you," said Lomaque, persuasively. "Take my advice," he continued confidentially to the hunchback, "and don't trust too implicitly to that slippery memory of yours, after our little drinking bout yesterday. You could not really have read their names at the grate, you know, or of course they would be down on the list. As for the waiting room at the tribunal, a word in your ear: chief-agents of police know strange secrets. The president of the court condemns and pardons in public; but there is somebody else, with the power of ten thousand presidents, who now and then condemns and pardons in private. You can guess who. I say no more, except that I recommend you to keep your head on your shoulders, by troubling it about nothing but the list there in your hand. Stick to that literally, and nobody can blame you. Make a fuss about mysteries that don't concern you, and——"

Lomaque stopped, and holding his hand edgewise, let it drop significantly over the hunchback's head. The action, and the hints which preceded it, seemed to bewilder the little man more than ever. He stared perplexedly at Lomaque; uttered a word or two of rough apology to his subordinate, and rolling his misshapen head portentously, walked away with the death-list crumpled up nervously in his hand.

"I should like to have a sight of them, and see if they really are the same man and woman whom I looked after yesterday morning in the waiting room," said Lomaque, putting his hand on the cell door, just as the deputy-jailer was about to close it again.

"Look in, by all means," said the man. "No doubt you will find that drunken booby as wrong in what he told you about them as he is about everything else."

Lomaque made use of the privilege granted to him immediately. He saw Trudaine sitting with his sister in the corner of the cell farthest from the door, evidently for the purpose of preventing her from overhearing the conversation outside. There was an unsettled look, however, in her eyes, a slowly heightening color in her cheeks, which showed her to be at least vaguely aware that something unusual had been taking place in the corridor.

Lomaque beckoned to Trudaine to leave her, and whispered to him: "The prescription has worked well. You are safe for to-day. Break the news to your sister, as gently as you can. Danville"—he stopped and listened till he satisfied himself, by the sound of the deputy-gaoler's footsteps, that the man was lounging toward the farther end of the corridor. "Danville," he resumed, "after having mixed with the people outside the grate yesterday, and having heard your names read, was arrested in the evening by secret order from Robespierre, and sent to the Temple. What charge will be laid to him, or when he will be brought to trial, it is impossible to say. I only know that he is arrested. Hush! don't talk now; my friend outside is coming back. Keep quiet—hope everything from the chances and changes of public affairs; and comfort yourself with the thought that you are both safe for to-day."

"And to-morrow?" whispered Trudaine.

"Don't think of to-morrow," returned Lomaque, turning away hurriedly to the door. "Let to-morrow take care of itself."

CHAPTER XIX.

ON a spring morning, in the year seventeen hundred and ninety-eight, the public conveyance then running between Chalons-sur-Marne and Paris set down one of its outside passengers at the first post-station beyond Meaux. The traveler, an old man, after looking about him hesitatingly for a moment or two, betook himself to a little inn opposite the post-house known by the sign of the Piebald Horse, and kept by the Widow Duval—a woman who enjoyed and deserved the reputation of being the fastest talker and the best maker of gibelotte in the whole locality.

He sat down alone in the inn-parlor and occupied the time, while his hostess had gone to fetch the half-bottle of wine that he ordered, in examining a dirty old card which he extricated from a mass of papers in his pocket book, and which bore written on it these lines:

"When the troubles are over, do not forget those who remember you with eternal gratitude. Stop at the first post-station beyond Meaux, on the high-road to Paris, and ask at the inn for Citizen Maurice, whenever you wish to see us or to hear of us again."

"Pray," inquired Lomaque, putting the card in his pocket when the Widow Duval brought in the wine, "can you inform me whether a person named Maurice lives anywhere in this neighborhood?"

"Can I inform you?" repeated the voluble widow. "Of course I can! Citizen Maurice, and the citoyenne, his amiable sister—who is not to be passed over because you don't mention her, my honest man!—live within ten minutes' walk of my house. A charming cottage, in a charming situation, inhabited by two charming people—so quiet, so retiring, such excellent pay. I supply them with everything—fowls, eggs, bread, butter, vegetables (not that they eat much of anything), wine (which they don't drink half enough of to do them good); in short, I victual the dear little hermitage, and love the two amiable recluses with all my heart. Ah! they have had their troubles, poor people, the sister especially, though they never talk about them. When they first came to live in our neighborhood——"

"I beg pardon, citoyenne, but if you would only be so kind as to direct me——"

"Which is three—no, four—no, three years and a half ago—in short, just after the time when that Satan of a man, Robespierre, had his head cut off (and serve him right!) I said to my husband (who was on his last legs then, poor man!) 'She'll die'—meaning the lady. She didn't, though. My fowls, eggs, bread, butter, vegetables and wine, carried her through—always in combination with the anxious care of Citizen Maurice. Yes, yes! let us be tenderly conscientious in giving credit where credit is due; never let us forget that the citizen Maurice contributed something to the cure of the interesting invalid, as well as the victuals and drink from the Piebald Horse. There she is now, the prettiest little woman in the prettiest little cottage——"

"Where? Will you be so obliging as to tell me where?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Small Chip of a Great Block.

Gen. Sherman has a grandson and namesake resident in Boston. William Tecumseh Sherman Thorndike is a very young gentleman, still in kilts, but possessed of a remarkable plainness of speech and not at all inclined to lisp or use any babyish circumlocutions when he marches upon any difficulty. His mind has been the battlefield of a problem evidently of late. He has been assailed in his mind even in his nursery and he put the question to the touch the other day in prompt military fashion, determined to possess himself of an unprejudiced outside opinion, entirely uninfluenced by parental or nurse's notions. He appeared beside his mother, Gen. Sherman's daughter, in her drawing room while a visitor was present and exchanged courtesies of introduction politely with a manner most distinguished for infancy. Sherman sat regarding the visitor in silence for a few moments, then he leaned a little forward and, with the distinctness of a diplomat, enunciated his question:

"Should you be mad with me if you saw me suck my thumb?"—Boston Transcript.

Withering.

From the Plunkville Bugle: "We have it on good authority that the insect which is gradually sapping the vitals of the Clarion under the impression that he is editing it says that he is personally responsible for the remarks he has chosen to make about us. That's where his editorials differ from the groceries he owes for."—Indianapolis Journal.

Cheaper Than Jails.

It will cost over $13,000,000 to buy new sites for the schoolless children of New York. But even at this figure schools are cheaper than jails.

THE NEW YORK LIFE'S PROGRAM.

Economy, Publicity and the Paramount Interest of Policyholders.

President Kingsley, of the New York Life Insurance Company, says, in an address to the policyholders, that his plan of administration involves these points:

"First: Strict economy; second, the widest, fairest and fullest publicity; third, the continuance of the New York Life as a world-wide institution; fourth, such an amount of new business under the law as we can secure while practicing intelligent economy, and enforcing the idea that the interest of the policy-holder is paramount."

Allowances Necessary.

"Why does marriage seem to dispel so much of the glamor of affection?" asked the sentimental young woman.

"Well," answered Miss Cayenne, "perhaps a woman doesn't make sufficiant allowance. It must be very hard for a man to seem as graceful and heroic when advocating household economics as when he is offering to lay the world at your feet."—Washington Star.

FEARFUL BURNING SORES.

Boy in Misery 12 Years—Eczema in Rough Scales, Itching and Inflamed—Cured by Cuticura.

"Cuticura has put a stop to twelve years of misery I passed with my son. As an infant I noticed on his body a red spot and treated same with different remedies for about five years, but when the spot began to get larger I put him under the care of doctors. Under their treatment the disease spread to four different parts of his body. During the day it would get rough and form like scales. At night it would be cracked, inflamed and badly swollen, with terrible burning and itching. One doctor told me that my son's eczema was incurable, and gave it up. I decided to give Cuticura a trial. When I had used the first box of Cuticura Ointment there was a great improvement, and by the time I had used the second set of Cuticura Remedies my child was cured. He is now twelve years old, and his skin is as fine and smooth as silk. Michael Steinman, 7 Sumner Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y., April 16, 1905."

WHERE WAS THE SLEEK CAT?

Pound of Meat Was There, but the Kitten Was Missing.

A certain family living in one of the suburbs of New York owned a kitten of which they were very fond. When they went away for the summer it was decided after various consultations to leave the kitten with the butcher, on condition that he should treat it with the greatest kindness and give it about a pound of meat a week, besides its daily allotment of cream.

Some weeks after the family had closed the house for the summer the nominal head of the family visited the suburb to attend to some business matters and decided that he might as well drop in at the butcher's to see how the kitten was getting along.

He found the kitten curled up in the corner asleep and apparently at peace with the world, but, far from being sleek and well fed in appearance, it was so thin that he felt constrained to call the attention of the butcher to the fact.

"Do you mean to say you have fed that cat a pound of meat during the last week?" he asked.

"I certainly have," responded the butcher.

"Put him on the scales and see how much he weighs."

The butcher did as requested and gently deposited the kitten in the balance. The pointer indicated exactly one pound.

"Well, grunted the owner of the animal, "there's the pound of meat all right, but where's the cat?"

SOAKED IN COFFEE

Until Too Stiff to Bend Over.

"When I drank coffee I often had sick headaches, nervousness and biliousness much of the time, but when I went to visit a friend I got in the habit of drinking Postum.

"I gave up coffee entirely and the result has been that I have been entirely relieved of all my stomach and nervous trouble.

"My mother was just the same way. We all drink Postum now, and without coffee in the house for 2 years, we are all well.

"A neighbor of mine, a great coffee drinker, was troubled with pains in her side for years and was an invalid. She was not able to do her work and could not even mend clothes or do anything at all where she would have to bend forward. If she tried to do a little hard work she would get such pains that she would have to lie down for the rest of the day.

"At last I persuaded her to stop drinking coffee and try Postum Food Coffee and she did so and has used Postum ever since; the result has been that she can now do her work, can sit for a whole day and mend and can sew on the machine and she never feels the least bit of pain in her side, in fact, she has got well and it shows coffee was the cause of the whole trouble.

"I could also tell you about several other neighbors who have been cured by quitting coffee and using Postum in its place." "There's a Reason." Look in pkg. for the famous little book "The Road to Wellville."

LONG LIST OF BIRDS THAT EAT SCALE INSECTS

Valuable Service Rendered in Holding Pest in Check—By W. L. McAtee, Ass't. Biological Survey.

The importance of birds to the farmer in his warfare against insects is everywhere recognized; indeed, it may be said that successful agriculture would be well-nigh impossible without their aid. One important role, however, is filled by birds, in which the value of their services has not been appreciated, chiefly, no doubt, because the facts are not generally known. This is as destroyers of scale insects. Very little has been published on the subject, although at least six foreign species and about the same number of native ones have been reported as feeding upon scales. These facts have been either overlooked or little weight has been attached to them. Indeed, only recently currency has been given to a statement that birds never feed upon scales. Not only is this statement not true, but investigations by the biological survey prove conclusively that scales are eaten by many species of birds and that with some species they are a favorite food.

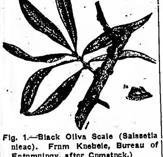

Fig. 1.—Black Olive Scale (Saissetia oleae). From Knebele, Bureau of Entomology, after Comstock.)

Among the most interesting published observations on this point are those of R. Newstead, Chester, England. He mentions four scale insects which were preyed upon by five species of birds, and it is to be noted that two of the scales and two of the birds are identical with species occurring in the United States. The house sparrow was found apparently feeding upon the hawthorn scale (Eulecanium genevense), which occurs only in Europe. Another scale insect, nevertheless, and an injurious one, the oyster-shell bark-louse (Mytilaspis pomorum), which was eaten by the birds Mr. Newstead studied, is a common pest in the United States. It was fed upon by the tree-creeper, a near relative of our brown creeper.

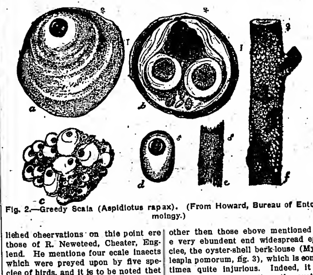

Fig. 2.—Greedy Scale (Aspidiotus rapax). (From Howard, Bureau of Entomology.)

Recent investigations show that a very much larger number of our North American birds prey upon scales than was expected, and some eat them to a considerable extent. Their influence upon the number of these pests, while doubtless less than that of the predaceous insects, is of far more importance than has yet been recognized. Among the scales they devour are some most notorious pests.

At least two native birds eat the plum scale, which is destructive to cherry and plum trees. One of them is the beautiful rose-breasted grosbeak (Zamelodia ludoviciana). A female of this species collected by the writer in Indiana had eaten 36 of these scales, composing 95 per cent. of the stomach contents. Two other grosbeaks from Illinois did still better. One consumed about 45 plum scales, which made up 95 per cent. of its food, while the other had eaten nothing but plum scales, of which its stomach contained more than 100. The cardinal or redbird also feeds upon the plum scale, one taken in Texas in April having consumed a number sufficient to form 84 per cent. of its stomach contents.

These two species of birds devour other scale insects also, some of which are closely related to the plum scale. The rose-breasted grosbeak has been found to eat the hickory scale (Eulecanium caryæ) and the tulip scale (Eulecanium tuliperferæ). The latter is very destructive to shade trees in some parts of the eastern United States. While both the rose-breasted and the cardinal grosbeak eat scales of the genus Eulecanium in large numbers, we have been unable to identify specifically any others, with the probable exception of the locust scale, Eulecanium robinarium (Douglas), from the stomach of a cardinal collected in Texas. Another grosbeak, the black-headed (Zamelodia melanocephala), at home in the western United States, preys upon scales of the same genus. It is known to select the frosted scale (Eulecanium pruinosum), which attacks fruit trees such as apricot, peach, prune and cherry, and is already important economically, with possibilities of becoming a serious pest if unchecked. It relishes also the apricot scale (Eulecanium ermeniacum), which is an enemy of apricot, prune, pear and other trees.

In the southeastern United States occurs an allied genus of scale insects, Toumeyella. The cardinal feeds upon at least one species of this group.

Distributed chiefly along the Pacific coast is a scale which is closely related to those of the above-mentioned genera and is preyed upon by many birds. This is the black olive scale (Saissetia oleæ, fig. 1).

Another scale insect which is eaten by several birds, but which differs from the last-mentioned species in that it confines itself to a single host plant, is the oak scale (Kermes). Oak scales are not conspicuously injurious, but this fact does not detract from the value of the birds which feed upon them, since we can be assured they do not neglect other kinds which are destructive. In fact, one of the oak-scale feeders, the rose-breasted grosbeak, is already known to feed upon other and harmful scales.

The following species of birds have been found to devour the oak scale:

Rose-breasted grosbeak, red-eyed vireo, white-eyed vireo, worm-eating warbler, magnolia warbler, blackpoll warbler, Canadian warbler.

The oaks, infested as they are by the comparatively innocuous Kermes, are fortunate in comparison to the maples, which are attacked by Pulvinaria. The cottony maple scale (Pulvinaria innumerabilis) is a special pest of the tree from which it derives its common name, but it is found upon scores of others.

Among scale insects eaten by birds other than those above mentioned is a very abundant and widespread species, the oyster-shell bark-louse (Mytilaspis pomorum, fig. 3), which is sometimes quite injurious. Indeed, it is said that in some sections the oyster-shell bark-louse is, with the exception of the San Jose scale, the most destructive scale insect.

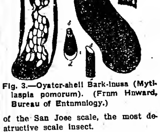

Fig. 3.—Oyster-shell Bark-louse (Mytilaspis pomorum). (From Howard, Bureau of Entomology.)

Following is a list of birds ascertained to feed upon scale insects none of which were specifically identified:

Hairy woodpecker (Dryobates villosus).
Northern downy woodpecker (Dryobates p. medianus).
Red-cockaded woodpecker (Dryobates borealis).
Arctic three-toed woodpecker (Picodes articus).
Yellow-bellied woodpecker (Sphyrapicus varius).
Red-headed woodpecker (Melanerpes erythrocephalus).
Blue jay (Cyanocitta cristata).
Orchard oriole (Icterus spurius).
Baltimore oriole (Icterus galbula).
Cedar waxwing (Ampelis cedrorum).
Townsend warbler (Dendroica townsendi).
Tufted titmouse (Baeolophus bicolor).
Bridled titmouse (Baeolophus wollweberi).
Carolina chickadee (Parus carolinensis).
Ruby-crowned kinglet (Regulus calendula).
Varied thrush (Ixoreus naevius).

All told, 57 species of birds have been found to eat scale insects. It is interesting to note that this number comprises representatives of 12 families, differing widely not only in structure but in habits. They are distributed as follows: Nine woodpeckers, 2 jays, 3 orioles, 8 sparrows, 1 waxwing; 6 vireos, 11 warblers, 2 wrens, 1 tree creeper, 2 nuthatches and 8 tits of the titmouse family, 1 kinglet and 1 gnatcatcher of the old world warbler family, and the varied thrush and the bluebird.

When to Cut Alfalfa. — Alfalfa should be cut when coming into bloom, and not too close to the ground. Hay caps to cover alfalfa and protect it from dew, rain and sunshine are desirable. One-half the value of alfalfa hay may be lost if it is not properly protected.—Prof. R. A. Moore.

TIRED BACKS.

The kidneys have a great work to do in keeping the blood pure. When they get out of order it causes backache, headaches, dizziness languor and distressing urinary troubles. Keep the kidneys well and all these sufferings will be saved you. Mrs. S. A. Moore, proprietor of a restaurant at Weterville, Mo., says: "Before using Dosn's Kidney Pills I suffered everything from kidney troubles for a year and a half. I had pain in the back and head, and almost continuous in the loins and felt weary all the time. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills brought great relief, and I kept on taking them until in a short time I was cured. I think Doan's Kidney Pills are wonderful."

For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Politics in Kentucky.

"Ain't no use tryin' to steer the people on to Taft's Tonic," declared the drug store philosopher, "when what the kentry demands is Roosevelt's Ready Relief."

It Cures While You Walk.

Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous, and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

A Thoughtful Wife.

Mrs. Knicker—Has Mabel arranged for the summer?

Mrs. Bocker—No, she's trying to think of some way her husband won't have a good time, too.

Does Your Head Ache?

If so, get a box of Krause's Headache Capsules of your Druggist. 25c. Norman Lichty Mfg. Co., Des Moines, Ia.

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A big shingle often hides a mighty small business.

A good many resolutions die of heart failure.

SHIP CATTLE, HOGS AND SHEEP.
Highest market price guaranteed.
CARSON, WOOD & WEILLER,
South St. Paul, Minnesota.

First Japanese Railway Train.

The throttle of the first Japanese railway train was pulled by an American, Duncan McDoneld, now a veteran in the employ of the Southern Pacific. That was thirty-five years ago, says the Railroad Man's Magazine, on the occasion of the completion of the narrow gauge line from Yokohama to Tokio, and McDonald had the honor of drawing the present mikado, then a young man of scarcely twenty.

New "Heat Veil."

The fire department of Cologne, Germany, has adopted as a protection to the faces of the men a newly invented "heat veil." The veil is made after the principle of a safety lamp, with double windows. It is composed of fibers of cane, which, as is known, possess the peculiar property of retaining water for a considerable length of time. The veil is dampened before being fastened to the fireman's ordinary brass helmet.

Children and Forestry

Massachusetts is trying to arouse her public school pupils to interest in forestry, and the state forester, F. W. Rass, has sent out to every school superintendent in the state a circular letter setting forth the desirability of further educating the children in caring for trees. He offers seedlings and seed of white pine, white ash, red spruce, beech, chestnut and acorn trees on payment of the actual expense of digging and express charges.

Brains are Built
from certain kinds of
FOOD
Try
Grape-Nuts

"America has become a land of nervous emotionalists, largely owing to our sins against the dietetic health laws of nature.

"Only outdoor exercise in a cold climate would enable vigorous individuals of our species to digest the viands forced upon alimentary organs enfeebled by sedentary occupations," wrote Dr. Felix Oswald.

Brain workers must have different food than laborers, because brain work uses up parts of the brain and nerve centers, while physical labor uses up other parts of the body.

Grape-Nuts, a food for brain workers, prepared by scientific food makers, is a pure, natural food made from selected parts of field grains known to contain the natural phosphate of potash and other elements required by the system in rebuilding and repairing the brain and nerve centers. This food is skillfully cooked at the factory and is ready to be served instantly with cream. At all first-class grocers and made by the Postum Co., at Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little health classic, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

DISPOSAL OF DAIRY AND FARM SEWERAGE AND WATER-SUPPLY

A Practical Treatise by Prof. Oscar Erf, of the Kansas State Agricultural College.

The principal underlying the disposal of the sewage on the farm should be essentially similar to that of the cities. The proper method of disposing the sewage on the farm eliminates a great many dangers which constantly face the farmer. One of the most serious dangers is contamination of the water-supply. If the water-supply on the dairy farm is contaminated it will be impossible to produce sanitary milk, since utensils washed in impure water will directly affect the milk. The cesspool, so common on dairy farms, quite frequently secures a direct connection with the well, especially if located near it, and thus contaminates the water. Polluted water comes from improper sewage disposal, and is generally infected from household excrements, barn-yard drainage, etc. Its use leads to bowel disturbances, typhoid fever, and dysentery, affecting man and beast alike. The health of large communities of people who draw their food supply from the country is in a measure dependent upon the healthfulness of the farming community. In fact, there is scarcely a city child whose health is not in a degree dependent upon the sanitary condition of the barn and house of the dairyman. Milk has frequently been shown to be the means of disease distribution.

With these conditions before us it is absolutely necessary to have a good sewage-disposal plant on every farm. Health cannot be measured by cost; for a small cost should not stand in the way to any great extent in erecting a plant that is effective for this purpose.

The dairy department of the Kansas State Experiment station has for the past few years been experimenting on the different methods of sewage disposal, and it is now ready to advocate a system that is comparatively inexpensive, and is practical for every farm; in fact, in some cases it has proven to be a source of great profit when used for irrigating and fertilizing truck patches and farm crops. It has furthermore proven to be a labor-saving contrivance in the way of cleaning cow stables, providing the stables are properly constructed, as shown in Fig. 2 and 3.

The average cow voids about 20,000 pounds of manure per year, of which approximately 9,500 pounds are liquid and 10,500 pounds solid. If the gutters are properly constructed the liquid manure will take care of itself and will reduce the labor one-half of what it would be were the liquid absorbed by some absorbent like straw and then removed with the solid excrements.

Liquid manure contains a high per cent. of nitrogen, the most expensive part of a fertilizer. According to Snyder, liquid manure from cows fed a well-balanced ration contains about 80 per cent. water and 1.2 per cent. of nitrogen; solid manure contains 76 per cent. of water and .5 per cent. of nitrogen. This shows the comparative high value of liquid manure, which, on average farms of Kansas, is allowed to flow into streams and pollute the same.

According to Woll, the value of manure from a cow for one year, fed on a well-balanced ration, is estimated at $29.97. This is a source of income for the farmer which is seldom taken into consideration because his conditions are such that he is not able to take care of it. By means of a proper sewage-disposal system the value of this manure may be fully recovered, besides making conditions on the farm more sanitary.

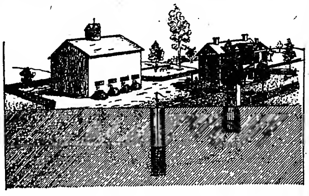
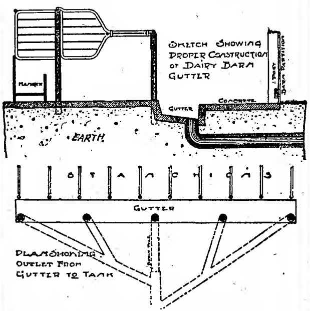


Fig. 1.—Showing method of Contamination of Well Water from Manure Yards and Cess Pools.


SKETCH SHOWING PROPER CONSTRUCTION OF DAIRY BARN GUTTER
MANGER
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PLAN SHOWING OUTLET FROM GUTTER TO TANK

Fig. 2.—Showing a sketch of the proper construction of a gutter in a dairy barn which will remove the liquid manure. This gutter should be 27 inches wide. The bottom should be inclined one-half inch to the foot. The spaces between the outlets may range from 12 to 15 feet. The depth of the gutter on the cow's side should be at least one foot. The advantage of this gutter over a narrow trough or half circle is as follows:

It has been the experience with dairy men having square, narrow gutters back of cows that the solid manure blocks the flow of the liquid manure. Hence it is necessary to remove by hand both the liquid and the solid manure. With the scheme as shown above the gutter is wide and the solid manure is voided on the side of the gutter on which the cow stands. The gutter being wide, the solid manure does not cover the bottom of the gutter, thus allowing the liquid manure to flow on the lowest end of the gutter, and from there to the sewage disposal system.

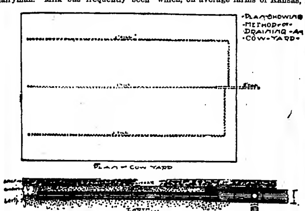
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Fig. 3.—Showing Method of Drainage of a Cow Yard, or the Covered-Yard System.

FIRST PLACE SURE

WASHINGTON WILL BE WORLD'S MOST BEAUTIFUL CAPITAL.

Transformation Now Going On is Rapidly Bringing This About—Splendid Buildings of Marble and White Granite.

A letter published recently in the Boston Transcript contains the following interesting comment on the national capital:

The Emperor Augustus, who found Rome brick and left it marble, enjoyed peculiar facilities for working the transformation. The Augustus age was not one in which it was safe for real estate operators to build cheaply after the emperor had hinted that his policy was to have a splendid capital. We have no Augustus to compel the recasting of the architectural aspect of our national capital. That is left to the operation of economic forces, which when once manifested are imperial in their tendencies, and to-day Washington is being enriched with many buildings, big, impressive structures, because the construction of such emphatically pays. The conversion from brick to marble on the Augustan scale has not come and may not be coming, but in the new great buildings of the capital whether private or public, the materials dominates. The local conditions are peculiarly favorable to the employment of this material.

In spite of the constant agitation of the Washingtonians for a better anti-smoke law, there is very little smoke to trouble the atmosphere. On a sunny day but a feather of smoke appears here and there against a sky of almost Italian blue. The marble suffers little from the cause which would make a marble building in London either a monument of extravagance or of those defeated.

Scenically marble is a success in Washington, marble or its substitute, white granite. Its whiteness is emphasized by the greenery of boscage of the parks and by the blueness of the sky. In the new development of the capital two influences have been at work, that of the government, which builds big because the country pays the bills, and that of business, which builds big because the requirements of trade and commerce so demand. The great public buildings include the two immense and classic-fronted annexes for the senate and house, which flank the capitol on either side, and which when completed will, as seen from the treasury corner, be as two broad massive bars of white in the perspective. The new Agricultural Department building, and the new National museum are of a dignity which will make the Smithsonian's eccentric architecture even more a grief to the judicious than it is now. The new municipal building, or, as we should call it, the city hall, is gradually developing its substance. It, too, will be classic in outline. It stands not far from the treasury corner, around which the most marked business development of the city is progressing. Near the capitol the white facade of the union station draws near completion, and part of the building, which will contain thirty tracks when finished, will shortly be occupied by the Baltimore & Ohio. The present wooden countrified depot of the Baltimore & Ohio, whose tower always appears to wear an expression of surprise at finding itself in a city, will be swept away in the improvement of the approaches to the grand new terminus which will serve all railroads entering Washington, the Southern lines obtaining access to it by a tunnel under Capitol hill.

Mention of the "new highway bridge" is a reminder that one of the most familiar landmarks, or perhaps watermarks, of Washington is disappearing as the workmen level the superstructure of the old historic Long bridge and grub up the piling. The railroads now cross the Potomac on a modern steel bridge, built high above the tide. For the trolleys, for teams and foot passengers there is the highway bridge paralleling that used exclusively by the railroads. It has a most excellent highway surface, approached by broad and winding avenues on the Washington side. The two bridges are not things of beauty. They are severely utilitarian, which is a pity when we consider what a noble part they might have been in the vista of the broad Potomac. Standing on the highway bridge at sunset one obtains a view that is almost pathetic in its charms, the city on one side of the river, and on the other the Virginia hills on which the white front of the Arlington is a note of attention. Washington is not yet the most beautiful capital in the world, though Washingtonians say it is, but it is moving rapidly toward the attainment of their proud characterization.

Women In Postal Service.

One of the signs of growth in our postal system appears in the employment of women. Up to 1862 women had never been employed in the service. Then they were admitted to the dead-letter office—eight of them. Now of the 1,195 employes in the department in Washington 309 are women, and there are in the whole country 27,600 women employed, generally in the stamp delivery or money order offices, and receiving salaries running from $400 to $1,700 a year.

New York's Big Debt.

New York city is the second in the Union for size of per capita debt, it being $113.25, Newton Mass., coming first with $125.58.

MRS. A. M. HAGERMANN

ALL WOMEN SUFFER

from the same physical disturbances, and the nature of their duties, in many cases, quickly drift them into the horrors of all kinds of female complaints, organic troubles, ulceration, falling and displacements, or perhaps irregularity or suppression causing backache, nervousness, irritability, and sleeplessness.

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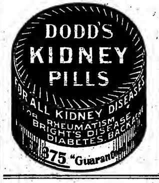

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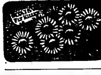

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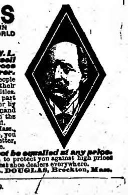

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I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall Visitors are always welcome.—Fred Zaiser N.G. Dr. J. E. Argue, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S. James E. Ford, F. S.

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S'MORE LOCAL.

Baud concert Friday night.

Joe Morissette was in from Plummer today.

Master George Bray visited at St. Hilaire today.

Liveryman Wiebterman was in from Plummer Tuesday.

J. J. and Lew Padden visited at Crookston Monday night.

Deputy Sheriff Robert Lee was a business caller nere yesterday.

J. K. Wood was down from Thief River Falls a couple of days this week.

Peter Hansel, the Wylie blacksmith was a business caller here yesterday.

Ed Bray was a business visitor at Brooks and Plummer Tuesday and yesterday.

J. F. Parker, the Clearwater logging hustler was a business caller here Tuesday.

Archie Barrett, of Crookston, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brunelle this week.

Lew Padden has been down from Thief River Falls this week visiting his brother, John.

Court Commissioner S. T. Johnson was down from Thief River Falls Tuesday evening.

The Big Store has a new ad in today's paper. Many seasonable bargains are quoted.

W. E. Black the Crookston collector and insurance man was a business caller here Monday.

A. L. Roy has a supply of hard coal on hand and is now prepared to deliver it on short notice.

John Bundy, with the International Harvestor company was a business caller here last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schreiter are expected home this week from their visit at their old Wisconsin homes.

Mr. Charles Durocher and young son of Kankakee, Ill., are visiting Mr. Durocher's sister Mrs. Emma LeBlanc for a few weeks at the home of his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gibeau.

A large addition has been added to the CROOKSTON COLLEGE this summer. The building is up-to date in every respect and will now accommodate 500 students. The college catalogue is just printed and you can get a copy free by writing to J. C. Sathre. Crookston, Minn.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall, August 8th, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Ro'l called

Aldermen present: Borchers, Crompe and Paul.

Aldermen absent: Hennemuth and Brady.

Minutes of last regular meeting read and approved.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

Eus Normandeau, blacksmith acct	$ 7 95
Julius Keihl, for street work	17 25
" "	18 00
John Deforge, "	19 80
Herman Lindner, cement crossing	3 60
John Drier, salary as fire warden 3 months at $6 a month	18 00
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., street lights for July, 1907	110 01

The application of Leo Steinert for correction and abatement of taxes on lot 1 of block 3, was on motion duly recommended.

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Borchers, president.

Approved this 14th day of August, A. D., 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

Red Lake Falls, Minnesota,
July 29, 1907.

Pursuant to call issued by the County Auditor July 9, 1907, under section 397, Revised laws of 1905, requiring the county board to meet at the office of the County Auditor, in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, at 1 o'clock P. M. to consider the county seat removal petition now on file in the County Auditor's office, to remove the county seat from the city of Red Lake Falls to the city of Thief River Falls.

Members present: Aubol and Shaw.

Members absent: Lindquist, Demann and Pigeon.

The members present having waited until 2 o'clock, for want of quorum, meeting adjourned.

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Chairman, Board of Co. Commissioners.
Attest: John B. O'Brien,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board.

Attend the Minnesota State Fair
At the Fair Grounds between St. Paul and Minneapolis
SEPTEMBER 2nd-7th, 1907
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Lv Red Lake Falls 5:25 pm., Ar St. Paul 7:30 am, Minneapolis 7:00 am.
For particulars enquire of JOS. L. TRACY, Agent.
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Half Past Kissing Time.

The Lady In a Hurry—Why didn't you stop at once, conductor, when you saw me waving my hand?

The Facetious Conductor—Lor', miss! Why, I thought you wos o-throwin' kisses ot me.—Sketch.

What He Didn't Know.

Irate Pa—Now, I'm going to punish you and don't try that innocent game on me. I know all the wicked things you've done today.

Willie—No, you don't. You don't know where I've hid the strap you lick me with.—Once a Week.

Two of a Kind.

First Summer Girl—Who is that clean shaven, handsome boy?

Second Summer Girl—Oh, he's an actor!

First Summer Girl—No. I mean the other one.

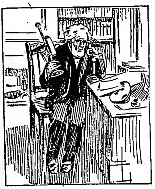
Second Summer Girl—Oh, he hasn't any money either!—Punch.

Generally.

Doleful Donald—Some of my brightest thoughts come to me when I am asleep.

Thirsty Gus—Troubled with insomnia, ain't you?—New York Mail.

Absentminded.



The Professor—Yes, hello, is this Jones' lamp store? No, I can't tell you the size of the shade, but here's the lamp.—Harper's Weekly.

A Cure For Obesity.

Landlady (to new boarder, who is rather stout)—I am glad to hear that one of my former boarders recommended you to my house.

Stout Boarder—Yes; he spoke very highly of it. After telling him that I had tried all kinds of antifat without success, he advised a short stay here.—Tatler.

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Notice of Mortgage Forclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 190.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $318.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows; to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Boltineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

DULUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer,
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
a8 s12 Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF Red Lake, ss:

In District Court.

W. H. Bangs, doing business under the firm name and style of Bangs & Co., Plaintiff,
vs
Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment docketed and rendered in said Court in favor of W. H. Bangs & Co., plaintiff, and against Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, defendants, I have levied upon the following described real property of said defendant, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the quarter section line, two rods west of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section numbered seventeen (17), in Township numbered one hundred fifty-one (151) north of Range forty-three (43) west of the Fifth P. M., in the State of Minnesota, running thence south eighty rods, running thence west eighty rods, running thence north eighty rods, running thence east eighty rods to the place of commencement; also lots numbered sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), in Block numbered twenty-six (26), in Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, according to the corrected plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 31st day of August, A. D. 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Samuel Allard and Delia Allard in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Two Hundred Twenty-seven dollars and seventy-seven cents ($220.77), together with all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the first day of April, 1907, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated, July 18, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff, Red Lake Co., Minn.

F. A. GRADY,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. j18a29

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Peter K. Olson and Lillie Christine Olson, his wife, mortgagors, to The West of Scotland American Investment Company, Limited, mortgagee, dated May 11th, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on May 16th, 1903, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., in book "26" of Mortgages, on page 509 thereof; that said mortgagee has paid the taxes assessed against the premises described in said mortgage for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, amounting in all to $90.00, that the amount claimed and hereby declared to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said taxes and interest thereon is one thousand one hundred thirty two and 46-100 dollars ($1132.46) that the premises descibed in and covered by said mortgage are Lots five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) of section eighteen (18), township one hundred and fifty one (151), north of range forty-three (43) west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one hundred fifty one and 41-100 acres according to government survey, situated in Red Lake county, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state, on August 31st, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m, to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including said taxes, together with the costs of such sale and fifty dollars attorneys' fees, stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated July 11, 1907.

THE WEST OF SCOTLAND AMERICAN INVESTMENT CO., Limited,
Mortgagee.

B. H. Whitney,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Slayton, Minnesota. j18a29

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A GOOD MEETING

Red Lake County Sunday School Convention Holds Two Days' Session.

Red Lake county has just closed a most successful county Sunday school convention.

While the numbers were not large the spirit of inquiry and of work dominated the convention in a way seldom found in a county convention.

The "best ever" was the unanimous consent of all in attendance.

A delegation of thirteen came down from Thief River Falls and St. Hilaire.

Nearly every delegate was present at all the sessions and paid closest attention to all that was said. The state workers, Mr. A. M. Locker and Miss Grace Longfellow, were present at all but the last session. Mr. Locker had charge of graded and supplemental work and Miss Longfellow had charge of the cradle roll and primary work. They are well informed as to their work and gave our Sunday school workers many valuable suggestions. Red Lake county has learned to look from and to the coming of Mr. Locker and Miss Longfellow with much pleasure as they know they are to be greatly helped as to usefulness by their coming.

The following construction work was accomplished. The county was divided into three sections with the three points, Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire and Red Lake Falls as centers. A vice-president was elected from each point who appoints a secretary, these to co-operate with the officers of the association in helping to organize Sunday Schools in isolated portions of the county. The officers of Supt. of Home department Supt. of Teacher Training classes, Supt. of Elementary department were created and plans laid for definite work along these lines next year.

The following officers were elected:

President, Rev. Barackman.

Vice-presidents, Mrs. Blancard, Mrs. Austin, Mr. Simons.

Secy.-treasurer, E. W. Chamberlain.

Supt. teacher training, Rev. Chas. Flesher.

Supt. home department, Mrs. Poston.

Supt. elementary department, Mrs. E. W. Chamberlain.

Resolutions were adopted strongly endorsing the work of Mr. Locker and Miss Longfellow and the work of the department newly created, also the hospitality of the Red Lake Falls people.

It is hoped that we will be able to do much more and better work on account of the coming together of our Sunday school workers.

Grand Rapids Independent: Arthur Zaiser and Harry Garceau, of Red Lake Falls, arrived in the city Sunday morning and spent part of the day here looking over the town. In the afternoon, accompanied by Hugo Zaiser who met them here, they left for the country north of here on a combined land-looking and pleasure trip.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

BIG DIFFERENCE.

Between the Selling Price of Land and Assessed Valuation.

E. O. Wilson was in the city to spend Sunday with his brother, Ben M. Wilson, says the Thief River News.

Mr. Wilson is in the employ of the state tax commission and is traveling over the state gathering information for the commission he represents. He left Monday morning for Warren and there will make a copy of the assessed valuation of farm lands of Marshall county for years from 1902 to 1906. He will also take a copy of all warranty deeds filed during this time in order that the difference between the selling price and the assessed valuation may be obtained. It is quite likely that the valuation of farm lands in various portions of the state are to be increased quite a good deal, as there is a big difference between the sale price and the assessed valuation. It is also true that in many instances the consideration named in the deed is much larger than the actual amount paid.

Killed By Lightning.

St. Hilaire Spectator: During the electrical storm Wednesday forenoon lightning struck and killed Hjalmer Carlson, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carlson, living about four miles west of town. The boy had just driven into the barnyard with a load of rye when the lightning struck the load upon which he was riding, instantly killing the boy, knocking down both of the horses, and killing one of them, and the shock was being felt by the father, mother and little sister who were at work in the house and barn. Two neighbor boys in the field felt the shock but were not stunned. The load of rye was burned and it is thought the other horse will never be of service, should he survive the shock. The blow to the family was a severe one and in the loss the entire community joins with The Spectator in extending their heartfelt sympathy. The remains were prepared for burial by the Holmes morgue and the funeral was held Sunday from the house at 1 p. m. and from the United Norwegian Lutheran church at 2 o'clock, Rev. Wangensteen holding services. Interment in the cemetery east of town.

Malvin Has Good Score.

In the August test of the state educational six months' butter scoring contests held at St. Paul, P. L. Malvin, of this city gets a score of 92, winning second in the "gathered cream class'.' W. N. Elofson, from north of Thief-River was highest with a score of 93½; P. L. Malvin, second, with a score of 92; G. A. Hovland, Lillo, 90.; George Austin, St. Hilaire 90. All these markings are very high, and Red Lake county butter makers are well at the top of the list. Mr. Malvin of this city has been near the top of the list in the contest of the last few months, which speaks well for his work as a buttermaker and all around creamery man.

W. A. Reichel's photograph gallery will be closed for two weeks. beginning August 24th. Mr. and Mrs. Reichel intend to take in the photographic convention at St. Paul and visit with Mr. Reichel's mother and other relatives and also take in the state fair. w2

SCHOOL DAYS COME

Red Lake Falls Public Schools Will Start On Year's Work September 9.

The public schools of this city will commence the work for the coming year on Monday, Septemder 9, and already those of the teachers who are here are getting ready for the start.

The teaching staff for the year has been completed and those of the teachers whose homes are abroad will report for duty early in September.

Four new teachers are elected for this year, as follows: Miss Hutchinson of Waterville, mathamatics and science; Miss Ruth Donaldson, of Moorhead, fifth and sixth grades; Miss Antoinette Johnson, of Adrian, principal; Miss Josephine Kaus, North Side second grade. The remainder of the teaching force will be the same as last year: E. W. Chamberlain, superintendent; Miss Twinam, Miss Detert, Miss Lamb, Miss Brady, Miss Hennemuth Miss Coughlin, Mrs. J. J. Doe and Leland Healy.

The school board are pleased at the excellent corps of instructors secured for this year and there is every prospect of a very successful school season. Indications point to a large attendance also, and it is thought that the schools will make even greater progress this year than ever before.

About Chewing.

Gladstone's forty chews have been added to from time to time by different medical authorities who advise that the chewing process last until the food is reduced to a liquid. It is safe to say that ninety-nine persons out of a hundred, swallow their food before it reaches the liquid state. For a real liquid food golden grain belt beer is all that could be desired. Its food value is recognized and it is a valuable aid in digestion. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thomnson, Crookston,

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Because, your home merchant pays local taxes and exerts every effort to build and better your market, thus increasing both the value of the city and country property.

Because, the mail order merchant does not lighten your taxes or in any way uphold the value of your property.

Because, the mail order merchants do nothing for the benefit of our markets or real estate values.

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Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Making a living is no fun unless somebody else does it for you.

An optimist is a man that doesn't get over being fooled till he is dead.

A nice thing about being jilted by a girl is she will spend some other fellows money for him.

It isn't what it costs to educate your children that costs, but what it costs to uneducate them.

A woman is most interested to know what color the baby's hair is going to be when it grows up, and next whether it will be a good Christian.

Synopsis of Game Laws.

We publish herewith a synopsis of the state game laws as revised by the general laws of 1905. We mention only the rules governing the taking of such game as is common to this section.

From September first to November first is the open season for turtle dove, snipe, prairie chicken, pinnated, white-breasted or sharp-tailed grouse, woodcock, upland plover and golden plover.

Quail, partridge, ruffed grouse, or pheasants may be killed or had in possession between the first day of October and the first day of December.

Wild ducks, geese or brants of any variety may be taken between the first day of September and the first day of December.

The law claims that any game which has been lawfully taken may be held in possession for five days after the expiration of the open season of such game.

No person shall in any one day take or kill in any one day more than fifteen birds or have in his possession at any time more than forty-five turtle dove, prairie chicken, quail, pheasant, partridge, woodcock or plover, or any or all of the same combined, or fifty snipes, wild duck, goose or brant or any or all of the same combined.

A decidedly novel feature of the Minnesota State Fair this year will be the flight of a real sure enough ship of the air, twice a day. This is not a hot air balloon from which a man descends to earth banging to a parachute, but a real steerable vessel of the air, which will rise over the heads of the people like a bird and return to its starting place. The sailor is of long experience in his line and the exhibition will be entirely new. The air ship will make flights three times a day, the weather permitting. This year's fair opens on Sept. 2, when Dan Patch will be the attraction. It closes on Saturday, Sept. 7, with a great automobile show and race meet.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

People Talked About.

F. A. Bridgman, an American artist, has been made an officer of the Legion of Honor.

"Aunt Lucy" Williams, believed to be the oldest woman in Iowa, and one of the oldest in the United States, is dead at Davenport, Iowa, aged 120 years.

Dr. George Young Salmon, a noted pioneer Missourian and former banker, died at his home in Clinton, Mo., as the result of a stroke of paralysis.

Augustus St. Gaudens, one of the best known sculptors in the United States, died at his home in Concord, N. H. The artist had been failing for a year.

Alonzo Greene Smith, former lieutenant governor and attorney general of Indiana and one of the best known Democrats in that state, died of heart disease at Indianapolis.

Crimes and Criminals.

Zitari Henry, aged seventy-eight, hung himself in a barn at Boone, Iowa. The act is attributed to despondency.

A. H. Shaver, a commercial traveler of Des Moines, is in jail at Webster City, Iowa, charged with forging two checks.

Edward Halsted, a laborer of Mount Pleasant, Mich., shot and killed his wife, who had started suit for divorce, and then committed suicide.

Despondent over financial troubles, Louis M. Levy, a retired merchant and one of the most prominent Hebrews of Little Rock, Ark., blew out his brains.

Joseph Knadel shot and probably fatally wounded Mrs. Elsie Parsons at her home in Lincoln, Neb., and then committed suicide. Jealousy is supposed to have led to the shooting.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred H. Magill, accused of the murder of Magill's first wife, were released on $5,000 bonds each at Clinton, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Magill went at once to the home of Mrs. Magill's parents.

Brooding over the recent death of her mother and the supposed unfaithfulness of a lover, Hulda Jensen, the seventeen-year-old daughter of a farmer living six miles north of Newton, Iowa, committed suicide by shooting.

The warfare against saloons which started in Davenport, Iowa, has extended throughout the entire county. Every saloonkeeper in Scott county, totaling about 250, has been served with notice of injunctional proceedings.

During a recurrence of insanity which has caused her to be thrice confined in an insane asylum, Mrs. Christine Nenadal, aged twenty-four years, the wife of Joseph Nenadal of Baltimore, strangled her two small children.

Accidental Happenings.

George L. Judd was struck by lightning at his father's ranch, near Sedan, Mont.

Guy Carpenter is dead as the result of injuries received in a runaway accident at Des Moines, Iowa.

Jesse Long, fifteen years old, of Eldora, Iowa, was kicked to death by a horse which he was driving.

Charles Carlson of Ishpeming, Mich., was killed in a fall of ore in the Cleveland Lake mine while engaged in timbering.

Eight train hands were injured, three of them seriously, in the derailing of a freight train near Chester, Mass.

Robert Orr of Dwight was killed and seven others were seriously injured in a collision of interurban cars near Bloomington, Ill.

Ralph Berger and Horace, brothers, and Herman Volkmon were instantly killed while walking on the railroad tracks in Chicago.

Ona Laffon, son of a rancher living near Shields, Mont., is dead as the result of injuries received in being run over by a hayrake.

Roy Vanschalek, a Copper Range brakeman, fell from a moving train near Mill Mine Junction, Mich. His body was badly mangled.

Mrs. A. T. Ferguson was killed and her sister, Miss Henrietta Shraka was seriously injured by falling from a street car at Long Beach, Cal.

Chris Lund, a Dane living twelve miles south of Charles City, Iowa, fell from a hayrack, breaking his neck. Mr. Lund and two sons were unloading hay.

A score of passengers were injured in New York by jumping from an Eighth avenue car in a panic, following an accident to the controller box of the car.

James H. Bants, the oldest engineer on the Illinois Central railroad, was struck by an engine and instantly killed while crossing the tracks in Chicago.

His foot caught in a stirrup, Clifford Finders, a nine-year-old boy of Ferguson, Iowa, was dragged a hundred yards by a wildly running horse and fatally injured.

While returning from the harvest field the twelve-year-old son of Dr. F. T. De Witt of Berea, Iowa, was instantly killed by the horse which he was riding falling upon him.

A collision between local and interurban street cars on the Waterloo, Cedar Rapids & Northern railway between Waterloo and Cedar Falls, wrecked both cars and injured two persons.

Fire starting in a restaurant at Axtell, Neb., nearly wiped out the business buildings in the main street of the town. Eleven buildings, with their contents, were destroyed, involving a loss roughly estimated at $60,000.

The nineteen-months-old daughter of Frank Cooper of Boone, Iowa, who pulled a plug from a washing machine, allowing gallons of scalding water to pour over her body, died at the hospital from the effects of the burns.

Five men were killed and two others mortally wounded near Bordeaux, France, by the collision of two automobiles. One of the cars was competing in the Criterion cup race. It collided while running at full speed with a touring car.

The "Cannon Ball" train on the Texas & Pacific railroad, east-bound, went into the ditch four miles east of Dallas, Tex. All the cars left the track except the diner, sleeper and engine. No one was killed. Several passengers were seriously injured.

Leaning back too far while at work on top of a thirty-foot pole at Missoula, Mont., A. C. Clark, a lineman, came in contact with a live arc light wire carrying about 3,000 volts and received the full voltage through his body. Death was instantaneous.

Foreign.

Richard James Meade, fourth earl of Clan William, is dead in London.

Thomas Symington, a member of the firm of Beanside & Co., is dead at Lima, Peru.

Emperor William conducted divine services on board the royal yacht Hohenzollern Sunday morning. Emperor Nicholas was present.

The government of Peru has established bonded warehouses at Callao and installed the warrant system of putting merchandise in bond.

Baron Edouard de Rothschild of the firm of De Rothschild Freres, bankers of Paris, has been decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor.

For the first time since the Franco-Prussian war a French musical society participated Sunday, with the approval of the German government, in musical fetes in Alsace.

Leon Maille, the naval reservist, who fired two revolver shots at President Fallieres on the streets of Paris July 14 last, has been declared insane and sent to an asylum.

The king of Siam has a generous taste for jewelry. He is credited with having spent $2,500,000 for gems and baubles in the course of his European tour, which is now drawing to an end.

It has been officially announced at St. Petersburg that the provinces of Astrakhan, Saratov, Simbirsk, Ufa, Kazan and Nizhni-Novogorod are threatened with an outbreak of cholera.

Stories regarding the extravagance of the king of Siam, as far as the purchase of jewelry is concerned, continue to crop out. Among his recent purchases, it is said, is a gold thimble, covered with diamonds and other gems, which is valued at $75,000.

It is asserted that an American syndicate is about to establish a bank at Montevideo. Several American merchants and manufacturers have resolved to open branches also to increase the number of steamships plying between New York and Montevideo.

Domestic.

Thomas Morrison, at one time a partner with Gen. U. S. Grant in peddling firewood in St. Louis, is dead, aged 83 years.

The Union Pacific railroad has ordered the construction of 100 gasoline motor cars for use on the branch lines of the company.

The great potato crop of Aroostook county, Maine, estimated this season at 15,000,000 bushels, is seriously menaced by continued wet weather.

Workmen excavating in Marysville, N. B., uncovered 102 Spanish gold coins of the eighteenth century. The money is worth about $2,000.

Jefferson Scott, undoubtedly the oldest man in Ohio, is dead at the Seneca county infirmary, where he has been for three years. He was over 113 years of age.

Judge Smith McPherson, in the United States district court at Kansas City, has refused to grant a temporary restraining order to prevent the enforcement of the Kansas stock food inspection law.

Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is ill at his hotel in Portland, Or., and declines to see any one. Jasper Wilson, the secretary's son, said that his father contracted a severe cold on his trip from Puget sound to Portland.

Postoffice Inspector James T. Cortelyou, brother of Secretary George B. Cortelyou, will be called upon to explain why he borrowed $200 from Postmaster James Freeman, the Republican boss of Kearney, N. J. Cortelyou was in charge of the Jersey City district when he borrowed the money from Freeman.

The excavations along the line of the Panama canal during the month of July were as follows: At Culebra cut, 770,570 cubic yards; at Gatun, 74,765 cubic yards, and at Mindi, 731 cubic yards. The dredging of the canal is estimated at 217,210 cubic yards, making in all a total of 1,058,776 cubic yards.

Five generals will attend the eighth annual reunion of the National Society of the Army of the Philippines at Kansas City, Aug. 13, 14, 15 and 16. They are Gen. MacArthur, Gen. Hale, Gen. Smith, Gen. King and Gen. Metcalf.

GRANTS IMMUNITY TO ALTON ROAD

WILL NOT BE PROSECUTED FOR ITS PART IN GRANTING REBATES.

STANDARD OIL ALONE GUILTY

IMMUNITY GRANTED CHICAGO & ALTON FOR INFORMATION GIVEN.

Chicago, Aug. 15. — Immunity has been granted to the Chicago & Alton for its part in connection with the illegal rebates for which the Standard Oil Company of Indiana recently was fined $29,240,000 by Judge Landis at Chicago. This fact has become known coincident with the return to Washington of Attorney General Bonaparte, who is about to start proceedings in the direction of criminal prosecution of anti-trust law offenders, if a victim worthy of conviction can be found.

It appears that Former Attorney General Moody, under whose direction the Standard Oil cases recently reaching a climax at Chicago were instituted, used the Chicago & Alton to gain the information upon which indictments originally were returned. Special Counsel Morrison, formerly United States district attorney for the district of Chicago, it is understood, promised the Alton immunity from prosecution in return for the information furnished.

MOORS REPULSED; LOSS HEAVY.

Another Assault Made on Casablanca by 4,000 Tribesmen.

Tangier, Aug. 15. — A report from Casablanca says that that city was suddenly attacked by four thousand Moorish tribesmen Sunday night, who were driven back with terrible loss by the French after several hours of fighting.

The tribesmen displayed dauntless courage, charging repeatedly almost to the French guns, but a hail of shrapnel finally drove them back with heavy losses. The fire of the warships in the roadstead was terribly effective on the masses of native horsemen. The French losses were inconsiderable.

Will Not Grab Morocco.

Paris, Aug. 14.—Minister of Foreign Affairs Pichon has given an interview to the Matin, in which he says:

"The government will send no more troops into Morocco. On no account do we intend to embark upon a work of conquest."

The Matin publishes a dispatch from its correspondent at Casablanca saying the fighting between the natives and the men of Gen. Drude's command lasted all day Saturday, but quieted down Saturday night and Sunday morning. A renewal of the attack, however, is feared, as another kaid, with numerous reinforcements, has arrived. The warships continue to shell the Arab positions.

Virtually Destroyed.

Washington, Aug. 14.—The state department has received the following cablegram relative to the disturbance in Morocco from American Minister Gummere, dated at Tangier yesterday:

"I have been informed by the consular agent at Casablanca, under date of the 10th inst., that the town has been virtually destroyed and that naturalized American citizens lost everything. He also says that the foreigners have left Alcazar for Larache for security. The situation is considered very threatening. There is a French cruiser at Tangier, but in case of attack the Moorish soldiers at that point would join the tribesmen. Many people are leaving for Spain."

OIL STOCK LOWEST IN YEARS.

Wall Street Struck by Another Decline —Rail Paper Goes Down, Too.

New York, Aug. 15.—For a time yesterday there was a recession in the wave of liquidation which for several days had been depressing the price of securities, but before midday the pressure had been renewed and quotations in some instances were a point below Monday's close.

Prominent among those were Reading, Canadian Pacific and Great Northern preferred, while, exceptionally, St. Louis Southwestern preferred declined 6 3-4.

In the early trading Standard Oil sold down to 423, a decline of 77 in a week. This is the low record price in many years.

Fall in Tub Breaks Ribs.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 15.—So weakened from the effects of a bath that he could not stand, Nicholas Dohr fell as he was about to leave the tub and fractured three ribs.

Virginia Town Burned Out.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 15.—A large portion, if not the entire business section of Princess Anne, on the eastern shore of Maryland, was burned out early yesterday. The fire was not of an incendiary origin, but was accidental, it is declared.

Departure Regretted.

Tokio, Aug. 15—Luke E. Wright, the retiring American ambassador to Japan, started yesterday morning on his return to the United States. His departure is generally regretted.

BOTH REFUSE TO ARBITRATE

COMPANIES AND STRIKERS SAY THEY HAVE NOTHING TO ARBITRATE.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—The operators in the office in this city and on the South and Western circuits of the Associated Press leased wires stopped work last night at 7:30 o'clock. The strike was made against the wishes and advice of Grand Secretary Russell of the telegraphers' union, who tried to keep them at work for another twenty-four hours, or until satisfactory arrangements could be made for a conference between M. E. Stone, the general manager of the Associated Press, and a committee of the operators.

Asked for Conference.

Following the delivery of Mr. Stone's reply to the operators, in which he said he had no authority to grant the demands and that the matter would have to be decided by the board of directors, Secretary Russell sent a message to the operators of the Associated Press, suggesting that Mr. Stone be asked to set a definite date on which he could meet the operators, the date to be announced by 7:30 Tuesday night. To a message asking him to name a date of a meeting of the directors, Mr. Stone replied that a meeting of the directors would be held on Sept. 18, and he would be glad to lay the matter before them at that time.

Operators Walk Out.

This arrangement was unsatisfactory to many of the operators, particularly those on the Southern circuit, and they sent a message to Chicago announcing that they had quit. This was quickly followed by a walkout of the men in Chicago and New York.

One Associated Press wire was kept going in St. Paul part of the night, receiving dispatches by way of Denver.

Strike Spreads Rapidly.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—The strike of the telegraphers spread rapidly yesterday, the men walking out in many cities in the East and West. The chief strike of the day was in New York, where the operators of both the Western Union and Postal companies left their keys. Other strikes during the day were as follows:

Western Union—Montgomery, Ala.; Savannah, Ga.; Augusta, Ga.; Des Moines, Iowa; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Cleveland, Buffalo, Baltimore, Toledo, Columbia, S. C.; Pittsburg, Washington, D. C.

Postal—Columbus, O.; Des Moines, Iowa; Denver, Los Angeles, Salt Lake City, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Buffalo, Baltimore, Columbia, S. C.; Washington, D. C.; Minneapolis.

Some Brokers Sign Scale.

During the day two of the largest commission houses in this city signed the scale presented by the operators and also issued a call for a meeting of representatives of other commission houses to discuss means of warding off the strike.

Small Show for Peace.

Arbitration advocates, in the shape of Secretary Easley of the National Civic Federation and Labor Commissioner Neill, arrived in this city, but their mission was made difficult before they arrived by the statements of Superintendents Cook of the Western Union and Capen of the Postal company, to the effect that they would arbitrate nothing.

Operators Say Fight Is Won.

Secretary Russell said the operators would not agree to arbitrate for the reason that the fight was already won and it would be foolish for the men to throw away the advantage they have gained. Mr. Russell issued a bulletin to the operators yesterday, in which he declared that the fight was won and urged all members of the union to stand firmly for a few days longer. He reported the strike in all sections of the country as progressing favorably for the men.

Vote on General Strike.

The local unions of the operators throughout the United States and Canada were voting on the question of ordering a general strike if their demands were not granted by the companies within the next twelve hours, but Secretary Russell said late yesterday that the vote was practically unanimous for a strike if the demands of the operators were not granted.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, arrived in the city yesterday to take an active part in the conduct of the strike. He was in several conferences during the day with the leaders of the union, but declared at night that the situation had not materially changed since his arrival.

Operators Pull "Plugs."

Both companies were troubled during the day by the pulling of "plugs" by operators at various points along the line. Officials of both companies declared that arrests would be made for this offense whenever possible.

Prisoners Escape.

Hastings, Minn., Aug. 14.—Two prisoners, Martin Servic of South St. Paul, held to the grand jury for larceny, and Arthur Bean, a St. Paul bum, escaped from the county jail here, making their exit by some outside party tampering with the door locks.

Husband and Wife Murdered.

Noblesville, Ind., Aug. 14.—George W. Hudson and wife were found dead at their home near here. It is presumed they were murdered by unknown persons, whose object was robbery. Both had been shot.

Gas Explosion Hurts Woman.

Yankton, S. D., Aug. 14.—An acetylene gas explosion at the home of Lyman Thomas blew a stove to pieces and knocked Mrs. Thomas senseless. The house fortunately did not catch fire.

HARRIMAN TO BE FORCED TO TELL

GOVERNMENT FILES PETITION TO COMPEL MAGNATE TO ANSWER QUESTIONS.

KELLOGG TO START THINGS

NOTIFIES BONAPARTE THAT HE WILL GO AFTER STANDARD SEPT. 3.

New York, Aug. 14.—United States District Attorney Stimson yesterday filed in the United States circuit court in this city a petition that E. H. Harriman and Otto H. Kuhn, the latter of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., be summoned into court to show cause why they should not answer certain questions relating to the control of the Chicago & Alton railroad. These questions were asked during the interstate commerce commission's investigation of the Chicago & Alton several months ago. Mr. Stimson acted for Attorney General Bonaparte in filing the petition.

The questions to which the government demands answers from Mr. Harriman and Mr. Kuhn relate to the purchase of the controlling interest in the Chicago & Alton and the Illinois Central by the Union Pacific.

Bonaparte Is Quizzed.

Washington, Aug. 13. — Attorney General Bonaparte returned yesterday from his vacation at Lenox, Mass., and took up at once many important matters pending in the department of justice. He was unwilling to discuss the reports that he had returned to begin criminal prosecution in the Harriman and Standard Oil cases, but speaking generally he said the department stands ready to bring criminal action when there seems a good chance to convict. He expressed no opinion concerning the possibility of conviction in case action is brought in either of the cases mentioned.

Elkins Law Strong Enough.

Discussing the existing statutes, he said the Elkins law has been proven strong enough to put an end to rebating, but that some more active enforcement might be beneficial. While he had no criticism to offer of the Elkins law, he thought that the Hepburn act passed by the last congress may strengthen it materially.

Mr. Bonaparte had a telegram from F. B. Kellogg of St. Paul, who has been acting for the government as special attorney in both the Harriman and the Standard Oil cases, stating that the taking of testimony in the St. Louis case against the Standard Oil company, which is for the dissolution of the concern, will begin in New York on Sept. 3.

KAID M'LEAN SET AT LIBERTY.

Was Turned Over by Raisuli to Tribesmen, Who Have Set Him Free.

Tangier, Aug. 14.—Kaid General Sir Harry MacLean is free, according to apparently authentic reports received here yesterday afternoon. The reports state further that the kaid was turned over by the bandit Raisuli to the Elkmes tribesmen, and that the latter gave him his liberty. It is not known when he will reach this city.

Kaid MacLean was captured by the bandit July 3.

France Is Wary.

Paris, Aug. 13.—While it is officially declared that the French government will not extend the scope of its action in Morocco beyond what was communicated to the powers, namely, to confine itself to the restoration of order and the organization of the international police, it may be significant of a possible change in the attitude of France that she has declined to agree to the invitation of Spain to send a new joint note to the powers, reaffirming the solidarity of the views and actions of the two governments, which matter is now the subject of diplomat-

Would Conquer Country.

The section of the press which is convinced that France must assume the task of putting an end to the existing anarchy in Morocco believes it to be the duty of the government not to try to deceive either itself or the world. They believe that to establish permanent order in Morocco that country must be conquered as Algeria was, and that in order to accomplish this the hands of France must be freed from the restrictions of the Algeciras convention. Therefore, the papers argue, the powers should induce Germany to give her consent to the conquest of Morocco and that then France must prepare for a long campaign. Of course, the natural sequel to the conquest, the absorption of Morocco, is not concealed.

IS MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Ex-Mayor Kills Father-in-law and Himself.

Ottumwa, Iowa, Aug. 14. — Frank Dungate, former mayor and a prominent merchant here, last night shot and killed his father-in-law, George Godfrey, and then committed suicide by shooting himself in the head. Just what motive prompted Dungate to commit the deed is unknown. He had been sick for the last week and may have committed the act in a fit of temporary insanity.

KILLS WIFE; SLAIN IN TURN

DAUGHTER KILLS FATHER AFTER LATTER HAD KILLED HER MOTHER.

New York, Aug. 17. — George Wasser, fifty-seven years old, murdered his wife and was in turn slain by his daughter, Mrs. Adaline Langlotz, at the home of the women in Harlem yesterday.

Wasser fired upon his wife and then exchanged shots with his daughter. The latter was not wounded. Mrs. Wasser soon succumbed to her injuries and her husband died a little later.

The daughter was arrested. She asserted that the father had persistently practiced cruelties upon his family.

Mrs. Langlotz when arraigned before Magistrate House for shooting her father said:

"My father was shooting at my mother, so I sent Annie, my younger sister, to fetch a revolver. My father was still firing at my mother when I was given the revolver, and it was not until I saw the burning clothes on my mother's breast and heard her cries that I raised my revolver and fired at the man. I fired four shots at him as he sneaked through the rooms. I don't care what happens to him or me."

No one had told her that her mother was dead. The magistrate said he would not send her to prison and told her he would aid her all he could.

SHAFTING SEIZES GIRL.

Factory Employe Is Badly Hurt and Narrowly Escapes Death.

Waterloo, Iowa, Aug. 17.—Miss May Willy had a narrow escape from death in the glove factory in this city. She operates a stitching machine in the factory and was engaged about the shafting and pulley when her clothing caught in the machinery and she was whirled half way around the shaft before the belt broke. Her clothing fortunately clogged the wheels and caused the belt to break, thus saving the girl's life.

NABBED AT PRISON DOOR.

Convict, Released, Is Arrested on Perjury Charge.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 17.—Having completed a term in the Sioux Falls penitentiary for horse stealing, Lennet R. Moore had every reason to believe he was about to be a free man, but as he stepped from the doors of the penitentiary he was rearrested by the United States authorities of South Dakota on instructions from the federal authorities of Nebraska, where Moore is wanted on an indictment charging him with perjury.

150 MEN REACH RANGE.

Strikebreakers Are Expected to Replace Finns in Mines.

Superior, Wis., Aug. 17.—A consignment of 150 men, mostly Hungarians, passed through here yesterday en route for the iron range to take the places of strikers. It is said the companies' plan is to weed out the Finns, who have given the most trouble.

Held to Grand Jury.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 17. — William Armstrong of Litchville, who was arrested by the federal officials, gave bonds here and was held to the next term of the United States court. Armstrong had driven a stage line between Litchville and Lamoure, and it was the custom for farmers along the line to hand him letters to mail. It is charged that he opened some of these

To Start Model Road Work.

Washington, Aug. 17.—Next Monday on the model road to be built here by the government as an object lesson for roadmakers will be commenced tomorrow. The road will be one mile long and will extend from within the city limits along the Richland County Fair association property to a point about three-quarters of a mile out of the city.

Lightning Kills Sergeant.

St. Joseph, Mo., Aug. 17.—Sergeant Major Miller of St. Louis was killed by lightning during a violent thunderstorm. He was at brigade headquarters arranging for the review of the Missouri national guard by Sheriff Rolk at the time. Privates Thomas and Ulrich were severely shocked.

Loses Hand in Saw.

Menominee, Mich., Aug. 17. — hile engaged in running the slasher in the sawmill of the Menominee Bay Shore Lumber company, John Phankuck came in contact with the rapidly revolving saw, with the result that his left hand was severed from the arm below the wrist.

Lumber Plant Destroyed.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 17. — dispatch from Blind River says the Dominion Lumber company's plant was destroyed by fire yesterday, with 2,000,000 feet of lumber still burning, but under control. The loss may reach $150,000.

Barn Struck by Lightning.

Harmony, Minn., Aug. 17. — During a heavy thunder storm lightning struck the barn of George Johnson, a few miles west of here and totally destroyed it. The loss is $700, covered by insurance.

Child Injured by Reaper.

Little Falls, Minn., Aug. 17. — The six-year-old daughter of Ignatz Petroski, a Pike creek farmer living west of this city, was badly injured by being run down by a harvesting machine.

News of the Northwest.

TWO MEN KILLED FOR THEIR MONEY

VICTIMS OF MYSTERIOUS DOUBLE MURDER FOUND IN MINNEAPOLIS.

DETECTIVE FORCE IS BAFFLED

ONE BODY MANGLED BY TRAIN TO WIPE OUT EVIDENCE OF CRIME.

Minneapolis, Aug. 13. — Unknown murderers killed two men in Minneapolis early Sunday morning, evidently for their money.

The crime was not discovered until late yesterday afternoon, although the body of one victim was found on the railroad tracks in the morning, where it had been placed by the murderers.

The lifeless body of Andrew Bjerglund was first found, terribly mutilated under the wheels of a freight car on the side track of the Minneapolis & Western railway at the foot of Twelfth avenue south. Trainmen discovered the body, and as it was supposed that the man had been the victim of an accident no particular investigation was attempted.

Find Body in Weeds.

About 5:30 in the afternoon a colored man walking through a patch of weeds at the foot of Twelfth avenue, near First street, discovered the body of the second man, who has not yet been identified. An examination disclosed the fact that the man had died from a bullet wound in the head.

The discovery of the second man, who beyond a doubt had been murdered, caused a further investigation into the death of the first victim. Bjerklund's head was found to be crushed as though he had been struck with some heavy and blunt instrument. The wound would in itself have caused death or unconsciousness, and it is believed his body was then placed on the tracks in an effort to hide the crime and the real cause of death.

Detectives Get Busy.

Detectives were at once put on the case, and the entire neighborhood was searched for clues.

Whether the two murders were connected in any way is not known. It is believed by the police that Bjerklund was killed about midnight, while the unidentified man evidently met death about 1 o'clock in the morning, as residents in the vicinity say they heard a shot about that time, but they could see nothing, and thought little of the matter.

The police have no clue to the murderers.

SEVEN DULUTH MEN DROWNED.

Small Boat Occupied by Workmen Is Run Down in Harbor by Tug.

Duluth, Minn., Aug. 13.—Seven men in the employ of the Northern Pacific road as freight handlers were run down by a tug in the Duluth harbor while returning to their homes in a rowboat and drowned.

Shortly after 6 o'clock the men who were drowned, together with four others, quit work and boarded a small boat, as was their custom, to take the short cut by water to their homes, a mile distant. They had proceeded but a boat's length when a tug, towing a sand scow, bore down upon them and swamped the craft. The suction was so great that the men were all drawn underneath the scow. Four of them, being good swimmers, managed to reach the surface, but the other seven were seen no more.

WRECK FATAL TO THREE.

Men Riding on Pilot of Engine Receive Mortal Injuries.

Grafton, N. D., Aug. 13.—Henry Gerbert, William McCullough and Joseph Burke were instantly killed in the wreck of a work train on the Hanna line. A water tank that was being pushed by the engine became derailed and the engine was wedged under it. The three men, who were on the pilot, were fatally injured and died soon after the accident.

Killed by Hay Rake.

Lidgerwood, N. D., Aug. 13.—While raking hay with a horse rake, the horses which Carl Hanson, son of a farmer living near here, was driving ran away. The boy was thrown from the seat and the rake passed over him, inflicting injuries which caused his death.

Sawmills Shut Down.

Eau Claire, Wis., Aug. 13.—All the sawmills but one have been compelled to shut down, owing to low water in the Chippewa river. The shutdown probably will last for a considerable time, as the only relief will be a rise in the river from copious rains.

Fargo Negro Stabbed.

Fargo, N. D., Aug. 13. — George Lloyd is accused of having stabbed George Richardson about the face, neck and body so severely that Richardson may die. Both are negroes.

BIG TWINE PLANT BURNED

MILLION-DOLLAR PLANT AT ST. PAUL THREATENED WITH TOTAL DESTRUCTION.

St. Paul, Aug. 15. — The $1,000,000 International Flax Twine plant at Hazel Park was threatened with total destruction by a fire that started in the south warehouse was a mass of ruins, morning. The western end of the south warehouse was a mass of ruins, entailing a loss of $30,000, the remainder of the warehouse emitting huge clouds of smoke, threatened to blaze up any moment.

Fanned by the heavy south wind the flames swept above the entire plant and only prompt work upon the part of the firemen prevented a general conflagration. The real check to the fire was a two-foot brick firewall built about midway into the south warehouse. The flames were unable to leap this wall, and, driven into a corner, were partially subdued after a fight of six hours.

Owing to the inflammable stuff, raw flax, stored in the warehouse, it was almost impossible to make any headway against the flames, which, fanned by the rising wind, swept over the building, jumping from section to section of the warehouse. Several times it seemed as though the fire wall would give way or that the flame would leap it and jump to the north side, where a clean sweep awaited. But the heroic work of the firemen, coupled with the strength of the wall, held the blaze back and at 3 o'clock there was a good chance of saving the rest of the plant.

RUN ROAD TO FARIBAULT.

Traction Company Officials Confer With Citizens.

Faribault, Minn., Aug. 15.—The officials of the Minneapolis, Rochester & Dubuque Traction company met yesterday with the members of the Faribault Commercial club to see what could be done for the building of their line through this city. They ask the citizens to secure the right of way from Northfield to Faribault, the right of way through the city and also several acres of land within the city limits for terminal purposes. There is some talk of the company purchasing the old Scott mill water power on Cannon river, about four miles north of this city, which would be developed for furnishing power. At first the promoters intended to run west of Faribault, touching the lakes, and then running a spur track to Faribault, but they now intend to run directly through the city.

MAIL BOX THIEF CAUGHT.

John Peffer of St. Cloud Is Arrested and Admits Guilt.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Aug. 15.—John P. Peffer was brought to the county jail here by Deputy Marshal Rider to answer to a charge of taking a letter that did not belong to him from the St. Cloud postoffice. Nick Lambert of that city had missed a number of valuable letters and suspected that some one had a key to his postoffice box. He accordingly secured a new box and a decoy letter was placed in the one he had been using. The box was then watched, and when young Peffer stepped up and opened it he was taken into custody. He admits his guilt and expresses a wish to be taken before the federal judge and sentenced at once.

SAND MARL ON HIS FARM.

Farmer Near Fergus Falls Makes a Good Find.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Aug. 15. — A vein of sand marl has been discovered by Frank Sundberg, who resides close to this town. A sample has been sent to the chemistry department of the state university, and Mr. Sundberg has been notified that the sample looks like marl and that its value depends entirely upon the composition, which can only be determined by chemical analysis. Marl can be used for a number of purposes, among them putty and polishing manufacture.

SEEK SALARY RAISE.

Fourth-class Mail Postmasters Are Organizing.

Winona, Minn., Aug. 15.—A call has been issued to the fourth-class postmasters of Winona county to meet at the postoffice in Winona on Aug. 26 for the purpose of forming a county league of fourth-class postmasters to work in connection with the state and national leagues. The aim in view is to secure increase of pay for fourth-class postmasters commensurate with increases higher up in the department.

CUT FARE TO CHICAGO.

Wisconsin 2-Cent Law Makes Rate From St. Paul $8.

St. Paul, Aug. 15. — The passenger rate from St. Paul to Chicago will come down another notch to-morrow. It will be $8, as against the rate of $8.75 which has been in effect since the first of last month. From present indications $8 will be as far as the rate will go down.

The rate will be $8 on account of the 2-cent rate becoming effective in Wisconsin to-morrow.

HARVEST HANDS MUCH NEEDED

NORTH DAKOTA FARMERS HAVE BIG CROP AND WANT MEN TO HANDLE IT.

St. Paul, Aug. 15.—Men are wanted and wanted badly in the North Dakota harvest fields. So great is the demand that the civic and commercial bodies throughout the state have taken up the cry and are making every effort to secure men. Conditions are very favorable for an average crop throughout the Northwest, and the pay offered by the farmers is very good, with steady work up to the middle of November assured.

A. J. Wells of Grafton, N. D., who was in the city yesterday, said that from now on the farmers will be able to use more help than they can possibly get and they are worrying a good deal about the annual shortage of men.

"The grain crop in North Dakota this year is an excellent one," said Mr. Wells, "and thousands of men will be needed to harvest it. Our commissioner of agriculture estimates that at least 7,500 men will be needed and every effort is being made to secure them. The commercial clubs throughout the state have taken the matter up and are sending advertising matter through the country explaining the situation.

"Probably better wages will be paid this year than ever before."

CHASE ST. CLOUD THIEVES.

One Man Grabs Burglar, but the Fellow Gets Away.

St. Cloud, Minn., Aug. 15. — Two more bold attempts at housebreaking have been reported to the police. The residence of Charles Michaelson at East St. Cloud was entered by a man through a raised window. Mr. Michaelson was aroused, and securing a club made for the intruder. The man dove head first out of the window and escaped in the darkness.

Gottlieb Gehrenbeck, corner of Twelfth avenue and Fifth street, had better luck with his burglar, catching hold of his coattails. There was a pretty race down stairs, but at the bottom the man succeeded in breaking loose and making his escape through the door.

KEEP MARRIAGE SECRET.

Couple Announce Their Wedding Eight Months After Event.

Lemars, Iowa, Aug. 15.—Miss Mary Van Ashell and Charles Trafford, members of pioneer families of this county, managed to keep the fact of their marriage a secret for eight months. They surprised their friends yesterday by announcing they were going to housekeeping. They were married on Dec. 18, 1906, at Fremont, Neb.

CANDLE IGNITES DRESS.

Small Child Is Badly Burned at Eau Claire.

Eau Claire, Wis., Aug. 15. — Leone Russell, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Russell, suffered painful burns while toying with a lighted candle. The candle set her dress on fire and her right side was burned seriously, but it is thought she will recover.

HORSE IN WELL TWO WEEKS.

Animal Rescued at Faulkton, S. D., None the Worse for Adventure.

Faulkton, S. D., Aug. 15.—After having been a prisoner in an abandoned well two weeks, a horse belonging to John Small has been rescued, apparently none the worse for its long imprisonment without anything to eat. When rescued the animal was yet able to stand upon its feet.

SIX IN PERIL OF DEATH.

Four Milwaukeeans Hurt When Auto Strikes Carriage.

Milwaukee, Aug. 15. — Six persons narrowly escaped death in an automobile accident on Whitefish bay road when an automobile overturned a carriage and stopped at the brink of a 300-foot embankment. A fence held the machine.

SALLMON DECLINES.

President of Carleton Refuses a $5,000 Pastorate in New York.

Northfield, Minn., Aug. 15. — Rev. William H. Sallmon, president of Carleton college, has declined a proposition to become chief assistant pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church at a salary of $5,000 a year.

Figures; Falls Dead.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 15.—Just as she finished figuring out how much interest she had coming on some land, Mrs. Creszentzia Waiss, aged seventy-seven years, dropped dead as a result of a blood vessel breaking in her head.

Ice Man Is Hurt.

St. Paul, Aug. 16.—Joseph Wagner, an ice man, fell two stories at Swift & Co.'s warehouse, hurting his spine and sustaining internal injuries. He was lowering ice from the second floor to the basement when he slipped and fell through the shaft.

Le Grand Powers Ill.

Washington, Aug. 16. — Le Grand Powers of Minneapolis, chief statistician of agriculture in the census bureau, is seriously ill with typhoid fever at his home in this city.

State News of Interest

FINE BUTTER, JUDGES SAY.

State Contest Just Closed Was the Closest and Best of Series.

The state butter scoring contest has been completed in St. Paul. Over 240 tubs of butter were tested by the judges, and out of the entire lot five were selected as the best. James T. Pomeroy of Lake Benton, Minn., was given a marking of 97, putting him in first place, and his butter card was marked, "Very good butter. Best this year. Good boy! Come again." Erhard Lundblad of North Branch scored second, with 96 1-2 per cent and was marked, "Very good commercial butter. Very clean flavor." Three men were tied for third place—Edwin Hed, 96; C. F. Wendt, 96, and E. A. Gudwangen, 96.

The judges are highly pleased with the result of this contest.

The contests are carried on with a view of assisting the Minnesota buttermakers by criticising their products, and seem to have been wonderfully successful. Nearly the same contestants were entered in the two previous contests as appeared in this one, and a marked improvement in the quality of the butter was shown. The average scoring was higher and the butter was better made, more care being taken as to cleanliness, etc. The moisture tests also showed an improvement. The law allows from one to under 16 per cent of water in butter. Sixteen per cent or over must be condemned, and while the last contest found any number of entries that ran over the legal allowance, one even going as high as 21 per cent, this contest only developed two out of the total of 240. The next contest will be held during the state fair, and over 500 entries are expected from all parts of the country, to have been terminated by the arrest of an unknown Spaniard, who is believed to have been the perpetrator of the crimes.

Recently when a burglary at Evansville and another at Hanover came to light, Marshal Broughton of Evansville organized a posse and determined to run down the thief. The men scoured the country all afternoon and late in the day the marshal and a portion of his posse decided to invade a cornfield.

In the center of the field they came upon a man engaged in counting a pile of coin and currency. In another pile was a choice collection of jewelry. The man instantly was covered by a half dozen revolvers and quickly was made prisoner. An inventory taken of the loot shows that nearly every article is listed as stolen. Where the Spaniard came from is a mystery, as no one has been able to communicate with him.

SEE THE FAIR IN WHEEL CHAIRS.

Provision for Those to Whom Walking Is a Burden.

Excluding the bracing sea breeze and the marine view, visitors to the state fair will be able to experience all the ecstatic enjoyment of being wheeled comfortably about in rubber cushioned chairs that is the privilege of the opulent habitues of Atlantic City, according to C. N. Cosgrove, secretary of the Minnesota State Fair association. He has announced that uniformed attendants will be in waiting with easy, cushion-tired chairs to convey all those who prefer riding to walking about the state fair grounds.

To afford greater convenience to those who are not physically able to make a tour of the grounds on foot, and to accommodate others who are physically inclined to follow life along the lines of least resistance, the management of the fair has determined to adopt a feature prominent in all large expositions, in that fifteen to thirty wheel chairs will be secured by the opening day of the state fair and will be placed in service. In view of the fact that there are over six miles of cement sidewalk about the grounds, which touch all the important points of interest, it was decided that chair service would be a matter of great convenience to many patrons of the exhibition of state products.

The idea is new in connection with state fairs and will be given a preliminary test before steps are taken to make this feature a permanent institution. It is thought, however, that the scheme will be liberally patronized, and should this be the case arrangements will be made for a large consignment of the vehicles to be used in succeeding years.

Another scheme that will be inaugurated if arrangements can be made will be a system of sight-seeing automobiles, which will skirt the fair grounds, touching the principal points of attraction.

Press Will Be There.

Newspaper headquarters building at the Minnesota state fair this year will be in charge of Granville S. Pease of the Anoka Union, one of the best known newspaper men in the state. Press headquarters at the fair are in the Minnesota St. Louis building—the building which was removed to the fair grounds the following year. All newspaper men are made welcome, and Mr. Pease will give them the glad hand.

LAND ROW IS ENDED.

State Auditor Delivers Deed to 20,904.37 Acres of Railway Grant.

The old controversy over the title to land included in a grant to the old Hastings & Dakota railroad has been closed by the delivery by the state auditor of deeds to 20,904.37 acres of land to the trustees of the road. The title to this land has been involved in litigation twelve years, and the termination of the controversy was made possible by an act of the legislature passed last winter.

The land grant was made by an act of congress, and the list of lands included were certified to the state for the benefit of the company. Later complications arose, however, and in 1895 the Minnesota legislature declared the land grant forfeited. The grant having originated in an act of congress, however, the federal authorities refused to pay any attention to the legislative act, and the company took the matter into the courts, with the result that its title to the land was confirmed.

Ever since the passage of the act of 1895, however, the state officials have refused to issue deeds for the land, in view of the fact that the state legislature had ordered the grant forfeited. As the title of the railroad has been upheld by the courts, the legislature last winter passed an act repealing the act of 1895. This cleared the way for a settlement of the question, and Gov. Johnson has now signed the deeds which will give the settlers on the lands in question a clear title to their lands. While they have heretofore been in undisturbed possession of the land, the failure of the state to issue its deed left a cloud on the title.

The deeds just issued cover lands located in eight of the counties of the state, as follows: Swift, 11,119.38; Stevens, 5,191.18; Big Stone, 2,061.44; Chippewa, 1,998.80; Kandiyohi, 240; Yellow Medicine, 160; Lac qui Parle, 93.67; McLeod, 40.1.

OLD RELICS ARE ADDED.

State Historical Society Gets Interesting Document.

The state historical society has just received from Rev. George H. Mueller of Albert Lea, a son-in-law of Former Judge R. R. Nelson of the federal court, a number of interesting old documents, including three certificates of the election of the presidential electors in Minnesota in the years 1864, 1872 and 1884. The gift also included two old parchments, one dated in 1817 being a patent of land, and the other, dated 1836, being a patent issued for an improvement on the cotton gin.

The oldest of the presidential electoral certificates was dated Dec. 6, 1864, and was signed by Gov. Stephen Miller. At that time Minnesota only had two congressional districts and but four electors were elected, these casting their votes for Abraham Lincoln.

The society has also received a portrait of J. W. Bass, one of the early postmasters of St. Paul, who died about twenty years ago. He succeeded Henry Jackson, who was the postmaster from 1842 to 1848. Mr. Bass served as postmaster from 1849 to 1853, his term in that office being coincident with the term of Alexander Ramsey as governor of the territory. Mr. Bass was a hotel keeper and was the proprietor of the St. Paul house in the early days. The portrait was presented to the society by his widow.

SUGGESTIONS FOR FARMERS.

Agricultural College Issues an Interesting Pamphlet.

Another bulletin in the rural school agricultural series has been issued by the department of agriculture of the University of Minnesota and is being circulated throughout the state. It is a book of 116 pages and contains hints and suggestions for progressive farmers.

The subjects treated in this bulletin are: "Seeds and Seed Selection," "Types of Wheat, Oats, Barley and Corn," "Rules for Judging," "Suggestions for Rotating Crops," "Cooking Contests and Suggestions," "Sewing Contest," "Fruit Growing Contest," "Vegetable Growing Contest."

Each article is by a recognized expert connected with the state experiment farm. Among the contributors are: Prof. D. D. Mayne, principal of the school of agriculture; Prof. Andrew Boss of the department of agriculture and animal industry; Miss Mary L. Bull, assistant instructor in domestic science; Mrs. Margaret J. Blair, instructor in domestic art; Leroy Cady, assistant in horticulture.

STATE'S EARNINGS.

Board of Control Turns in July Receipts of $25,000.17.

The state board of control transmitted to the state auditor the report of the receipts at the various state institutions for July, with checks for the amounts. The total receipts at all the institutions were $25,000.17, distributed as follows: Anoka asylum, $2; Hastings asylum, $62.26; Fergus Falls hospital, $499.45; Rochester hospital, $616.66; St. Peter hospital, $4,189.45; school for the blind, Faribault, $69.66; school for the deaf, Faribault, $527.86; school for the feeble minded, Faribault, $2,497.39; state public school at Owatonna, $890; state training school, Red Wing, $174.62; reformatory at St. Cloud, $6,704.95; prison at Stillwater, $9,276.0

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Andrew Toftey, fifteen years of age, was killed in a runaway in Toftey, Cook county.

Ald. J. C. Mills of Preston got his arm badly smashed in a hay loader. Surgeons worked an hour in dressing it.

Fire destroyed the gasoline launch belonging to Ole Ferguson at Cass Lake. It was one of the finest on the lake, valued at $2,500.

George F. Welch of Morton was named as immigration commissioner by the new board of immigration. His salary is to be $2,000 a year.

Mrs. August Olinkamp of Sherburne gave birth recently to twin boys. This makes the fifth pair of twins with which this family has been blessed.

Rev. F. M. Garland of Sauk Center has accepted the call of the All Saints Episcopal church of Northfield and will take immediate charge of the pastorate.

Theodora Rollett was fatally injured while unloading coal from a vessel at Two Harbors. He fell under a car and when picked up it was found that his back was broken.

Hjalmar Nelson was instantly killed by lightning while stacking hay near Dassel. John Danielson, who was working with him, was rendered unconscious by the shock.

William Trotter, twenty-four years old, was probably fatally burned while in his bed in a lodging house at Minneapolis, as a result of having upset a lamp during an epileptic fit.

The unidentified body of a man was found by a train crew on the railroad track near Motley. It is presumed the man was killed by a passing train and had been dead but a short time when found.

Burglars entered the State bank at Humboldt through the rear transom, dynamited the vault door and secured $60 in change on the top of the safe. They were evidently frightened away, as the vault, containing $3,800, was not blown.

G. A. Brown was brought to Northfield from Faribau' by the sheriff on a warrant sworn out by Ald Roman Berke, who claimed he was the man who defrauded him last spring by selling a buggy owned by a Farmington liveryman.

"Yeggmen" blew the safe and demolished the cash register in Bartlett Bartlett Bro.'s flour mill at Delano and secured $70. It is thought to be the work of the same gang that entered several business places in Rockford the night before.

Fire, which caused a loss of $110,000, broke out in the building occupied by the Burgess Electric company, Mellin & Co., and the Christie Lithographing company, on West First street, Duluth. Cause is unknown and loss is fully covered by insurance.

While he and some companions were examining a revolver the weapon was accidentally discharged and Gust Snarholt, living at Parkdale, was shot through the lungs. He was brought to the hospital at Fergus Falls, where it was said that unless complications set in he will recover.

The mystery surrounding the disappearance of Charles Lofgren of Warren was solved by finding his decomposed body about a quarter of a mile south of the Soo depot. He had laid on the ground, placed his neck in a loop of rope and strangled himself. Lofgren had been missing for ten days.

Alex Marshall of Northfield is dead after a prolonged illness. He was for many years a traveling salesman in the employ of a Minneapolis company, and for the last seventeen years conducted one of the largest dry goods houses in Southern Minnesota. He was sixty-nine years old and was a native of Scotland.

William L. Qusley, fifty-eight years of age, manager of the St. Paul Marble and Granite company, accidentally shot himself through the abdomen while cleaning a 38-caliber revolver in his shop in St. Paul, from the effects of which he died at the city hospital in less than half an hour after he was placed on the operating table.

Bemidji was chosen by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks for the state convention next year. Officers were unanimously elected as follows: Granville S. Pease, Anoka, president; Frank S. Lycan, Bemidji, vice president; W. A. Nolan, Stillwater, secretary; W. W. Koons, St. Cloud, treasurer; George Seaton, Minneapolis, sergeant-at-arms; Henry Guthunz, St. Paul, chaplain.

The preliminary arrangement for holding the Beltrami county fair in Bemidji on Sept. 26-28 are about completed, and the premium list and program are nearly ready. It has been decided to give over Thursday, Sept. 26, the first day of the fair, to the Old Settlers' Association of Beltrami county, and the officers of that organization will co-operate with the fair management in making the opening day a big success.

Anton F. Frairmuth lost his life by drowning in the Mississippi river a short distance below the high bridge at Red Wing. He was being towed up stream by a fishing party when the chain of his boat broke, with the result that his skiff capsized.

The Waseca police force, led by Chief Haggerty, recently raided the hobo camp a mile west of town and put a stop to the frightful debaucheries that have been perpetrated at that place. Some twenty disgusting specimens of degraded humanity were deported.

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EVERY man is the architect of his own fortune, but some of us need schooling in architecture.

RED LAKE county will have a splendid exhibit at the state fair in the Red Lake Falls band, but it wouldn't hurt if some of our butter, cheese fruit and cereals were also on exhibition. It pays to advertise.

RUMOR has it that the Standard Oil will get even with the newspapers by getting control of the paper trust and raising the price of paper to prohibitive figure. We doubt the accuracy of the story, because just now the Standard Oil has troubles of its own.

THE Fairmont Sentinel is right in saying: "Judge Lochren is mentally and physically incapacitated for work, but he hangs on his job apparently with the only object of serving corporato interests. His case affords an unanswerable argument against an appointive judiciary and life terms in office."

A. N. DARE retired from the office of state expert printer, August 1, and thus announces his return to the editorial chair of the Elk River Star-News:

> "After a little over four years absence saving the country and incidentally drawing a meager stipend from the state, the editor has returned to his first love and will be in harness now to the end of the chapter."

THE Big Fork Compass says: "Now that the pure food law has jilted the old egg, testing the egg we buy may become a pleasant pastime. A fresh egg will sink when placed in water and rest sedately on its side. If three weeks old, it will incline slightly with the big end up; if three months old it will stand on the small end; if older, it will jump out of the water and cackle or crow according to its instinct. Try the test."

THE Wadena Pioneer-Journal asserts a truism that many Red Lake county farmers can verify in saying: "If farmers could get together and do their ditching privately instead of proceeding under the county and judicinl ditch law, they could save themselves a lot of money. The trouble is that there are always some individuals who stand out and block the work unless compelled to do their share under the regular ditching laws."

IT costs forty cents to send a ten-word telegram from Red Lake Falls to St. Paul. In Australia, where the government owns and operates the telegraph lines ten words can be sent the same distance for 16 cents. And the Australian government makes money out of the business. Probably a few more strikes will bring the people to a realization of the fact that the telegraph business could be handled more efficiently and cheaply by the government.

LETTERS have been sent by citizens of New Ulm to the attorney general's office complaining that the Sunday law is violated there. Attorney General Young is expected to return at any time and will take up the complaints. If he acts, it will be in a proceeding to oust the New Ulm mayor from his office and collect a fine from him in addition. The violation of the Sunday law at New Ulm is open. Mayor Silverson announced that unless the citizens of the town wanted the saloons to close on Sunday he would permit them to remain open.

DURING 1906 the fire insurance companies doing business in Minnesota collected $5,346,033.77 in premiums, and paid $3,146,323.89 in losses. The underwriters claim even in view of this enormous difference they lost money, as the cost of doing business is more than forty per cent. If this is true there should be a reorganization of the fire insurance business. There is no good reason why the people should be compelled to pay such an enormons price for fire protection.

Rev. Knox Speaks in Ithaca.

The following notice from the Ithaca, New York, Daily News, of August 12, will be of interest to the Red Lake Falls friends of Rev. H. W. Knox;

The pulpit of the First Presbyterian church was filled by the Rev. Herbert Knox, of Green Bay, Wisconsin, who is well known in this community, where he was a student at the University and a member of the Presbyterian church.

He is a brother of the Misses Helen C. and Sara M. Knox of Spring street. Mr. Knox was graduated from Cornell in the class of 1894 and later studied at Auburn Theological seminary.

His sermon yesterday was a clear and impressive exposition of one of Paul's sentences, in which the great apostle says that he is pressing forward to attain the full service for which he was "apprehended." Mr. Knox interpreted the word apprehended as meaning "apprenticed", and wove about this meaning an excellent discourse.

The speaker is a strong preacher with good presence and excellent delivery.

Brooks.

Harvesting of oats and barley is now begun in this vicinity. According to report these are above the average.

A severe rain and wind storm passed over here last Sunday afternoon, the damage done was light.

The lightning struck six telephone poles here, and one was splintered into fine kindling wood. The others were partly cut down, top to bottom It also destroyed the telephone box an Louis Farlanddeau's store.

Messrs. Chamberlain, Simons and Hunt came here last Monday on a combined business and pleasure trip, returning to Red Lake Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Pennington returned home from Minneapolis last Saturday, where she had been visiting with her mother for a few days.

H. L. Premo went to St. Paul last Saturday with a carload of cattle, and returned yesterday.

Miss Grace McBride of St. Cloud, commenced a term of school in the Bernier district last Wednesday.

Bray.

Most of the farmers around here are through haying now and those who have grain on high land have commenced harvesting.

O. P. Johnson was at Wylie Wednesday.

A. E. Anderson and daughter drove to St. Hilaire Wednesday.

Gust Scholin who has been working at Grand Forks the past summer returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Adler, of Missoula, Montana, who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. Adler's mother, Mrs. C. F. Anderson returned home Friday.

Alfred Johnson made a trip on his bicycle to St. Hilaire Sunday.

Tina Swanson has been on the sick list the past week.

T. A. Harris, of Crookston, is at present employed in moving the elevator of the Red Lake Falls Milling company at Thief River Falls from its old location on the Great Northern tracks to a point near the depot at that place. Some trouble has arisen over the moving and the city council has attempted to stop the milling company from moving the building. However, matters were satisfactorily adjusted and the building is being hurried rapidly to the new site.

A Painful Possibility.

When the teacher called the class for geography she noticed that Eben Wilkins, her dullest pupil, wore a particularly cheerful smile.

"You look as if you knew your lesson today," she said encouragingly.

"Yes'm, I do," he answered briskly. "The answer to the first question is 'north,' and the next is 'Alaska,' and the next is 'United States,' and the next is"—

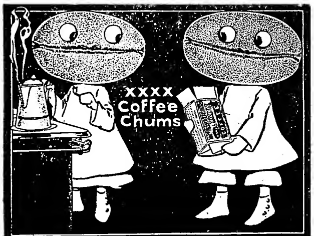
"But that is not the way to learn your lesson, Eben," and the teacher struggled for a properly severe expression. "You must skip about. That is what I shall do in asking the questions."

Eben looked as if the joy of living had departed once for all.

"But supposing I didn't skip about just the way you do," he said plaintively, "then I'd be all mixed up."—Youth's Companion.

Wasted Irish Land.

The landlords own most of the land in Ireland and rent it out to the farmers, who assert that it is poor, and consequently they have a hard time to produce enough to support their families and pay the rent. Most of the land seems to be used for pasturage, and but little of it is under cultivation, as are the lands of Italy, Germany and France. Besides, there is a great waste caused by the building of wide turf fences. There are more fences to a farm in Ireland than in any other country.—Travel Magazine.



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Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

For Sale—a top buggy and surrey both good as new.—P. O. Floan.

J. J. Padden was a business visitor at Crookston Monday night.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

M. O. Sortedahl left Monday evening for a few days' business visit at the Twin cities.

Attorney J. J. Walseth of Thief River Falls spent Tuesday night in the city on business.

Rev. Father Fayolle went down to Crookston last evening for a days' visit with old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. John Doyca went to Thief River Falls yesterday to spend a couple of days with relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Lang, of Thief River Falls, was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Tarrant.

Editor and Mrs. J. H. Cross were down from St. Hilaire and spent Sunday at the P. E. Pirath home.

A. E. Johnson, a St. Paul land man, was a caller here yesterday looking after his business interests.

Phil Zeh came down from Thief River Falls Tuesday and spent the night looking after business matters.

Miss Elene Hanson and a young lady friend from Fertile are guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue this week.

Sam Allard returned to his home at East Grand Forks, Saturday, after a several days business visit here.

Oliver Caron has been over from Crookston a couple of days this week, shaking hands with his many friends.

Miss Irene Caldwell, of Thief River Falls, was an over-Sunday visitor with her many Red Lake Falls friends.

Hon. Marcus Johnson came up from the cities this morning to spend a few days looking after his interests here.

For sale—Good gasoline engine and wood sawing attachment. Will be cheap if taken at once. Apply to Dennis Cyr. 1w

Rev. S. Weinands, of Luverne, Iowa, who owns a farm in Polk Center, was here Tuesday looking after his interests.

A. Collins, from Southeastern Minnesota spent Monday here looking after his real estate interest in this vicinity.

G. A. Kankel went down to Fertile and spent Monday night with his parents while looking after business matters.

Miss Vera Thompson of Forest City, Iowa, is visiting this week with her friends, Miss Iza Tibbetts and Margaret Kaus.

J. K. Wood has been here from Thief River Falls a couple of days this week, establishing grades for new cement sidewalks.

Mrs. Lewis A. Nelson and children returned home Friday evening from a couple of weeks visit with with relatives at Roseau.

Mrs. J. L. Tracy left last evening for the Twin cities and Lake city, where she will spend a few weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. P. Harren and daughter Rose arrived home Monday from a several days' visit with Mrs. Harren's sister at Grand Forks.

M. A. Converse went over to Cass Lake Saturday evening and spent Sunday with his parents and children. He returned Monday.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

'Mankato Commercial College employes exuerienced teachers, has thoro courses of study and perfect management. Send for catalog.

Miss Mary Ramstad returned to her home at Ada Tuesday evening aftor a weeks pleasant visit with her friend, Mrs. Joseph Skaurud.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue left last evening for Hamilton, North Dakota, where they will spend a week visiting with the Doctor's relatives.

You will harvest your crops with a smile on your face by using Plymouth binder twine and a Deering binder. For sale at Wm. Findeisen.

Dr. N. M. Watson went down to Twin cities Monday and spent several days looking after business matters, returning home this morning.

Karl M. Hansen—the same "Happy"—came down from Thief River Falls Tuesday evening and spent a couple of days with his many friends here.

John Berg, of Middle River, agent of the Red Lake Falls Milling company at that point, spent Tuesday night here conferring with the mill people.

Miss Amelia Berget left Monday evening for a two weeks visit at Osakis lake. Miss Kathrine Grey met her there and they will enjoy a vacation together.

The usual crowd turned out to the open air concert last Friday evening, and listened to an hours music. The auplause indicated that concert was pleasing.

Mrs. Ben Rosch and daughter, Anna, left last Thursday evening for a three weeks visit with Mrs. J. J. Cahill and other friends and relatives at Minneapolis.

Mrs. E. G. Gates, formerly Miss Daisy Vietz, left for her nome at Moorhead Monday evening, after a weeks visit with Miss Effie Hamry, and many other friends here.

Prison binder twine is the cheapest for you to use and is guarenteed to give perfect satisfaction. Wm. Findeisen has a full carload fresh from the mill.

Get your binder twine at Wm. Findeisen's. He sells the celebrated Plymouth and Prison twine fresh from the factory and sells it at rock bottom prices.

C. L. Hanson, the popular St. Hilaire bank magnate, passed through the city last evening on his way to Cokato, where he had some business that needed his attention.

The tuition at the Minneapolis Business College, 300 Central Ave., the leader in the Northwest, is most reasonable. Books and supplies are free. Write for catalogue.

Miss May Hamel returned to her home in Grafton, Monday evening, after a weeks' pleasant visit with her cousin Miss Lillian Buse, and her many Red Lake Falls friends.

Miss Anna Rogers left Monday evening for her home at Granite Falls after having spent a couple of months with her sister, Mrs. L. C. Simons, and many Red Lake Falls friends.

Mrs. M. Verhoneeur came over from Grand Forks Tuesday to spend several days with her daughters here. She went to St. Hilaire yesterday for a visit to the Nap Milier home.

.Write for particulars regarding our Telegraph, Watchmaking, Engraving and Optical school. Positions guaranteed. National College 619 25 1st Ave., So., Minneapolis Minn.

William Hunt is home from Minneapolis and has taken a place in the store of the Hunt Hardware company. Will is a bright young man and will succeed in the business world.

Grand Forks parties have purchased the large sand pit near Dorothy and are hauling large quantities of gravel from there every day. The gravel is being used for city puaposes at the Forks.

A gang of Great Northern bridge carpenters is at work here this week making some repairs on the big trestle south of the depot. They also have some repair work to do on the bridges north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Patnode are rejoicing in the arrival of a fine new girl baby which came on Monday morning. The young lady is hale and hearty and gives promise of a long life of health and happiness.

The Catholic Order of Foresters gave a dance and reception at their hall last evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Emard. Freund's orchestra furnished the music and a most enjoyable time was had by all present.

W. A. Schreiter arrived home Tuesday evening from a couple of weeks' visit with relatives and old-time friends at Milwaukee and other Wisconsin points. Mrs. Schreiter will remain in that part of the country for a longer visit.

Hon. A. F. Evenson of Minneapolis, and Hon. T. B. McMancis, of Duluth, members of the state board grain appeals, are spending today in Red Lake Falls, guests of State Librarian John E. King, who is spending the week here.

The Presbyterian Sunday school will hold their annual picnic at the Sortedahl farm on the Clearwater river, next Wednesday, Ausust 28. The crowd will meet at the church or go directly to the farm and a good time wilf without doubt result.

The school board has let the contract to Herman Lindtner for cement sidewalks around the Lafayette school. The sidewalk will be six feet wide and will be built completely around the building. Mr. Lindtner is commencing work on the new walk this week.

The Red Lake Falls stores have been receiving immense quantities of goods this week, several carloads having been unloaded the past few days. The prospects for a big fall business were never better and the Red Lake Falls stores intend to be prepared to handle all the business that comes.

Threshing machine owners in this vicinity are getting their rigs in shape to commence the fall's work, and soon the old familiar toot of the threshing machine will be heard in the land. From all indications the present season will be a profitable one to the thresherman as well as the farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reichel expect to leave tomorrow for the Twin cities where Mr. Reichel will spend several days in attendance a the photographers convention. From there they expect to go to other points for a visit before returning home. They will be gone a couple of weeks.

Chris Bong, of St. Hilaire, is spending twenty days at Hotel de Nelson as a result of having been caught fishing with a net in the Red Lake river at St. Hilaire. Game Warden Munch of Crookston caught him in the act, and his sentence was made accordingly. Marshal Killand brought him down Monday.

James E. Ford was here over Saturday with his family and friends. He was on his way to Lake county where he has been sent to do some work as deputy examiner. The accounts of a great many of the town officers will be gone over by he department at the request of the officers of that county.

Sheriff Nelson arrived home last Friday from Bemidji where he had been for several days attending the convention of the State Sheriffs' association. Lew states that the people of Bemidji did everything in their power to show the officers the time of their lives, and that one of the best meetings in the history of the association resulted.

Mrs. Chas. Cyr returned home Sunday from a few days' sojourn at the Gothier home east of town. While there Mrs. Cyr picked a large quantity of blueberries, having sold over five dollars worth at Plummer and brought home nearly ten gallons. The blueberry crop was immense this year, and the pickers were liberally rewarded for their efforts.

Contractor Herman Lindtner was last week awarded the contract for constructing a cement sidewalk around the court house property. A walk will be built from the alley between Main street and Champagne avenue, Second street west to Campagne and north on Campagne across the front of the court house property. This is a badly needed improvment and will add greatly to the appearance of that part of the city.

. The new cheese factoey at Dorothy owned by Dedrich Kvindlung, the Wylie cheese maker, started up for the season's run, Tuesday. The work of building the factory was done by Contractor Thill of Fosston and the plant is modern in every respec. Mr. Kvinlung is a good cheese maker and will undoubtedly do a good business at that point.

W. T. Spillane arrivived home Friday from Olean, New York, and other eastern points, where he has visited the past three weeks with relatives and old-time friends. This was W. T.'s first sojourn to the scenes of his boyhood for a great many years, and while he found many changes nevertheless there was much of interest to him. He states that the east has prospered in great shape but that he greatly prefers the western states as a place for a home.

At the meeting of the board of county commissioners last week, C. H. Martz, a St. Hilaire resident was made overseer of highways at a salary of $75 dollars per month. This new office is created under the law passed by a recent session of legialature, and is made with a view to establishing better highways throughout the country. His duty will be to oversee in general all road work done, and it is expected that great good will result to the country in general. Mr. Martz is a first-class fellow and had lots of experience in road work, and will undoubtedly make a competent officer.

Reports come from one or two farmers who have threshed small quantities of barley, to the effect that the yield is much greater than at first anticipated. Several loads were hauled to a Black River machine and the usual number of sacks were taken along, but when the threshing was done, it was found that in no case was the quantity of sacks adequate to accommodate the amount of grain threshed. The color and quantity of the grain is excellent and everything there is good cheer among the farmers at the excellent outlook for the returus from the grain crops.

A pleasant "Indian" party was held just below the junction of the rivers Saturday evening. Leland Healy conveyed young folks, to the number of thirty-six to the scene of fun in his launch and a delightful time was had. The participants were dressed in Indian costume and around a big camp-fire a regular old-fashioned pow wow was held. Unique and pretty costumes were numerous and a bountiful supper was provided to complete the enjoyment of the occasion. The party was was one of the most enjoyable ever held in this neighborhood.

Sheriff Nelson is convinced that corporations sometimes look out for the welfare of the people, and his conviction comes from an instance that happened to him in the cities last week. In leaving a street car hurriedly at Minneapolis one day last week, he forgot his new cravanette coat and didn't discover his loss until too late to trace the car. He reported the fact to the street car company but didn't expect to see the coat again. His pleasure was great yesterday when he received the garment intact by express showing that the street car company of the Twin cities attempt to protect their customers as well as possible.

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All our Oxfords for men, women and children, of the summer styles will be sold at a great reduction.

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How a Veteran Was Saved the Amputation of a Limb.

B. Frank Doremus, veteran, of Roosevelt Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., says: "I had been showing symptoms of kidney trouble from the time I was mustered out of the army, but in all my life I never suffered as in 1897. Headaches, dizziness and sleeplessness, first, and then dropsy. I was weak and helpless, having run down from 180 to 125 pounds. I was having terrible pain in the kidneys, and the secretions passed almost involuntarily. My left leg swelled until it was 34 inches around, and the doctor tapped it night and morning until I could no longer stand it, and then he advised amputation. I refused, and began using Doan's Kidney Pills. The swelling subsided gradually, the urine become natural and all my pains and aches disappeared. I have been well now for nine years since using Doan's Kidney Pills."

For sale by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Handy Implement.

That old Skinem is the greatest one for getting himself all marked up. Why his fingers are so black all the time I noticed the other day he even had an inky razor."

"Probably that is what he uses to shave his paper with.

Couldn't Raise Their Own.

Drummer—So you always have a ready sale for canned vegetables, eh?

Storekeeper Jason—By heck, yes. All the farmers around here are these here "gentlemen farmers" who attended agriculture schools in town.

Feminine Viewpoint.

Said He—That is a very old joke about the scarcity of men at the summer resorts.

Said She—Well, it may be old, but it's no joke.

CHEAP IRRIGATED LAND.

Grand opening Sept. 5th under Carey Act. Little Snake River Valley, Routt County, Colo. $25.50 per acre for land and water. $5.25 per acre down. Excursion rates. Routt County Development Co., 814 17th St., Denver, Colo.

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Under the supervision of Dr. Starlinger, the chief of the institution, no less than 54 per cent of the patients are engaged in some kind of occupation. The majority are employed in farm, dairy and garden work, while others turn their attention to mechanical trades, including the production of a newspaper, which is printed and also largely written by the inmates.

It has been found that the mentally affected and those suffering from alcoholism make the most willing and efficient workers. Work has a quieting influence and renders the patients much more satisfied.

The favorable effect on their physical condition is shown from the fact that the number of deaths from tuberculosis have steadily decreased since the introduction of the work treatment, although the number of patients has constantly increased.

One other good effect of the work treatment is that the general public is found to lose much of its dread of asylums when it sees the patients engaged in some useful occupation.

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Such a diet will make a change in your health and strength worth trial.

"There's a Reason."

Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

SISTER ROSE.

A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS.

CHAPTER XIX.—(Continued.)

"And in excellent health, except that she is subject now and then to nervous attacks, having evidently, as I believe, been struck with some dreadful fright—most likely during that accursed time of the Terror, for they came from Paris—you don't drink, honest man! Why don't you drink? Very, very pretty in a pale way; figure perhaps too thin—let me pour it out for you—but an angel of gentleness, and attached in such a touching way to the citizen Maurice—"

"Citizen hostess! will you, or will you not, tell me where they live?"

"You droll little man! why did you not ask me that before, if you wanted to know? Finish your wine and come to the door. There's your change, and thank you for your custom, though it isn't much. Come to the door, I say, and don't interrupt me! You're an old man—can you see forty yards before you?—Yes, you can! Don't be peevish; that never did anybody any good yet. Now look back along the road where I am pointing. You see a large heap of stones? On the other side of the heap of stones there is a little path—you can't see that, but you can remember what I tell you? Good. You go down the path till you get to a stream; down the stream till you get to a bridge; down the other bank of the stream (after crossing the bridge) till you get to an old water-mill—a jewel of a water-mill! famous for miles around; artists from the four quarters of the globe are always coming to sketch it! Ah! what, you are getting peevish again? You won't wait? Impatient old man, what a life your wife must lead, if you have got one! Remember the bridge! Ah! your poor wife and children. I pity them, your daughters especially. Pst! pst! Remember the bridge—peevish old man, remember the bridge!"

Walking as fast as he could out of hearing of the Widow Duval's tongue, Lomaque took the path by the heap of stones which led out to the high road, crossed the stream, and arrived at the old water-mill. Close by it stood a cottage—a rough, simple building, with a strip of garden in front. Lomaque's observant eyes marked the graceful arrangement of the flower beds, and the delicate whiteness of the curtains that hung behind the badly-glazed narrow windows. "This must be the place," he said to himself, as he knocked at the door with his stick. "I can see the traces of her hand before I cross the threshold."

The door opened. "Pray, does the citizen Maurice"—Lomaque began, not seeing clearly, for the first moment, in the dark little passage.

Before he could say any more his hand was grasped, his carpet bag was taken from him, and a well-known voice cried: "Welcome! a thousand times welcome at last! Citizen Maurice is not at home; but Louis Trudaine takes his place, and is overjoyed to see once more the best and dearest of his friends!"

"I hardly know you again! How you are altered for the better!" exclaimed Lomaque, as they entered the parlor of the cottage.

"Remember that you see me after a long freedom from anxiety. Since I have lived here, I have gone to rest at night, and have not been afraid of the morning," replied Trudaine. He went out into the passage while he spoke, and called at the foot of the one flight of stairs which the cottage possessed, "Rose! Rose! come down! The friend whom you most wished to see has arrived at last!"

She answered the summons immediately. The frank friendly warmth of her greeting; her resolute determination, after the first inquiries were over, to help the guest to take off his upper coat with her own hands, so confused and delighted Lomaque, that he hardly knew which way to turn, or what to say.

"This is even more trying, in a pleasant way, to a lonely old fellow like me"—he was about to add, "than the unexpected civility of the hot cup of coffee years ago;" but remembering what recollections even that trifling circumstance might recall, he checked himself.

"More trying than what?" asked Rose, leading him to a chair.

"Ah! I forget. I am in a dotage already!" he answered, confusedly. "I have not got used just yet to the pleasure of seeing your kind face again."

CHAPTER XX.

IT WAS indeed a pleasure to look at that face now, after Lomaque's last experience of it. Three years of repose, though they had not restored to Rose those youthful attractions which she had lost forever in the days of the Terror, had not passed without leaving kindly outward traces of their healing progress. Though the girlish roundness had not returned to her cheeks, or the girlish delicacy of color to her complexion, her eyes had recovered much of their old softness, and her expression all of its old winning charm. What was left of latent sadness in her face, and of significant quietness in her manner, remained gently and harmlessly—remained rather to show what had been once than what was now.

When they were all seated, there was, however, something like a momentary return to the suspense and anxiety of past days in their faces, as Trudaine, looking earnestly at Lomaque, asked—"Do you bring any news from Paris?"

"None," he replied; "but excellent news, instead, from Rouen. I have heard, accidentally, through the employer whom I have been serving since we parted, that your old house by the river side is to let again."

Rose started from her chair. "Oh! Louis, if we could only live there once more! My flower-garden?" she continued, turning to Lomaque.

"Cultivated throughout," he answered, "by the late proprietor."

—"And the laboratory?" added her brother.

"Left standing," said Lomaque. "Here is a letter with all the particulars. You may depend upon them, for the writer is the person charged with the letting of the house."

Trudaine looked over the letter eagerly.

"The price is not beyond our means," he said. "After our three years' economy here we can afford to give something for a great pleasure."

"Oh! what a day of happiness it will be when we go home again!" cried Rose. "Pray, write to your friend at once," she added, addressing Lomaque, "and say we take the house, before any one else is beforehand with us!"

He nodded; and folding up the letter mechanically in the old official form, made a note on it in the old official manner. Trudaine observed the action, and felt its association with past times of trouble and terror. His face grew grave again, as he said to Lomaque, "And is this good news really all the news of importance you have to tell us?"

Lomaque hesitated and fidgeted in his chair. "What other news I have will well bear keeping," he replied. "There are many questions I should like to ask first, about your sister and yourself. Do you mind allowing me to refer for a moment to the time when we last met?"

He addressed this inquiry to Rose, who answered in the negative; but her voice seemed to alter, even in saying the one word "No." She turned her head away when she spoke; and Lomaque noticed that her hands trembled as she took up some work lying on a table near, and hurriedly occupied herself with it.

"We speak as little about that time as possible," said Trudaine looking significantly towards his sister; "but we have some questions to ask you in our turn; so the allusion, for this once, is inevitable. Your sudden disappearance at the very crisis of that terrible time of danger has not yet been fully explained to us. The one short note which you left behind you helped us to guess at what had happened rather than to understand it."

"I can easily explain it now," answered Lomaque. "The sudden overthrow of the Reign of Terror which was salvation to you, was destruction to me. The new republican reign was a reign of mercy, except for the tail of Robespierre, as the phrase ran then. Every man who had been so wicked or so unfortunate as to be involved, even in the meanest capacity, with the machinery of the government of Terror, was threatened, and justly, with the fate of Robespierre. I among others fell under this menace of death. I deserved to die, and should have resigned myself to the guillotine, but for you. From the course taken by public events, I knew you would be saved; and although your safety was the work of circumstances, still I had a hand in rendering it possible at the outset; and a yearning came over me to behold you both free again with my own eyes—a selfish yearning to see, in you, a living, breathing, real result of the one good impulse of my heart which I could look back on with satisfaction. The desire gave me a new interest in life. I resolved to escape death, if it were possible. For ten days I lay hidden in Paris. After that—thanks to certain scraps of useful knowledge which my experience in the office of secret police had given me—I succeeded in getting clear of Paris and in making my way safely to Switzerland. The rest of my story is so short, and so soon told, that one relation I knew of in the world to apply to, was a cousin of mine (whom I had never seen before), established as a silk-mercer at Berne. I threw myself on this man's mercy. He discovered that I was likely, with my business habits, to be of some use to him, and he took me into his house. I worked for what he pleased to give me; traveled about for him in Switzerland; deserved his confidence, and won it. Till within the last few months I remained with him, and only left my employment to enter, by my master's own desire, the house of his brother, established also as a silk-mercer, at Chalons-sur-Marne. In the counting house of this merchant I am corresponding clerk; and am only able to come and see you now, by offering to undertake a special business mission for my employer at Paris. It is drudgery, at my time of life, after all I have gone through—but my hard work is innocent work. I am not obliged to cringe for every crown-piece I put in my pocket—not bound to denounce, deceive, and dog to death other men, before I can earn my bread, and scrape together money enough to bury me. I am ending a bad, base life harmlessly at last. It is a poor thing to do, but it is something done—and even that contents a man of my age. In short, I am happier than I used to be—or at least less ashamed when I look people like you in the face."

"Hush! hush!" interrupted Rose, laying her hand on his arm. "I cannot allow you to talk of yourself in that way, even in jest."

"I was speaking in earnest," answered Lomaque, quietly; "but I won't weary you with any more words about myself. My story is told."

"All?" asked Trudaine. He looked searchingly, almost suspiciously, at Lomaque, as he put the question. "All?" he repeated. "Yours is a short story, my good friend! Perhaps you have forgotten some of it?"

Again Lomaque fidgeted and hesitated.

"Is it not a little hard on an old man to be always asking questions of him, and never answering one of his inquiries in return?" he said to Rose, very gaily as to manner, but rather uneasily as to look.

"He will not speak out till we two are alone," thought Trudaine. "It is best to risk nothing, and to humor him."

"Come, come," he said aloud, "no grumbling. I admit that it is your turn to hear our story now; and I will do my best to gratify you. But, before I begin," he added, turning to his sister, "let me suggest, Rose, that if you have any household matters to settle upstairs——"

"I know what you mean," she interrupted, hurriedly taking up the work which during the last few minutes she had allowed to drop into her lap; "but I am stronger than you think; I can face the worst of our recollections composedly. Go on, Louis; pray go on—I am quite fit to stop and hear you."

"You know what we suffered in the first days of our suspense, after the success of your stratagem," said Trudaine, turning to Lomaque. "I think it was on the evening after we had seen you for the last time at St. Lazare, that strange confused rumors of an impending convulsion in Paris first penetrated within our prison walls. During the next few days the faces of our gaolers were enough to show us that those rumors were true, and that the Reign of Terror was actually threatened with overthrow at the hands of the Moderate Party. We had hardly time to hope everything from this blessed change, before the tremendous news of Robespierre's attempted suicide, then of his condemnation and execution, reached us. The confusion produced in the prison was beyond all description. The accused who had been tried and the accused who had not been tried got mingled together. From the day of Robespierre's arrest, no orders came to the authorities, no death lists reached the prison. The gaolers, terrified by rumors that the lowest accomplices of the tyrant would be held responsible, and be condemned with him, made no attempt to maintain order. Some of them—that humpbacked man among the rest—deserted their duties altogether. The disorganization was so complete, that when the commissioners from the new government came to St. Lazare, some of us were actually half starving from want of the mere necessaries of life. To inquire separately into our cases was found to be impossible. Sometimes the necessary papers were lost; sometimes what documents remained were incomprehensible to the new commissioners. They were obliged, at last, to make short work of it by calling us up before them in dozens. Tried or not tried, we had all been arrested by the tyrant, had all been accused of conspiracy against him, and were all ready to hail the new government as the salvation of France. In nine cases out of ten, our best claim to be discharged was derived from these circumstances. We were treated by Tallien and the men of the ninth Thermidor, because we had been suspected by Robespierre, Couthon, and St. Just. Arrested informally, we were now liberated informally. When it came to my sister's turn and mine, we were not under examination five minutes. No such thing as a searching question was asked of us; I believe we might even have given our own names with perfect impunity. But I had previously instructed Rose that we were to assume our mother's name—Maurice. As the citizen and citoyenne Maurice, accordingly, we passed out of prison—under the same name we have lived ever since in hiding here. Our past repose has depended, our future happiness will depend, on our escape from death being kept the profoundest secret among us three. For one all-sufficient reason, which you can easily guess at, the brother and sister Maurice must still know nothing of Louis Trudaine and Rose Danville, except that they were two among the hundreds of victims guillotined during the Reign of Terror."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Origin of Windfall.

The origin of the expression "windfall," which is used when one wishes to refer to a streak of good luck, dates back to the time of William the Conqueror. At that time it was a criminal offense to cut timber in the British forests without royal consent. All that could be gathered for fuel or other purposes was such limbs as the wind should happen to break and cast to the ground. On this account the peasants hailed a windstorm as a blessing, because it was apt to cast enough of "windfalls" for winter firewood. From this old-time forestry custom comes the modern application of the expression.

Chinese and Cockroaches.

Cockroaches are never willingly slain by Chinamen. They consider them sacred insects and think it portends ill-luck to step on them. As they never make any effort to exterminate them the Chinese quarters are usually overrun with these pests.

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The international courtesies exchanged, it is not generally known what becomes of these animals. The future of many other beasts and birds which in one way or another, through consuls or department agents, come into the possession of the United States government is not usually followed up. To whose charge are they given, and how do they pass the rest of their lives?

Twenty years ago they would have been turned over to some private menagerie or housed in crude wooden structures back of the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, where zoologists and biologists could study them at close range. Perhaps the daily sight of these temporary structures had something to do with the purpose the late Dr. S. O. Langley, secretary of the institution, took steps to carry out at that time to found on the outskirts of Washington a national zoological park.

It was not an easy task to convince legislators why they should pay to "have the Nebraska elk and Florida alligators cooped up." In 1890, however, a bill was finally passed through congress to establish a zoological park for the "advancement of science and the instruction and recreation of the people," and also as a haven of refuge where those "native animals that were threatened with extinction might live and perpetuate their species in peace."

The bill allotted $200,000 for the purchase of land and building. The few animals caged back of the Smithsonian institution were turned over to new quarters, and the administration of the national zoo became a branch of the institution's work.

Now 167 acres of hilly, woody land two miles from the center of Washington is the final home of nearly every beast that comes into the possession of the United States government. There is no law making it the only depository for such gifts, but as a matter of fact, very few are sent elsewhere.

An idea of Secretary Langley, when he founded the zoo, was to furnish for the animals surroundings as nearly like their natural homes as possible. The idea was a new one at the time. The few menageries in the country had not the facilities to execute any such plan. He opposed any too evident artificiality in the architecture of the grounds. He wished the national zoo to be a natural park in every mode practicable. The large acreage helped him in this course, for our zoological gardens are two and a half times as large as the celebrated Thiergarten at Berlin and four times as large as the zoo in London.

Since the national zoo was founded over 2,000 animals have been housed here and during the last few years the collection has averaged about 1,200 birds and beasts at a time.

Apples and Peanuts for Lunch.

Former Senator Francis M. Cockrell of Missouri, now a member of the interstate commerce commission, has regained his health sufficiently to partake of his usual noonday lunch—two apples and a sack of peanuts, which during his thirty years' official residence in Washington, most of the time as United States senator, were his only diet for the noonday meal.

Senator Cockrell says he believes there is more nutriment in a sack of peanuts than in a pound of beefsteak and that they are easier to get. Last winter when he was stricken with illness his physician ordered him to drop apples and peanuts for a while. It was a hard task.

Recently when he was advised that he could resume his favorite bill of fare he was happier than a boy with his first pair of red top boots.

White Paint for the White House.

The annual cleaning of the White House is under way. A large force of painters is now at work on the structure, and pretty much all of the four months the President is absent will be utilized in renovating and cleaning the exterior of the old building.

The walls of the White House were not painted last year. The experiment of washing with a highly recommended preparation was made. This was unsuccessful, as the wash seems to have cracked the paint and left the walls in bad shape generally wherever it was applied. After these walls have been properly treated a liberal treatment of good old fashioned paint will be used, and the White House again will appear in its glistening dress of pure white.—Washington Post.

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USED BY THE DOCTORS.

Ninety Per Cent of the Drugs Prescribed Are Patent Medicines.

Despite the opposition of physicians, especially of those whose experience has been neither far reaching nor profitable, to "patent" medicines, ninety per cent of all drugs that physicians use are put up and compounded by manufacturing concerns,—are, in fact, "patent" medicines just as truly as if they were advertised in the newspapers.

The average doctor knows little or nothing of pharmacy and is, therefore, glad to depend on the very medicines, which in public he condemns, just as he is obliged in many cases to depend on the diagnosis of the patient himself, even while publicly decrying what he calls "self-diagnosis." How rapid has been the growth of the professional use of "patent" or "proprietary" medicines is shown in an article written for the Journal of the American Medical Association for September 29, 1906, by A. Jacobi, M. D., LL. D. He relates that 50,000 prescriptions, compounded in several drug stores were carefully examined. From 1850 to 1870 no prescription was found for "patent" or "proprietary" medicines. In 1874 but one prescription in 1,500 called for ready-to-use remedies. Between 1875 and 1880 the number calling for "patent" or "proprietary" medicines equalled two per cent of the total. This increased to 5 per cent in the period between 1880 and 1890. In 1895 it was 12 per cent, in 1898 it was 15 per cent, and in 1902-1903 was from 20 to 25 per cent.

Dr. Jacobi says that in a large store he was assured that 70 per cent of the prescriptions were for "patent" or "proprietary" medicines, and this probably is approximately the correct proportion at the present time. From this it would seem that if the "patent" and "proprietary" medicines are good enough for physicians to prescribe in seven cases out of ten they are good enough for family use in cases of necessity and where the symptoms are well known and as easily understood by the people as by the doctors.

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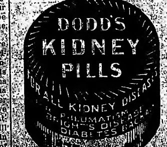

HEALTH NOTES FOR AUGUST.

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"Uplift?" replied the editor, doubtfully. "Uplift? Is that anything like a hold-up?"

SPOILS OF AUSTRIAN COURT.

How They Are Divided Among the Attendants Upon Royalty.

Court etiquette in Austria is more stringent than in other European courts.

The attendants come in for large perquisites, as comestible articles are never allowed to appear twice on the royal tables. It must be a good thing to be one of these attendants, as to one man falls all the uncorked bottles, to another the wine left in the glasses, and the game, fish, and sweets are equally divided in the same way.

Each morning a market is held in the basement of the palace, where the Viennese come to purchase the remains of the banquet.

This custom is a revival of one that obtained great favor in the Middle Ages. Then the great lords of the land were not above accepting the remains of a feast and the lord chancellor was entitled to the ends of one large candle and forty small ones each day.

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WAGE WAR ON THE WHITE-PINE TREE WEEVIL

Its Attacks Prevent Development of Normal Straight Trunk—By A. D. Hopkins, in Charge Forest Insect Investigations.

The white-pine weevil is a somewhat elongate, brownish snout beetle, 4 to 5 mm. in length, having the thorax and elytra marked with irregular spots of brown and white scales (fig. 1, a). The winter is passed in the adult stage, evidently in the ground. The beetles come out of their winter quarters and fly early in May, and after feeding for a few days on the bark of the living white-pine terminal shoots deposit their eggs in punctures in the bark of the shoot of the previous year's growth, placing one or two eggs in a pit or cavity in the inner bark made by the beak of the mother beetle. In from six to ten days the eggs begin to hatch into small white grubs (larvae), which at first are usually found in large numbers feeding upon the inner bark and cambium (see fig. 2). They usually work downward and sometimes extend their work into the bark of the two-year-old stem and base of the branches. By the time the larvae have completed their development (fig. 1, b) they are greatly reduced in numbers by natural enemies and other causes. The survivors burrow into the wood or pith of the terminal and excavate individual transformation cells, which they line and cover with excelsior-like borings. In these cells they transform to pupae (see fig, 1, c) and adults, and during July and August of the same year, when the adults are fully matured, they bore their way out and seek suitable places in which to pass the winter.

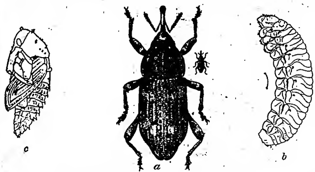


Fig. 1.—White-Pine Weevil (Pissodes Strobi).

a, Adult, smaller figure natural size; b, larvae, line at left natural length; c, pupa, small figure of adult showing natural size. (Original.)

The white pine is the tree normally attacked, but the weevil is occasionally found in the terminals or topmost branches of the native and cultivated spruces, the jack pine, and very rarely in the pitch pine or other eastern pines. The attack is confined to the small, to large sapling and pole stages in the development of the tree.

Our records indicate that this weevil follows the natural range of the white pine from southwestern North Carolina into New Brunswick and Canada and westward into Wisconsin.

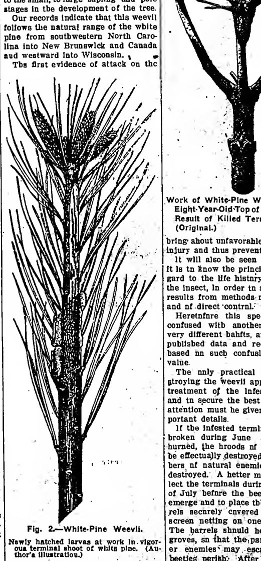


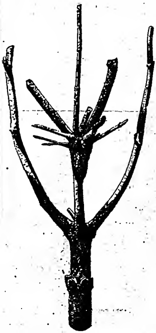
Fig. 2.—White-Pine Weevil.

Newly hatched larvas at work in vigorous terminal shoot of white pine. (Author's illustration.)

The first evidence of attack on the living terminals is the exudation of fresh, clear and shining drops of resin. Upon closer examination fresh pinhole-like punctures are found in the bark, and at the same time the inconspicuous beetles may be found on the terminal; but upon the approach of the observer the beetles will often let go their foothold and fall to the ground, where they will feign death. In a few days after the first attack the injured terminals will have the resin more or less abundant and conspicuous over the greater part of the surface. The first evidence that the terminals are infested with larvae is the stunted, unhealthy appearance of the young growth at the tip, which will gradually die, the needles turning yellowish and later brownish.

The time of development of the broods to adults will be indicated by the first appearance of dead tips.

The damage and loss, as affecting the commercial tree, consists not only in the death of the terminal shoots, but in subsequent abnormal development of the trees so injured. The dying of the leading shoot throws the next year's growth into the upper lateral shoots, which results in a forked and many-branched top. Each branch produces a vigorous terminal, and all compete for leadership in forming the crown. In succeeding years the more vigorous terminals of the topmost branches are attacked and killed causing more branches, and thus effectually preventing the development of the normal straight trunk and symmetrical crown necessary to a tree of commercial value.



Work of White-Pine Weevil, Showing Eight-Year-Old Top of Large Sapling. Result of Killed Terminal Shoot in (Original.)

In the successful control of this pest, as in the control of forest insects in general, much depends on special features in the general methods of forest management, which will bring about unfavorable conditions for injury and thus prevent loss.

It will also be seen how important it is to know the principal facts in regard to the life history and habits of the insect, in order to secure the best results from methods of management and of direct control.

Heretofore this species has been confused with another species with very different habits, and some of the published data and recommendations based on such confusions are of no value.

The only practical method of destroying the weevil appears to be the treatment of the infested terminals, and to secure the best results special attention must be given to certain important details.

If the infested terminals are cut or broken during June and July and burned, the broods of the weevil will be effectually destroyed, but vast numbers of natural enemies will also be destroyed. A better method is to collect the terminals during the first half of July before the beetles begin to emerge and to place them in tight barrels securely covered with wire fly-screen netting on one or both ends. The barrels should be left in the groves, so that the parasites and other enemies may escape, while the beetles perish. After the 1st of October the weevils will all be dead, and the netting may then be removed, although the barrels with their contents should be left until the following June to allow the escape of the later developing and larger parasites. The barrel should not be placed in a position to collect rain. It is necessary, however, if this method be adopted, that it be repeated two or three years in succession in the same locality, in order to catch the successive broods from the old parent beetles that live over from preceding years.

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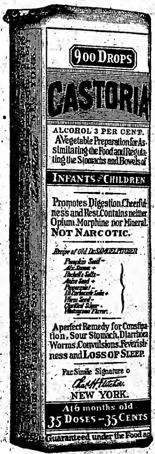
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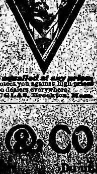

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The book is not only an advertisement for the school but is a splendid advertisement for Crookston, as it tells of the advantages of the city in a clear, concise manner. Every word uttered by Mr. Sathre's catalog is fact, and this is one of the reasons for the remarkable success of the Crookston Business College since its establishment here in the nineties.

Since last year, Mr. Sathre has added considerable additional room for the accommodation of his constantly growing school and this year will undoubtedly prove the best year which the school has ever experienced.—Crookston Times. adv.

Gets $1,000 Position.

S. J. Cummings, who recently went to Fargo to take a course of business training with Professor Watkins of the Dakota Business College, has completed his work and has been placed in a fine $1,000 position with a large mercantile firm at Breckenridge. The Dakota Business College has been remarkably successful not only in training pupils for business life but in placing its graduates with the best business firms.

Notice of Mortgage Forclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages, on page 190.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $348.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows; to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottiueau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

DUTUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer,
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
a8 a12 Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF Red Lake, ss:

In District Court.

W. H. Bangs, doing business under the firm name and style of Bangs & Co., Plaintiff,
vs
Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment docketed and rendered in said Court in favor of W. H. Bangs & Co., plaintiff, and against Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, defendants, I have levied upon the following described real property of said defendant, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the quarter section line, two rods west of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section numbered seventeen (17), in Township numbered one hundred fifty-one (151) north of Range forty-three (43) west of the Fifth P. M., in the State of Minnesota, running thence south eighty rods, running thence west eighty rods, running thence north eighty rods, running thence east eighty rods to the place of commencement; also lots numbered sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), in Block numbered twenty-six (26), in Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, according to the corrected plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 31st day of August, A. D. 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Samuel Allard and Delia Allard in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Two Hundred Twenty-seven dollars and seventy-seven cents ($220.77); together with all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the first day of April, 1907, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated, July 18, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff, Red Lake Co., Minn.

F. A. GRADY,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. j18a29

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Peter K. Olson and Lillie Christine Olson, his wife, mortgagors, to The West of Scotland American Investment Company, Limited, mortgagee, dated May 11th, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on May 16th, 1903, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., in book "26" of Mortgages, on page 509 thereof; that said mortgagee has paid the taxes assessed against the premises described in said mortgage for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, amounting in all to $90.00, that the amount claimed and hereby declared to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said taxes and interest thereon is one thousand one hundred thirty two and 46-100 dollars ($1132.46) that the premises descibed in and covered by said mortgage are Lots five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) of section eighteen (18), township one hundred and fifty one (151), north of range forty-three (43) west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one hundred fifty one and 41-100 acres according to government survey, situated in Red Lake county, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state, on August 31st, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including said taxes, together with the costs of such sale and fifty dollars attorneys' fees, stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated July 11, 1907.

THE WEST OF SCOTLAND AMERICAN INVESTMENT CO., Limited,
Mortgagee.

B. H. Whitney,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Slayton, Minnesota. j18a29

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Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
County of Red Lake,
State of Minnesota

To J. K. O. Sherwood,

You are hereby notified that the following described piece or parcel of land, situated in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to-wit: the South East quarter of Section 26, Township 153—Range 44, is is now assessed in your name; that on the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1902, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made to and by the District Court in and for the said County of Red Lake on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1902 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1900, for said county of Red Lake, the above described piece or parcel of land was sold for the sum of seventeen dollars and sixty-one cents; that the tax certificate issued for said and at said sale has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of redemption from said sale given and served; that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs, to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Two Hundred Thirty one dollars and sixty four cents (said sum being the aggregate amount of said sum for which said land was sold at said sale and interest thereon at twelve per cent per annum, delinquent taxes, penalties, costs and interest thereon, accruing subsequent to said sale and paid by said purchaser, and all unpaid delinquent taxes, interest cost and penalties accruing upon said land subsequent to said sale;) and that the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said sail will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof of said service has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office this sixth day of July, A. D. 1907.

John B. O'Brien
County Auditor,
Red Lake County, Minnesota.

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OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
County of Red Lake.
State of Minnesota

To J. K. O. Sherwood:

You are hereby notified that the following described pieces or parcels of land, situated in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota and known and described as follows, to-wit: The South one half of the South east quarter and the north west quarter of the south east quarter of section 30, in Township 151, Range 43 is now assessed in your name; that on the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1902, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Red Lake on the twenty first day of March, A. D. 1902, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1900 for said County of Red Lake; the above described pieces or parcels of land was sold for the sum of sixteen dollars and seven cents; that the tax certificate issued for said land at said sale has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of redemption of said sale given and served; that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of One Hundred Twenty one dollars and Eighty Cents (said sum being the aggregate amount of said sum for which said land was sold at said sale, and interest thereon at twelve per cent per annum, delinquent taxes, penalties, costs and interest thereon, accruing subsequent to said sale and paid by said purchaser, and all unpaid delinquent taxes, interest, costs and penalties accruing upon said land subsequent to said sale); and that the time for redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said sale expires sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof of said service has been filed in my office.

Witness, my hand and seal of office this sixth day of July, A. D. 1907.

John B. O'Brien
County Auditor,
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THE BIG STORE

Our Store Is Our Catalogue

Come in and look it over

COME in and look it over— You can see, you can feel of the goods, if they don't suit you, if they don't fit, you don't have to buy. Think this over, and see if this plan is not better than looking at pictures of goods. Our fall stock is coming in as fast as the railroads can haul the goods. We have just opened up:—

3000 yards of Dress Goods, 10,000 yards of Outing Flannels,
300 doz. suits Men's Underwear, Thousands of pairs of Shoes

We have the goods, the assortment, the choice, we give you the pleasure of buying from a complete stock, and it is our pleasure to show you our new goods.

Get your supply of Outing Flannels, Flannelettes Now

Goods will be higher later on—we bought these early and we will sell you most of the brands at OLD PRICES, others we will have to ask you 1c per yard more.

6c yard buys a good lining outing.

8c yard buys a fair weight outing.

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Our medium- and low-priced suits are already in—beautiful suits in WORSTEDS, CASSIMERES, in dark grays and dark browns at ....

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OUR KUPPENHEIMER LINE will be in next week. Wait! Wait! Wait! for the swellest ever.

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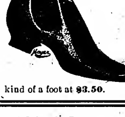

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Sugar 17½ lbs for **$1.00**, Fancy Navy Beans **3½c** lb., Egg-o-See Corn Flakes **9c**, Vitos Cream wheat **13c**. Crackers by the box **6½c** lb., Good Rio coffee **12½c**, Clothes Pins **1c** duz. Prices all along the line lower than elsewhere.

It pays to trade here more and more of them say so.

Theo. LaBissoniere

THE BIG STORE
Red Lake Falls
Minnesota

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SOME BIG CHECKS

Patrons of the Red Lake Falls Creamery Received Good Returns for July.

Monday was pay dey for the Red Red Lake Falls creamery, and checks amounting to $3.662.25 were issued to the patrons of the local plant.

The business of July was the best in the history and a large amount cf choice butter was ehipped out during the month. The list of patrons has constantly increased and Buttermaker Malvin is obtaining good results.

The local plant is leaving a lot of money among the farmers of this section every month and the work should be pushed along by every resident of the city and surrounding country.

The following is the list of patrons receiving over $50 for July:

Ildaige Bafil	$100.84
A. Carriere	100.21
Cellna Amorit	91.17
F. Behu	86.87
Wm. Schaper	74.07
Jeff Porter	56.65
Pierre Emard	56.73
M. Kees	59.03
F. Hovold	64.92
Addie Longtin	54 11
D. Patnode	80.76
L. Jankey	52.35
L. Ducharme	59.51
Paul Cyr	57.07
Mrs. Sam Miller	59.23
C. Patnode	57.92
Jacob Boutin	66,31
A. Anderson	68.95
Carl Nelson	52.54
F. Greniere	69.43
J. B. Sande	53.35
M. Waldorf	58.41
Joe Duffy	56.01

Camping Will Be Popular.

Secretary C. N. Cosgrove has received many inquiries regarding the plans for tenting on the Fair grounds during the State Fair of 1907, and looks for a large number of people who will enjoy this plan of seeing the Fair at small expense in a novel way. The charge for a 7x9 tent is $2.00 for the week: for e 9x9 tent 2.50; for a 10x12 tent, $3; for a 12x14 tent, $3.50. Any one can figure out the size of the tent needed for his party. Cots may be rented for 50 cents and bedding for from 50 to 75 cents. It is believed that it will be generelly more setisfactory for parties to furnish their own bedding. Those who wish may bring their own tents and set them up on the camp ground which is a beautiful grove on the northern part of the Fair grounds. There is a pleutiful supply of pure water, good sanitary arrangements and plenty of places to buy meale and eupplies. The Fair is held during the week of Sept. 2 to 7.

Pointed Pargraphs.

Chicago News; If kissing is a crime, it must be a capital one.

A thick bead generates a multitude of thin ideas.

Many hear the call to fame but few deliver the goods.

No, Alonzo, a man isn't necessarily bright because he shines in society.

When a naturally amiable man attempts to act otherwise, he is sure to overdo it.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Nine-year-old Child Has Foot Severed By Binder.

A terrible accident happened in Terrebonne last Saturday afternoon, when Viola, the nine-yenr-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. X. Sauve, had her left foot completely cut off by the sickle of a binder.

Violo, in company with one or two other little ones, was out where the harvesting wes going on and were playing around all afternoon. Late in the afternoon, the hired man finished cutting a piece of barley end was down off the machine removing the last bundles before starting to cut the oats, when one of the little children climbed up on the seat and picked up the lines, which caused the horses to start. Little Viole was in front of the machine and before she could get away the sickle caught her and cut her left foot completely off, just above the ankle.

She was taken home as soon as possible and Dector Lemieux summoned. While the child was very weak from the loee of blood when the doctor arrived there, nevertheless the dressing of the wound wes accomplished successfully, and the little one is doing as well as possible considering the terrible ordeal she went through.

The child is exceptionally bright and pretty and it is indeed sad that she was so unfortunate as to receive an injury that will cripple her for life.

A Missing Bridegroom.

Thief River Press: People west and North of the city are speculnting on the whereabouts of Felix Arlington, a young man of thet vicinity, who has been missing since Auguet 1st or thereabouts. Arlington was to have been united in marriage on Sunday, August 4th, to a Miss Rafteseth, a pretty young woman whose parents reside at Strip. The wedding was to have taken place at the home of Mrs. Gust Nokken, a sister of the bride-to-be, and everything was in readiness for the approach-event.

A day or two previous to the day Arlington came to Thief River Falls presumably to make some further purchases, and he has not since been seen or heerd from by the people of his acquaintance. He is believed to have had considerable money on his person et the time. Whether he has voluntarily left the country or was the victim of foul pley is the question that is agitating the minds of his friends, some leaning towards one view, some the other—at ell events, there is no reason why he should leave just on the verge of his marriage to one of the attractive young ladies of this vicinity.

France's Earliest Artists.

The caves of Southern France are the most remarkable in the world for their wall pictures mede by prehistoric man. Some of the pictures are engraved in rock, some are painted in different colors. They usually represent extinct animals, such as cave lion and cave-bear. But more ramarkable than this is the fect that golden grain belt beer will build up and feed your nerves and insure perfect health. Serve daily with your meals. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

SEASON SOON OPEN

Local Nimrods Preparing For the Game Slaughter During the Next Month.

The open season for prairie chicken, ducks, geese and other specie of wild fowl will open Sunday, and it expected that a general exodus of sportsmen to the fields will occur on that day and from then on for several weeks.

The chicken crop is said to be very good this year and all reports are that there will be good sport in the hunting line. It was at first feared that on account of the lateness of the harvest too much grain would be standing to make successful hunting early in September. However the binder has been working overtime during the past ten days and practically all the grain except the flax will be cut by the last of this week.

Prairie chicken hunting is one of the best sports in the world and the Minnesota law is such now that it protects the game very fairly. Of course there is always some pre-season shooting done; but it has been very scarce in this vicinity this year and what chickens there ere will be ripe for Sunday.

It is seid thet there are also a lot of ducks in this vicinity this fall, and the followers of dog and gun anticipate a senson of pleasure during the next few weeks.

Brady Gets Contract.

Contractor James Brady, of this city, has been awarded the contract to erect the handsome new city hall building at Kelliher, Beltrami county. The contract price is $7,775 and Mr. Brady expects to commence work on the new structure very shortly. Mr. Brady last year built the new school house at Kelliher, and gave excellent satisfaction. The new city hall building will be modern in every respect and a great credit to the village of Kelliher.

Autumn Styles in

Stationery

For polite correspondence there should be no more slighting of the tone and correctness of a lady's stationery than of her clothing, or hat, or shoes.

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WILL HOLD BAZAAR

St. Joseph's Church and School to have Big Fall Fair.

Rev. Father Fayolle announces that on the 18th, 19 and 20th of November, St. Joseph's school will hold a regular old-fashioned fair and bazaar.

It is been nearly five years since the last fair was held at St. Joseph's and the congregation is entering into the work of preparing for this big time with a vim.

The details have not been arranged as yet but it is planned to make this fair similar to the ones held in the past. The ladies' will serve meals every day. Fancy articles, will be offered for sale and several voting contests will afford great amusement.

The proceeds of the fair will be largely used to aid St. Joseph's school, and as this is a most worthy cause the hazaar should be well patronized.

Reflections of a Bacheler.

New York Press: Going on a vacation is one wey to learn to do without comforts.

Either a girl is heart-broken because she can't marry a man, or because she does.

A man would just as leave be honest as not if it were possible to meke money that way.

A woman never feels entirely respectable unless she wears something that is done in handstitching.

An alarm clock is a useful thing to make you wish in the morning you hadn't set it to go off quite so early in the morning.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

IS PAYING WELL.

Brooks Creamery Gives Patrons Good Returns.

While the readers of THE GAZETTE have been learning how the different creameries in this vicinity were paying big returns to their patrons every month, the plant at Brooks has been plugging away and saying nothing, although every month the patrons of the plant have been getting big checks, and have constantly worn "the smile that won't come off as a result thereof.

This week THE GAZETTE has gotten hold of the report of the Brooks plant for the month of July, and the showing made is certainly in keeping with the rest of the country, being proof conclusive that the dairy cow is the greatest help that the farmers of Red Lake county have ever had.

The list of those drawing over $50 from the Brooks plant for the month of July is as follows:

J. T. McKaight	$97.31
Max. Champngne	95.49
Joseph Pigeon	50.90
Simon Bernier	60.41
Henry Cyr	68.28
Joseph Jean	67.27
B. O. Wilkinson	55.67
T. Turgeon	75.29
U. Bargeron	69.41
Louis Hince	58.05
Peter Hince	52.20

A large number of others drew nearly $50 apiece and the creamery people out that way are feeling very highly satisfied at the showing made.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

Ambassador Leishman has received assurances from the porte that the American missionaries at Urumish, Persia, are in no danger so far as the Turks, who recently crossed the frontier near Urumiah, aro coocerned.

Mr. Dodge, the American charge at Tokio, cabled tho state department that he had been officially informed by the Japaneso minister of foreign affairs there that his highness, Un Prince Yong, has been nomioated to be crown prince of Korea.

The attorney general of the Philippines has been instructed by the department of justice at Washington to file suit against the Standard Oil company to recover $40,000 import duty on an old claim dating back to the time when the military turned over the government to the civil authorities.

At tho close of business July 31 there were in existence 6,550 national banking associations, with authorized capital stock of $902,405,775; circulation outstanding secured by bonds, $555,023,290; circulation secured by deposits of lawful money, $48,372,596, making the total amount outstanding $603,395,886. During July forty associations, with aggregate capital of $1,540,000, were chartered.

Crimes and Criminals.

Frank Ratzlaff, a Johnson county (Iowa) farmer, arose at daybreak, and, going to the baro, fired a bullet into his brain.

George W. Hudson and wife were found dead at their home near Noblesville, Ind. It is presumed they were murdered by unknown persons, whose object was robbery. Both had been shot.

Believing that a slight lojury to ooe of her hands, which she received while working in the button factory, would cause her to bo unable to support herself, Alma Fischer, eighteen years old, committed suicide at Muscatine, Iowa.

John H. Zimmerman, who shot and killed Edward Shields while defending himself from the assaults of four highwaymen in the down-town section of Pittsburg, was exonerated by tho coroner's jury and released from custody.

Rapp Guy, an Italian, narrowly escaped lynching nt the hands of nearly a hundred persons in Allegheny, Pa., following nn alleged attempted assault on Mrs. Mary Baruko. The polics had difficulty in rescuing the man from ths mob.

Meager details havs been received at Fairbanks, Alaska, of tbs robbery of fifty-nine pounds of gold dust, valued nt $12,000 from a registered mall sack between Eaglo and Rampart. Ths sack originslly contained eighty pounds.

A school for thieves of tha Fagin class is belioved to hava been discovered at Cedar Falls, Iowe, through tha nrrest of John Lockerby. It is alleged that Lockerby, who is seventy-two years old, had ten boys whom he had taught to steal systematically working for him.

Ed Granger, a miner at tbs Mountain Consolidsted mina at Butte, Mont., was stabbed in ths back by a fellow miner, an Italian, and now lies at St. Joseph's hospital in a critical condition. Ho wss stabbed with e candlestick. Granger does not even know tho Italian's nsme, and says thst ha believes that he was stebbed by mistake.

Frank Dungate, former mayor and a prominent merchant of Ottumwa, Iowa, shot and killed his father-in-law, Geo. Godfrey, and then committed suicida by shooting himself in tha hesd. Just what motive prompted Dungata to commit the deed is unknown. He had been sick for the last week and may hava committed tha act in e fit of temporary insanity.

Accidental Happenings.

Whilo attempting to closa an end door of s stock csr, Conductor Smith of Chadron, Neb., fell and sustained injuries which ceused his death.

Engaged in making a coupling, Henry Stesdman, a brakeman, was caught between two freight cars at Ironwood, Mich, and was crushed to death.

Peter Peterson of Stephenson, Mich., was seriously injured by a buckst of stona falling from tha top of e well in which ha was working. Peterson's injuries may prova fatal.

Four Nawark men were drowned by the sinking of e lanncb in which they were sailing in Maritan bay, off Port Monmouth, N. Y. Seven other drownings occurred in the vicinity of Now York.

A passenger train was wrecked near Monntain Grovs, Mo. Ths engineer was killed and the fireman was fatally injured. A dsfective rail ditchsd the engine.

Fonr persona are dsad as e result of a fire that startsd in the Colorado & Southern freight depot at Bouldsr, Colo., and enveloped e powdsr houss containing 1,000 pounds of dynamite, which exploded with a tremandous shock, injuring perhaps e hundred persons. The force of the blast broke hundreds of windows throughont the city. The property loss is estimated at $350,000.

Two men were killed, three more probably fatally injured and scores of people were slightly hurt by the explosion of half e car of nitroglycerin at ths Michigsn Central railrosd station st Essex, Ont.

Whila plsying with a loaded rifle, Willis Murphy of Waterloo, Iows, accidentally discharged ths gun and the bullet struck his foud-yser-old sister Agnes in the neck. Tbs doctors belicvs ths child will recover.

Struck in the bsck of ths head by tha descending csge et ths Relay mins of ths Block Coal company at Centerville, Iows, Raymond Gault, ths sightsen-year-old son of ths weighmaster, Tom Gsult, received n broken jaw and had his neck wrenched so badly that he died from the injuries.

During a terrific electrical storm lightning played many queer pranks at tha home of Michsel Considine, a North-Western conductor, at Escaneba, Micb. Mr. Considins was standing near a window resding a psper when ths bolt struck ths house. Ths paper was torn into bits, but ths resdsr escsped without injury.

Foreign.

It is reported that Queen Victorie of Spain, who gava birth to a son May 10, is sgain in e delicate stata of health.

The Credit Bank of Stockholm has suspended. Tha action of tha directors is attributed to ths extensive forgeries by e nobleman and an army officer.

In accordance with ths imperial decree, nll tha opium dens in Canton, Chins, wers closed without disturbance. The new departurs caused great rejoicing throughout tha city.

A detachment of infantry, commanded by two lieutenants, has been massacred by rebels in ths Mori district of tha island of Celebes. Tha victims, including soms convicts, nnmbered forty-five.

Heavy loss of lifs is reported from Central Jspsn becauss of floods, according to advices received by ths steamer Athenian, several hundred being killed and many injured. Ths property loss was great.

Bjornstjerns Bjornson, the Norwegian novelist, hss just celebrated ths fiftieth anniverssry of ths appearancs of his first novel, "Synnoeva Solbakken." Ha received an anormous number of greetings from eil countries.

Yellow fever among tha soldiers at Cienfuegos has spread to a small epidemic, the authorities ara much alarmed. They ere making every effort to check ths spread of tha disease, but it is feared that other cases may heva been infected.

A 4,000-ton floating dock, built in Eogland for servics in ths harbor at Port of Spain, has arrived at that place. It was towed from ths River Tyne by two Dutch tugs. It is ths first dock of ita kind to be placed in British West Indian waters.

A son has been born to Frau Bertha Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, oldest daughter of ths deceased gunmaker. The infsnt is heir to ths enormous fortuna of tha Krupp family. Fran Krupp was married Oct. 15, 1906, to e young German diplomat nsmed Bohlen und Halbach.

The Irish secretary, Mr. Birrell, was questioned in tha housa of commons regarding the reported recovery of tha jewels of ths Order of St. Petrick, stolen isst month from tha strong room of Dublin castia. Ha said that they had not been traced or redeemad from a pawnbroker, as cnrrently reported.

The anniversary of the coronation of Popa Pius X. was celebrated in the Sistina chapel at Roma with deap religious solamnity, great pomp and magnificence. All the cardinals, the papal court, tha diplomatic corpa accredited to the Vatican, the heads of the religious orders and tha members of ths Roman aristocracy wera present.

Emil Jeroma Simon, ths student of Columbie university who was sentenced at Potsdsm Aug. 10 to threa months' imprisonment, with costs, for killing Frau Schultz in an automobile acsident near Luckenwalde July 9, has decided to withdraw his appesl inasmuch as six or eight weeka would elapsa before it could coma up to the suprema court at Leipzig.

Domestic.

Tha boilermakers employed by tha Harriman lines, who have been on a strike, hava returned to work.

Richard Mansfield is not improving in health. Thosa closa to him admit that tha actor may naver again be aean on tha stage.

By a vote of 139 to 16 tha housa of representatives passed tha so-called negro disfranchisament bill previously adopted by ths ssnate.

Michael McDonald, for many years e leading politician and e prominent gambler in Chicago, died in the hospital. McDonald has not besn prominaet in local effairs during tha last ten years. The murder of Webster S. Guarin by his wife recently had a strong effect in breaking him down physically. Ha was wealthy and left an estate valued at several millions.

There will be no potato famine in Iowa. Director J. R. Sage of tha Iowa Stste estimate and crop service bureau announced in his weakly bulletin that the "spnds" are safe and thare will be a big crop. Corn has made ramarkable progress the last week.

Immigration Inspector Alfred Hampton of the district embracing Montana and Ideho has retnrned from e trip of inspection elong the Canadian border from Bonner's Ferry to the Flathead reservetion. He found that a faw Japansse were coming in, bnt on the whole conditions were excellent.

$250,000 IS STOLEN FROM POSTAL CAR

THREE MAIL SACKS, CONTAINING TREMENDOUS SUM, DISAPPEARS FROM TRAIN.

OFFICIALS REFUSE TO TALK

WILL NOT SAY HOW MUCH WAS STOLEN—ROBBERY IS NOT DENIED.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 22.—Three mail sscks, containing about a quarter of a million dollars, disappeard from a Burlington trsin Sunday night between Denver and Oxford, Neb. The postoffice officials heve just made ths theft public. Detectives and postoffice officials are at work on ths case.

Refuse to Say How Much.

According to reports made last night to railway postal officisls in Lincoln, ths amount of money stolen from the postal car on the Burlington last Tbursdsy night wss not $250 000, as at first rumored, or snything like that sum, hut the authorities refnse to say just what the emount is.

Money Is Missed.

Thst some money is missing and thst it disappesred near Oxford, Neb., is not denied. The packages were sent from Denver for Chicago, and their disappesrance was first noticed when the checking up of registered matter begsn just after the train left Oxford. It is denied that there was eny transfer of mails from ona csr to another at Oxford.

GOV. MAGOON SCORES CUBANS.

Woeful Neglect of Sanitary Precautions Cause of Fever Outbreak.

Wsshington, Aug. 22.—Tba wsr department yesterday mada public a long cabled report from Gov. Msgoon of Cuba, which startled the medical officers, showing as it does that in tha ahort period since tha withdrawal of the American government of intervention and the reassumption of American government by the Cuban army of pacification thare has been e woeful neglect of sanitary precautions and sn almost complete disregsrd of tha treaty obligations under which tha Palma government was to keep tha island bealthy, so that it should not be a sources of infection to tha Uaited Ststea snd other countriss.

The governor's rsport also discloses that ths fever in this isst ontbreak has not been confined to ths hospital corps, but has extsnded to other soldiers. Ha elso indicstes that ths evil ssnitary conditions csnnot bs cured this year, in spita of tha most vigorous efforta by American authorities, in which it appesrs they received little support from native Cuhan physicians.

Before ha left Washington Secretary Taft became seriously concerned for the safety of the American troops and residents in Cuba as the reault of yellow fever at Cienfuegos. He cabled Gov. Msgoon for a full statement of conditions and urged the governor to take every step that prudence could suggest to eradicate the disease. Gov. Magoon complied by sending yesterday's report.

The report says there are three cases in town, exclusive of soldiera. Twalve soldiers contracted the disease and three of them died. The soldiers contracted the disease in the hospital. No cases have appeared in soldiers' quarters.

TO SETTLE FISHERIES DISPUTE.

The Unite States and Great Britain Will Let Hague Tribunal Decide.

London, Aug. 22. — The Amarican government, which has taken tha lead at the Hague peace conference in endeavoring to promote arbitration, will be responsible for giving the Hague tribnnal the most important case yet submitted to it in the Newfoundland fisheries diaputa, which undonbtedly will he taken there as a result of negotiations conducted in London between the foreign office and the Amarican ambassador, Whitelew Raid.

Both the foreign offica and tha embassy maintain diplomatic reserve, but it has heen leerned from unquestionable sources thatthe long correspondence hetween the two governments made it clesr thst their contentions could not be hermonized and had reached an impasse. Finally Mr. Reid presented a proposal to suhmit tha disputa to the Hague tribunal. After a week or two of considaration the British government accepted the proposal. Whila the matter is in process of erbitretion the fisheries will ba conductad undar tha same modna vivendi as last yeer.

FOUR GO OVER DAM.

Boating Party Passes Unscathed Through Ordeal on Escanaba.

Escanabe, Mich., Aug. 22. — Four msmbers of a boating perty narrowly esceped drowning whan their boat was canght by e ewift current and carried over the Flat Rock dam on the Escanabe river. One leeped into the watar and after a long struggle reached shore, while the remaining men clnng to the hoat, which lnckily passed over the falls without heing overturned.

OFFICE IS ATTACKED BY MOB

EVERY WINDOW IS BROKEN AND LIVES OF OPERATORS ENDANGERED.

Los Angelss, Cal., Aug. 22.—An armed mob sttacked tha offica of tha Postal Talegraph company et Ashfork, Ariz., early yesterday and broka avery window in the building with bullsts. Ths lives of four employes were endangsred, but so far as known no ons was injured. The office is now guarded by Sbsriff Lowsry end two deputies who nrrivsd yesterday by spscial train from Prescott.

One Man Arrested.

The sheriff has arrested a msn known ss "Spec" Smooth for alleged complicity in the shooting. It is said, howsver, that Smooth is not e telegrepher.

Several men were implicated in tha shooting, which broke every window in ths telegraph office, and it is underat stood thst the Postsl will offer a liberal reward for the arrest and conviction of the guilty.

The shooting began at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. The Postal employes msde no resistance.

Appeals to Washington.

Vice President Nally of the Postal company wired from New York that he had taken the matter up with tha authoritias at Washington, and Supt. Lewis of this district wired tha following to Gov. Kibbey:

"Lsst night an armed mob ettscked our office at Ashfork, shooting into tha offica with revolvers and endangaring the lives of our smployes. They threatened to renew the attack to-night. I call upon you to protect tha lives of our employes and tha property of ths company at Ashfork. Plessa act promptly."

Gov. Kibbay replied that he would act immediately.

GOMPERS WILL FIGHT.

To Contest Van Cleave's Suit to ths Court of Last Resort.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Commanting on the sult of James W. Van Clesve, president of the National Association of Manufscturers, against President Gompers and othsr general officers of tha American Fedsration of Labor, Mr. Gompers said yesterday thet he would give ths ection ths utmost publicity in the publications of tbe federation. He said, if necessary, ths casa would ba carried to the supreme court of tha United States, snd that tha federation would maka ita fight to austain tha "unfair list" on the gsneral conatitutional ground of fresdom of speech and press. Tha sult seeks to anjoin boycotting and publication of tha unfair lists.

OPEN THIRTY-THREE YEARS.

Famous Restaurant In New York Is Closed for First and Last Time.

New York, Aug. 22. — Another city landmark, Lyons' restaurant, on tha Bowery, just around tha corner from polica headqnarters, ia passing ewey. The placa has been olosed by tha sheriff and it is thought will hardly ba reopensd.

Mike Lyons started tha restaurant thirty-five yeara ago, and its prospsrity has been measured by tha risa and fall of tha Bowery. For thirty-threa years it waa Lyons' boast that bia place had never been closed. In fact ha claimed to have thrown ewey tha key. Then cama tha uptown movement of night life and with it the decadenca of the Bowery's famous rastaurant.

GENERAL UPRISING EXPECTED.

Arabs Again Repulsed In Attack on French' Force.

Casablanca, Aug. 22. — Tha Arabs have delivered another attack upon the French force under Gen. Druda, encamped outaide this town, but thay were routed with very heevy losses. A general uprising of tha natives is axpected.

The European residents of tha coast towns, as well as thosa who liva et Fez, Morocco city and other places in tha interior, are leaving their homes and seeking safety in flight.

JAP "SPIES" UNMOLESTED.

Two Orientals Take Notes at Georgia Fort at Will.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 22. — Two Japanese were discovered in tha resr of Fort McPherson late yestarday taking views and aketches of tha buildings and grounds.

A formar enlisted man who first observed the men, after talking with them, reported the matter to the department of tha gulf.

Ths officers of tha department sey no action will be taken unlesa othar discoveries ara made.

First Hanging of Kind.

Asheville, N. C., Ang. 22. — Jamea Ruckner, a negro, was henged for an assault on his atepdaughter. It is said thet this is the first time in the history of this state thet a nagro has heen hanged for auch crime against one of hia own race.

Elevator Ia Burned.

Mitchall, S. D., Aug. 22. — A. A. Truax received a telephone message yestarday afternoon of the burning of hia elevator at Burhank. More than 15,000 hushels of grain were burned, with a loss of $5,000, which is covered by insurance. The elevator will be rebuilt at once.

Boat Capsizes; Three Lost.

Sacramento, Cal., Aug. 22. — Three persons were drowned here yesterday when a duck boat capsized in the Secramento river.

FLAMES CAUSE $1,250,000 DAMAGE

PROPERTY VALUED AT $1,000,000 IS DESTROYED AT CINCINNATI.

PITTSBURG HAS FIERCE FIRE

GASOLINE EXPLOSION CAUSES TWO FIRES, WITH LOSS OF ABOUT $250,000.

Cincinnati, Aug. 24. — Fira which threetened ths entire block boundsd by Hunt and Brosdwey streets and Esst Court strest last night caused damsgs estimated et $1,000,000. Tha fire started at the plant of the Eagla Whita Lesd compsny et No. 1030 Broadway, and spread rapidly to edjoining buildings.

Among tha buildings destroyed wera ths B. A. Kenger grocery werehouse, Edna Smelting company, Morrison & Snodgrass Planing company and E. Roberts Lumber company. The firemen succeeded in saving tha large plant of tha Krahbil Printing company and several other buildings in tha block. At 1 o'clock this morning the fira was under control. Tha origin is not known.

Pittsburg Has $250,000 Blaze.

Pittsburg, Aug. 23.—Two fires yesterdsy, due to the explosion of gasoline, in clothes pressing establishments caused damags estimated at $250,000 and for a tima threatened tha entire East end section of this city. Tha first fire broka out shortly befora noon in tha plant of the Club Pressing and Cleaning company. Ths threestory brick building was destroyed and fourteen employes wera rescued from the windows by firemen.

The second fira was mora serious and befora it was controlled ssven buildings wera wipsd out. Tha blaze started in the Enterpriss Prsssing company's shop and apread with great rapidity. The flames leaped fifty feet in the air. Betwesn the burning block and tha handsoms East Liberty market houss only a narrow lot intervsned. This building escaped, however, but for e scorching of the aast side and tha abattering of tha windows. Four firemen wera hurt.

KING BACK FROM ICELAND.

Frederick Welcomed Home by 30,000 Subjects at Copenhagen.

Copenhagen, Aug. 24.—King Fredarick rsturned hera yesterday from Iceland, accompanied by tha parliamentary party wbich made e trip into the interior of Iceland with his majesty. Tbe king was welcomed in tha sound by a fleet of axcursion and other vessels, heving on boerd ebout 30,000 people.

NO "ADS" ON THE CARS.

North-Western Enforces Rule Set for Sept. 1—Shippers Protest.

Chicago, Aug. 24. — Shippers througbout tha conntry are raising a protest against tha naw rule of the mastar car builders which prohibits the placing of advertisements upon the cars in which their goods ere shipped. The rula ia snpposed to take effect generally on Sept. 1, but soma of the roads, notably tha North-Western, ia enforcing it now.

TO HIT ROADS AGAIN.

Governor of Alabama Will Ask for More Drastic Laws.

Montgomery, Ala., Aug. 24. — Gov. Comar said yesterday he would giva the railroad companies until Oct. 1 to comply with tha recantly enacted reta lew. If they do not comply with that date ha ssya he will call a apecial session of tha legislature and urga the anactmsnt of aven mora drastic lews.

STRANGE MALADY, THIS.

King and Premier, Sick, Sit at Good Table While Taking Cure.

Marianvala, Aug. 24. — Premiar Clemenceau of France was the guest of King Edwerd at luncheon yesterday.

This ia whet they had: Trout, veal, lettnca, apinach, ham, grouse, aubsrgines, compote, paaches.

Both King Edward and Premier Clemencesu are sick and era taking the cure.

"Quesn of Chinatown" Killed.

San Diego, Aug. 24.—Viola Brackett, known throughout Southarn California as the "Queen of Chinatown," because of her marriege to a wealthy Chinaman, was shot and killed yesterday afternoon while with Howerd Woolscott, nephew of a hanker of Los Angelea. After the shooting the woman was stabbed twice in the neck. Woolscott says thet the woman ahot at him and then committed suicide.

Drivers on Strike.

New York, Ang. 24. — Drivers and stablemen employed et the wholesale beef packing houses went on e strike last night. They demand e uniform working week of sixty-five houra and an increase in weges.

Quake in West Indies.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., Aug. 24. — A sharp earthquake was felt this morning on the islands of Guadeloupe and Dominica. Several strong shocks have been reported from the island of St. Lucia this week.

HUNDREDS OF LIVES IN PERIL

DYNAMITE SET OFF IN BOYISH PRANK TO SCARE PASSENGERS.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Aug. 24. — Several hundred passeugers, principally tourists, on board e Colorado Springs & Cripple Creek Short line train, hed e narrow escaps yesterday et St. Peter's Doma, the rssult of e boyish prank, a quantity of dynamite being axploded near tha track, shattering the windows in several of the cosches and injuring ssveral persons slightly. At first it was feared by the officials of the road that an attempt had heen mada to wreck the train, as a similar occurrence was reported yesterdsy, but on investigation it wss lesrned thst a party of boya from this city csmping near the sixteen-mile post, heving secured tbe dynamite from e work train, hsd touched it off merely to frighten the passengers.

YEGGMEN "MAKE HAY."

Burglars Loot Postoffice and Stores in South Dakota Towns.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 24. — The customary number of crimes of the natura committed each fail by the yeggmen who join the influx of harvsst bends to tha stata ere reported from different parts of South Dakota That some of the yeggmen havs turned their ettention to robbing postoffices is sbown by tha fact that the postoffics at Darwin was entered a few nights ago and stamps to tha velus of $225 wera carriad away. On tha sama night Christisnson's drug stora end ons of the hardwara stores at Bryant were burglarized, goods to the valua of about $400 being carried awsy by tha thieves.

FIND MUCH ICE IN HILL.

Railway Tunnel Obstruction May Be Relic of Glacial Period.

Billings, Mont., Aug. 24. — Workmen of tha construction forcs of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway hava encountered en enormous deposit of ica in tha Musselshell valley near Dorssy. Tha mass is thick and wide in extent and is bslieved to bs a ramnant of tha flow of the glacial period. Ths deposit was heavily covered with deluvian and in this manner fully preserved from melting. It was struck by the workmen when they wera tunneling through a hill, and is at tha present tima causing them no end of trouble.

BARK BEETLE VANISHING.

Insect Has Done a Million Dollars' Worth of Damage.

Deadwood, S. D., Aug. 24.—It is becoming more and mora evident that the bsrk beetle, which for the last seven years has heen destroying timber in the Blsck Hills, is rapidly disappesring from this region. It is estimated by tbe forest reserve officials that tha loss alone in timber to the State of South Dakota by the depredations of this bug will bs more than $1,500,000.

SPREADING RAILS WRECK.

Northern Pacific Passenger Train Is Derailed at New York Mills.

Wedena, Minn., Aug. 24.—A Northern Pacific passenger train was derailed et Naw York Mills yesterday afternoon. The most severa injury waa a dislocated shoulder, sustained hy a laborer. Tha mall clerk was also slightly hurt, but he was abla to continue his work. The accident is said to heve been caused by apreading rails.

RECLAIMS 9,000 ACRES.

Drainage Ditches Will Place Land Among Best In the State.

Elk River, Minn., Aug. 24.—By the completion of eight county ditcbaa in Sherburna county about 9,000 acres of land has been reclaimed at an everage cost of $4.55 an ecre, and this land soon will become aome of the most valuable in this part of the state.

Prince Wilheim Entertained.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 24.—The Swadish ermored cruiser Fylgia, with Prince Wilhelm of Sweden on board, arrived here yesterday from Jemeatown, Va. The princs was entertained et dinner by Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish leat night, and later attended a dance given by Mrs. Edward J. Berwind.

Workman Hurt at Fair Grounds.

Huron, S. D., Aug. 24. — Whila at work on the Deere-Webber building at the stata fair grounda yesterday Cecil Rickatts fall from tha roof to tha ground, striking on his head. He was seriously injured and for a time waa unconscioua, but it is thought he will recover.

Suicide, Decides Coroner.

La Crossa, Wis., Aug. 24.—Coroner Cronan decided that Charles Fritz, who was found dead in a barn on a lonely place in a hay mersh near the city limits, hed committed suicide When the body wea first found it was feared thet it might be a case of foul play.

Bullhead Forty-nine Pounder.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 24.—The largest Mississippi "bullhead" caught this year wes landed yesterdey by D. G. Rowell in the Wolf river. The fish when dressed tippad the scalea et forty-nine pounds.

Burns Kill Woman.

Fond du Lac, Wis., Aug. 24.—Mrs. Nellie Dahm of Ripon died at St. Agnes hospital here after auffering terrible agony for five honrs from burns received through the explosion of a gasoline stove.

News of the Northwest

STORM CAUSES IMMENSE DAMAGE

REPORTS FROM SECTIONS OF NORTHWEST TELL OF HEAVY DAMAGE.

CROPS BEATEN TO THE EARTH

St. Paul, Aug. 21.—Reports received yesterday from various points throughout Minnesota and Wisconsin showed that the electrical and rain storm which struck the Twin Cities Sunday evening spread over considerable territory and worked havoc among the buildings and crop wherever it hit. In some instances streams overflowed as a result of the deluge of rain and almost every point reported some damage by lightning.

It appears that there was no loss of life, though several building were hit and others badly damaged. Stock suffered in some places, and some horses and cattle were killed by lightning or drowned.

Damage Is About $100,000.

The total amount of damage done may amount to all of $100,000, as crops were beaten to the earth in some localities and many buildings were damaged, but the loss in no one place appears to have exceeded $25,000 or $30,000.

The storm damaged the tracks of the interurban line between St. Paul and Stillwater, and it was 10 o'clock this morning before traffic could be resumed. A barn belonging to Albert Lohman of Lake Elmo, near Stillwater, was destroyed, causing a loss of $2,000.

Crops Badly Lodged.

Crops in Chisago county were badly lodged and several farm buildings were blown down.

In the vicinity of Blue Earth the storm was the worst of the season, causing considerable damage to standing grain.

At Ellsworth, Wis., the furniture store of George Hoyer was damaged by flood. Loss, $1,000. The large barn of Mrs. John Birkel was destroyed with its contents. Loss, $2,000. Lightning also destroyed the barn of Christ Freler, together with its contents.

Lightning Hits Farms.

Considerable damage to crops and other property occurred in the vicinity of Maiden Rock, Wis. The sewers in the town overflowed, causing considerable damage to streets and private property.

Lightning struck on six farms in Eau Claire county, Wisconsin. Three cows and eight horses were killed, and four barns and their contents burned and one damaged.

In the vicinity of Red Wing the storm washed out roads and bridges and did damage estimated at $50,000.

Girl Is Fataly Injured.

Yesterday's report of the Sunday storm show that the country surrounding St. Paul and Minneapolis was struck by even a more violent wind storm than were the cities, the summer colony at Lake Independence, in Hennepin county, suffering the most. Several persons were injured and Miss Minnie Johnson probably fatally hurt. The storm demolished many of the summer cottages.

CAN'T MOVE LOG DRIVE.

Low water Is Encountered and Work Is Abandoned.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Aug. 21.—After working on a big log drive on the Chippewa river below Holcombe for thirty-five days a crew of about fifty men have arrived here, having given up the effort to move it. The rear of the drive is at Brunette Falls. Twenty-five days ago the gang encountered low water, and during that time were able to move the drive only six miles. There is no water in Little Falls dam and it is impossible to move the mass of logs any further.

MAY LOSE ONLY ARM.

Man's Limb Is Caught In Machinery and Pulled Out of Its Socket.

Deadwood, S. D., Aug. 21. — While feeding the rolls at the Victoria mill, on Spearfish creek, Frank Titus got caught in the machinery and had his left arm pulled out of the socket, badly crushed and mangled about the shoulder. Titus' accident is particularly hard on him, as he lost his other arm a few years ago in a similar accident. The physicians hope to be able to save this injured member.

Killed by Falling Tree.

Bruce, Wis., Aug. 21. — George Douglas was instantly killed by a falling tree. He was employed by the Arpin Hardwood Lumber company in one of their camps about fifteen miles north of this place.

Farmer Shoots Himself.

Sauk Center, Minn., Aug. 21. — George Engalls, a wealthy farmer, while shooting chickens yesterday with a revolver, accidentally shot himself in the leg, causing a serious wound.

KICK STANDARD OUT OF STATE

SUIT WILL BE STARTED IN DISTRICT COURT TO OUST OIL OCTOPUS.

St. Paul, Aug. 21. — Within a few days the State of Minnesota will institute proceedings against the Standard Oil company in an attempt to oust the company from the state because of alleged violations of the Hinton anti-discrimination law passed last winter. Attorney General E. T. Young is authority for the statement that the suit will be instituted in a few days in the district court of Ramsey or Hennepin county.

Since the filing of the complaint with Secretary of State Schmahl in May an investigation has been made quietly of the evidence which could be produced in the event of the suit being brought. The investigation included analyses of the grade of oil sold at various points in which it is alleged there was a discrimination in prices, and of the other evidence which could be produced to prove the sale of the oil at each of the places at the various prices alleged in the complaint.

Evidence Is Ample.

At a conference in the attorney general's office yesterday with representatives of the independent oil dealers this evidence was reviewed. That it is believed to be ample to secure conviction on the charge of discrimination is evidenced by the fact that the suits will be brought without delay.

The charge which the Standard Oil company will have to meet is that of discriminating between various localities in the price of oil of the same grade. The prosecution will be under the Hinton law, which makes the penalty for a conviction under the law the cancellation of the company's license to do business in this state. This law provides that the price of oil must be the same in all parts of the state, making due allowances for the difference in freight rates. Violations of the law by any person or corporation or any agent or officer or member of a corporation is made a gross misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of not to exceed $5,000 or imprisonment in the county jail not to exceed one year, or both.

REGISTERED LETTERS RIFLED.

Mail Bag Taken From St. Paul Train Found In River at Red Wing.

Red Wing, Minn., Aug. 21.—A leather United States mail bag was found floating in the Mississippi river by a fishing party Sunday afternoon. In it were 300 registered letters which had been opened and replaced. The sack had been weighted and an attempt made to sink it.

Railroad and government detectives who are working on the case say that it was stolen from the east-bound St. Paul train No. 2, which usually reaches this city at midnight. It was late Sunday morning. The letters were addressed to Winona, St. Charles and Tracy, and the bag is supposed to have been lying near the door of the car when the train stood at the Red Wing station. The supposition is that it was then stolen and the contents rifled.

The bag was opened by removing the lock, which is taken to show that the work was not that of amateurs, who would have cut the sack open. Several personal checks found in the letters had been replaced, although it is believed that a large amount of valuables was secured. There are no clues.

CROP INSURANCE PAYS.

Farmer Who Is Hail Sufferer Will Get at Least $2,127.

Sioux Falls, S. D., Aug. 21.—By investing $112 in insuring his crops, James Ellis, a farmer residing near Doland, whose crops were totally destroyed by the disastrous hail storm which recently swept over that part of the state, destroying crops on several hundred quarter sections of land, will receive the sum of $2,239 insurance on his destroyed crops. Thus, above the cost of the insurance, he will have at least the sum of $2,127 for his summer's work.

FORBIDDEN PLAY FATAL.

Little Girl Falls Into Irrigation Ditch and Is Drowned.

Belle Fourche, S. D., Aug. 21. — Floating in Crooked Oak creek, on the Ericson branch, near Sonoma, the body of Lempi Latvoian, an eight-year-old girl, was found by ranch hands. The investigation by Coroner Ohampnay showed that the child had been playing in the irrigation ditch, after being forbidden to do so by her guardian and accidentally had fallen in and had been drowned.

ISLANDS ARE AFLOAT.

Small Tracts Adrift Menace Pier In Lake Jefferson.

Le Sueur Center, Minn., Aug. 21.—Three islands, ranging from one-half an acre to four or five yards across, are floating about in Lake Jefferson, the summer resort ten miles south of here. The largest one ran against the pier and except for the putting out of rowboats and launches it would have smashed it. It is feared that it may drift back at night and do some damage.

State News of Interest

BEST STATE FAIR IN THE WORLD.

Numerous Improvements Have Been Made for Minnesota's Exposition.

Everything is in readiness for the Minnesota state fair, which will open at St. Paul on Sept. 2. Progress has marked each year's exposition, and the 1907 fair will be the biggest, most comprehensive, most attractive and most interesting event in the history of Minnesota—which means the best state fair in the world.

Numerous improvements have been made on the grounds from year to year until the "city" presents an entirely different appearance from what it did some years ago. As soon as the money was available and conditions warranted, wooden structures have been replaced with more substantial buildings, giving the fair a permanency and stability which insures lasting success.

More improvements have been made possible this year through the purchase of forty acres of land to the north of the original grounds. This acquisition will relieve the congestion which it has been impossible to avoid in the past when people crowded in by the hundred thousand. With the extension of the grounds there is offered not only more room for more buildings and exhibits, but also more space for visitors to move around.

Just north of the manufactures' hall, erected last year, will be found a new structure, which is an annex to the hall. It is in the shape of a Greek cross, occupying a site 140 by 180 feet.

Still further north will be found the new dairy building, erected at a cost of $25,000. It is 148 by 177 feet in dimensions. In the center of the hall will be installed a large refrigerator, costing $6,000. It will have glass sides, giving the spectator the opportunity of seeing butter in prime condition.

On the additional plot of land has been erected a magnificent poultry building. It is one story, rectangular in shape and 146 by 194 feet in dimensions. It is admirably arranged in regard to ventilation.

Part of the new land will be devoted to the exhibition of farm machinery, while the rest of it is occupied by a grove which will be used as a camp ground.

HUNDRED AND FIVE YEARS.

Woman Dies After Attaining a Remarkable Age.

A woman was buried at Wells last week who had attained to the remarkable age of one hundred and five years or over. Her name was Mrs. Marie Praiss, and she was a native of Poland, emigrating to this country forty years ago. Her exact age was not known, but her personal recollections and certain family records fix it as not less than a hundred and five, and probably a hundred and eight years. She distinctly remembered visiting one of the Napoleonic battlefields in her native country in the year 1812, and was at that time a large girl. She was married at the age of twenty-seven and reared a large family, but she lives to see not only her own children but grandchildren die from old age. She had made her home at Wells for many years with a granddaughter. She preserved her faculties to a remarkable degree to the time of her death. Her carriage was erect, her sight and hearing unimpaired and she habitually worked about the home at light housekeeping duties. She had never been sick a day in her life from any organic disease. She was about until twenty minutes before her demise. She was a devout Roman Catholic and seldom missed church services.

GAME SEASON OPENS SEPT. 1.

A License Required In Every Foreign County.

The season for small game opens Sept. 1, and that the public may be informed as to the laws covering the shooting of the same, Carlos Avery, executive agent of the game and fish commission, is sending circular letters to the newspapers of the state, asking them to co-operate with the department in giving the information publicity. The idea is to reduce the number of arrests for violations.

No license is required for a hunter to shoot small game in the county in which he resides, but if he hunts in another county he must have a permit. This will cost him $1. This money goes to the game and fish commission. During the first half of the present year 135 arrests were made for violations of the game laws, and 125 convictions resulted. Fishing with nets was responsible for the largest number of arrests.

FOR COUNTY RECORDS.

Huge record books, one for each county in the state, are being sent out to county auditors from the state auditor's office, under the provisions of the new law relating to state loans. These books are furnished without cost to the counties for keeping a record of state loans to the county or any of its subdivisions, with the payments on each loan. The state is also supplying counties, cities and school districts with the proper blanks in applying for the loans.

LAKE COUNTY IS FERTILE.

Gen. Andrews Tells of a Trip Through That Part of Minnesota.

Gen. C. C. Andrews, state forestry commissioner, recently made a trip through Lake county along the north shore of Lake Superior. He says the district is admirably adapted to agriculture. There are large tracts from which the best of the timber has been cut and the farmers who have cleared parts of this land find it productive. He made a trip to the northeast on a road which was originally built for a logging road, but which now runs a regular passenger train for the accommodation of those who wish to go into that part of the county.

In speaking of his visit Gen. Andrews said:

"During my visit into Lake county last week I went forty-four miles by railroad, from Knife river in a north-easterly direction, and was impressed by some of the advantages there for settlers. Lake county contains 1,300,000 acres of land, much of which is good for agriculture, though comparatively little is under cultivation. Much of the land that I saw will produce, among other crops, wheat, oats, potatoes and good hay. There are numerous streams of soft water which contain trout.

"The surface is undulating, and the more valuable timber having been removed it will not require much labor to subdue the soil. It struck me that large owners of land might well afford to give each settler twenty acres of land with the privilege of buying sixty more under certain conditions for cultivation. Lumber companies, however, are absorbed in their own affairs and cannot go into the immigration business; but commercial and immigration clubs of the various cities interested might be able to carry such a scheme into effect.

"I talked with Jacob Schaf, a German farmer, who has been cultivating a farm about twenty miles north of Beaver bay for twenty-six years. He has wheat four feet high and is enthusiastic about the agricultural advantages of the country.

"The occupation of agricultural lands by a good class of settlers would lessen the dangers of forest fires.

"I saw a very handsome and large body of white pine yet remaining in the vicinity of Gooseberry river and was told that it had lately been sold for $13 per thousand feet standing."

TWO REVOKED.

Mutual Companies Failed to Comply With New Law.

Licenses of two mutual life insurance companies doing business in the state have been revoked by J. A. Hartigan, state insurance commissioner, for failure to make the deposit of securities required by the new law. The companies are the Equitable Accident Company of Boston and the Finnish National Life Insurance Association of Hancock, Mich. The new law requires such companies to have deposited in some state securities equal to their reserve up to $25,000. Notice was sent these companies Aug. 8, giving them ten days in which to comply. No answer was received from the Boston company, while the Finnish National replied that they had $2,000 on deposit in Michigan. The Minnesota law requires $5,000. The last named company has five agents in Minnesota, chiefly among the miners on the iron range.

BUTTER FAMINE IN SIGHT.

Late and Unfavorable Season Curtails Usual Summer Supply.

A butter famine next winter would not be a surprise to those who follow the butter market closely. Owing to the lateness of the season, butter that should have been put in cold storage in June did not appear on the market until July, and then the price was from 23 to 24 cents a pound.

As a consequence not more than 75 per cent as much butter has been stored this year as last. Dealers have not seen their way clear to buy butter at such prices and hold it for higher prices next winter.

Eggs that were stored in April are being taken out now to supply the demand of a trade that seeks the best eggs. Fresh eggs at this time of the year are said to be slightly tinged by the heat, and well kept storage eggs of April are considered a little better than the hot weather product.

STATE LAND GRANTS.

Sells Easement for Right of Way to International Falls.

Right of way across ninety-nine forties of state land has been granted for the new line of the Big Fork & International, which is the last link of the Minnesota & International line to International Falls. About 225 acres are included in the line's right of way, for which the state receives $5 per acre, getting $1,123 in all.

The deal has been approved according to law by the governor and state auditor. The state does not give the company title to the land, but only an easement, so that if the line should ever be abandoned the title would revert to the state.

The Lady or the Tiger.

It is always embarrassing to a girl when she goes into a fashionable shoe store to buy a new pair of boots and cannot remember for the moment which stocking it is that has the [illegible]

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Patrick Donovan of Green Isle hanged himself in a slaughter house at Danube.

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Patrick Brennan, a laborer, was killed by being hit on the head by a falling plank at the new building of Lindeke, Warner & Sons at St. Paul.

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The Soo line has issued a call for men to assist in harvesting the crop in the territory tributary to that road. It is estimated that more than 6,000 men will be needed.

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Farmers who have been coming into Barnesville the last few weeks report that prairie chickens are scarce this year. Owing to the late season they are small. They report ducks plentiful.

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Word has been received in Chaska of the death of William Volkman, formerly of Chaska and in later years of Chicago, at which place he was killed, being run over by a train. He was unmarried.

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Pietro Tenternio, twenty-four years old, was fired at from ambush while returning home by a trail through the woods near Nashwauk. Tenternio owns a particularly rich piece of timber land.

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Andrew Johnson was drowned in the river at Minneapolis. Johnson, who was an expert swimmer, was within fifteen feet of the shore when he was seized with cramps and sank before any one could reach him.

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John Foley of Foley, pioneer railroad contractor, lumberman and business man, died at St. Joseph's hospital in St. Paul of anaemia, from which he had been suffering acutely during the last three weeks. Mr. Foley was sixty-five years old.

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While the family was away burglars went through the saloon and residence of S. A. Pepin, just outside the city limits of St. Paul, getting away with about $30, two bottles of whisky and 300 cigars. The money was taken from the cash drawer in the saloon.

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Agnes Dorvitz, six years old, daughter of Leo Dorvitz, a homesteader living north of Tower, is lost. On account of the large number of bears which recently have been seen near the Dorvitz home, it is feared that the child may have been carried away by one of the animals.

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A valuable team of horses belonging to Michael Harris of Faribault were poisoned by some unknown person. Paris green was mixed with their feed while it was in the barn. Both animals died shortly after eating their feed. There is no clue to the perpetrator. The team was valued at $400.

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William Hurd and Lewis Mitchell, harvest hands from Winnebago, arrived in Brycelyn under the influence of liquor and while seated on the station platform next to the track were struck by a passing freight. Hurd was instantly killed, being struck on the head, while Mitchell escaped with a fractured knee.

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Nine of the nineteen strikers arrested for disorderly conduct at Hibbing last week were discharged, after a hearing before Judge Brady. The other ten cases are still being heard. No further trouble has been reported and the company is now shipping about three-quarters of its usual amount of ore.

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Gov. Johnson received a letter from Sheriff William J. Bates of St. Louis county, in which he denies that he has employed non-residents to act as deputies in the strike district. He inclosed a list of the deputies, with their addresses. He states that only ten men, in addition to his regular force, were taken from Duluth, and the rest were sworn in at the places in which they served.

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A call has been issued to the fourth-class postmasters of Winona county to meet at the postoffice in Winona on Aug. 26 for the purpose of forming a county league of fourth-class postmasters to work in conjunction with the state and national leagues. The aim in view is to secure increase of pay for fourth-class postmasters commensurate with increases higher up in the department.

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Safeblowers were about to touch off some nitroglycerin on the safe in the cigar store of Richard Clark at St. Paul at 2 o'clock one morning recently when Special Watchman John Fahey flashed his bull's eye through the front window and flushed the safecrackers, who made a speedy exit. David Haggerty was subsequently arrested by Patrolman John P. Hall on suspicion. The safe contained $5,000 in cash.

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Thrown under the wheels of a backing freight train, Edward Hedland was dragged ten feet and probably fatally injured at St. Paul. His left arm was shorn off at the shoulder, the front portion of his skull fractured and he was injured internally.

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Two prisoners, Martin Servio of South St. Paul, held to the grand jury for larceny, and Arthur Bean, a St. Paul bum, escaped from the county jail at Hastings, making their exit [illegible] some outside party [illegible] the door locks [illegible]

Game Warden C. E. Stevens arrested three men at Anoka who were using dynamite to catch fish in Rum river. They were fined and released.

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Henry Stussi was thrown from his wagon in a runaway at Stillwater and seriously injured. His arm and ankle were broken, and he was painfully bruised.

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Harvesting is progressing nicely around Paynesville, and is being pushed as fast as possible. Help for the harvest fields is scarce and demands good pay.

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Fire in the shaving shed of the C. A. Smith sawmill at Minneapolis caused the fire department a lively few minutes, but the blaze was extinguished before much damage had been done.

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The first grain of the year was threshed at Granada last week. It was a twenty-five-acre field of oats, and averaged twenty-seven bushels to the acre. The price received was 35 cents a bushel.

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Mrs. J. B. Williams was painfully burned at St. Paul by the explosion of a stove. Burning oil from the stove fell on Mrs. Williams' chest and shoulders. The injuries are not thought to be dangerous.

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Rev. William H. Sallmon, president of Carleton college at Northfield, has declined a position to become chief assistant pastor of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, New York, at a salary of $5,000 a year.

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Eric Sward received probably fatal injuries by being struck by a switch engine in the Minnesota Transfer yards at St. Paul. His spine is seriously injured, and his body from the waist down is paralyzed.

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Burglaries continue in St. Cloud. Several residences have been entered recently and valuables carried off. The use of a shotgun is being advocated among the citizens as the best cure for the prevailing malady.

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Mrs. M. N. Young, wife of Representative Young of Two Harbors, has been badly hurt in a runaway. Her arm was broken and badly splintered, and her collarbone was fractured. She received also numerous bruises.

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Joseph Wagner, an ice man, fell two stories at Swift & Co.'s warehouse in St. Paul, hurting his spine and sustaining internal injuries. He was lowering ice from the second floor to the basement when he slipped and fell through the shaft.

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Hosea Quimby, president of the Easton State bank, died at his Easton home. Mr. Quimby was the heaviest land owner in Faribault county. He went to that county in the fall of 1862, when a boy of seventeen, settling in Minnesota Lake township.

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Burglars visited North Branch again last week, but secured no booty. Marshal Nelson caught robbers at work in a saloon, the men took to their heels and the marshal chased them as far as North Branch creek, where he lost track of them.

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Mistaking a bottle of carbolic acid for a simple remedy she had been taking cost Miss Carolina Johnson of St. Peter her life. She picked up the wrong bottle in the dark, and a mouthful of the fiery liquid that she swallowed caused her death in a few hours.

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The Soo Railroad company has filed an amendment to its articles of incorporation in the secretary of state's office at Madison, Wis., declaring its intention of building a branch line from Brooten, Minn., to Superior. Fifteen miles of the line will be in Wisconsin, all in Douglas county.

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A crew of the United States lighthouse service was at Spooner last week. It is establishing a number of lighthouses along the American side of Lake of the Woods. Two lighthouses are to be erected at the mouth of the Rainy river; two more are to be built at the mouth of Warroad river, and two more along the shore of the Lake of the Woods.

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Joseph Woods has sold his 160-acre farm and fruit ranch to W. F. Walker of Sheldon, Iowa, for $52 an acre. Besides having one of the best farms in Cottonwood county, Mr. Woods has been prominently identified with fruit raising. He is the originator of the famous Woods plum, which has taken blue ribbon honors at the state fairs of Minnesota and Iowa.

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Nine horses were shot by the state veterinarian in Tyler. About a week ago Utoft Bros., who own the city dray line, perceived what appeared to be glanders in a newly purchased broncho team. The state veterinarian was notified, and when he arrived seven other horses were found to be suffering from the same disease. None of the horses is valued at less than $100.

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Several hundred employees were thrown out of work in Brooklyn by a fire which destroyed a four-story warehouse and factory occupied by the New York and Baltimore Coffee company. Loss, $200,000.

Burglars Loot Saloon.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Aug. 21. — M. D. Currey's saloon was entered by burglars last night, entrance being obtained by means of a skeleton key. The [illegible] were not locked [illegible] doors were smashed [illegible] was stolen.

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IT is not always easy to shift a political mantle, and even should Mr. Taft succeed he may find that it doesn't fit.

RED LAKE COUNTY isn't worrying about a panic in Wall Street. We are threshing golden grain and are hauling milk to the creameries.

THE railroad companies pretend to be somewhat disappointed at finding that they haven't lost any money since the two-cent fare went into effect.

SOME of the strongest third-term Roosevelt men shy at the suggestion of getting Governor Johnson into the race again. The view-point makes a lot of difference.

JUDGE LOCHREN has decided that the Minneapolis council cannot demand six rides for a quarter from the street car company. The Judge ought to give a decision in favor of the people just once to sort of take off the curse.

SOME of the political writers in the cities are trying to make a governor out of Halvor Steenerson, but as Halvor doesn't seem to have any trouble getting back to congress as often as he likes, the GAZETTE opines that he is not anxious to be side-tracked.

LIKE a voice from the grave comes a suggestion from former Governor Van Sant that Teddy ought to run again on account of his warfare on the railroads. To be entirely consistent the ex-governor should insist that it is about time he, too, was given something good.

THE gentler sex has been slandered again. The mean old thing in charge of the North Branch Review says: "The society for the prevention of Unnecessary Noises should have been organized in time to have prevented the Creator from making woman."

THE Windom Citizen man has a habit of giving the monopolists a hot shot now and then. Here's a good one:

Did you ever hear of postmasters of the country going on a strike? Hardly. And were the telegraphs run by the people for the people the country would not have been paying excessive rates, with a disagreeable strike every once in a while to tie up business.

THE St. Peter Free Press is tired of newspaper criticism of of the lumber thieves and says it is time the talk were altogether cut out. We should not be surprised if Ray Jones Tom Shevlin, and other timber exploiters agreed with the Free Press. One thing sure, the stealing has been stopped, and that is more important than stopping the talk.

THEY tell a good story of carpetbag days in Alabama. The negro regime was in good working order and a coarse illiterate darkey approached the governor for a job. "My dear fellow," the governor protested, "every position is filled except that of chief justice." "Wall" drawled the negro somewhat disappointedly, "if you haven't got nuthin' else, guess I'll have to take it!"

THE latest gubernational possibility is Dar Reese. Well, after Dunn and Cole the Republican stomach ought to be prepared for almost anything. The Reese boomers ought to remember that the people of Minnesota are learning to be a bit particular and the party brand no longer insures an election. If you don't believe it consult the returns of 1904 and 1906

OVER in Austria more than 100,000 persons are kept busy making imitation ivory products from skimmed milk and they do their work so well that the average person cannot tell them from the original article, says a leading dairy newspaper. Milk-stone, as this skimmed milk substance is called, is hard and tough. Besides piano keys and collars, pepper and salt shakers, pen holders ink wells, umbrella holders, boxes, doll heads, doorknobs, mantle pieces clocks, paper racks, pin heads, collar buttons, picture frames, rubber and amber imitations, glue and putty and many other articles too numerous to mention are made from skimmed milk.

PROCEEDINGS

Of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Red Lake Falls, Minnesota,
August 12, 1907.

Pursuant to call the Board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, met in the office of the county auditor, in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Meeting called to order by the chairman at ten o'clock a. m.

Members present: Lindquist, Pigeon and Demann.

Members absent: Shaw and Aubol.

On motion duly carried the Board took a recess until one o'clock p. m.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman at one o'clock p. m.

Members present: Lindquist, Pigeon, Demann and Aubol.

Member absent: Shaw.

Minutes of the meeting of July 8th and 16th 1907, were read and approved.

Minutes of meeting of July 29th, 1907, were read and disapproved.

On motion duly carried the bonds of the following county depositories were accepted:

First State Bank of Brooks	$ 4000 00
Bank of Red Lake Falls	10000 00
Merchant State Bank of St. Hilaire	18000 00
Peoples State Bank of Thief River Falls	10000 00
First State Bank of Red Lake Falls....	20000 00
First State Bank of Thief River Falls..	20000 00
First Natl Bank of Thief River Falls..,.	20000 00
First State Bank of St. Hilaire.........	12000 00
First State Bank of Plummer	4000 00

On motion duly carried the petition of Olaf Larson for the formation of a new school district, a day of hearing was set for September 16th, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Motion made by Demann, seconded by Pigeon, that the application of John J. Sall for a liquor license at Wylie be granted, motion carried

On motion duly carried the report of the board of audit was accepted.

Motion made by Aubol, seconded by Demann that C. H. Martz be appointed county superintendent of highways for the balance of the year 1907, at seventy-five dollars per month, and the said C. H. Martz to furnish approved bond in the sum of one thousand dollars, motion carried.

On motion duly carried the bid of Herman Lindner for the construction of a cement sidewalk around the court house property, in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minn., for two hundred ninety nine and 95-100 dollars was accepted.

Motion made by Commissioner Pigeon, seconded by Commissioner Demann that the county auditor be instructed to advertise for bids for eighteen thousand dollars ditch bonds, for judicial ditch number 4. Motion carried.

Motion made by Pigeon, seconded by Aubol that the Judge of Probate be allowed two hundred dollars additional clerk hire for the balance of the year 1907, payable in monthly installments, motion carried.

Resolved that the sum of two hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the county road and bridge fund to aid the township of Red Lake Falls, in gravelling the road between sections 27 and 28, and between sections 34 and 35, in said township, providing the township of Red Lake Falls and the city of Red Lake Falls, or either of them expend an equal amount to gravel said above mentioned.

Resolved that the sum of two hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated from the county road and bridge fund to aid the township of Equality building bridges across Judicial ditch number 4, provided the said town expend an equal amount for the same purpose.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

O. T. Tandberg, postage stamps in county treasurer's office ....$	36 95
N. W. Tarrant, insanity case of William Blanchard, examination held at Thief River Falls....	3 06
N. W. Tarrant, alleged insanity of John Crapa, examination held at Thief River Falls....	2 44
E. O. Erickson, expense bringing John Mussing, a pauper from Crookston..	5 75
N. W. Tarrant, insanity case of Mary Berggren, examination held at Thief River Falls	3 06
V. M. Higinbotham, premium on insurance policy on court house property..	27 50
Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., lighting court house and jail July 1907	16 90
Ben Isaacson, jailor's salary from July 1st to Aug 5th inc..........	36 00
Red Lake Falls Gazette, stationery for county treasurer's office	9 50
Wm C L Demann, 4 days as member of the board of equalization and mileage	13 40
C A Lindquist 4 days as member of the board of equalization and mileage....	15 60
Joseph Pigeon, 4 days as member of the board of equalization and mileage....	15 20
Ed A Aubol 4 days as member of the board of equalization and mileage....	15 00
Daniel Shaw, 4 days as member of the board of equalization and mileage....	16 00
John B O'Brien, 4 days as member of the board of equalization and mileage	12 00
Free Press Printing Co. supplies for county offices	29 00
W M Welch, supplies for county supt of schools office..........	1 25
Miller-Davis Printing Co, supplies for county offices	63 40
Luc Dubuc, janitor summer school 1907	35 00
" " janitor teachers examination 3 days	4 50
Amie Benoit, Ice for summer school....	2 70
" " Ice for Court House from June 17th to July 31, 1907..........	3 00
C. W. Johnson, ten days as member of the County board of Audit..........	30 00
C. A. Lindquist, ten days as member of the County Board of Audit..........	30 00
John B. O'Brien, ten days as member of the County Board of Audit..........	30 00
A. P. Toupin, Justice fees, State vs. Norman Bottineau..........	4 35
S. A. Swanson, justice fees State vs. John Wzentick	4 30
S. A. Swanson, Justice fees State vs, Norman Bottineau....	2 85
S. A. Swanson, Witness fees, State vs. John Wzentick	5 20
S. A. Swanson, Drawing petit jury and mileage....	3 20
Ben Isaacson, Necessary expense in case of State vs. J. Chrpa.,..........	5 50
Arthur Laniel, Justice fees State vs. Martin Resby..........	8 40
Robert A. Lee, Misc Deputy sheriff's fee	16 75
Lewis A. Nelson, Board of Dan Thomas from July 1st to August 5th, 1907, and board of John Meising from July 1st to July [illegible] 1907..........	35 91
Lewis A. Nelson, expense case of state vs. Mary Chrpa.	6 9[illegible]
Lewis A. Nelson, expense case of state vs. John Wzentick	18 00
Lewis A. Nelson, Posting notices for County Commissioner meeting......	16 80
James K. Wood, Engineer 3 days and expense on County Ditch 25..........	16 70
James K. Wood, Engineer 3 days on County Ditch 22 and 24.	17 70
James K. Wood, Engineer 6 days on County Ditch 22, 24, 25, & 28	35 35
James K. Wood, Engineer 2 days on County Ditch 24 and 28.	12 45
James K. Wood, Engineer 1½ days on County Ditch 26 & 28..........	9 35
Ed A. Aubol, One day and mileage inspecting Rocksbury and North ditch No. 1	5 60
Ed A. Aubol, mileage att'g meeting of County Board July 8th and 16th '07..	3 00
C. A. Lindquist, Two days and mileage inspecting Rocksbury and North Ditch No. 1 ..	11 20
C. A. Lindquist, Mileage attending Commissioner Meeting July 8th and 16th '07..........	3 60
Joseph Pigeon, Two days and mileage inspecting Rocksbury and North ditch No 1..........	11 65
Joseph Pigeon, Mileage attending Commissioners Meeting July 8th and 16th '07..........	3 20
Wm. C. L. Demann, Mileage attending meeting of County Board, July 8 and 16th 1907..........	1 4[illegible]
Wichterman and Bender, Livery hire for Engineer J. K. Wood..........	2 00

On motion duly carried the Board adjourned sine die.

C. A. LINDQUIST,
Chairman, Board of County Com'rs of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

John B. O'Brien,
County Auditor and Ex-officio Clerk of Board. (Seal)

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Tha Big Store has an interesting new ad in today's paper.

First class cook stove for sale cheap. Mrs. Louis Seiff.

Joseph Helm was a business visitor at Grand Forks Monday.

For Sale—a top buggy and surrey both good as new.—P. O. Floan.

W. A. Schrieter was a business visitor at Thief River Falls Monday.

One new Belle City thresher, 32 inch cylinder at a bargain.—Jos. Helm.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson visited over Sunday with friends at St. Hilaire and Wylie.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kinkel spent Sunday at the C. O. Kinkel home in Terrebonne.

A few gang and sulky plows to sell at less than wholesale cost today—Jos. Helm.

Al Pouliot went over to Grand Forks Tuesday morning to spend a few days on business.

Sheriff L. A. Nelson was a business caller at Thief River Falls a coupla of days this week.

Mrs. Georgiann Marchand arrived home this week from a pleasant visit with relatives at Cass Lake.

For Sale—one 14x18 Kansas City hay press at $125.00. First class working condition. Jos. Helm.

Ildaga Baril and L. C. Cadieux each shipped a car of cattle to the south St. Paul market Saturday.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

I have a few thresher belts, cotton and rubber, left which I will sell at bargain prices—Jos. Helm.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Ives of St Hilaire visited over Sunday at the P. E. Pirath home in this city.

Peter and Frank Busch left Monday morning for North Dakota where they will be employed until the freeze-up.

Mankato Commercial College is placing more young people on the road of success than any other school. Send for catalog.

One 10 horse mounted Sweep Horse power on trucks, new; will sell for $125 00 cost; $275 00 at factory.—Jos. Helm.

I will sell my gasoline launch for $160. Two hase power, run one season. For particulars inqure of Leland E. Healy.

For sale at a bargain a one horse portable Gasoline engine used somewhat, in first class working condition.—Jos. Helm.

G. H. Tibbetts was up from Waubun last week visiting with his family. Mr. Tibbetts is now teaching in the Indian school on the White Earth reservation and likes his new field immensely.

SPOTS

No matter from what source they came, if you have a skirt, jacket, a dainty waist, piece of lace, embroidery or linen, or some other article of value, we can clean it for you, removing the spot or stain entirely. The cost is a mere trifle and you again have the use of the article you thought you could no longer use.

Information booklet free. Return express paid on orders of $3 or more

Gross Bros Minneapolis Dye House

The open air band concert last Friday evening was listened to by a good-sized crowd and the usual appreciation was shown.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue arrived home Tuesday morning from a week's visit with the doctor's relatives at Hamilton, North Dakota.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall returned home Saturday morning from a week's visit with her son, Drew, and friends at the Twin cities.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

M. O. Sortedahl returned home Saturday morning from a several days' business sojourn at the cities and points in central Minnesota.

Mrs. Wm. Patnode left Monday for Coleraine where she will make her future home. Mr. Patnode is employed in the mines at that place.

You will harvest your crops with a smile on your face by using Plymouth binder twine and a Deering binder. For sale at Wm. Findeisen.

Olof and Alfred Floan went up to Thief River Falls yesterday and from there go to the reservation to look after some business for their father.

Mrs. Chas. J. Chapman and Miss Annie Suttor, of Crookston, are guests of their mother, Mrs. Anna Suttor, this week, having arrived here Monday.

Prison binder twine is the cheapest for you to use and is guarenteed to give perfect satisfaction. Wm. Findeisen has a full carload fresh from the mill.

For Sale—Quarter section of good land in Poplar River township; will sell cheap or rent to responsible party. Address, Henry Cote, Terrebonne, Minn. 48-51

Albert Lafreniere returned home from Grand Rapids Monday morning and will remain here in the future, having accepted a position as clerk in the Big Store.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Spaulding and children left for their home at Lincoln, Nebraska, last Thursday after having spent two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Sam S. Haislet.

Joe Lacharce came over from Bellecourt, North Dakota and spent a few days with his many friends here. He left again Monday for Bellecourt to resume his work.

Munritz Bri k, who was operator at the Great Northern depot a few months last summer called on friends here yesterday. He was on his way to Benoit to take charge of the station.

P. B. Gaass arrived home yesterday from his visit with his parents at Pella Iowa Mrs Gaass and the children remained there, and will not be home until the latter part of next week.

Enter now at the Minneapolis Business College and graduate with the large spring class, when opportunities for employment abound on every hand. Write Ruggs & Boyer at 300 Central Ave.

W. B. Fuller, of the Thief River Falls Milling company, spent last Friday here on business. "Coxey" is one of the boys who is always warmly welcomed in Red Lake Falls.

J. K. Wood was down from Thief River Falls last Friday finishing up his work of establishing new grades for the cement sidewalks to be built around the school premises and court house.

Mrs. Fred Borchers and children went down to Crookston for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Fred Morin last week. Mr. Borchers joined them there Saturday and accompanied them home Monday morning.

Fred Richards arrived home Monday from Billings, Montana, where he has been for several months past working on railroad construction work. Fred is greatly impressed with that part of Montana, and expects to return later in the fall and spend the winter.

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Barber, Ed. A. Nelson, went over to Crookston Sunday and from there to the Twin cities for a few days business visit. His business is being conducted by John B. Cyr, while he is away.

Fred Zaiser came up from Pierz last week and has been visiting with his family and many friends here. Fred has a big piece of contract work for the Soo line near Pierz and has been doing very well this summer.

E. J. Regan came up from Moorhead Monday morning and spent a couple of days here. On Tuesday evening his family left for Crookston where they will visit a few days before going to their future home at Moorhead.

Mrs. F. A. Mizen has been enjoying a visit from her sisters, Mrs. Emma Davis, of Grafton, North Dakota, and Miss Minnie Shannon, of St. Thomas, North Dakota, and also her cousin, Miss Sarah Shannon, of Ottawa, Ontario.

Attorney G. K. Fargo, of Ogema, Mahnomen county, was here Monday on his way to Thief River Falls. In company with several Thief River parties. Mr. Fargo will shortly start a bank at Ogema and expects to do a big business.

Henry Boomer, of Chicago, stopped off here a few days this week for a visit with his cousin, Ed L. Healy. He was on his way to Klamoth Falls, Oregon where he will look over a big irrigation project. He will stop off at Missoula, Montana for a brief visit.

A party of Thief Riverites consisting of Messrs. S. W. Bagley, D. Shaw and Emil Zeh passed through here yesterday morning in the big Pierce Arrow automobile owned by C. J. Winton. They were bound for Minneapolis to spend a few days on business, and will return Saturday.

Services will be held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.. Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz of Windom will preach both morning and evening. Sunday school at 10 o'clock and Young People's Christian Endeavor meeting at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harlow returned here Tuesday and will again make their residence at this point. They have been at Grand Forks the past few months, where Mr. Harlow was employed by the Great Northern He has accepted a position as teacher for the fall and winter term at the Badger school and will commence his duties next Monday.

John B. Cyr and family came down from Thief River Falls Saturday evening and will spend a couple of weeks with Mr. Cyr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cyr, before departing for their future home at North Yakima, Washington. Mr. Cyr has disposed of his interests at Thief River Falls and will engage in business at North Yakima.

Agent J. L. Tracy, of the Great Northern, is taking a couple of weeks lay-off from his duties and will visit at Duluth, points in Dakota and attend the Minnesota State fair before resuming work. Omer Hall is officiating as agent during Mr. Tracy's absence, and Wm. Harris, a relief man is taking Mr. Hall's place at the lightning slinging machines.

Agent J. L. Tracy went down to Crookston last Friday to be present at the last exercises over the remains of the late Capt. C. H. Jenks. The body lay in the private car until the Fargo train left, and people from all over the Northwest were there to take a last look at one whose activity in railroad circles has done much toward the upbuilding of this part of the northwest.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Baughtou and son, and Master George Zeh went out to Maple Lake in Charley's auto last Sunday and spent the day at that popular resort. On the way home they stopped at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Paranteau and took supper returning home in the evening. They had a very enjoyable time, the Grand Forks band having been at the lake, and a large number of visitors present.

Thief River News: At three o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McNiven, occured the marriage of Malcom McNiven, of this city, to Miss Pauline Day, of Devils Lake, N. D., the Rev. F. J. Barackman, officiating. Both the young people are well known in this city, the bride having resided here for a number of years with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Day. The groom is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. McNiven and a young man possessing many friends here. The young couple left Monday evening for Kalispell, Montana, where they expect to make their future home.

Horse racing on the State Fair race track this year will end in five days, and the sixth day of the fair, Sept. 7, will be devoted to the greatest automobile meet ever seen in the west. It will be under the special management of the Minnesota State Automobile Association which is composed of local auto clubs in Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Mankato, Red Wing and other large cities of the state. Plans have been perfected for a program of fifteen great race events which will be handled in an up-to-date way by the experienced amateur automobile men who are at the head of the association. It will be a fine opportunity to see the latest things in autos and witness some spirited races.

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In order that St. Paul's splendid auditorium, built at a cost of $450,000, may be kept open for the inspection of the visitors during the week of Sept. 2, St. Paul's musicans have arranged a series of full festival concerts, in which Innes Orchestral Band, a trained chorus of 500 voices, a supplementary children's chorus of 1000 voices, and a dozen soloists, of national repute, will appear. Innes Band is considered one of the finest organizations of its kind in the United States and is now rehearsing special music for the St. Paul appearance. The chorus of the 600 and the children's chorus are also rehearsing. The former will be the finest organization of its kind which has ever sung in the Twin Cities.

The following paragraph from an exchange is a useful reminder about the beginning of a school year: The best time to enter a school is on the first day of a school year; the best time to leave it is on the last day of the last term of the school year. First year pupils, that is pupils who are entering school for the first time after they are six years old, should not enter after the first month of the term is past. The interruption and hindrance to the rest of the pupils of the grade is more than any considerate parent ought to demand. If your child does not become of school-age (six years old) till after the first month of the term is past or if you do not get ready to send him the first month, keep him out till the beginning of next term.

OPENS NEXT MONDAY.

St. Joseph's Parochial School Ready For Year's Work.

St. Joseph's parochial school will commence the fall term Monday of next week; September 2. The sisters who will have charge of the instruction work arrived Tuesday and are getting everything in good shape for the opening of the term.

St. Joseph's school has been doing some excellent work along the educational lines and deserves a large attendance this year.

Hunting License.

The law relative to hunters' license remains the same in effect as it was previous to the recent session of legislature, though somewhat different in wording. No license is required for a hunter to shoot small game in the county in which he resides but if he desires to hunt outside his own county he must procure a license, costing $1.00, from his own county auditor. The license permits a hunter to shoot all kinds of game in season, and confers shipping priveleges.

The fund derived from the sale of licenses goes into the game and fish commission's general fund to be used for protection and propagation of fish and game. The funds available for protection of game are limited and all who enjoy hunting should realize that when they purchase a license, they are contributing their mite to the work of game protection for their own benefit and benefit of their children.

Capt. C. H. Jenks Dead.

Captain C. H. Jenks, for a great many years superintendent of the northern division of the Great Northern railroad, and a man well-known all over the Northwest, died at his Crookston home last Thursday afternoon after a brief illness. Death was caused by a chronic ailment of the blood vessels of the brain. Capt. Jenks began his railroad work in 1869, and his rise was rapid. He had been superintendent of several divisons of the Great Northern and since early in 1904 he was located at Crookston. Last September he was given a years leave of absence with full pay, intending to take a trip around the world, but ill health prevented him doing this, and he failed gradually until death came last week to relieve him. Capt. Jenks was a veteran of the civil war and active in Grand Army circles as well as lodge work. He was recognized as one of the best railroad men in the west and the northern division developed into one of the best on the system during his management. He was highly esteemed by all who knew him and his death caused great sorrow among the railroad boys who had worked with him for so many years. The remains were shipped to Litchfield, his old home, for interment.

Bray.

The hum of the binders can be heard in all directions as the farmers are all busy harvesting their grain.

John Scholin and P. Lindholm drove Wylie Tuesday.

Christ Bugge of Numedahl was here Wednesday.

O. P. Johnson and Chas Englund transacted business at St. Hilaire Saturday.

August Akerlund came up from Crookston Saturday and spent a few days with relatives and friends.

Ernest Akerlund went to Wylie Wednesday.

Lloyd Crown and Arthur Bakken accompained by the Misses Cora and Emma Bakken of Thief River, came down here Saturday for a visit with relatives.

A party was held at Ed Crown's Saturday evening, and all those present report a good time.

A. P. Hogstrom drove to St. Hilaire Friday.

Henry Lindholm made a trip to Numedahl Sunday.

E. J. Akerlund was at St. Hilaire Sunday.

The frost we had last Tuesday morning did quite a little damage to garden stuff.

A young people's party was held at the home of A. E. Anderson last Sunday and a large crowd of young people were in attendance and a good time was had by all.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota at the office of the County Auditor of said county, in the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, up to 3 o'clock p. m. of September 16, 1907, for the purchase of ditch bonds issued for the construction of Judicial Ditch No. 4, in said county, said bonds to run for a period of ten years, and in the aggregate sum of $18,000 00 each. Bids to contemplate a series of ten bonds of $18,00.00 each, and a straight one-bond issue of $18 000.00, to include all blanks and stationery, stating rate of interest and premium, if any.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of $1,000.00, payable to the County Auditor, as evidence of the good faith of the bidder. Right reserved to reject any and all bids

JOHN B. O'BRIEN, County Auditor,
and Ex Officio Clerk of Board,
Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Dated August 23, 1907. 2w

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ARE PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS NOSTRUMS?

To one not qualified, and few laymen are, to discriminate intelligently between physicians' prescriptions, proprietary medicines and nostrums, it may seem little short of a crime to hint even that physicians' prescriptions are in any manner related to nostrums; nevertheless, an impartial examination of all the facts in the case leads irresistibly to the conclusion that every medicinal preparation compounded and dispensed by a physician is, in the strict sense of the word, a nostrum, and that the average, ready-prepared proprietary remedy is superior to the average specially-prepared physicians' prescription.

What is a nostrum? According to the Standard Dictionary a nostrum is "a medicine the composition of which is kept a secret." Now, when a physician compounds and dispenses with his own hands a remedy for the treatment of a disease—and it is authoritatively stated that probably 60 per cent. of all physicians' prescriptions in this country are so dispensed—the names and quantities of the ingredients which constitute the remedy are not made known to the patient. Hence, since its composition is kept a secret by the physician, the remedy or prescription is unquestionably, in the true meaning of the word, a Simon-pure nostrum. Furthermore, the prescription compounded by the average physician is more than likely to be a perfect jumble—replete with therapeutic, physiologic and chemical incompatibilities and bearing all the earmarks of pharmaceutical incompetency; for it is now generally admitted that unless a physician has made a special study of pharmacy and passed some time in a drug store for the purpose of gaining a practical knowledge of modern pharmaceutical methods, he is not fitted to compound remedies for his patients. Moreover, a physician who compounds his own prescriptions not only deprives the pharmacist of his just emoluments, but he endangers the lives of patients; for it is only by the detection and elimination of errors in prescriptions by clever, competent prescriptionists that the safety of the public can be effectually shielded from the criminal blunders of ignorant physicians.

Nor can it be said that the average physician is any more competent to formulate a prescription than he is to compound it. When memorized or directly copied from a book of "favorite prescriptions by famous physicians," or from some text-book or medical journal, the prescription may be all that it should be. It is only when the physician is required to originate a formula on the spur of the moment that his incompetency is distinctly evident. Seemingly, however, the physicians of the United States are little worse than the average British physician, for we find Dr. James Burnett, lecturer on Practical Materia Medica and Pharmacy, Edinburgh, lamenting in the Medical Magazine the passing of the prescription and bemoaning the fact that seldom does he find a "final man" able to devise a prescription even in "good contracted Latin."

And what, it may be asked, is the status of the written prescription—the prescription that is compounded and dispensed by the pharmacist—is it, too, a nostrum? It may be contended that the patient, with the written formula in his possession, may learn the character of the remedy prescribed. So, possibly, he might if he understood Latin and were a physician or a pharmacist, but as he usually possesses no professional training and cannot read Latin, the prescription is practically a dead secret to him. Furthermore, the average prescription is so badly written and so greatly abbreviated that even the pharmacist, skilled as he usually is in deciphering medical hieroglyphs, is constantly obliged to interview prescribers to find out what actually has been prescribed. It may also be contended, that inasmuch as the formula is known to both physician and pharmacist the prescription cannot therefore be a secret. But with equal truth it might be contended that the formula of any so-called nostrum is not a secret since it is known to both proprietor and manufacturer; for it must not be forgotten that, according to reliable authority, 85 per cent. of the proprietors of so-called patent medicines prepared in this country have their remedies made for them by large, reputable manufacturing pharmacists. But even should a patient be able to recognize the names of the ingredients mentioned in a formula he would only know half the story. It is seldom, for instance, that alcohol is specifically mentioned in a prescription, for it is usually masked in the form of tinctures and fluid extracts, as are a great many other substances. It is evident, therefore, that the ordinary formulated prescription is, to the average patient, little less than a secret remedy or nostrum.

On the other hand, the formulae of nearly all the proprietary medicines that are exploited exclusively to the medical profession as well as those of a large percentage of the proprietary remedies that are advertised to the public (the so-called patent medicines) are published in full. Under the Food and Drugs Act, every medicinal preparation entering interstate commerce is now required to have the proportion or quantity of alcohol, opium, cocaine and other habit-forming or harmful ingredients which it may contain plainly printed on the label. As physicians' prescriptions seldom or never enter interstate commerce they are practically exempt under the law. And if it be necessary for the public to know the composition of proprietary remedies, as is contended by those who through ignorance or for mercenary reasons are opposing the sale of all household remedies, *why is it not equally necessary for patients to know the composition of the remedy prescribed by a physician?* Does any sane person believe that the opium in a physician's prescription is less potent or less likely to create a drug habit than the opium in a proprietary medicine? *As a matter of fact, more opium-addicts and cocain-fiends have been made through the criminal carelessness of ignorant physicians than by any other means.*

Unquestionably, there are a number of proprietary remedies on the market the sales of which should be prohibited, and no doubt they will be when the requirements of the Food and Drugs Act are rigidly enforced; many are frauds, pure and simple, and some are decidedly harmful. Of the average proprietary remedy, however, it may truthfully be said that it is distinctly better than the average physicians' prescription; for not only is its composition less secret, but it is prepared for the proprietor by reputable manufacturing pharmacists in magnificently equipped laboratories and under the supervision and advice of able chemists, competent physicians and skillful pharmacists. It should not be considered strange, therefore, that so many physicians prefer to prescribe these ready-prepared proprietary remedies rather than trust those of their own devising.

PICKETT'S OLD FRIEND.

A Story Told of Abraham Lincoln's Visit to Richmond.

The day after the great fire following the fall of Richmond, Lincoln, with a small bodyguard, walked through the streets of the charred city. As he approached the corner occupied by Gen. Pickett's residence he directed the guard to wait, and to their astonishment ran two steps at a time up to the door and rapped. The servants had fled. The "baby bride" had never seen President Lincoln, but she had read his letter to her husband and from it had learned to hold in the highest esteem the great Northern President. With her baby in her arms she opened the door, says The World To-Day, and looked up at the tall, gaunt man with the sad face and uncouth ways.

Without a word of explanation he asked:

"Is George Pickett about?"

To hear the husband's name bereft of its title by a Yankee at that moment was almost the limit, especially as a rumor had floated about Richmond concerning the fate which awaited the leaders of the confederacy.

With all the proud dignity she could command the baby bride replied:

"Gen. Pickett is not at home."

The stranger seemed disappointed and as he turned to go remarked:

"I am Abraham Lincoln, an old friend of George's."

"Not President Lincoln!" Mrs. Pickett exclaimed. The tall man shook his head, repeating:

"No. Just Abraham Lincoln, George Pickett's old friend."

Following the instinct promptings of the heart which still governs her, the baby bride thrust her baby boy into the arms of the gaunt Yankee, as her best effort to express her veneration and confidence, saying:

"I am George Pickett's wife and this is George Pickett's baby."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Andrew M. Gow, Duluth, Minn., hand wheel; Wenceslaus F. Mikolosek, Vodnany, S. D., egg tester; William Millbrath, Lakefield, Minn., hog holder; James H. Murroy, Larkin, N. D., dumping wagon; Arthur J. Smith et al., Winona, Minn., mop wringer; Paul Swenson, Hopkins, Minn., traction engine; Axel Wahlund, Duluth, Minn., weed extractor.

MANIA FOR DANCING.

Whole Family Had Irresistible Desire to Walk on Hands.

A strange scene was witnessed the other day in the office of a Paris police superintendent.

A woman of middle age named Mme. Brerotti entered his bureau to lodge a complaint on the subject of her house. She could not, she said, enter her apartment without an irresistible temptation to walk on her hands.

Concluding that he had to deal with a lunatic, the officer sent for the woman's son, whom he told to have his mother placed under care.

"But she is sane," said the young man. "What she says about walking on her hands is quite true, and I feel it myself, as does an uncle who lives with us."

The uncle, a man of 50, was summoned, and he had not been talking to the officers many minutes before he declared the temptation was mastering him. Without more ado he began careening about on his hands, mother and son followed suit, and the superintendent watched all three move easily about on their hands with their heels in the air.

Seeing that it was a case of family lunatics, he hastily promised to "have the house disinfected," and drew up a report to the asylum authorities.

The Motor Face.

A few days ago a well known personage was motoring in Derbyshire when a policeman stopped him.

"You'll have to take off that mask," said the officer, "it's frightening every one who sees it."

"But I'm not wearing one!" explained the unfortunate [illegible]

SISTER ROSE.

A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS

CHAPTER XXI.

HE SPOKE the last sentence with a faint smile, and with the air of a man trying, in spite of himself, to treat a grave subject lightly. His face clouded again, however, in a moment, when he looked towards his sister as he ceased. Her work had once more dropped on her lap; her face was turned away so that he could not see it; but he knew by the trembling of her clasped hands, as they rested on her knee, and by the slight swelling of the veins on her neck, which she could not hide from him, that her boasted strength of nerve had deserted her. Three years of repose had not yet enabled her to hear her marriage name uttered, or to be present when past times of deathly suffering and terror were referred to, without betraying the shock in her face and manner. Trudaine looked saddened, but in no way surprised by what he saw. Making a sign to Lomaque to say nothing, he rose and took up his sister's hood, which lay on a window-seat near him.

"Come, Rose," he said, "the sun is shining, the sweet spring air is inviting us out. Let us have a quiet stroll along the banks of the stream. Why should we keep our good friend here cooped up in this narrow little room, when we have miles and miles of beautiful landscape to show him on the other side of the threshold? Come! it is high treason to Queen Nature to remain indoors on such a morning as this."

Without waiting for her to reply, he put on her hood, drew her arm through his, and led the way out. Lomaque's face grew grave as he followed them.

"I am glad I only showed the bright side of my budget of news in her presence," thought he. "She is not well at heart yet. I might have hurt her, poor thing; I might have hurt her again sadly, if I had not held my tongue."

They walked for a little while down the banks of the stream, talking of indifferent matters, then returned to the cottage. By this time Rose had recovered her spirits, and could listen with interest and amusement to Lomaque's drily-humorous description of his life as a clerk at Chalons-sur-Marne. They parted for a little while at the cottage door. Rose retired to the upstairs room from which she had been summoned by her brother. Trudaine and Lomaque returned to wander again along the banks of the stream.

With one accord, and without a word passing between them, they left the neighborhood of the cottage hurriedly, then stopped on a sudden and attentively looked each other in the face—looked in silence for an instant. Trudaine spoke first.

"I thank you for having spared her," he began, abruptly. "She is not strong enough yet to bear hearing of a new misfortune, unless I break the tidings to her first."

"You suspect me, then, of bringing bad news?" said Lomaque.

"I know you do. When I saw your first look at her, after we were all seated in the cottage parlor, I knew it. Speak! without fear, without caution, without one useless word of preface. After three years of repose, if it pleases God to afflict us again, I can bear the trial calmly, and, if need be, can strengthen her to bear it calmly too. I say again, Lomaque, speak at once, and speak out. I know your news is bad, for I know beforehand that it is news of Danville."

"You are right, my bad news is news of him."

"He has discovered the secret of our escape from the guillotine——"

"No—he has not a suspicion of it. He believes—as his mother, as every one does—that you were both executed the day after the Revolutionary Tribunal sentenced you to death."

"Lomaque, you speak positively of that belief of his—but you cannot be certain of it."

"I can on the most indisputable, the most startling evidence—on the authority of Danville's own act. You have asked me to speak out?"

"I ask you again—I insist on it. Your news, Lomaque—your news, without another word of preface!"

"You shall have it without another word of preface. Danville is on the point of being married."

As the answer was given they both stopped by the bank of the stream, and again looked each other in the face. There was a minute of dead silence between them. During that minute the water bubbling by happily over its bed of pebbles, seemed strangely loud, the singing of birds in a little wood by the stream side strangely near and shrill, in both their ears. The light breeze, for all its mid-day warmth, touched their cheeks coldly; and the spring sunlight pouring on their faces, felt as if it were glimmering on them through winter clouds.

"Let us walk on," said Trudaine, in a low voice. "I was prepared for bad news, yet not for that. Are you certain of what you have just told me?"

"As certain as that the stream here is flowing by our side. Hear how I made the discovery, and you will doubt no longer. Before last week I knew nothing of Danville, except that his arrest on suspicion by Robespierre's order was, as events turned out, the saving of his life. He was imprisoned, as I told you, on the evening after he had heard your names read from the death-list at the prison grate. He remained in confinement at the Temple, unnoticed in the political confusion out of doors, just as you remained unnoticed at St. Lazare; and he profited in precisely the same manner that you profited by the timely insurrection which overthrew the Reign of Terror. I knew this, and I knew that he walked out of prison in the character of a persecuted victim of Robespierre's—and for better than three years past I know no more. Now listen. Last week I happened to be waiting in the shop of my employer, Citizen Clairfait, for some papers to take into the counting house when an old man enters with a sealed parcel, which he hands to one of the shopmen, saying:

"'Give that to Citizen Clairfait.'

"'Any name?' says the shopman.

"'The name is of no consequence,' answers the old man; 'but if you please you can give mine. Say the parcel came from Citizen Dubois;' and then he goes out. His name, in connection with his elderly look, strikes me directly.

"'Does that old fellow live at Chalons?' I ask.

"'No,' says the shopman. 'He is here in attendance on a customer of ours—an old ex-aristocrat named Danville. She is on a visit in our town.'

"I leave you to imagine how that reply startles and amazes me. The shopman can answer none of the other questions I put to him; but the next day I am asked to dinner by my employer (who, for his brother's sake, shows me the utmost civility). On entering the room I find his daughter just putting away a lavender-colored silk scarf, on which she has been embroidering in silver what looks to me like a crest and coat-of-arms.

"'I don't mind your seeing what I am about, Citizen Lomaque,' says she; 'for I know my father can trust you. That scarf is sent back to us by the purchaser, an ex-emigrant lady of the old aristocratic school, to have her family coat-of-arms embroidered on it.'

"'Rather a dangerous commission, even in these mercifully democratic times, is it not?' says I.

"'The old lady, you must know,' says she, 'is as proud as Lucifer; and having got back safely to France in these days of moderate republicanism, thinks she may indulge with impunity in all her old-fashioned notions. She has been an excellent customer of ours, so my father thought it best to humor her, without, however, trusting her commission to any of the work-room women to execute. We are not living under the Reign of Terror now, certainly; still there is nothing like being on the safe side.'

"'Nothing,' I answer. 'Pray what is this ex-emigrant's name?'

"'Danville,' replies the Citoyenne Clairfait. 'She is going to appear in that fine scarf at her son's marriage.'

"'Marriage?' I exclaim, perfectly thunderstruck.

"'Yes,' says she. 'What is there so amazing in that? By all accounts, the son, poor man, deserves to make a lucky marriage this time. His first wife was taken away from him in the Reign of Terror by the guillotine.'

"'Whom is he going to marry?' I inquired, still breathless.

"'The daughter of General Berthelin—an ex-aristocrat by family, like the old lady, but by principle as good a republican as ever lived—a hard-drinking, loud-swearing, big-whiskered old soldier who snaps his fingers at his ancestors and says we are all descended from Adam, the first genuine sans-culotte in the world.'

"In this way the Citoyenne Clairfait gossips on all dinner-time, but says nothing more of any importance. I, with my old police-office habits, set to the next day, and try to make some discoveries for myself. The sum of what I find out is this: Danville's mother is staying with General Berthelin's sister and daughter at Chalons, and Danville himself is expected to arrive every day to escort them all three to Paris, where the marriage-contract is to be signed at the general's house. Discovering this, and seeing that prompt action is now of the most vital importance, I undertake, as I told you, my employer's commission for Paris; depart with all speed; and stop here on my way. Wait! I have not done yet. All the haste I can make is not enough to give me a good start of the wedding party. On my road here, the diligence by which I travel is passed by a carriage, posting along at full speed. I cannot see inside that carriage; but I look at the box seat, and recognize on it the old man Dubois. He whirls by in a cloud of dust, but I am certain of him, and I say to myself, what I now say to you, no time is to be lost!"

"No time shall be lost," answered Trudaine, firmly. "Three years have passed," he continued, in a lower voice, speaking to himself rather than to Lomaque; "three years since the day when I led my sister out of the gates of the prison—three years since I said in my heart I will be patient, and will not seek to avenge myself. Our wrongs cry from earth to heaven; from man, who inflicts, to God, who redresses. When the day of reckoning comes, let it be the day of His vengeance, not of mine. In my heart I said those words—I have been true to them—I have waited. The day has come, and the duty it demands of me shall be fulfilled."

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Lomaque spoke again. "Your sister!" he began hesitatingly.

"It is there only that my purpose falters," said the other earnestly. "If it were but possible to spare her all knowledge of this last trial, and to leave the accomplishment of the terrible task to me alone?"

"I think it is possible," interposed Lomaque. "Listen to what I advise. We must depart for Paris by the diligence to-morrow morning, and we must take your sister with us—to-morrow will be time enough; people don't sign marriage contracts on the evening after a long day's journey. We must go then, and we must take your sister. Leave the care of her in Paris, and the responsibility of keeping her in ignorance of what you are doing, to me. Go to this General Berthelin's house at a time when you know Danville is there (we can get that knowledge through the servants), confront him without a moment's previous warning; confront him as a man risen from the dead; confront him before every soul in the room, though the room should be full of people—and leave the rest to the self-betrayal of a panic-stricken man. Say but three words, and your duty will be done; you may return to your sister, and may depart with her in safety to your old retreat at Rouen, or where you please, on the very day when you have put it out of her infamous husband's power to add another to the list of his crimes."

"You forget the suddenness of the journey to Paris," said Trudaine. "How are we to account for it without the risk of awakening my sister's suspicions?"

"Trust that to me," answered Lomaque. "Let us return to the cottage at once. No; not you," he added suddenly, as they turned to retrace their steps. "There is that in your face which would betray us. Leave me to go back alone—I will say that you have gone to give some orders at the inn. Let us separate immediately. You will recover your self-possession—you will get to look yourself again sooner if you are left alone—I know enough of you to know that. We will not waste another minute in explanations; even minutes are precious to us on such a day as this. By the time you are fit to meet your sister again, I shall have had time to say all I wish to her, and shall be waiting at the cottage to tell you the result."

He looked at Trudaine, and his eyes seemed to brighten again with something of the energy and sudden decision of the days when he was a man in office under the Reign of Terror. "Leave it to me," he said; and waving his hand, threaded away quickly in the direction of the cottage.

Nearly an hour passed before Trudaine ventured to follow him. When he at length entered the path that led to the garden gate, he saw his sister waiting at the cottage-door. Her face looked unusually animated; and she ran forward a step or two to meet him.

"Oh, Louis!" she said, "I have a confession to make, and I must beg you to hear it patiently to the end. You must know that our good Lomaque, though he came in tired from his walk, occupied himself, the first thing, at my request, in writing the letter which is to secure to us our dear old home by the banks of the Seine. When he had done, he looked at me and said, 'I should like to be present at your happy return to the house where I first saw you.' 'Oh, come, come with us!' I said directly. 'I am not an independent man,' he answered; 'I have a margin of time allowed me at Paris, certainly, but it is not long—if I were only my own master——' and then he stopped. Louis! I remembered all we owed to him; I remembered there is no sacrifice we ought not be too glad to make for his sake; I felt the kindness of the wish he expressed: and, perhaps, I was a little influenced by my own impatience to see once more my flower-garden and the rooms where we used to be so happy.

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Giants and Dwarfs.

The town of Ligonier, Noble county, Ind., claims the unique distinction of having for citizens the largest and smallest men, physically considered, in the west. George Washington Walker is without question the heaviest man in Indiana, if not in the United States. He weighs 500 pounds, is now 46 years old and is adding steadily to his weight at the rate of twenty-five pounds each year of his life. His waist measurement is seventy-six inches, chest under arms sixty-eight inches and arm twenty-five inches. He is in excellent health but finds locomotion rather difficult, although he travels about in a specially constructed conveyance. He is the father of two bright children and lives a retired life, attempting to avoid much notoriety. In the heated season he lives altogether in the cellar of his residence. Walker's physical antitype is Jesse Walker, his neighbor. The latter is 19 years of age and possesses a body of fair size. His legs, however, are twelve inches in length. He is three feet three inches tall and weighs but fifty pounds. Jesse is a promising youth, mentally well equipped, and as averse to notoriety as George Washington Walker. The two men have received flattering offers from museum proprietors, but at present have no desire for that kind of fame.—St. Louis Republic.

Ingersoll Worries Them No

Ingersoll does not trouble us ministers much. His talk may be witty, but his jibes and arguments are a rehash of those of Paine and Voltaire, arguments which have been answered so often that we are tired of answering arguments which are so ancient and musty that we are surprised that Ingersoll is willing to be so far behind the time as to dress them up and trot them out again. They are about as effective for his purpose as a 17th century blunderbuss would be against a modern [illegible]

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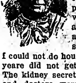

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Tuffold Knutt—'Cuz dey wanted me to go as a hobo, an' I ain't no hobo, by gum! I'm a travelin' sociologist.

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Grand opening Sept. 5th under Carey Act. Little Snake River Valley, Routt County, Colo. $25.50 per acre for land and water. $5.25 per acre down. Excursion rates. Routt County Development Co., 814 17th St., Denver, Colo.

GOLFER'S CURIOUS DRIVE.

Playing From a Treetop—Ball That Bounded Back to Starting Point.

An odd incident occurred on Saturday during a match at the Golf Club de Paris, near Versailles, says the Pall Mall Gazette. Two players in the open amateur championship were at the fourteenth tee, when one sent his drive up a tree. The ball remained fixed between two branches; a caddie, climbing up, discovered its presence there.

A great consultation arose as to what should be done. The committee was hastily summoned and stood beneath the spreading branches of the tree, much in the fashion in which St. Louis dispensed justice in a primitive France. Evidently the ball was not out of bounds. Finally the judges decreed that either a new ball should be dropped on the tee, counting two, or the ball should be played from the spot. To save the point, the golfer bravely shinned up the tree and played his ball from the embracing fork, making, indeed, quite a good stroke.

Later in the afternoon from the same tee I witnessed another curious incident. The player had driven, and his ball, striking the sand box of the ladies' tee, fifty yards ahead, bounded back to its starting place. The player then drove into the bunker with his second shot, which is also something of a performance.

WHAT'S THE USE?

To Pour in Coffee When It Acts as a Vicious Enemy.

Fasters have gone without food for many days at a time but no one can go without sleep. "For a long time I have not been sleeping well, often lying awake for two or three hours during the night but now I sleep sound every night and wake up refreshed and vigorous," says a Calif. woman.

"Do you know why? It's because I used to drink coffee but I finally cut it out and began using Postum. Twice since then I have drank coffee and both times I passed a sleepless night, and so I am doubly convinced coffee caused the trouble and Postum removed it.

"My brother was in the habit of drinking coffee three times a day. He was troubled with sour stomach and I would often notice him getting soda from the can to relieve the distress in his stomach; lately hardly a day passed without a dose of soda for relief.

"Finally he tried a cup of Postum and liked it so well he gave up coffee and since then has been drinking Postum in its place and says he has not once been troubled with sour stomach."

Even after this lady's experience with coffee her brother did not suspect for a time that coffee was causing his sour stomach, but easily proved it.

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WIGWAM PORTABLE HOG HOUSES ARE THE THING

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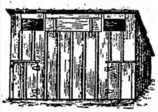
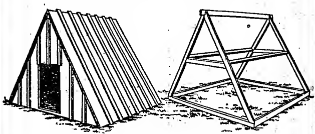
The wigwam style of movable hog house has its advantages in many ways, as has been demonstrated by the Wisconsin Agricultural college on the experimental farm. The framework is made by using 2 by 4's, 16 feet long, sawed in the middle, thus making the bottom dimensions eight feet square, each side eight feet square, the gable ends being formed by rafters eight feet in length. The front sill is laid flatwise to interfere as little as possible with the young pigs going in and out. The frame rests on short pieces of 2 by 4's nailed across each corner, which can be replaced when necessary. When a floor is desired it should be constructed on stringers and the frame made to rest thereon. The following lumber will build the house without floor: Thirteen pieces No. 1, 1 inch by 12 inches, 16 feet long; 6 pieces 2 inches by 4 inches, 16 feet long; 10 O. G. battens, 16 feet long. Eight boards sawed in the middle make the sides, and the remainder the ends. A small perpendicular slide window is usually made in the rear gable for ventilation. The total cost of material for the house, as shown in the cut, without floor, amounts to practically $11."



Large-Sized Movable Hog House.



Wigwam Movable Hog House.

The second cut shows another style that may be built in two sizes. The larger size is 10 feet long by 8 feet wide, 7 feet and 2 inches high in front, and 3 feet high in the rear.

The smaller one is shown in the third illustration. It is 8 feet long, 6 feet 2 inches high in front and 2 feet high in the rear. The construction of these houses is simple as may be seen in the third illustration. Relative to the detailed construction the bulletin says:

The floor is built, first, with 2 by 4's as stringers, and the frame is held on the floor by blocks at each corner. The large-sized house is provided with two doors, in front, and a temporary movable portion in the middle, so that the cot can easily be adjusted to accommodate two lots of swine at the same time. On a level with the glass windows there is also a drop window, preferably hung on hinges, fastened at the top for ventilation and sunlight.

The lumber required for the large house, 8 feet wide and 10 feet long, including floor, is as follows:

Twenty pieces, 2 inches by 4 inches, 10 feet long, for frame and stringers.

Two pieces, 2 inches by 4 inches, 16 feet long, for frame in ends.

Twenty pieces, 1 inch by 12 inches, 16 feet long, for roof and ends.

Five pieces, 1 inch by 12 inches, 16 feet long (rough), for floor.

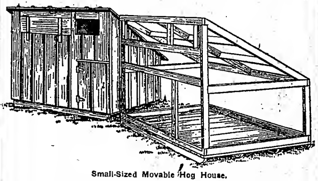
Fifteen O. G. battens, 16 feet long, for sealing cracks between boards.

The material, including the door, hinges and glass, will cost between $16 and $17.

The lumber required for the house 6 feet wide and 8 feet long is as follows:

Twelve pieces, 2 inches by 4 inches, 16 feet long, for frame.

Four pieces, 1 inch by 12 inches, 16 feet long (rough), for floor.



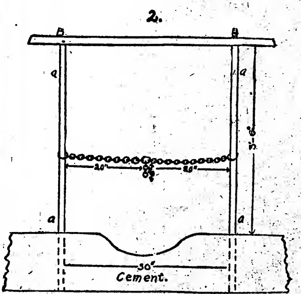
Small-Sized Movable Hog House.

Thirteen pieces, 1 inch by 12 inches 16 feet long, for roof and ends.

Ten O. G. battens, 16 inches long, for sealing cracks between boards.

The total cost of material to build the small cot with floor, door and window complete amounts to about $12.50. For neatness, economy, durability and comfort to the animals, this type of cot is excellent. Where it is desired to keep a number of hogs in one lot the large size is preferable. The small cot will accommodate from three to five mature animals and the large cot from seven to nine.

Placing Manger on Cement Floor



Cement Manger.

When mangers are to be fixed on a cement floor the arrangement shown in the illustration will answer quite well. The upright pieces A A are gas pipes of 1¾ inch diameter, imbedded in the cement manger. B B is a horizontal bar of the same material which steadies the upright bars. When A A are set deeply and firmly enough in the cement, there is seldom any necessity of running them to the ceiling or higher than the rod B B. The chain moves freely up and down on the rods and adjusts itself to the position of the cow, whether she be standing or lying down. This tie has the advantage that it is simple and easily kept clean. If desired the iron pipes may be replaced with 4x4-inch hard wood, but these often give trouble in that they rot off at the point where the wood comes in contact with the cement.

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Concerning His Business.

A Boston lawyer, who brought his wit from his native Dublin, while cross-examining the plaintiff in a divorce trial, brought forth the following:

"You wish to divorce this woman because she drinks?"

"Yes, sir."

"Do you drink yourself?"

"That's my business!"—angrily.

Whereupon the unmoved lawyer asked:

"Have you any other business?"

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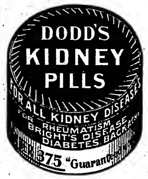

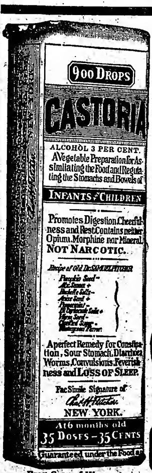

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Handsome Catalog.

Professor Sathre, of the Crookston Business College, may well feel proud of the excellent catalog which he has put out this year and which he is sending to prospective students all over the Northwest. It is probably the finest specimen of catalog work ever turned out in the Northwest

The book is not only an advertisement for the school but is a splendid advertisement for Crookston, as it tells of the advantages of the city in a clear, concise manner. Every word uttered by Mr. Sathre's catalog is fact, and this is one of the reasons for the remarkable success of the Crookston Business College since its establishment here in the nineties.

Since last year, Mr. Sathre has added considerable additional room for the accommodation of his constantly growing school and this year will undoubtedly prove the best year which the school has ever experienced.—Crookston Times. adv.

U. S. Court Stenographer.

Judge Amidon has named Miss Martha Nymon of Fargo as United States court stenographer to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Mrs. Conover. Miss Nymon is said to be one of the best stenographers in North Dakota, being a graduate of Professor Watkins' Dakota Business College of Fargo and having had a number of years of successful experiences in the law office of Ball, Watson & Maclay.

Notice of Mortgage Forclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 190.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $348.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows; to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

DULUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Oancer,
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
a8 s12 Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Sheriff's Sale.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF Red Lake, ss:

In District Court.

W. H. Bangs, doing business under the firm name and style of Bangs & Co., Plaintiff,
vs
Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Red Lake, upon a judgment docketed and rendered in said Court in favor of W. H. Bangs & Co., plaintiff, and against Samuel Allard and Delia Allard, defendants, I have levied upon the following described real property of said defendant, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the quarter section line, two rods west of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section numbered seventeen (17), in Township numbered one hundred fifty-one (151) north of Range forty-three (43) west of the Fifth P. M., in the State of Minnesota, running thence south eighty rods, running thence west eighty rods, running thence north eighty rods, running thence east eighty rods to the place of commencement; also lots numbered sixteen (16) and seventeen (17), in Block numbered twenty-six (26), in Champagne & Dow's Addition to Red Lake Falls, according to the corrected plat thereof on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 31st day of August, A. D. 1907, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Samuel Allard and Oelia Allard in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Two Hundred Twenty-seven dollars and seventy-seven cents ($220.77), together with all accruing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the first day of April, 1907, at the rate of six per cent. per annum, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated, July 18, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff, Red Lake Co., Minn.

F. A. GRAOY,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Red Lake Falls, Minn. 118a29

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Peter K. Olson and Lillie Christine Olson, his wife, mortgagors, to The West of Scotland American Investment Company, Limited, mortgagee, dated May 11th, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on May 16th, 1903, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., in book "26" of Mortgages, on page 509 thereof; that said mortgagee has paid the taxes assessed against the premises described in said mortgage for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, amounting in all to $90.00; that the amount claimed and hereby declared to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said taxes and interest thereon is one thousand one hundred thirty two and 46-100 dollars ($1132.46); that the premises descibed in and covered by said mortgage are Lots five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) of section eighteen (18), township one hundred and fifty one (151), north of range forty-three (43) west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one hundred fifty one and 41-100 acres according to government survey, situated in Red Lake county, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state, on August 31st, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including said taxes, together with the costs of such sale and fifty dollars attorneys' fees, stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated July 11, 1907.

THE WEST OF SCOTLAND AMERICAN INVESTMENT CO., Limited,
Mortgagee.

B. H. Whitney,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Slayton, Minnesota. 118a29

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
County of Red Lake.
State of Minnesota

To J. K. O. Sherwood,

You are hereby notified that the following described piece or parcel of land, situated in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to-wit: the South East quarter of Section 26, Township 153—Range 44, is is now assessed in your name; that on the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1902, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for the said County of Red Lake on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1902 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1900, for said county of Red Lake, the above described piece or parcel of land was sold for the sum of seventeen dollars and sixty-one cents: that the tax certificate issued for said and at said sale has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of redemption from said sale given and served; that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs, to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Two Hundred Thirty one dollars and sixty four cents (said sum being the aggregate amount of said sum for which said land was sold at said sale and interest thereon at twelve per cent per annum, delinquent taxes, penalties, costs and interest thereon, accruing subsequent to said sale and paid by said purchaser, and all unpaid delinquent taxes, interest cost and penalties accruing upon said land subsequent to said sale;) and that the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said sail will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof of said service has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office this sixth day of July, A. D. 1907.

John B. O'Brien
County Auditor,
Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Notice of Expiration of Redemption

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
County of Red Lake.
State of Minnesota

To J. K. O. Sherwood:

You are hereby notified that the following described pieces or parcels of land, situated in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota and known and described as follows, to-wit: The South one half of the South east quarter and the north west quarter of the south east quarter of section 30, in Township 151, Range 43 is now assessed in your name; that on the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1902, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Red Lake on the twenty first day of March, A. D. 1902, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1900 for said County of Red Lake, the above described pieces or parcels of land was sold for the sum of sixteen dollars and seven cents; that the tax certificate issued for said land at said sale has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of redemption of said sale given and served; that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of One Hundred Twenty one dollars and Eighty Cents (said sum being the aggregate amount of said sum for which said land was sold at said sale and interest thereon at twelve per cent per annum, delinquent taxes, penalties, costs and interest thereon, accruing subsequent to said sale and paid by said purchaser, and all unpaid delinquent taxes, interest, costs and penalties accruing upon said land subsequent to said sale); and that the time for redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said sale expires sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof of said service has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office this sixth day of July, A. D. 1907.

John B. O'Brien
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OFF FOR THE FAIR

Local Band Left Last Evening To Play Three Day's Engagement.

The Red Lake Falls Concert Band—30 pieces strong—left over last evenings Great Northern for the Twin cities and today, tomorrow and Saturday will furnish music at the big Minnesota state Fair at Hamline this week.

The big band gave an open air concert on Main Street Tuesday evening and nearly every man, woman and child in the city was out to hear them. They also gave a concert at Crookston while enroute last evening and reports from there today are to the effect that they made a decided hit.

The Minnesota state fair this year is said to be the biggest and best ever held by the State Agricul[illegible] society and the opening day the attendance was 94,000,000. The weather is ideal and the fair managers are delighted with the outlook.

Beside the Red Lake Falls band there are four others in attendance and in all modesty THE GAZETTE is forced to predict that the people of of the Twin cities have never had the pleasure of listening to a better amateur band than the one representing Red Lake Falls there today.

BOLD HOLDUP.

Crookston Man Robbed of Gold Watch and $7.

One of the most daring hold-ups that has ever been reported so far in this part of the country occured Thursday between the hours of 10 and 11 when Dan Jerome, a driver in the employ of of Bjoin and Carlson who was returning from this city to Crookston in a rig, was stopped near Perrault station and robbed of a gold watch and $7.

The two robbers were concealed in the underbrush near the road and just as soon as the rig reached the spot where they were they simultaneously sprang from their ambush one catching the reins of the horses and bringing the buggy to a stop, while the other covered Jerome with a revolver. The latter could make no resistance and allowed the robbers to take whatever they wanted.

After the robbers disappeared in the darkness, with their booty, Jerome drove hastily back to Red Lake Falls and informed the authorities of what had taken place. Although a vigilant search was made no clues have been obtained as to the whereabouts of the robbers.

Self Control.

There are times in every one's life when one feels that his self control is slipping away in the most humiliating manner. Some say a cure for nervousness is to hold a long deep breath while counting ten. As a preventive a glass of golden grain belt at bedtime will induce refreshing sleep and rest the tired nerves. If you are a sufferer, try it. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

GAME SLAUGHTER

Chickens Are Small, And Standing Grain Makes Hunting Difficult

The hunters have returned from the fields and report varied success, but it is the concensus of opinion that the chickens are very small this year and the fact that there is much standing grain interferes greatly with the hunting. The chickens are not dwarfs; in fact they are unusually healthy and strong, but the late spring made a late chicken crop, and this years chickens are in most cases two weeks younger than is generally the case at this time of the year.

Many good [illegible] were brought in however, [illegible] is probable that there [illegible] a great deal of chick[illegible] in Red Lake Falls during the week. Some of the results were as follows:

Dr. Wilkinson, A. L. Reichert, E. G. Buse and P. B. Gaass were up in Middle River country and arrived home with a bag of 60 ducks and 37 chickens.

Peter Beaulieu, Fred and Geo. Cyr, Ernest and Albert Guilmette hunted in Louisville township and bagged 33 chickens.

Blake, Grady, Toupin and Latendresse were south of town. Various reports are told by them.

Noel Delorme, Geo. Hennings and Harry Garceau covered the Tilden country, getting 41 in all,—3 ducks and the rest chickens.

E. A. Nelson, and Billy and Carl Krueger hunted all day in Wylie and brought home six chickens.

Sheriff Nelson, Wander, Swanson and Rassmussen had equally as had luck, getting only seven after a hard days tramp.

Fred Westphal, Carl Buse, and Herbert Findeisen were at Mud lake, north of Thief River and came home with a baggage of 63 ducks.

J. P. Harren and son, Joe, Father Fuvolle and Ernest Gerlach bagged 12 chickens and one duck, Monday. Sunday the two Harrens and Omer Hall with their families bagged eight.

Harry and Ralph Healy and driver were in the vicinity of Goose lake and got three geese, two ducks and three chickens

Newspaper Dead Beats.

The Tribune is getting a trifle sore on certain individuals who have allowed us to send the paper to them regularly for several years and then sneak out of town without leaving their next address or settling their account. We will publish a list of all such regardless of who they are or what their former position might have been. We can't afford to lose a cent of subscription account money. We are always willing to wait upon those who feel that they can't pay in advance, but we expect to receive the sum as soon as convenient to the subscriber. Where will the man go to when he dies who deliberately beats the poor country printer out of his awfully hard-earned dollar? The devil won't have him.—Akeley Tribune.

START NEXT WEEK

Fall Term of the Red Lake Falls Public Schools Will Start Monday.

The fall and winter term of the Red Lake Falls public school opens Monday morning and everything is in shape for an auspicious start on the years work.

The teachers of the respective grades will all be on hand to take their posts Monday morning and prospects are bright for good results during the next year.

The teaching force this year is as follows: Miss Antoinette Johnson, of Adrian, principal; E. W. Chamberlain, superintendent; Miss Ruth Donaldson, Miss Josephine Kaus, Miss Twinam, Miss Detert, Miss Brady, Miss Hennemuth, Miss Coughlin, Miss Hutchinson, Mrs. J. J. Doe and Leland Healy.

Allard Branches Out.

Sam Allard the electrical supply man, who is in business at Grand Forks and East Grand Forks, and who spent Friday looking over the situation at Crookston, returned to Grand Forks Saturday, having decided to open a branch house at Crookston.

He has leased the space in the building next to the City Hall, of Will Laird and a shipment of stock from Grand Forks arrived Saturday evening, and got the stock of supplies straightened out Monday. Mr. Allard will take active charge of the branch at Crookston for the next few months and expects to get a good share of the business. He has six men at work the year around at Grand Forks and expects to have a number at Crookston at all times.

Osakis Review: Mr. L. M. Healy, of this village, enjoys the distinction of having four grandsons who will play in a brass band during the State Fair. The boys are all members of the Red Lake Falls band, a musical organization of 27 pieces that has a state wide reputation.

Autumn Styles in

Stationery

For polite correspondence there should be no more slighting of the tone and correctness of a lady's stationery than of her clothing, or hat, or shoes.

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INTERESTING CONTEST.

Secretary Winkjer Sends Circular Letter to Dairymen.

Twenty-five dollars in cash is to be given to the dairyman of the valley who after a long contest proves by actual test that he has the best cow in the valley, i. e., the one that gives the most butter fat in a year of actual test. There are at present four dairymen in the valley who have cows in the contest and the results of these four cows prove that they are running neck and neck in the race and any one of them is liable to win the cash prize when the contest closes Sept. 15th. The four owners are Hans Larson, Clearwater county: Carl Carlson, Erskine: Ole Estenson, Climax; Geo. Henderson, Halstad.

Following is a circular letter which has been sent to every dairyman of the valley, and a copy was sent to THE GAZETTE with the request that it be published. It contains valuable information in regard to the rules of the contest and should be read by every dairyman:

The creamery patron's cow record started last year will close Sept. 15th. Another contest will start on the same day as the other closes and will continue one year. This will give an even chance for alll. The interest in the past contest has been encouraging and much good has come to the contestants in their attempt to get the best out of their cows. Different records on Sept. 15th that will show the winner of the $25 prize.

There are cows not entered in the contest that have come to my notice, that would have stood a good chance for winning. We want 75 cows entered for the second contest. Even if you should not capture first prize you will be benefited by it for we have a record of the best cows in the country, and if you do not feel inclined to send off for a good sire there is chance for you to get the best there is to be found at home. So just as soon as you read this, send your card to the secretary to have him record you as a contestant.

RULES FOR CONTEST.

It costs nothing to enter as contestants.

He only will be considered a contestant who notifies the secretary of the R. R. V. Dairymen's association.

Contest open to all creamery patrons of the 9th Congressional district.

Records to be based on weights taken morning and evening of every 10th day and each cows milk tested once a month by the buttermaker of the creamery of which he is a patron.

The buttermaker shall certify to the correctness of the test.

A complete record of each cow for the year must be in the hands of the secretary before Sept. 20th, 1908 and must give:—total number of pounds of milk, average test and total pounds of butterfat produced between Sept. 15, 1907 and Sept 15, 1908.

These records must be sworn to before an officer qualified to take an oath.

$25 cash will be given to the owner of the cow giving the most butter-fat in the time stated. The picture of the cow with the record and owner's name will be put on badges for the 1908 convention.

The convention for 1907 will be held at Crookston, Nov. 6th and 7th Program will be announced later. Remember the date and be prepared to attend.

Executive Committee,
Red River Valley Dairymen's Ass'n
JOEL G. WINKJER, Sec'y.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Washington.

A cablegram received at the navy department from the commander-in-chief of the Pacific fleet, dated at Yokohama, reports that on Aug. 14 Sivert M Wettaland, a seaman, was washed overboard from the battleship West Virginia and drowned. Wettaland enlisted at St. Paul in May, 1904.

The recent collapse of several reinforced concrete buildings, entailing a sacrifice of lives and a property loss of thousands of dollars, has caused the technical branch of the United States geological survey to sound a warning and to urge the immediate revision of the building regulations of the great cities of the country.

A significant legal action was begun in the supreme court for the District of Columbia by James W. Van Cleave, president of the National Association of Manufacturers to enjoin Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and other officers of the American Federation of Labor and several of its subsidiary organizations from using the boycott and so-called "unfair list."

Personal.

Rev. George A. Peltz, D. D., a prominent clergyman and one of the organizers of the Jamestown (N. Y.) Chautauqua, died at Philadelphia, aged seventy-four years.

George Foster Talbott, prominent as an abolitionist before the Civil war, died at Portland, Me., aged eighty-three years. He was a delegate to the Republican convention in 1860 that nominated Lincoln.

The Massachusetts state medical board has announced that Miss Kathryn T. Driscoll of Medford Hillside has passed the examinations. She is now the youngest woman physician in Massachusetts. Dr. Driscoll was twenty-one years old in May. She is a graduate of the Boston College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Rev. Charles Carroll Miller, who was a friend of President McKinley and the late Senator Alger, and who held a position in the interior department, died at Cadillac, Mich. He was seventy-seven years of age. During McKinley's first term he declined the post of minister to Brazil. Rev. Miller preached for forty years in Baptist churches in Michigan and Wisconsin.

Crimes.

Because she refused to lend money, Agnes Dogan, thirty-eight years old, was shot and killed by her brother John in Philadelphia.

J. D. Uzzell, the negro editor who is responsible for much of the recent race trouble in the eastern part of Virginia, was taken to Norfolk under a strong guard and locked in the jail.

Traffic Manager McMillan of the Huntington Electric lines of Los Angeles, was fined $300 or 300 days in jail for operating cars without a proper fender. The motorman and conductor of the car were fined $100 each.

James Ruckner, a negro, was hanged at Asheville, N. C., for an assault on his stepdaughter. It is said that this is the first time in the history of the state that a negro has been hanged for such a crime against one of his own race.

Frank P. Von Horn, for years a trusted employe of the Jackson, Mich., postoffice, now superintendent of carriers, has been arrested on a charge of pilfering the mails. Decoy letters containing marked bills were sent through the mails. Later an envelope which had contained the bills was found on Van Horn's desk.

Casualty.

Little Helen Green, five years of age, of Des Moines, tripped and fell into a tub of boiling water. She was terribly scalded, but will recover.

A gasoline tank in a motor boat in the Spacette river at Liverton, R. I., exploded, causing the death of two persons and seriously injuring five others.

An automobile containing a party of five persons from Bristol, Conn., collided with the New York-Pittsfield express at Ashley Falls crossing, near Great Barrington, Mass. Three of the motoring party were killed and the other two probably fatally injured.

Fire swept the amusement grounds at Steeple Chase island, Conn., causing $60,000 damage and creating something of a panic among the 20,000 visitors. No one was seriously injured. Six structures were burned, including the grandstand and bleachers on the baseball diamond, where 8,000 persons had gathered for the Chicago-Bridgeport game.

The village of Hubbell, ten miles from Hancock, Mich., was nearly wiped out by fire, which spread rapidly on account of a high wind. Twenty-two dwellings, four stores, the Bismarck hotel, the postoffice and the coal sheds, trestles and coal piles of the Calumet and Hecla Mining company were burned. The loss is over $100,000.

Lucila Marshall, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Marshall of Des Moines overturned a pot of hot coffee on herself. She was badly scalded, but the doctor thinks she will recover.

By the overturning of an elevator cage at the tipple of the Sonman Shaft Coal company, near Johnstown, Pa., five miners are dead and six injured. The men killed fell 400 feet to the bottom of the shaft.

John Worden of London, Eng., a grand opera baritone "roughing it" as a deck hand on the steamer John Harper, in port at Sandusky, Ohio, fell through a hatchway into the hold, struck on his head and was instantly killed.

From Other Shores.

A mill which was in course of construction collapsed at Lille, France. Ten men were killed.

John Goldie, a famous steeplejack, met death in London by a fall from the tow-ead chimney, said to be the highest in the world. The chimney is 448 feet high.

A dispatch from Shanghai says the situation, especially in Yank Tse valley, continues unsatisfactory. The revolutionary movement gains daily and secret organizations are growing.

Great forest fires are blazing on all sides of Toulon, France, and two forests are threatened. Troops are making desperate efforts to control the fire, but thus far with little result.

The directors of the Shantung Mining company received a cablegram from Tsingtau announcing that an explosion of dynamite had occurred underground in the Fangtse mine, resulting in two Germans and 103 Chinamen being killed.

It is reported in Rome that the papal secretary of state, Cardinal Merry del Val, whose health is failing, will be appointed vicar general of the pope, succeeding Cardinal Respighi, who will succeed the late Cardinal Svampa as archbishop of Bologna.

The German tariff agreement, it is now probable, will be taken into the courts for a judicial decision as to its validity because of a decision of the general appraisers at New York sustaining the advanced value on an importation of chocolate from Germany.

Domestic.

It is reported on Wall street that E. H. Harriman's loss in the present stock slump exceeds $32,000,000.

Robert A. Pinkerton, head of a detective agency, died on board the steamship Bremen on Aug. 12 at sea. He was on the way to Germany for his health.

The Chautauqua closed at Webster City, Iowa. A local association has been formed with a capitalization of $4,000, insuring the permanency of the movement.

Francis Rea MacMillen, the American violinist, whose genius has attracted attention both in this country and abroad, is reported in cable advices to be lost in the Alps.

S. H. Howard, a diemaker in the employ of the Waterloo Gasoline Engine works at Waterloo, Iowa, was found dead in bed, having died suddenly during the night from no apparent illness.

Oscar Watkins has just brought to Atlantic, Iowa, what he considers the largest cucumber ever raised in that part of the state. It is 11 1-2 inches long, 9 inches in circumference and weighs 31 ounces.

The left arm of Mrs. Osmond Tweed of Hanlontown, Iowa, who lost her life in a cyclone of a week or more ago, has been located in a grove at the Petersburg farm. It was identified by means of a ring upon a finger of the left hand.

Edward Cox of Williamstown, N. Y., months ago suffered a stroke of paralysis that left him speechless. The doctors thought a clot had formed on the brain and they said Mr. Cox would never recover the use of his speech. Yesterday Mr. Cox sat on a carpet tack. He swore and was cured.

Overseer Wilbur Glenn Voliva at last has turned his back upon Zion City, the scene of so many of his troubles. The leader of the Zionists, without announcing his destination, started for the new home of his faithful followers. This new home, the faithful admitted, is near Las Vegas, San Miguel county, N. Mex.

It is proposed to erect a million-bushel grain elevator at Lewistown, Mont. It is estimated that 25,000 acres are growing grain in the Judith basin this season, promising an average yield of forty bushels to the acre. This is about 50 per cent increase over the acreage last year, and it is anticipated another 50 per cent increase will be made next year.

Announcement is made by the Canton, Ohio, citizens' committee having in charge the final arrangements for the dedication of the McKinley monument that the ceremonies positively will be held Sept. 30 and that President Roosevelt will be there. A fund of $10,000 is being raised by Canton citizens to entertain the city's guests on that occasion.

A Friendly Hint.

"Look at the beautiful engagement ring George gave me."

"Why don't you do as Bella did?"

"What was that?"

"She made him have the stones reset when he gave it to her."

Name Didn't Matter.

"Johnny," said a friend of the family, "what is the matter with your sister, Emmelina?"

"Nothin' 'at I know of," returned the young hopeful.

"Why, I noticed her going around with a handkerchief held in front of her mouth all the time."

"Well," said the wise young man, spreading his legs, "sister is one o' these Cherristyun Sciunces, yer know. She says she is got 'errors' on the mouth, but I calls 'em fever blisters."

WOMAN SNATCHED FROM JAWS OF LION

VISITOR TO SUMMER RESORT TORN AND BRUISED BY BLOOD-CRAZED BEAST.

FALLS UNDER RAIN OF LEAD

LION RIDDLED WITH BULLETS WHILE TEARING AT WOMAN'S BODY.

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 29.—Torn, bruised and suffering from shock, Mrs. Anna A. Hucke, fifty-five years old, this city, lies at her home in a precarious condition as the result of an attack by a lion at Luna Park, a summer resort in this city, late yesterday. Mrs. Hucke was rescued almost from the jaws of death while she lay on the ground where the animal had thrown her, and while scores of rescuers were firing a fusillade of bullets into the blood-crazed beast who, meanwhile, was biting and clawing at the woman's body.

Springs on Woman.

Without warning the lion appeared from behind one of the buildings, and with a roar sprang for Mrs. Hucke, who was nearest to him. The woman screamed and attracted the attention of the crowd.

W. A. Downing, chief of the park police, who came to the rescue, found the lion tearing away at the woman's clothing, and having drawn his revolver, immediately emptied all the chambers into the beast. Repeatedly Downing reloaded his gun and fired with but little effect. Other rescuers secured Flobert rifles from the shooting galleries and Remington's from the concessionaries and soon a score were pumping lead at the lion.

Riddled With Bullets.

Still standing over the prostrate woman, flashing his teeth and lashing his tail, the lion stood with the ground about him literally plowed up by the hundreds of shots that were fired at him.

Soon with the noise of the firearms and shouts of the woman's rescuers, the lion turned and walked a few feet away and, sinking down upon the ground, he turned over on his back, and with a few kicks and gasps he died. His skin was completely riddled with the small caliber bullets that had been fired at him and took effect.

POSTAL CARD DEALER IN JAIL.

Postoffice Authorities After Purveyors of Obscene Cards.

Philadelphia, Aug. 29.—Charged by United States postal inspectors with the wholesale selling of obscene postal cards, Gustava P. Lang of this city, who traded under the name of The P. C. Novelty company, was arrested to-day and held in bail for trial.

The arrest of Lang is regarded as the most important capture yet made in the crusade against the objectionable cards. The case was brought to the attention of the authorities by a resident of Rome, N. Y., who received a sample series of postals. It is said the nature of the cards led him to complain, and the arrest of Lang followed.

After he had been taken into custody Lang's place of business was searched. The officials claim that in addition to hundreds of the obscene cards, abundant evidence in the way of orders shipped to individuals and firms throughout the country was discovered. The postal authorities say Lang is a wholesaler and has agents in many cities. It is expected several other arrests will be made within a few days.

CANADIAN FAIR STARTS.

Earl Grey Officiates at Opening of Exhibition at Toronto.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 29.—Earl Grey, assisted by a number of other notables, officiated at the formal opening of the annual Canadian national exhibition. The exhibition, which will continue till Sept. 9, far eclipses the exhibitions of previous years. Nearly half a million dollars' worth of new buildings were erected during the past year.

SETTLEMENT NOT IN SIGHT.

Prospects of Amicable Settlement of Wire Strike Still Small.

New York, Aug. 29.—Prospects of a mutually satisfactory settlement of the telegraphers' strike appear to be no more promising than they were a week ago. "We are going to keep up the struggle until the business interests of the country force congress to act," said President Small of the telegraphers' union.

Prince in Auto Wreck.

Hanover, Prussia, Aug. 29.—Crown Prince Wilhelm, while riding in an automobile near Brunswick collided with an empty wagon, slightly damaging the prince's car. Nobody, however, was injured.

Man Killed in Wreck.

Charleston, Ill., Aug. 29.—One man was killed and seven passengers dangerously injured in the wreck of a passenger train at Bowman. Two cars jumped a switch and crashed into a box car.

STATE MUST STAND ASIDE

FEDERAL JUDGE UPHOLDS NORTH CAROLINA RAILWAY INJUNCTION.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 29.—Judge Pritchard in the United States circuit court, in a long-expected opinion, announced yesterday in the rate case of the Southern railway against the corporation commission and the attorney general of North Carolina, upholding the jurisdiction of his court in the issuance of the recent injunctions against officials during the railroad rate controversy; and declares that the suit is not one against the state within the meaning of the eleventh amendment to the federal constitution.

That amendment holds the judicial power of the United States shall not extend to any suit against a state by citizens of another state.

Can't Take Away Rights.

The decision says that a state legislature cannot so frame an act as to deprive a citizen of a right vouchsafed him by the federal constitution. It does not possess the power "to deprive this court of its jurisdiction, and the sooner those questions are definitely determined the better it will be for all parties concerned."

The decision holds that the corporation commission is still charged with making rates, the only limitation up on their power being "that they shall not make a maximum rate in North Carolina in excess of 2 1-4 cents per mile. The corporation commission and the attorney general are specially charged with the duty of securing the enforcement of section 4 of the passenger rate act, which provides heavy penalties and fines for a failure of railroads and their officials to comply with that act."

Law Silent on Passenger Fare.

The opinion shows that the laws of North Carolina especially provide upon what terms an injunction shall be granted to suspend rates, pending litigation, or involving the confiscatory nature of such rates; that the statutes of North Carolina expressly authorize the course pursued by the courts when freight rates are involved, but do not even require a bond for such injunction when passenger fares are in litigation.

MAILS BOMB TO CORTELYOU.

Package Addressed to Secretary Explodes in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Pa., Aug. 29.—The explosion of what appeared to have been a large percussion cap in a package addressed to Secretary of the Treasury Cortelyou created excitement in the Nicetown substation of the Philadelphia postoffice yesterday. The package, which was collected from a box in the northern section of the city, was received by Clerk Roberts, who says it was about four inches long by two inches wide and three-quarters of an inch thick. When Roberts brought his street cancellation die down upon the stamp the package exploded and was torn to pieces. Roberts was unhurt. The pieces of paper were put together and the package was found to have been addressed to Secretary Cortelyou, Washington, D. C., the address having been cut from a newspaper and pasted on the package.

Chief Postal Inspector James B. Cortelyou, a brother of the secretary, is trying to solve the mystery surrounding the explosion, though most of the authorities think the package was mailed as a joke. There was not sufficient explosive matter in it to injure any one. What was in the package aside from the explosive cap the officials will not say.

SOLDIERS GUARD TELEGRAPH.

Strikers Accused of Interfering With Uncle Sam's Business.

Camp Perry, Ohio, Aug. 29.—Striking telegraphers are charged with having interfered with business of the government, and as a result soldiers are patrolling the telegraph lines between Camp Perry and La Carne, a distance of three miles. Any one caught interfering with the line or with the wires at La Carne will be brought to Camp Perry and later turned over to the civil authorities. This action was made necessary because strikers and their sympathizers destroyed communication between Camp Perry and the outside world about 8:30 o'clock Sunday evening, when an operator broke in on the Camp Perry operators and called them "scabs." From that hour there was constant breaking and interruptions until the camp operators were forced to close up at midnight with thousands of words unsent, much of which was government matter from army and national guard officers to their superiors. Yesterday afternoon a detachment of signal corps men sent over the line between Camp Perry and La Carne found that a loop of heavy wire had been tied about the four wires midway on the line with one end grounded, completely destroying the service.

U. S. and Mexico to Act.

City of Mexico, Aug. 29.—It is announced here that peace in Central America is now assured through the intervention of the United States and Mexico. Formal statements giving details probably will be issued within a few days.

Falls 2,000 Feet; Is Unhurt.

Greenville, Ohio, Aug. 29.—Knabenshue's airship, while 2,000 feet above the fair grounds here burst last night and dropped like a rocket. The aeronaut escaped unhurt.

FISH AND HARAHAN IN FIERCE FIGHT

PRESIDENT AND FORMER PRESIDENT OF ILLINOIS CENTRAL IN SCRAP.

EX-PRESIDENT CALLED LIAR

FISH'S DEMAND FOR INVESTIGATION OF ADMINISTRATION STARTS TROUBLE.

New York, Aug. 31. — It became known yesterday that a hand-to-hand fight between Stuyvesant Fish and J. T. Harahan broke up the meeting of the Illinois Central directors Wednesday.

There were hot words between the deposed president of the road and his successor, and when Mr. Harahan shouted out the word "liar" Mr. Fish leaped upon his opponent and clutched him. A struggle followed. Some reports of the affair are that blows were struck and that Mr. Harahan was knocked to the floor by a terrific smash from Mr. Fish's fist.

Whether or not fists were used, it is certain that the two men struggled about the board room until their horrified colleagues stopped the squabble.

Fish Proposes Inquiry.

The trouble between Mr. Fish and his successor at the head of the big railroad system arose when Mr. Fish attempted to get before the board a resolution which in effect demanded a complete investigation of the administration of the company since the elevation of Mr. Harahan to the presidency.

The reading of the resolution was interrupted by motions calling for an immediate adjournment of the meeting and despite the protests of Mr. Fish that he had a right to be heard to the end the motion was declared carried. President Harahan arose with the other directors and prepared to leave the room. Mr. Fish protested that the action was illegal.

Fish is Called a Liar.

"The meeting stands adjourned," retorted President Harahan across the table.

"But it is not adjourned," Fish replied hotly. "You are tools of Harriman and puppets and—"

"You're a liar," said Harahan, springing to his feet.

An instant later the big ex-president had reached across the table, grasped his successor by the arm and shoved him back into his chair. Then the other members of the board rushed in, separating the two men and rushed them out and away for separate routes.

One of the directors who attended the meeting said that no actual blows had been struck, no blood had been spilled and no furniture broken.

CRACKSMEN BREAK JAIL.

Two Convicts Escape in Illinois by Sawing Window Bars.

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 31. — Edward Quinn and Harry Harmon, two convicts at the state penitentiary, made a sensational escape from the prison last night and are still at large.

Quinn, one of the most expert safeblowers in the country, was serving a twenty-year sentence from Knox county for burglary. He had eight years to serve.

Harmon was received from Chicago July 12, 1902, for burglary, under an indeterminate sentence.

The men were nurses in the hospital and sawed through the bars of the hospital window, dropping into the prison yard, and with an iron hoop and rope made from sheets scaled the walls.

SPIES WATCH BROKERS.

Federal Officer Continues War in Washington.

Washington, Aug. 31.—Following the recent raid of five brokerage offices and the arrest of their proprietors on the charge of violating the anti-gambling laws, Assistant United States District Attorney Given yesterday placed a policeman in each of a number of other brokerage offices under suspicion. The policemen watched the transactions in the offices and noted the names of visitors.

GERMANY FINDS TREASON.

Sergeant of Army Is Arrested for Revealing Military Secrets.

Coblentz, Germany, Aug. 31.—A sergeant of the Twenty-third regiment of artillery has been arrested here on the charge of treason. He was detected through the discovery on the person of a traveler at Herbesthal, on the Belgium frontier, of copies of secret instructions regarding artillery firing as practiced in the German army, and which are only confided to certain officers under strong safeguards.

Fell Dead in His Wagon.

Sleepy Eye, Minn., Aug. 31.—Chris Augustine, a farmer, fell dead from heart disease while riding in a wagon on his way home last night. He was supposed to be in excellent health. He was fifty-eight years old and leaves a large family.

Two Fall to Death.

York, Pa., Aug. 31.—Two men were killed and two injured, probably fatally, by the falling of a scaffold at the York county jail, which is being rebuilt.

TO ASK $500,000 FOR WOUNDS

STRIKERS WILL SUE THE STEEL TRUST FOR BALM FOR BULLETS AND CELLS.

Hibbing, Minn., Aug. 31.—Suits for damages aggregating half a million dollars will be instituted against the steel trust and St. Louis county by striking miners who have been shot or imprisoned by special deputy sheriffs.

Armed guards still patrol all trust property, and despite reports to the contrary, the strikers say they are making gains. Two men were shot this week by deputy sheriffs. They are:

Dump boss, name not known; shot through both legs.

Joseph Adamic, Austrian miner, shot through the cheek.

Within a week twenty strikers have been arrested, charged with rioting, but the charges could not be sustained in the local municipal court.

About 1,000 men have been brought here by the steel trust to operate the mines. To balance this, the Western Federation has sent 850 union miners to other fields. The open pit mines are operating with greatly reduced forces, as are the stripping contractors. The underground mines, save those of the independent companies are virtually idle.

Ten thousand strikers are still being cared for through the union's relief fund.

BROUGHT TO ST. PAUL.

Michael Brennan and Father In County Jail.

St. Paul, Aug. 31.—Michael Brennan, who, it is alleged, killed Anthony Brennan Tuesday morning at his farm near Lakeville during a row over land boundaries, was brought to the Ramsey county jail yesterday morning. His father, Michael Brennan, Sr., was also lodged in the jail, charged with being an accessory. Father and son have been held to the grand jury of Dakota county by Justice R. McClintock of Lakeville. They waived a preliminary examination on Wednesday.

Sentiment is said to be divided at Lakeville and Farmington, where the Brennans are well known.

DOSE TOO BIG TO KILL.

Woman Who Would End Life Takes Ten "Sleeping Powders."

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 31.—If Ellen Thompson, aged sixty-two years, had not been so anxious to die her efforts at self-destruction might have been successful when she swallowed a number of "sleeping powders," but as it was she took too many and physicians were able to restore her. The woman swallowed ten of the powders, then informed members of the household what she had done. An examination by a sanitary commission resulted in her commitment to the state hospital for the insane.

AGED WOMAN IS BEATEN.

Daughter Is Arrested, Charged With Hitting Her With Spade.

Minot, N. D., Aug. 31.—According to reports from Williston, Mrs. J. W. Raber, living twenty-seven miles north of that city, has been arrested on a charge of beating her mother. The woman has been released on bail of $250. It is claimed that Mrs. Raber started to beat little Pearl West, a seven-year-old granddaughter of the aged woman, Mrs. Raber's mother interfered, when, it is claimed that the woman attacked her mother, striking her with a spade several times. The aged woman was very badly injured.

JOHNSON WEDS JOHNSON.

Other Johnsons Are Guests at Ceremony and Band Gives Serenade.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Aug. 31.—Nels S. Johnson was married on Tuesday to Miss Rose Johnson of Henning. The wedding took place at the home of the bridegroom's brother, J. B. Johnson, and the ceremony was performed by Justice O. M. Johnson. The wedding was attended by a large number of relatives of the same name, and the couple were given a serenade by the Henning band after the ceremony.

OPPOSE WATER BOND.

Few Vote at Special Election and the Proposition Is Defeated.

Bemidji, Minn., Aug. 31.—The special city election held yesterday for the purpose of voting on the proposition to bond the city in the sum of $30,000 for the purchase of a new site for a waterworks plant and the installing of additional mains, resulted in the defeat of the proposition by a vote of 106 to 74.

$1,250,000 TIMBER DEAL.

Canadian Holdings of Dominion Lumber Company Are Sold.

Menomonie, Wis., Aug. 31. — The Thompson of this city, president of the Dominion Lumber company, closed a deal yesterday with J. J. McFadden of the Canadian Soo and William A Malloy of Ottawa, whereby the Dominion Lumber company sells its Canadian timber holdings for $1,250,000.

Mill Burned; Firebug Blamed.

Lyle, Minn., Aug. 31.—The tow mill at Meltonville, Iowa, belonging to John Shields of this city, was burned to the ground. The origin of the blaze is unknown, but it is believed to have been the work of an incendiary.

Whole Crop Is Burned.

Almana, Wis., Aug. 31. — Children playing with matches set fire to Mike Boroski's grain stacks just after he had hauled in the last load and finish- [illegible] ing out. His entire crop was burned.

News of the Northwest

DIVIDING LINE DISPUTE FATAL

DAKOTA COUNTY FARMER SHOT DEAD WHILE AT WORK IN HIS FIELD.

NEIGHBORS ARE UNDER ARREST

Lakeville, Minn., Aug. 29.—Following a dispute with neighbors over the dividing line between their respective farms, Anthony Brennan was shot yesterday morning and died a few hours later. Michael Brennan and his father, M. F. Brennan, were arrested and lodged in the Dakota county jail on a charge of murder.

The Brennan families, who are not related to each other, live three miles from Lakeville. There has been a dispute between the Brennans of long standing over the dividing line between their farms.

Indulged in Heated Words.

Yesterday morning when Anthony Brennan was plowing M. F. Brennan, father of the man who, it is alleged, did the shooting, passed along and asked Anthony why he persisted in cultivating another man's land. Anthony responded that he was plowing his own land. Heated words followed, but Anthony resumed his work.

When Anthony returned on his next round the elder Brennan had been joined by his son, and the dispute was renewed. The argument grew more heated, and at the height of the discussion, Anthony turned to remove the men from his plow, just as he turned to again face his neighbors the younger Brennan, it is alleged, pulled a revolver and fired three times.

Three Shots Take Effect.

One of the shots took effect in Brennan's stomach, another in his leg and the third in his neck. After the shooting Michael Brennan and his father went to Lakeville.

Anthony Brennan's sons heard the shooting and hastened to the scene, where they found their father still alive but unconscious. He was removed to his home where he died a few hours later.

Before he died he rallied sufficiently to make an ante-mortem statement, in which he accused Michael Brennan of doing the shooting.

News of the tragedy spread rapidly and it was not long before the officers had the Brennans under arrest. Both men deny all knowledge of the shooting.

EXPLOSION KILLS GIRL.

Clothing Catches Fire and She Runs, Fanning the Flames.

Euderlin, N. D., Aug. 29.—Louise Merchant, a domestic in the employ of Dr. Kennedy, was fatally burned while attempting to heat water on an alcohol stove. The stove exploded and the burning fluid was thrown over the clothing of the girl, setting it on fire. She rushed into the street and ran for several blocks, the wind fanning the flames until she was a veritable living torch. Finally she fell exhausted and those who were hastening to her aid managed to extinguish the flames. She was taken to the hospital, but died soon after reaching there.

MRS. DONNELLY WEDS.

Wife of the Late Sage of Nininger Marries Preacher.

Minneapolis, Aug. 29.—Mrs. Hárlan Hanson Donnelly, widow of the late Ignatius Donnelly, became the bride of Rev. Henry L. Woltman of Minneapolis on Aug. 7, and although no special effort was made to keep the fact a secret, it was known to but a small circle of immediate friends until yesterday. The well-known sage and philosopher, Ignatius Donnelly, was married to his stenographer, Miss Marian Hanson, on Feb. 22, 1898, four years after the death of his first wife.

PICK PAPER TRUST HEAD.

M. H. Ballou Slated to Be President of Merged Concerns.

Appleton, Wis., Aug. 29.—That the next move in the paper mill merger of the mills in the Northwest is the election of officers and a board of directors, is the latest information available concerning the merger, and it is said at least one Minnesota paper mill man has been picked for the board of directors. M. H. Ballou, president of the Menasha Paper company of Menasha, Wis., is said to have been assured of the presidency of the merger. It is declared the general offices will be located at Neenah.

FREES GUILTY STUDENTS.

Gov. Crawford Pardons Two Who Burned Building.

Pierre, S. D., Aug. 29.—On recommendation of the board of pardons, Gov. Crawford has pardoned Elmer S. Jordan and Richard Bruschweiler, the university students who were sentenced on a plea of guilty for burning one of the old buildings at the university because they did not think it harmonized with the newer buildings at the University.

DEVOURING BIG COURT HOUSE.

White Ants Eat $2,000 Worth of Meals at County's Expense.

Ottumwa, Iowa, Aug. 29.—The Wapello county court house, a $160,000 stone structure, is infested by white ants, which are rapidly destroying the flooring and much of the costly casings. The ants, which have long been a terror to residents of Australia and South America, work mysteriously. They have already eaten the inside of a large quantity of casing, leaving nothing but a thin shell. The queen ant has been discovered, and along with her there were over 200 eggs. The damage already done by the ants will reach $2,000.

HURLED TO DEATH UNDER CAR.

One Killed and Two Hurt in Collision at Superior.

Superior, Wis., Aug. 29.—Richard Flynn, eight-year-old son of Peter A. Flynn, was killed and his father and mother were seriously injured in a collision between a buggy in which they were riding and a street car. The buggy was smashed into bits and the boy hurled by the force of the impact under the wheels of the car. Mrs. Flynn was badly bruised and her husband is suffering with a fractured leg.

BURIED GOLD LURES ROBBERS.

Superior Man Loses Lifetime Savings and Two Are Arrested.

Superior, Wis., Aug. 29.—Sam Tepson and his wife Lizzie are held here on a charge of robbing the "bank" of Henry Johnson. Johnson buried his money—$1,500 in gold—under a plank in his woodshed on Aug. 15, and when he looked for it a week later there was nothing but the hole in the ground. He says that Mrs. Tepson watched him dig the hole.

FINDS UNIDENTIFIED BODY.

Workman Uncovers Corpse of Man Upon Which is $50.

Livingston, Mont., Aug. 29.—A laborer working in the brush near the Yellowstone river at Hunters's Hot Springs yesterday uncovered a human leg. Further investigation disclosed the entire body of a man, but in such a state of decomposition that the features were unrecognizable. Upon the body was found $50 in money but nothing which would lead to its identity.

FALLS INTO POOL OF ACID.

Man Will Probably Lose the Sight of Both Eyes.

Washburn, Wis., Aug. 29.—R. A. A. Hering met with a serious accident while at work in the plant of the Eastern Dynamite company near here by slipping and falling into a pool of nitric acid. Besides being badly burned about the face and body Mr. Hering will probably lose the sight of both eyes.

TRAIN AND TROLLEY CRASH.

One Hurt and Sixty-five in Panic at La Crosse.

La Crosse, Wis., Aug. 29.—One man was dangerously injured and sixty-five persons badly shaken up in an accident at a railway crossing in North La Crosse. A street car was hit by a train of cars on the crossing. A panic ensued among the passengers and for a time it was feared that many had been killed.

DROWNED IN SAME SPOT.

Brothers' Deaths Are Twenty Years Apart to a Day.

Brownsville, Minn., Aug. 29.—Disregarding his mother's warning not to go into the water, John Driscoll, aged twenty-eight years, was drowned while bathing yesterday, within sight of a dozen companions. Driscoll's brother was drowned in the identical spot just twenty years ago to a day.

Kick Crushes Skull.

Knoxville, Iowa, Aug. 29.—While playing in a haymow Lorene Clark, twelve years old, stepped upon a loose plank and fell to the stable below, landing directly behind a horse. The horse became frightened and lashed out with its hoofs, striking the little girl on the top of the head. The child's skull was broken and it is thought she cannot recover.

Big Oil Tank Blows Up.

Waterloo, Iowa, Aug. 29.—Fire exploded a 6,000 gallon tank of kerosene, badly burning Frank Smith, manager for the Standard Oil company. The loss is $2,000.

Cuts Off Son's Legs.

Le Roy, Iowa, Aug. 29.—Charles Cowles while mowing cut both legs off his four-year-old son.

Farmer is Scalded.

Le Sueur, Minn., Aug. 29.—Martin Dunn, a young man farmer living near here, was caught between the engine and separator while moving a threshing rig and was terribly scalded by the steam escaping from a broken pipe. He is in a critical condition.

Horse's Kick Kills Girl.

Le Mars, Iowa, Aug. 29.—Frances, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stoeffel, was kicked in the stomach by a horse last Saturday and died of the injury yesterday.

State News of Interest

JACKSON COUNTY HAS NEW COURT HOUSE

JACKSON COUNTY COURT HOUSE.
New Building at Jackson, Minn., that is one of the handsomest structures of its kind in the Northwest.

WANT TO SPLIT UP THE DEBTS.

Appraisal of Property of Itasca and Koochiching Counties.

A hearing has been ordered for Sept. 6 by Gov. Johnson on the application of the county commissioners of Koochiching county for the appointment of three commissioners to appraise the property of Itasca and Koochiching counties for the purpose of arriving at the division of the debts between the two counties.

The petition for the appointment of the commissioners was presented to the governor by C. W. Stanton, county attorney of Koochiching county, and R. S. McDonald, one of the commissioners of that county. It recites the creation of Koochiching county out of a part of Itasca county on Dec. 12, 1906. At that time, the petition states, the total indebtedness of the original county of Itasca was $183,938.80, and the total amount of funds in the treasury of Itasca county at that time was $60,188.20. It states that certain buildings and real estate owned by the original county still remain in the ownership of Itasca county, including a court house, jail and sheriff's residence and certain buildings on a tract of land used as the county poor farm.

The commissioners of the two counties, the petition states, met at Grand Rapids on Aug. 21 and endeavored to agree upon the value of the buildings and realty, but were unable to agree on the valuation. They represent that the assessed valuation of the original county for the year 1906 was $14,246,473, of which $11,046,973 was in the territory which still comprises Itasca county, and $3,198.500 was in the territory which now comprises Koochiching county.

The statute under which the appraisement will be made is section 393 of the code, which provides that in the separation of a part of one county and the formation of a new county all territory so transferred shall continue liable for its proportion of the excess, if any, of the indebtedness of the original county above the value of its county buildings and of the balance of funds in its treasury. Such share shall be based upon the last assessment, and the value of the buildings, unless agreed upon by the respective county boards, shall be fixed by the sworn appraisal of three disinterested citizens, none of whom shall be a resident or taxpayer in either county, and who shall be appointed by the governor upon the written application of the board of either county. The appraisal shall be in writing, subscribed and verified by at least two of the appraisers, and filed with the secretary of state, who shall within five days transmit to the auditors of the two counties a verified copy of the appraisal.

At the hearing on Sept. 6, unless the officials of the two counties can agree upon the basis of division, the governor will appoint the appraisers.

Stays Till Oct. 1.

St. Paul, Special.—R. A. Stone, assistant attorney general, has postponed his resignation from Sept. 1 to Oct. 1, and so will serve in the hearings on the rate cases next week as a regular employe of the state. His successor in the department has not been announced.

Fatal Bolt Strips Man.

Crookston, Minn., Special. — L. J. Hope was struck by lightning when about twenty miles east of Crookston and instantly killed. A peculiar freak of the lightning was that it tore all the clothing from Hope and some of it was thrown over one hundred feet.

Aged Man Is Suicide.

Crookston, Minn., Special. — Lars Swenson, aged sixty-four, shot and killed himself at East Grand Forks. It is believed that he was despondent because of family troubles.

FIXES LIMIT ON TEACHERS' PAY.

State High School Board Adopts Minimum.

In some respects the most important action taken by the state high school board, at its meeting at the capitol in St. Paul, was the adoption of a rule fixing the minimum salaries for principals of graded schools receiving state aid $75 and for teachers in such schools $40 a month. The board adopted a new set of rules for state graded schools receiving state aid among which this was one.

A rule was also adopted providing that the school buildings must be equipped with a system of ventilation which will meet the approval of the state board of health, while others related to the equipment of the schools. Under the new rules no teacher who has not been graduated from a course affording special training in primary work shall be qualified to teach in a primary room in any graded school; teachers in grades from the second to the sixth, inclusive, shall hold at least second grade state certificates, and teachers of the seventh and eighth grades shall hold at least first grade state certificates. The principal of a graded school is required to hold a professional state certificate or a diploma from the advanced course of a Minnesota state normal school or of a reputable college or university or a diploma of an equal rank from a state normal school outside of Minnesota which diploma must be first endorsed by the superintendent of public instruction before it is valid. A limited certificate is not valid in any graded school.

Schools failing to comply with the requirements of the new rules or neglecting to maintain a satisfactory standard of efficiency may be dropped from the list of schools receiving state aid.

MANY SMALLPOX CASES.

There Are 360 Reported During Nine Weeks.

The reports of new cases of smallpox received at the office of the state board of health during the nine weeks ending Aug. 19 shows a total of 360 cases. The largest number was in the week ending June 24, when 149 cases were reported, of which 36 were in Hennepin county, 17 in Scott, 16 in Grant, 12 in St. Louis and 8 in Ramsey. In the following week the total number dropped to 64, of which 25 were in Renville, 13 in Stearns, 8 in Chippewa and 7 in Ramsey.

During the week ending July 8 there were 49 cases, of which 12 were in Stearns; Hennepin and Grant counties reported 11 and Ramsey 3. The following week out of a total of 12 cases 5 were in Stearns, 4 in Ramsey, while Hennepin, Carver and Renville each reported 1 case, but no report was received from Minneapolis. During the week ending July 22 Hennepin county reported 12, Big Stone and Stearns 6 each, and Ramsey 3 out of a total of 36. During the following week Ramsey headed the list in the number of cases with 13, Stearns reported 6 and no report was received from Minneapolis.

For the next three weeks the totals were, respectively, 12, 9 and 9, of which Ramsey had but 3 in the week ending Aug. 5.

MASONS HOLD JUBILEE.

Fiftieth Anniversary Is Observed by Lodge at Rochester, Minn.

Aug. 23 will go down in the history of the Rochester Masonic lodge as the greatest day in its first half century of organization, for on that day the fiftieth anniversary was celebrated. Masons from all parts of the state were in the city, and the number included those in highest authority. More than 300 sat down to the banquet in the evening.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

The farm house of Albert Johade, west of Jackson, was destroyed by fire, with all its contents. The structure was insured for $460.

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Work has been started by the Barnett & Record company on the construction of a new steel ore dock for the Iron Range road.

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The Stephen creamery is now turning out an average of 1,800 pounds of butter a week, which is being marketed in New York at a premium of 2 cents.

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Smallpox again has appeared at Waseca. Robert Thorson, son of Andrew Thorson, has contracted the disease and the family are quarantined in their home.

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John Elmquist, a resident of the town of Chisago, at an examination before Judge Stark, was adjudged insane and committed to the hospital for the insane at Rochester.

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Edwin Preheit, aged eight years, son of Otto Preiheit, residing about four miles east of Spring Valley, fell from the hay loft onto the hay loader, breaking his neck and causing instant death.

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An anti-bucket shop ordinance was introduced at the city council meeting at Fergus Falls and given its first reading. It is very drastic and aims to wipe out everything in the line of option trading.

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The report that the hail storms which visited portions of Western Minnesota had extended to Red Lake county and caused great damage is untrue. A light fall of rain was very beneficial. Crops are good.

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George Hiler, an ice dealer, was fined 26 and costs in Judge Sullivan's court at East Grand Forks for selling impure ice, which had caused much sickness. He paid the fine rather than go to jail for thirty days.

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The new $15,000 Congregational church at Glenwood was used for the first time on Sunday. It will be formally dedicated on Sept. 10, when several former pastors and ministers from neighboring towns will take part in the service.

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While playing on the bridge over the Lester river at Duluth little Raymond Brown fell over the railing to the rocks below and fractured his skull. He is in a critical condition. The boy, who is only eight years old, attended the Bethel Sunday school picnic at the park.

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An inspector of the state dairy and food department was at Fergus Falls last week and found a can of spoiled cream that had been shipped to the local creamery. He at once went in search for the man who had sent it in, and a fine of $15 and costs was the result.

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As a result of the demands of the milling interests at New Ulm the state grain department expects to open an inspection office at that place on Sept. 1, transferring J. H. Edwards from Duluth to take charge of the work. Similar action with relation to Kasota is being considered by the department.

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After beating and kicking his wife until she was black and blue and almost insensible, Carl Johnson of St. Paul drank a quantity of carbolic acid and died shortly afterward at the city hospital. Coroner A. W. Miller investigated the case and decided that Johnson had deliberately taken his own life.

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George Vining, for several years an employe of Foley's livery at Lake City, was found dead in one of the stalls. His home had always been in and about Lake City, and he was known as "the "only and original Uncle Sam," being a dead "ringer" for the caricatures of the country's uncle.

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On receipt of the letter from Attorney General Young ordering him to close the saloons on Sunday, Mayor Silverman of New Ulm issued orders that all saloons should be closed next Sunday. Not to be outdone by the attorney general, the mayor states his reason why he had not enforced the law up to this time, but gracefully bows to the inevitable.

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There is a great scarcity of men in Albert Lea and vicinity, and the brick and tile works, railroads, farmers and contractors are sending in complaints of the injury to their business owing to the scarcity, while the two corset factories and the laundry at Albert Lea are running on short shift because of the scarcity of help. There is no prospect of any immediate relief.

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The Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg has reached Ranier. Hundreds of people from International Falls went to Ranier on a special train that was the first to run into that place after the rails were laid. The ballasting trains have reached Ericsburg and two weeks more will see the road in shape to run passenger trains the entire length of its road.

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Walter Sturgul, the five-year-old son of William Sturgis of International Falls, is dead from spinal meningitis, superinduced by a fall.

BANNER YEAR FOR CANNING.

Minnesota Will Show Big Increase in This Industry This Year.

The indications are that the product of the canning factories of Minnesota will show a considerable increase this year over last, and probably exceed the output of any previous year. In the number of cans of all kinds of vegetables and fruit packed in this state the output was less last year than in 1905, but this was due to the great decrease in the amount of corn canned. The pack of all other vegetables, however, showed a considerable increase over the record for 1905.

The decrease in the number of cans of corn was due largely to the fact that for several years the number of factories canning corn has grown with surprising rapidity in all of the states in which any considerable quantity of corn is raised, resulting in glutting the market. With a surplus stock and falling prices some of the factories found the business unprofitable and did not do any canning last year, while others turned their attention to canning other products, with the result that while in Minnesota there was a very considerable falling off in the production of canned corn, there was a large increase in the other lines.

This somewhat automatic adjustment of the canning industry had the effect of strengthening the market all around, and from reports being received by the inspectors of the state dairy and food department it seems likely that there will be a large increase in the output of all the canneries of the state this year. The products of the canneries are generally contracted for by the jobbers before the packing, and most of the canneries in the state now report that their output this year is practically disposed of already.

The biennial report of Edward K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner, amounted to 7,287,000 cans, while in 1906 it dropped to 6,446,000 cans, a decrease of 1,842,000 cans. In 1905 the total output of all of the canneries was 7,524,000 cans, of which all but 237,000 cans were of corn. The 237,000 were divided among the other lines as follows: Tomatoes, 21,000; sauerkraut, 11,000; pumpkins, 60,000; baked beans, 110,000, and berries, 35,000 cans.

The change which has taken place in the canning industry of the state is shown by the fact that whereas the total output of all products, except corn, in 1905, was 237,000 cans, in 1906 it was 947,100 cans, or practically four times as many. This, however, was not enough to make up for the decrease in the total output, owing to the falling off of the output in canned corn. The growing diversity in the products of the canneries is also shown by the fact that in 1905 there were only five articles packed, besides corn, while in 1906 this number had increased to ten. The 1906 statistics show the following pack of articles not mentioned in the 1905 figures: Peas, 331,100; string beans, 182,400; beets, 3,000; rhubarb, 15,000, and spinach, 2,400 cans.

In addition to this output of vegetables, to which the canners had not turned their attention prior to 1906, an increase in the output of all other products, except pumpkins and berries, is shown. In 1906 21,000 cans of tomatoes were packed, as against 112,000 cans last year; the production of sauerkraut grew from 11,000 cans in 1906 to 30,000 cans in 1906, and the output of baked beans more than doubled, the output in 1906 being 110,000, whereas in 1906 it was 261,900 cans. Decreases are shown in the output of pumpkins and berries, the output of the former being 60,000 cans in 1906, as compared with 10,000 in 1906, and of the latter 88,000 cans in 1905 and 10,000 cans last year.

OPEN NEW SANATORIUM.

State Institution for Consumptives Will Accommodate 60 or More By Oct. 1.

The state sanatorium at Walker will probably open about Oct. 1 with a capacity of sixty to seventy patients. The progress of the work was viewed recently by members of the state board of control. A water plant is being installed, and two large sleeping shacks pushed to completion.

With this small capacity the institution can hardly be self-supporting yet, as intended, and the revolving fund of $60,000 will probably be broken into somewhat.

Rules for admission of patients will be framed after consultation with the physicians on the advisory board. It is intended to admit only patients in the early stages of tuberculosis, and not to accept incurables.

S. W. Leavitt, chairman of the board of control, says they inspected two sites offered near Brainerd for the girls' industrial school. One is beautifully located, but the other is more practical for the state's purposes.

Drivers on Strike.

New York, Aug. 24. — Drivers and stablemen employed at the wholesale beef packing houses went on a strike last night. They demand a uniform working week of sixty-five hours and an increase in wages.

Quake in West Indies.

St. Thomas, D. W. I., Aug. 24. — A sharp earthquake was felt this morning on the islands of Guadeloupe and Dominica. Several strong shocks have been reported from the island of St. Lucia this week.

Hello Girls Strike.

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 24. — The employes of the telephone office at Fort William have struck because an American girl, Miss Ora Hudson of Decatur, Ill., has been appointed as chief operator.

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IF CAPITAL SHOULD STRIKE

The Wall Street Journal, ablest of all the organs of finance, has been neither wise nor clever in its covert threat to the country that the capital may go on a strike if the "persecutions" of eminent capitalists do not cease. For it is a silly and short-sighted Wall Street Journal that does not know that for capital to strike would sound the knell of private capital in some of the most important fields; that does not know that even the threat of a "capitalistic strike" is foolhardy to a degree. It is like the heartless and cynical taunt to the French proletariats that they might "eat grass" for a change: a taunt that speeded the revolution that wiped out feudalism and the exemptions and privileges it conferred, says the Omaha World-Herald.

Suppose that the Wall Street Journal's dream should be realized: that the day should come when "capital had gone on a strike", when in the Journal's words, "every wheel in the country will cease to turn; manufacturing establishments to be closed; railroad trains to be brought to a standstill: banking houses to close their doors, and stock exchange take an indefinate recess." Suppose capital should do all this "to teach the country a lesson" Suppose 15,000,000 people to be thrown out of employment, again quoting the Journal, while "the many of the rich men gathered their available funds and prepared to leave the country."

What then?

Could the rich men take their mines and their railroads and their mills and their lands with them? Or would they have to leave them behind?

Leaving them behind, would they continue to "own" and "control" them? Would the government make no move, would 15,000,000 men remain idle while 15,000,000 families starved?

Or would government and 15,000,000 men and the mills and the mines and railroads and lands get together? And in a short time would the train be moving and the grain growing and the mills turning and the mines pouring forth their wealth as of old, responding to the concerted effort of 30,000,000 hands? And would the only important difference between the then and the now being the whole country would be starved into capitulation as the Journal seems to think, or would it be that the whole country would continue to prosper as now, with the same willing hands applied to the same inexhaustible resources, while only the expatriated "rich men" starved gazing the while on paper securities representing wealth no longer theirs?

That, dear Wall Street Journal, is a supremely silly idea for "capitalism" to put into the heads of the mob! The wisest thing capitalism can do is go right along, devoting itself to the reproduction of wealth as it has been doing, thankful of its privileges and immunities, and obeying the laws of the land as enthusitically as it has hitherto flouted them.

If a bill drawn by Pierce Underwood, a Chicago stockbroker, for presentation to congress is ever placed on the statute book "wildcat" mining companies will not have such easy sailing as at present. Anent this measure the Duluth Herald says in part:

In brief, the proposal is to make the postoffice department the judge of whether or not advertisement of mining stock shall be permitted to go through the mails. For this purpose it is required that each such mining company shall furnish to the postmaster general a full statement of its affairs, the details of which statement are prescribed in said bill. Until the postmaster general approves the statement the company promoters are not to be allowed to seek stock through advertising or other use of mails. The statement is to be accompanied by an engineer's report and it is provided that any false statement made by an engineer or any forged signature of an engineer, shall be punished by fine and imprisonment. A heavy fine is provided for advertising mineral stock for sale without complying with the provisions of the bill. It is required that when such a company issues a prospectus it must contain a statement as to uncertainty of speculative enterprises where stock is issued on a property in which ores have not been actually developed.

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Gems In Verse

MASTER RAIN.

STRIDING, striding over the sea,
Calming the rage of the waves goes he,
Lulling the moan of the mighty main,
Assuaging Master Rain!

Marching, marching over the land,
Scattering wide with a lavish hand
Drafts for the thirsting seed of the grain,
Bountiful Master Rain!

Never, never a wanderer long;
Ever, ever a-brim with song—
A plaintive, pleading, pleasuring strain—
Musical Master Rain!

Welcome thou when the shadows sleep!
Welcome thou when the dreams are deep!
Bearing peace to penance and pain,
Merciful Master Rain!

Old as the host of the hills of earth,
Yet as young as the soul of mirth,
Fain we are of thee all of us, fain,
Brotherly Master Rain!
—Clinton Scollard.

HUDSON.

ROLL to the sea,
Bright river of the mountains!
Poured through the hills
From Adirondack crags,
Buoying the waifs
Of tributary fountains,
Rocking the fleets
That fly a hundred flags!

FORESTS are thine
And fair embowered islands,
Cities are thine
Whose towers touch the skies.
Curve grandly down
Thy goblin haunted highlands;
Lave, silver waved,
The vale where Irving lies.

DEEP breasted stream,
What tales thy hills have told me!
Playmate and friend
In days of youthful glow,
Now, as of old,
In crystal arms enfold me;
Take me again
Within thy cooling flow!

PLUNGING, I watch
Thy deeper waters changing,
Gold lighted green
To amethystine shade;
Strong, armed and free,
Thy boundless bosom raging,
My heart is thine
Beats warm and unafraid.
—Arthur Guiterman.

RISE ABOVE IT.

WHATSOEVER mars your life,
Rise above it.
Whatsoever brings you strife,
Rise above it.
Whatsoever gives you fear,
Whatsoever makes you veer
From the path of duty clear,
Rise above it.

Whatsoever checks your growth,
Rise above it.
Be it selfishness or sloth,
Rise above it.
Whatsoever bars your soul
From its kingdom of control,
Keeps you from the final goal,
Rise above it.

In your past has error been?
Rise above it.
Be not slave unto your sin;
Rise above it.
Set your face unto the dawn,
Never mind the thing that's gone;
Rise above it.

Do you meet the knocking crew?
Rise above it.
Prove it false by what you do;
Rise above it.
Give out love and strength and light,
And the carper's petty spite
All will vanish out of sight;
Rise above it.

Naught without can keep you back;
Rise above it.
In yourself is all the lack;
Rise above it.
There is nothing that can mar
Life for you but what you are.
If there's any inward bar,
Rise above it.

Be the master. Quell the beast.
Rise above it.
Till the voice of self has ceased,
Rise above it.
This is truth the sages taught
From the soul of being caught;
Evil rests within your thought;
Rise above it.
—J. A. Edgerton.

THE WILD ROSE.

SINCE on my suit, alas,
My lady dear doth frown
I lay where she may pass
A wild rose down.

BUT first, lest it should grieve
Thus to be laid so low,
Into its heart I breathe
All my heart's woe:

"HER nature is so sweet
(Save only unto me!)
Even her little feet
Will not wound thee.

"WHERE thine own color glows,
Warm on her dainty cheek,
She'll lift thee, happy rose!
Then, dear rose, speak!

"MY intercessor be,
And in her tiny ear
Whisper, He loveth thee
Who sent me, dear!' "
—Margaret Deland.

"HERE'S THE END OF DREAMLAND."

HERE'S the end of Dreamland; here's the Road of Day.
Kiss me of your kindness and let me go my way!
All the hours we squandered, all the miles we went,
They were the gold of Dreamland, and all the gold is spent.
Hard and hard, O Heart of Me, overhard it seems—
Lord, the pleasant palaces in the Land of Dreams!
—Horatio Winslow.

THE BETTER PART.

THE man went singing down the lane.
An artist's ear had felt a pain
To hear him, as no doubt an artist's should.

But still I think it is a gain
That he went singing down the lane
And not, like others, crying down the good!
—Selected.

LOVE'S MAGIC.

AS sorrows and privations take
The place of joy the things that seem
Mere misery under heaven's scheme
Become, regarded by the light
Of love, as very near or quite
As good a gift as joy before.
—Robert Browning.

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Matter For Surprise.

She—You know, Mr. Jones, I drank some poison by mistake once.

He—By Jove! Didn't it kill you?—Tatler.

Between Friends.

Mr. Hamfatt—I say, McBooth, here's an article about a fellow who walked around the world.

Mr. McBooth.—An actor, by Jove!—Washington Star.

Stout and Bitter.

The Corpulent Longshoreman — So you both wants to be a boatman like me? Well, take my advice and don't. It's a starving perfession.—Pick-Me-Up.

"A Drop in the Bucket."

—Harper's Weekly.

Pens made of reed on the same lines as the steel pen have been found in the tombs of Egypt dating probably 2,500 years B. C.

Order Your Coal NOW

There is plenty of coal at the head of The Lakes, and equipment to handle it is available. Order you coal now.

DON'T WAIT UNTIL WINTER

Reports show that but a small proportion of the coal necessary for winter consumption is on hand at Red Lake Falls. Order your coal now to be delivered at once.

Great Northern Railway

Brooks.

Miss Mary Davis from St. Cloud started a term of school in Brooks September 3.

Prairie chickens are not very plentiful this season according to reports from hunters.

Charles Boisvert went to Grafton to take in the chicken hunt in that vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Gibeau are the proud parents of a big healthy baby boy born to them Tuesday, August 27. They have five boys and five girls all strong and healthy.

Messrs. C. E. Boughton, Tarrant, G. Kankel and Sam Haislet of Red Lake Falls came here for a visit last Tuesday in Mr. Boughton's automobile.

Rev. Oppelgaard of Lambert visited with friends here Wednesday on his return home from Hazel.

Orson Doe and Miss Iza Tibbetts from Red Lake Falls drove out here Wednesday of last week, the former incidentally looking after subscriptions for THE GAZETTE.

Gilbert Poirer, senior, sold his farm the other day to a party from Rice county for $3,500.

Mrs. P. O. Myckley and Miss Jennie Hagan visited with Mrs. A. E. Sorenson Sunday.

H. L. Premn shipped another carload of cattle to St. Paul Saturday.

Frank E. Hunt came here Saturday and Sunday he drove to Wanke on some business matters.

There are some farmers in this vicinity who claim that they have just harvested the best grain they have ever seen in their lifetime.

Bachand Bros. unloaded a brand new threshing machine from the cars here saturday.

Bray.

Quite a few of the farmers around here have finished their harvest.

Thomas Larson and sister, Clara, drove to St. Hilaire Monday.

Iver Johnson left for Crookston last Friday where he will work in his brother-in-law's butcher shop.

Cerist Person drove to St. Hilaire Wednesday.

A large number of hunters passed through Sunday in quest of chickens but their effort must have been rather unsuccessful as the prairie chickens are scarce this year.

Arthur Milin of Polk Centre was in Bray Sunday.

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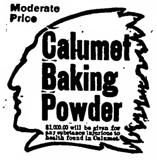
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In the Local Line

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Orson Doe visited at Thief River Falls Monday.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

The Hunt Hardware company has a new ad in today's GAZETTE.

J. J. Padden returned this morning from a visit at the cities.

For Sale—a top buggy and surrey both good as new.—P. O. Floan.

Electrician L. L. Smith was a visitor at Thief River Falls Monday.

Boys suits $1.25 to $7.00 at the Big Store. All new goods and styles.

Ed. Moran shipped a car of cattle to St. Paul market again Saturday evening.

One new Belle City thresher, 32 inch cylinder at a bargain.—Jos. Helm.

S. L. Lewis was at St. Hilaire several days of last week talking life insurance.

Theo. LaBissioniere went down to Crookston last Thursday, returning Friday.

Miss Edith Quist visited over Sunday and Monday with friends at Thief River Falls,

A few gang and sulky plows to sell at less than wholesale cost today—Jos. Helm.

100 dozen of brand new neckwear, just arrived at The Big Store. Come in and look.

S. L. Lewis went down to Fertile Monday to spend the week doing insurance soliciting.

K. M. Hanson came down from Thief River Falls last evening on a business mission.

Fred Burgdorf left last evening for Billings, Mont, to resume his work on the railroad.

Nick Drees and several others left last evening for the harvest fields of North Dakota.

Mrs. F. L. Owston, of Fertile, spent last Friday in the city, a guest of Mrs. Frank A. Mizen.

Miss Amelia Berget arrived home Monday from a several weeks' pleasant outing at Osakis lake.

Sam E. Hunt was an over-Sunday visitor at his home here, going out on the road again Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Johnson were visitors at Grand Forks Monday.

Lew Padden was here from Thief River Falls over Sunday, a guest of his brother, John.

Part of our Kuppenheimer clothing is here.—Come and see the best ever shown here.—Theo. LaBissoniere.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson went to Langdon, N. D. Tuesday to spend several weeks with her husband.

Miss Lulu Fletcher leaves this week for Ely to resume her teaching duties in the city schools there.

For Sale—one 14x18 Kansas City hay press at $125.00. First class working condition. Jos. Helm.

M. O. Sortedahl returned yesterday from the cities and other points in the southern part of the state.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

I have a few thresher belts, cotton and rubber, left which I will sell at bargain prices—Jos. Helm.

Pierre Derosier and H. Clement of Terrebonne took in the Minnesota state fair at Hamline this week.

Vina Carver and Stella Hennemuth left yesterday for Euclid to spend a week visiting with friends.

Fred Brosseau, Crookston's wholesale liquor dealer, visited with his brother-in-law, Ed Bray, here Monday.

Joe Cyr went down to Minneapolis Saturday evening to spend several days looking after business matters.

Mesdames G. A. Kankel and Otto Zaiser are guests of relatives and friends at Duluth and Superior this week.

Say, have you seen that new "White" Washer at Hunt's Hdw. Co.? It's worth your while to look it over.

Mrs. P. B. Gaass and children arrived home yesterday from Pella, Iowa, concluding a visit with relatives there.

If you would try a box of that E-Z Stove Polish that the Hunt Hdw. Co. sells you would never use any other kind.

Attorney Charles E. Boughton and family visited at St. Hilaire Monday, making the trip in Charley's auto.

For sale at a bargain a 16-horse portable Gasoline engine used somewhat, in first class working condition.—Jos. Helm.

Do you know that the Mankato Commercial College is the only great commercial school in the Northwest. Get their catalog.

One 10-horse mounted Sweep Horse power on trucks, new; will sell for $125.00 cost; $275.00 at factory.—Jos. Helm.

Mrs. Fred Holzkneeht and children, of Thief River Falls, spent Sunday with Mrs. Holzkneeht's sister, Mrs. Joseph Salley.

Alfred Rasmussen, of Thief River Falls, was here over Sunday to enjoy a chicken hunt with his cousin. Sheriff L. A. Nelson.

Agent J. L. Tracy visited over Saturday and Sunday at Duluth with friends, returning home Monday. He reports a delightful time.

Joe Toupin leaves next week for Minneapolis where he will enter the U. of M. on his second year's work in the academic department.

Miss Martha Altstadt left Friday evening for Blackduck near which place she has been engaged to teach a nine months term of school.

Ralph Healy went to the cities with the band yesterday where he will remain to re-enter the University on his second years' work.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

Fresh Groceries at the Lowest Prices

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Miss Etta Hennemuth, of Red Lake Falls, and Miss Ora Kankle of Fertile were guests of Miss Eliza Trudo Monday.—Detroit Record.

G. A. Kankel was among those who left last evening for the cities where he is enjoying the sights of the Minnesota State fair this week.

You will harvest your crops with a smile on your face by using Plymouth binder twine and a Deering binder. For sale at Wm. Findeisen.

Miss Mayme Erickson left Saturday evening for Cloquet, where she has been engaged to teach in the public schools during the coming year,

Miss Gertrude Hennemuth left last evening for the cities, where she will take in the fair and visit with her sister, Miss Orilla, for a week.

The exodus to the North Dakota harvest fields has commenced, and several have gone from here this week to thresh out the golden grain of Dakota.

Just opened a fine lot of Boys Knee pants at 50 cents to $1.75. Heavy all wool pants for 60 cents. Knickerbockers, $1.25 to $1.75. The Big Store.

Lost—cloth covered rear buggy seat; between Dugdale and Red Lake Falls. Finder please leave with John Richards at Reichert's drug store.

Prison binder twine is the cheapest for you to use and is guarenteed to give perfect satisfaction. Wm. Findeisen has a full carload fresh from the mill.

For Sale—Half section of good land in Poplar River township; will sell cheap or rent to responsible party. Address, Henry Cote, Terrebonne, Minn. 48-51

Get your binder twine at Wm. Findeisen's. He sells the celebrated Plymouth and Prison twine fresh from the factory and sells it at rock bottom prices.

The Misses Maude Findeisen and Margaret Kaus will leave this week for Warren at which place they have been engaged as instructors in the city schools.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Reichel returned home this morning from their visit at the Twin cities. Mr. Reichel attended the Photographers Convention while there.

The Misses Angeline and Ida Doyen went down to Crookston Saturday evening and expect to remain there for several months, having secured employment in that city.

Miss Clara Marchand came home Saturday from Moorhead and spent Sunday with her mother here. She left on Tuesday evening for Foston where she will teach the coming year.

Conrad Lajambe came in from Lambert Saturday and remained until Tuesday at his home here when he left for North Dakota where he will run a threshing engine during the fall season.

V. M. Higinbotham left last Friday evening for Forest City, Iowa, to spend a few days with his parents He returned to St. Paul the first of the week and is attending the big state fair at Hamline this week.

Monday was Labor Day and the banks, postoffice and several business places were closed. A great many of the business people took advantage of the holiday to go out for a chicken shoot in the afternoon.

Orson Doe and John Richards drove to Dugdale Sunday with the Misses Iza Tibbetts and Clara Marchand who were on their way to Fosston, where they will teach in the city schools during the next year.

Mrs. T. B. McManus arrived in the city yesterday from Duluth to spend a couple of days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. LaBissionere. Mr. McManus is a member of the board of appeals and was in the city last week.

W. P. O'Brien came over from Devils Lake, North Dakota, yesterday and is spending a few days with his many old-time friends while looking over business. Mr. O'Brien reports business good and the family well and happy.

Lyman Farley and Verne Farley and family arrived here yesterday from Morenee, Mich. for a visit with F. L. Farley and family. After their visit here they will go west to spend some time before returning to their homes.

Dennis Cyr left Tuesday evening for North Yakima, Washington, where he expects to find employment and remain during the winter, His family will remain here until spring at least, and if Mr. Cyr likes the west he will move out there next year.

Father Fayolle will leave Monday for a three weeks' outing at Mt. Clements, Mich. The father has put in a lot of good hard work, and has earned a much needed rest. During his absence there will be no services in the St. Joseph's church.

Joseph Helm went down to the cities Monday on a business mission. His son, John accompanied him to consult a city specialist regarding the arm that has bothered him so much since he had it broken last spring. On the return trip John will stop off at Collegeville to enter St. John's college for the winter term.

THE BUSY STORE

Some Harvest Needs

Men's Harvest Furnishings

Always the best, never the highest price, but really good working garments at legitimate prices, you can find no better line of Overalls, Underwear, Duck Coats, Gloves, Socks, Hats and Caps than you will find right here.

Harvest Groceries

Our Grocery Department is well able to take care of your Harvest needs. You will find plenty of good, clean and fresh Groceries, at reasonable prices. Prompt and careful attention to your wants, Bring in your Butter and Eggs.

Garceau & Zaiser

E. Claus and wife, of Ottawa, Ill., arrived here Tuesday and spent a couple of days looking over their real estate holding in this part of Red Lake county. Mr. Claus is a prosperous merchant of Ottawa but is favorably impressed with the Red River valley.

Harry Garceau will not return from St. Paul with the band but will go to Northfield where he will enter Carleton college for a years work in music. The music school at Carleton is one of the best in the northwest and Harry will get a fine start in his year's work there.

Guy Meyers, of Philadelphia, arrived here Saturday and will spend a couple or three weeks hunting chickens in this vicinity He is a guest at the Frank E. Hunt home. From here Mr. Meyers will go further west to hunt big game before returning to his eastern home.

Thomas Forde, of Northwood, North Dakota, arrived here Tuesday and accompanied the band on their trip to the state fair last evening. "Tommy" has played with the local band in all their important engagements in the past two years and is well known to the people of Red Lake Falls.

Miss Antoinette Johnson, principal of the high school for the ensuing year, arrived here last week with her mother, from Adrian, and they have gone to house-keeping in the Bourdon cottage on East Fifth street. Miss Johnson comes recommended as an exceptionally capable instructor.

Steve Withey, the handsomest as well as the most popular conductor in the employ of the Great Northern railroad, is again in charge of the passenger train on the Greenbush line. Steve has a regiment of friends and admirers in every town along the road that are glad to see him back on his old run.

Services will be held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz of Windom will preach both morning and evening. Sunday school at 10 o'clock and the Young People's Christian Endeavor meeting at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

A Missouri exchange threatened one day to publish the name of the young man who was seen with his sweethearts head on his shoulder, if he didn't come across with a dollar on subscription. Twenty seven young men slipped in and paid the dollar. The editor has letters from two or three others saying they will hand him a dollar the first time they are in town.

The Misses Mollie Allard and Eva Paradis and Norman Schreiter and Wm. Erickson drove to Crookston last Sunday to spend the day. When within four miles of Crookston the tongue of the buggy broke, necessitating the borrowing of the broken part from a farmer. The party arrived home here Sunday evening and the boys went back the next day to bring back the broken buggy.

One of the members of the Italian laboring gang south of town is carrying his arm in a sling as a result of being shot by a revolver last Saturday. Several of the fellows were together fooling with a revolver when it was discharged, the ball striking him in the wrist and lodging in the elbow joint. Dr. Wilkinson dressed the wound and the fellow is around feeling happy that it was no worse.

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A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS.

CHAPTER XXI.—(Continued.)

"So I said to him, 'I am sure Louis will agree with me, that our time is yours, and that we shall only be too glad to advance our departure so as to make traveling leisure enough for you to come with us to Rouen. We should be worse than ungrateful——' He stopped me. 'You have always been good to me,' he said, 'I must not impose on your kindness now. No! No! You have formalities to settle before you can leave this place.' 'Not one,' I said—for we have not, as you know, Louis. 'Why, here is your furniture to begin with,' he said. 'A few chairs and tables hired from the inn,' I answered; 'we have only to give the landlady our key, to leave a letter for the owner of the cottage, and then——' He laughed. 'Why, to hear you talk one would think you were as ready to travel as I am!' 'So we are,' I said, 'quite as ready, living in the way we do here.' He shook his head, but you will not shake yours, Louis, I am sure, now you have heard all my long story? You can't blame me, can you?"

Before Trudaine could answer, Lomaque looked out of the cottage window.

"I have just been telling my brother everything," said Rose, turning round towards him.

"And what does he say?" asked Lomaque.

"He says what I say," replied Rose, answering for her brother; "that our time is your time—the time of our best and dearest friend."

"Shall it be done, then?" asked Lomaque, with a meaning look at Trudaine.

Rose glanced anxiously at her brother; his face was much graver than she had expected to see it, but his answer relieved her from all suspense.

"You were quite right, love, to speak as you did," he said, gently. Then, turning to Lomaque, he added in a firmer voice, "It shall be done!"

CHAPTER XXII.

TWO days after the traveling carriage described by Lomaque had passed the diligence on the road to Paris, Madame Danville sat in the drawing-room of an apartment in the Rue de Grenello, handsomely dressed for driving out. After consulting a large gold watch that hung at her side, and finding that it wanted a quarter of an hour only to two o'clock, she rang her handbell, and said to the old servant who answered the summons: "I have five minutes to spare. Send Dubois here with my chocolate."

The old man made his appearance with great alacrity. After handing the cup of chocolate to his mistress, he ventured to use the privilege of talking, to which his long and faithful services entitled him, and paid the old lady a compliment. "I am rejoiced to see madame looking so young and in such good spirits this morning," he said, with a low bow and a mild, deferential smile.

"I think I have reason for being in good spirits on the day when my son's marriage-contract is to be signed," said Madame Danville, with a gracious nod of the head. "Ha, Dubois, I shall yet live to see him with a patent of nobility in his hand. The mob has done its worst; the end of this infamous revolution is not far off; our order will have its turn again, and then who will have such a chance at court as my son? He is noble already through his mother; he will then be noble also through his wife. Yes, yes, let that coarse-mannered, passionate, old soldier father of hers be as unnaturally republican as he pleases, he has inherited a name which will help my son to a peerage. The Vicomte D'Anville (D with an apostrophe, Dubois, you understand?). The Vicomte D'Anville—how prettily it sounds!"

"Charmingly, madame—charmingly. Ah! this second marriage of my young master begins under much better auspices than the first."

The remark was an unfortunate one. Madame Danville frowned portentously, and rose in a great hurry from her chair.

"Are your wits failing you, you old fool?" she cried indignantly; "what do you mean by referring to such a subject as that, on this day of all others? You are always harping on those two wretched people who were guillotined, as if you thought I could have saved their lives. Were you not present when my son and I met, after the time of the Terror? Did you not hear my first words to him, when he told me of the catastrophe? Were they not—'Charles, I love you; but if I thought you had let those two unfortunates, who risked themselves to save me, die without risking your life in return to save them, I would break my heart rather than ever look at you or speak to you again!' Did I not say that? And did not he answer, 'Mother, my life was risked for them. I proved my devotion by exposing myself to arrest—I was imprisoned for my exertions—and then I could do no more!' Did you not stand by and hear him give that answer, overwhelmed while he spoke by generous emotion? Do you not know that he really was imprisoned in the Temple? Do you dare to think we are to blame after that? I owe you much, Dubois, but if you are to take liberties with me——"

"Oh, madame! I beg pardon a thousand times. I was thoughtless—only thoughtless——"

"Silence! Is my coach at the door? Very well. Get ready to accompany me. Your master will not have time to return here. He will meet me for the signing of the contract, at General Berthelin's house, at two o'clock precisely. Stop! Are there many people in the street? I can't be stared at by the mob, as I go to my carriage."

Dubois hobbled penitently to the window, and looked out, while his mistress walked to the door.

"The street is almost empty, madame," he said. "Only a man, with a woman on his arm, stopping and admiring your carriage. They seem like decent people, as well as I can tell without my spectacles. Not a mob, I should say, madame, certainly not a mob."

"Very well. Attend me down stairs; and bring some loose silver with you, in case those two decent people should be fit objects for charity. No orders for the coachman, except that he is to go straight to the general's house."

CHAPTER XXIII.

THE party assembled at General Berthelin's to witness the signature of the marriage-contracts, comprised, besides the persons immediately interested in the ceremony of the day, some young ladies, friends of the bride, and a few officers, who had been comrades of her father's in past years. The guests were distributed, rather unequally, in two handsome apartments, opening into each other—one called in the house the drawing-room, and the other the library. In the drawing-room were assembled the notary, with the contract ready, the bride, the young ladies, and the majority of General Berthelin's friends. In the library the remainder of the military guests were amusing themselves at a billiard-table until the signing of the contract should take place; while Danville and his future father-in-law walked up and down the room together; the first listening absently, the last talking with all his accustomed energy, and with more than his accustomed allowance of barrack-room expletives. The general had taken it into his head to explain some of the clauses in the marriage-contract to the bridegroom, who, though far better acquainted with their full scope and meaning than his father-in-law, was obliged to listen for civility's sake. While the old soldier was in the midst of his long and confused harangue, a clock struck on the library mantelpiece.

"Two o'clock!" exclaimed Danville, glad of any pretext for interrupting the talk about the contract. "Two o'clock, and my mother not here yet! What can be delaying her?"

"Nothing," cried the general. "When did you ever hear of a woman punctual, my lad? If we wait your mother—and she's such a rabid aristocrat that she would never forgive us for not waiting—we shan't sign this contract yet this half-hour. Never mind! let's go on with what we were talking about. Where the devil was I when that cursed clock struck and interrupted us? Now then, Black Eyes, what's the matter?"

This last question was addressed to Mademoiselle Berthelin, who at that moment hastily entered the library from the drawing-room. She was a tall and rather masculine-looking girl, with superb black eyes, dark hair growing low on her forehead, and something of her father's decision and bluntness in her manner of speaking.

"A stranger in the other room, papa, who wants to see you. I suppose the servants showed him upstairs, thinking he was one of the guests. Ought I to have had him shown down again?"

"A nice question! How should I know? Wait till I've seen him, miss, and then I'll tell you." With these words the general turned on his heel, and went into the drawing-room.

His daughter would have followed him, but Danville caught her by the hand.

"Can you be hard-hearted enough to leave me here alone?" he asked.

"What is to become of my bosom friends in the next room, you selfish man, if I stop with you?" retorted Mademoiselle, struggling to free herself.

"Call them in here," said Danville, gaily making himself master of her other hand.

She laughed, and drew him away towards the drawing-room.

"Come!" she cried, and let all the ladies see what a tyrant I am going to marry. Come and show them what an obstinate, unreasonable, wearisome—"

Her voice suddenly failed her, she shuddered and turned faint. Danville's hand had in one instant grown cold as death in hers; the momentary touch of his fingers, as she felt their grasp loosen, struck some mysterious chill through her from head to foot. She glanced around at him affrightedly; and saw his eyes looking straight into the drawing-room. They were fixed in a strange, unwavering, awful stare; while from the rest of his face all expression, all character, all recognizable play and movement of feature had utterly gone. It was a breathless, lifeless mask—a white blank. With a cry of terror, she looked where he appeared to be looking, and could see nothing but the stranger standing in the middle of the drawing-room. Before she could ask a question, before she could speak even a single word, her father came to her, caught Danville by the arm, and pushed her roughly back into the library.

"Go there, and take the women with you," he said in a quick, fierce whisper. "Into the library!" he continued, turning to the ladies, and raising his voice. "Into the library, all of you, along with my daughter."

The women, terrified by his manner, obeyed him in the greatest confusion. As they hurried past him into the library, he signed to the notary to follow; and then closed the door of communication between the two rooms.

"Stop where you are!" he cried, addressing the old officers, who had risen from their chairs. "Stay, I insist on it! Whatever happens, Jacques Berthelin has done nothing to be ashamed of in the presence of his old friends and companions. You have seen the beginning, now stay and see the end."

While he spoke, he walked into the middle of the room. He had never quitted his hold on Danville's arm—step by step, they advanced together to the place where Trudaine was standing.

"You have come into my house, and asked me for my daughter in marriage—and I have given her to you," said the general, addressing Danville quietly. "You told me that your first wife and her brother were guillotined three years ago in the time of the Terror—and I believed you. Now look at that man—look at him straight in the face. He has announced himself to me as the brother of your wife, and he asserts that his sister is alive at this moment. One of you two has deceived me. Which is it?"

Danville tried to speak; but no sound passed his lips: he tried to wrench his arm from the grasp that was on it, but could not stir the old soldier's steady hand.

"Are you afraid? are you a coward? Can't you look him in the face?" asked the general, tightening his hold sternly.

"Stop! Stop!" interposed one of the old officers, coming forward. "Give him time. This may be a case of strange accidental resemblance, which would be enough under the circumstances, to discompose any man. "You will excuse me, citizen," he continued, turning to Trudaine. "But you are a stranger; you have given no proof of your identity."

"There is the proof," said Trudaine, pointing to Danville's face.

"Yes, yes," pursued the other; "he looks pale and startled enough, certainly. But I say again—let us not be too hasty; there are strange cases on record of accidental resemblance, and this may be one of them!"

As he repeated these words, Danville looked at him with a faint, cringing gratitude stealing slowly over the blank terror of his face. He bowed his head, murmured something, and gesticulated confusedly with the hand that he was free to use.

"Look!" cried the old officer; "look, Berthelin, he denies the man's identity."

"Do you hear that?" said the general, appealing to Trudaine. "Have you proofs to confute him? If you have produce them instantly."

Before the answer could be given, the door leading into the drawing-room from the staircase was violently flung open, and Madame Danville—her hair in disorder, her face in its colorless terror, looking like the very counterpart of her son's—appeared on the threshold, with the old man Dubois and a group of amazed and startled servants behind her.

"For God's sake, don't sign! for God's sake come away!" she cried. "I have seen your wife—in the spirit or in the flesh, I know not which—but I have seen her. Charles! Charles! as true as heaven is above us, I have seen your wife!"

"You have seen her in the flesh, living and breathing as you see her brother yonder," said a firm, quiet voice from among the servants on the landing outside.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

WHERE IT IS REALLY COLD.

A Country Where a Lighted Candle Finds It Very Hard to Keep Warm.

From the Popular Science News.

Cold is merely a relative term. The resident of semi-tropical countries shivers when the thermometer falls to 50 degrees, while the Laplander and Esquimau think it is comfortable at zero. For real cold and plenty of it, one must go to the Polar regions. Think of living where the mercury goes down to 35 degrees below zero in the house, in spite of the stove. Of course, in such a case, fur garments are piled on until a man looks like a great bundle of skins. Dr. Moss, of the Polar expedition of 1875-76, among other odd things, tells of the effect of cold on a wax candle which he burned there. The temperature was 35 degrees below zero; and the doctor must have been considerably discouraged when, upon looking at his candle, he discovered that the flame had all it could do to keep warm. It was so cold that the flame could not melt all the wax of the candle, but was forced to cut its way down, leaving a sort of skeleton of the candle standing. There was heat enough, however, to melt oddly-shaped holes in the thin walls of wax; and the result was a beautiful lace-like cylinder of white, with a tongue of yellow flame burning inside it, and sending out into the darkness many streaks of light.

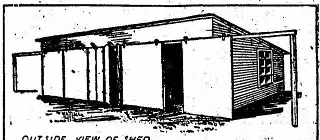
R. W. Emerson.

The first article of Emerson's religion was the existence of Mind in the universe, and his second article was the fact of man's relationship to the original Mind from whom man derives all heroisms, character, virtues, aspirations. A more devout believer in God never breathed. His God consciousness was the foundation of his faith and of his life.—Rev. W. A. Martin.

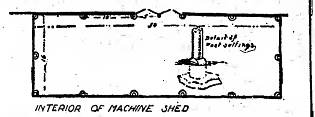
Practical Machine Shed for Farm

A good machine shed is one of the money saving buildings of a well regulated farm. It should be so located that the implements can be placed therein with the least possible inconvenience. If it is to shelter the implements of every day use as wagons, manure spreader, etc., it should be as near as possible to the place where the unhitching is done, as a man is very apt to yield to the temptation of leaving a machine out of doors when he must go far out of the way to put it into a shed. Another inconvenience is to have it located on ground inclining ing in front of the wagons where it will be necessary to have swinging doors with openings for the tongues which must extend partially outside. The balance of the front may be covered with sliding doors either hung on a double track that they may slide past each other, or on a single track that must extend beyond the end of the building as it is often desired to have a large part of the building open at the same time.

The ground should be very level about the shed that the boarding and doors may come close to the ground to



OUTSIDE VIEW OF SHED



INTERIOR OF MACHINE SHED

slightly toward the shed, and in this way heavy machinery may be backed in by hand, all that is necessary being to raise the tongue and direct its course down the incline and into the shed. Every man who has backed machinery into a shed with horses realizes that there is more or less liability to accidents in placing vehicles or machinery in a shed by horse power, especially if the building is well filled with machinery. It should be at least 16 feet wide to accommodate wagons and manure spreaders and even then a portion of the tongues must be on the outside.

As to length, this may be arranged to suit the amount of machinery that it will be necessary to shelter.

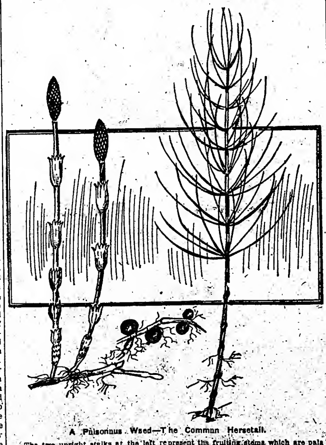
Take large cedar posts, which are kept at most lumber yards or in timbered sections, or suitable posts may be taken from the timber lot. These should be set in the ground eight or ten feet apart, or at such distances as will permit the machinery of various sizes to pass between. The post holes should be dug sufficiently large to allow tamping them with grout made of cement and sand. It is also advisable to place a flat rock in the bottom of each hole to afford a substantial support to the posts. This shed can be boarded and roofed to suit the tastes of the builder. The entire front should be provided with sliding doors, except keep out the poultry, as there is no other place as attractive for roosting places for chickens and turkeys as on the machinery in the machine shed. It is well to have the doors high so that the binder may be put in without taking off the reel, or top buggies without lowering the tops.

The difficulty of the posts rotting at the top of the cement as they do when set out of doors, is not experienced when they are placed on the inside of a building.

Chicks Improve Land.—A well-known poultryman says that on a field where three years ago scarcely enough grass grew to wipe a scythe and where chicks have been raised during the past three seasons he raised this year a heavy crop of grass. He says that nothing will make grass land as productive as using it as a range for the fowls during the late summer and fall.

Watering the Horse.—There are many rules for watering horses. The horse himself would be a pretty good judge if he had opportunity. A little water at a time, hot or cold, and when they need it is a safe rule. Let them have water that comes from the same source each time and at about the same temperature. Don't mix hot and cold water.

Danger from Common Horsetail Weed



A Poisonous Weed—The Common Horsetail.

The two upright stalks at the left represent the fruiting stems which are pale yellowish in color and come up in early spring (April-May) from the rooting branch below. In the center is such an underground branch bearing bulbs or tubers. From these same underground parts the much-branched, many-jointed green shoots arise a little later (May-June) as represented at the right. These continue to grow all summer and it is these which cause the poisoning.

It has long been suspected that the common horsetail weed when growing in pastures or hayfields in large quantities, has a poisonous effect on horses, and the results of an experiment in Vermont confirm the idea to some extent. The horses for the experiment were, of course, not valuable ones. They were fed hay containing increasing quantities of horsetail weed, until after five weeks nearly half the hay was of this material. For the first few days the animals seemed to like the weed, but took it more and more reluctantly until at last they could not be induced to take it. The effects were shown on the muscular system, the loss of control in the leg movements and in loss of flesh, also looseness of the hair and sensitive condition of the sides and shoulders. The feeding was continued about two months. Neither of the animals died, but were in a serious condition from the effects of the weed. Horsetail grows chiefly in run-out mowings; where the weed is at all plentiful the land should be plowed and reseeded.

FOR SELFISH ENDS.

The Efforts Being Made by the American Medical Association.

The Political activity of the American Medical Association has become so pronounced as to cause comment in political circles especially as the avowed purpose of the Doctors of the "Regular" or Allopathic school, of which the Association is chiefly composed, is to secure the passage of such laws as will not only prevent the sale of so-called "Patent" medicines, but will restrict the practice of medicine and healing to the "schools" now recognized. This in many states would prevent the growing practice of Osteopathy, and in nearly every state would prevent the healers of the Christian Science and mental science belief from practicing those sciences in which the faith of so many intelligent people is so firmly rooted.

The American Medical Association has a "Committee on Legislation," and the committee has correspondents in practically every township—some 16,000 correspondents in all. This committee at the last session of the American Medical Association held in June of this year expressed a hope that a larger number of physicians than heretofore will offer themselves as candidates for Congress at the first opportunity. In its annual report this Committee said: "To meet the growing demands of the movement, however, particularly if the work of active participation in State legislation is undertaken, a larger clerical force must be employed."

This is almost the first time in the history of the United States that any organized class has frankly avowed the purpose of capturing legislatures and dominating legislation in their own selfish interests.

The American Medical Association has about 65,000 members of whom 27,000 are "fully constituted members" and the rest are members because of their affiliation with state or local societies. The Association owns real estate in Chicago valued at $111,781.91 and its total assets are $291,567.89. Its liabilities, at the time of the annual report which was made at the June meeting, amounted to only $21,906. The excess of assets over liabilities is increasing at the rate of about $30,000 a year, and the purpose of the organization is to dominate the field of medicine, and by crushing all competitions by securing the passage of prohibitive legislation, compel all of the people of the United States to pay a doctor's fee every time the most simple remedy is needed.

SOUTH AMERICAN RAILWAYS.

They Run East and West Instead of North and South.

Although to the North American exponents of that project there has seemed a discouraging lack of interest in the Pan-American railway scheme on the part of South American railroad men, there has really been no cessation of the activity in their more immediate spheres, says the American Review of Reviews.

"Let us build the lines the country needs," they say, "and don't ask us to go out of our way to further a scheme which, however practicable from an engineering point of view, would not pay us dividends in this century, and possibly not in the next.

"We concede that we might benefit indirectly through the increased stability of government that would follow the building of an intercontinental line, but that benefit is too remote to interest us at a time when we have ample opportunity for expending all our available funds in the construction of lines that will yield returns from the day they are opened."

So it happens that while there has never been so much activity in railway construction in South America as at the present time, almost without exception the new lines are following the parallels rather than the meridians, running east and west rather than north and south.

BAD DREAMS

Frequently Due to Coffee Drinking.

One of the common symptoms of coffee poisoning is the bad dreams that spoil what should be restful sleep. A man who found the reason says:

"Formerly I was a slave to coffee. I was like a morphine fiend, could not sleep at night, would roll and toss in my bed and when I did get to sleep was disturbed by dreams and hobgoblins, would wake up with headaches and feel bad all day, so nervous I could not attend to business. My writing looked like bird tracks, I had sour belchings from the stomach, indigestion, heartburn and palpitation of the heart, constipation, irregularity of the kidneys, etc.

"Indeed, I began to feel I had all the troubles that human flesh could suffer, but when a friend advised me to leave off coffee I felt as if he had insulted me. I could not bear the idea, it had such a hold on me and I refused to believe it the cause.

"But it turned out that no advice was ever given at a more needed time for I finally consented to try Postum and with the going of coffee and the coming of Postum all my troubles have gone and health has returned. I eat and sleep well now, nerves steadied down and I write a fair hand (as you can see), can attend to business again and rejoice that I am free from the monster coffee."

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THE MULES WON.

Judge Decided That They Couldn't Possibly Make a Sudden Start.

"Men in the East," said a well-known Westerner while talking to some friends in the lobby of a downtown hotel, "appear to me to be mostly short and stocky built, except the Down East Yankee, who is usually long and lank.

"Now, out in God's country you seldom see a man under six feet, and broad in proportion. But I'll admit it sometimes pays to be small.

"I remember that in the early 70s," the speaker went on, after taking a copious drink of whisky straight, "a man lived in my town who was over six feet four, and he was about as broad as he was long, and weighed 400 pounds or so.

"In those good old days the festive mule pulled the street cars.

"Well, my friend brought suit against the street railway company for damages sustained by their suddenly starting a car in which he was standing.

"During the trial the company brought two of their mules into the court room as witnesses for the defense.

"The jury viewed the complainant, took a casual glance at the mules, and at once brought in a verdict for the company on the ground that the sudden start was plainly impossible.

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A Disfigured Face

By WILLIAM WALLACE COOK

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"We, his college chums, called him Apollo, quite as often as peerless Pierre, for not only was he a handsome fellow, but he seemed a perfect paragon of noble manhood, excelling alike in athletic exercises, in his studies and in a disposition which made him the prime favorite of classmates as well as tutors. I can give you no truer picture of Mr. Merrivale, my dear coz, for to go into details would exhaust all the good adjectives in Webster's Unabridged. All I can say is, you will like him, for you cannot help it."

Lenore looked at Ralph a little defiantly.

"So far as his beauty is concerned, Ralph Bronson, whether I like him, or not, that will weigh little one way or the other. In my estimation, a man's fortune is not, necessarily, a handsome face."

Ralph interrupted her with a laugh. "Oh, well, Miss Lenox, it counts for a great deal. I can bear witness to that, for I have been cut out any number of times by handsomer fellows. But you will have a chance to form your own estimate of Pierre, as he has notified me of his intention to accept an invitation which I tendered him some time ago, and make me a visit."

"Indeed!" The blue eyes of Miss Lenox opened wide with surprise. "And when will your paragon appear at the manor?"

"Very soon; in fact, I expect him any day, now. He writes from New Orleans and tells me that he is just recovering from a severe injury and feels that a few weeks in my jolly society will do him a world of good, so that I can look for him any moment. You must prepare for a quick surrender to his charms, Lenore."

"I shall prepare for nothing of the sort, cousin Ralph. You shall see into what a rare piece of marble I can matempsychose my heart."

"Perhaps; but I warn you!"

"And I thank you for it, but it is unnecessary."

Although she had told her cousin his warning was unnecessary, Lenore's curiosity was strong to see his peerless friend. Visitors at the manor house were very few and she looked forward to the arrival of their guest as an event in the monotonous round of her life. Ralph had so expatiated upon his friend's personal appearance that, if she found not a god, surely her disappointment would be woeful.

Seated upon a ledge or rock which had been torn from the mountain side above her in some great, cataclysmic upheaval of the past ages, she held a novel listlessly and marveled if, seeing him in all his peerless glory, she should succumb to his charms—what then? She laughed. Such an idea was absurd.

Hearing a step behind her, she sprang up in alarm.

"Pardon me if I have frightened you," said a stranger, bowing gracefully, "but I am looking for a gentleman by the name of Bronson, Ralph Bronson; does he reside near here?"

So this was peerless Pierre! He had a magnificent form, a clear, sweet voice and, as he raised his cap, a mass of yellow curls were visible; but his face! although regular in form, with large, fine eyes, a sensitive nose, and refined mouth, his right cheek was disfigured by a terrible scar. Miss Lenox caught these little details of his appearance in the brief moment he was speaking.

"You are half a mile from the road," she answered, pointing in its direction; "the house is only a short distance north, after you reach that. I am Mr. Bronson's cousin and live at the manor house. I was just about ready to return and, if you like, I will show you the way?"

"Thank you; you are very kind. So this is Miss Lenox? Many a time have I heard Ralph eulogize his cousin." He stooped, picked up the novel which she had dropped in her alarm, and handed it to her with a pretty gesture. "In fact, I think all of Ralph's college friends were more or less acquainted with Miss Lenox."

From this point the conversation lapsed into various subjects. Lenore, becoming deeply interested in their talk, found themselves approaching the manor house all too soon. Ralph saw them coming and hastened down the walk to meet them. At the first glimpse of his friend, Pierre Merrivale became strangely silent and a pained expression settled about his brows.

"Why, old fellow, this is quite a surprise," said Ralph as he drew near and caught his friend's hand; then, looking into his face, he started and a sharp cry of astonishment escaped him. "Great heavens, Pierre! what terrible—"

Mr. Merrivale turned his head away sadly and his friend recollected himself.

"Forgive me, forgive me, old chap; but you know you—"

"Yes, I know, Ralph. I have not always been this way, but," with a sigh, "misfortunes come to us all."

It was in this manner that Pierre Merrivale came to visit them. He was bright in conversation and agreeable in manner, but was neither gay nor careless. If handsome looks impel men to become coxcombs and Lotharios, Lenore thought it very easy to understand how peerless Pierre had fallen from foppery. That dreadful scar would impress upon him with terrible power the fact that he was made of a common clay with other men. As she came to converse with him more and more and to know him better, she was perfectly ready to believe that Pierre had never set himself above common men because of his peerless person. And as their companionship lengthened with the long summer months, her pity grew into an attachment which she could hardly persuade herself to believe. In truth her heart, which she had steeled to resist the charms of the perfect Pierre, had surrendered first to pity and then to love at the sight of that noble, but disfigured face.

More than once Pierre was at the point of telling how madly he loved her, but in a trice he thought of the scar that disfigured his face. What woman could love a man with that hideous mark? No, he would not tell her. She should never know that his heart had been wheedled away by a miserable feeling of pity.

The last day of Pierre Merrivale's visit at Bronson Manor had arrived.

Apparently, it was not hard to bid Lenore adieu. There was a clasp of the hand and a conventional "God speed you," but behind these formalities lurked a feeling so passionate on the part of both that one relenting glance from Pierre would have opened the floodgates of their mutual happiness. Yet this glance for which Lenore would have given almost her very life was not vouchsafed, for stubborn pride had quite enthralled the bosom of Pierre Merrivale.

Seated Upon a Ledge of Rock.

Lenore Lenox saw them enter the carriage and vanish down the road among the trees. She felt that the light had forever gone out of her life, and that the future existence would be miserable to her.

The day wore on. The afternoon came and, just as the sun was setting, Lenore heard the sound of advancing wheels. Her cousin was returning. He could tell her something of Pierre! The thought electrified her and she jumped to a window that commanded a view of the road. It was not a carriage that was approaching, but a heavy wagon, with two or three men. One of them was in the back part of the vehicle and—merciful heavens! whose head was that he held upon his knee? Who was that stretched out in the wagon-box, so still and death-like? It was Pierre Merrivale!

Suddenly she heard a step on the stair; it approached, drew near and paused before her door. Then some one entered. A second later and a strong arm was thrown around her and a voice, tremulous with emotion came to her ears. It was Ralph.

"Oh, my poor Lenore, is it not terrible?"

"He is not dead?" she cried, clutching his arm with her white, nervous hands; "oh, Ralph tell me, tell me he is not dead!"

"No, no, he is not dead. God knows he is too noble to die. You must be calm, Lenore."

She gave way to her feelings, but gradually grew more calm.

"How did it happen, Ralph?"

"He nearly sacrificed his life to save another."

"How brave, how noble he is!" said Lenore, when she learned the story.

Pierre Merrivale had a long fight in the illness thus imposed upon him. He had come to visit the Bronsons to recover from a similar disaster—one which left the red scar upon his face. In that battle he had faced the flames to rescue a child. Ralph told Lenore of this in the long hours when they watched at Pierre's bedside. Ralph told her, too, that Pierre had made him solemnly promise never to reveal the secret of that scar to any living persons. And he had not; but now, in the face of this last deed of heroism, he must needs recount to his cousin the story of that scar which had humiliated his friend.

"I love him now," declared Lenore with flashing eyes, "better than ever, if such were possible."

And when Pierre Merrivale opened his eyes and came out of the lethargy in which he had been encompassed so long, he understood the loving eyes that bent above him, and Lenore, heeding the inclination of his hand, bent down. Their lips met in one passionate kiss.

GOOD JOKE ON STUDENT.

Fell Victim to the Old Game of "Catching the Snipe."

A number of George Washington University students who are in the employ of the geological survey during the summer months, near Browning, Mont., recently sprung the old game of "catching the snipe" on one of their number, a junior student of the university.

For those who have never heard of the game it will be explained as it was played upon the victim. A large sack and two candles were secured, after which, to divert suspicion, a foot race was arranged, and of course, the junior had to lose, and thus he was to hold the bag. The entire party started out after dark and took such an irregular course that the intended victim did not know in what direction he had traveled from the camp. After going about three miles it was decided that they could catch "snipe." The junior was told to lay down on his stomach and hold the bag wide open, the two candles being lighted on either side. The other boys then started off, presumably to drive in the "snipe," but instead went directly to their camp and to bed.

When they started to depart the victim called to them, "I'll wait here until you come back." He waited! At one a. m. he began to get suspicious, but then he was afraid the boys might think him a quitter if they came back and found him gone. At two o'clock, however, his convictions were confirmed, and he left for home, but found to his dismay that he was lost. After a great deal of tramping about on the prairie he came to a railroad depot, which was four miles from the camp. He followed the tracks and arrived shortly before four o'clock and found all of the jokers in their bunks. The boys have branded him "snipe."

PUT END TO CENOTAPHS.

Senator Hoar's Plea Did Away with "Works of Art."

The late Senator Hoar made a characteristic speech when he was a member of the house on the subject of the cenotaphs in the Congressional cemetery. It was upon the occasion of the passage of the bill which finally abolished by law the erecting of monuments in the Congressional cemetery unless they were above remains interred there. The bill proposed that all monuments thereafter to be erected be in the form that had always been used. Senator Hoar offered an amendment striking out the provision, and in support of his amendment he said:

"I wish the gentleman having charge of this bill would allow an amendment. . . . It is certainly adding new terrors to death to propose that in any contingency, whatever may be the poverty or degradation of any member of congress, his body should be put under a structure similar to the cenotaphs now there, which are only excusable on the ground that nobody is buried under them. I cannot conceive of an uglier shape to be made out of granite or marble than those cenotaphs now there. To propose gravely to require by law that for all time structures of that fashion shall be placed over deceased congressmen seems to me a little too bad. I move to amend the bill by striking out the words 'in the form of the cenotaphs heretofore provided.'"

Senator Hoar's amendment was agreed to. It was hardly necessary, however. Since that time but few monuments of any sort have been erected for officials in the Congressional cemetery. Sentiment seems to have changed. Perhaps great men are scarcer.

Book Vandals at Washington.

In spite of the watchfulness of the employes of the Library of Congress book scribblers are said to have become a common nuisance in Uncle Sam's large and artistic reading rooms up on Capitol Hill. It is also said they have "made their marks" on volumes in the public library. A librarian of experience, in discussing this subject, said the men or women who indulge in book scribbling are usually egotists who think the book is valueless after they have read it. Sometimes they strike out the passages they do not like, while those that appeal to them are heavily underscored or placed in brackets.

It is said considerable time is expended by attaches of libraries in erasing the work of the scribblers, including criticisms or suggestions written on the margins of the pages.

In many cases the officers of the libraries learn who defaces the books, but in almost every instance the perpetrator denies the deed. He is evidently ashamed of the thoughts he was so proud of when he wrote them in the margin of the book.

Elihu Root's Repartee.

Long before Elihu Root had ever been dreamed of in connection with a cabinet portfolio he visited Washington on business. At the hotel at which he stopped Thomas L. James, then postmaster general, was also a guest. Upon retiring each gentleman put his shoes outside the door, in order that the porter might polish them. The porter got mixed and delivered James's shoes to Root, and Root's shoes to James. The mistake was discovered next morning, when each found that he could not wear the shoes delivered to him.

The hotel folks made restitution and explanations. Messrs. James and Root met at breakfast.

"Really, Mr. James," Mr. Root remarked, "I have no ambition to step into your shoes."

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PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Lafayette Z. Bradbury, Summit, S. D., gable door; Wilbert C. Fawkes, Minneapolis, Minn., washing machine; Frank Fritz, Alexandria, Minn., tooth fastener; Emil A. Hawkinson, Lindstrom, Minn., can-closure; Samuel E. Linsey, Winthrop, Minn., vending machine; John O. Peterson, Walnut Grove, Minn., draft equalizer; Clark E. Twamley, Alexandria, S. D., seed corn tester.

A man can think of a lot of reasons why he lost his money, and not once think of his poor judgment.

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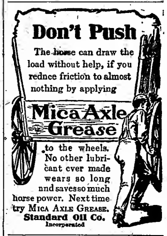

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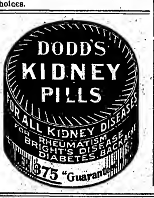

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S'MORE LOCAL.

Crookston Times: Louis Parauteau, of Terrebonne, the cheesemaker in the Terrebonne cheese factory, went to Ada Saturday night and will spend a few days visiting with friends. Mr. Paronteau states that they are having excellent success at the Terrebonne cheese factory. They will have had one of the most successful seasons in the history of the factory after the close of the business this fall.

Joseph Ducharme, a resident of this community for the past thirty years, died at his home at Badger Creek Friday morning, from a complication of stomach troubles. He had been sick for 14 months. Deceased was 65 years of age and leaves a wife and six children to mourn his departure. He came here in '78, from Lafontaine, Ont. The funeral was held Monday from St. Anthony's church in Terrebonne.

Joseph Patnode died at his home last Monday night in Gervais township, four miles east of the city, of old age, being 85 years. The deceased has been a resident of Red Lake county for 28 years, settling in Gervais township and remaining there to the time of his death. He leaves five sons and three daughters to mourn him, his wife having died about a year ago. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church yesterday morning, Father Fayolle officiating.

Fred Foster, whose home has been at Thief River Falls for several years past, was brought down here last Thursday by Sheriff Nelson and taken before Judge of Probate Tar-[illegible] Friday, when he was comitted to the insane asylum at Fergus Falls. The fellow was violent only at occasional periods but his actions were such that it was deemed necessary to put him where he could do no harm. Sheriff Nelson and Fred Zaser took him to Fergus Falls on Friday evening's train.

Mr. G. Vandertunk, representing the Netherlands American Mortgage Bank, and J. A. Duffy, Cashier of the Merchants State Bank, made a drive of 125 miles throughout the country last week, looking over crops and creameries. Mr. Vandertuuk is very much pleased with the outlook in Red Lake county and has instructed Mr. Duffy to increase his holdings where possible, so this leaves their legal institution in line shape to accommodate the farmers of the county with an abundance of foreign money.

It will probably be an item of news to most of our readers that a postmaster is not compelled to make change for you when you buy something at Uncle Sam's office. This is a queer rule that not one in a thousand know. Buyers of stamps or any purchase at a postoffice must furnish their own change. The postmaster could insist on purchasers furnishing their own change if he saw fit to do so, but usually he is glad enough to get rid of his "chicken feed" and is always ready to accommodate the public by making all the change it asks for.—Ex.

N. N. Larson, buttermaker at the creamery, has resigned and with his family will go to Dakota in October for the purpose of proving up on a claim. The creamery officials have hired Mr. Lauritzen of the Plummer creamery to take the position left vacant, but it is likely that another man will have to be employed temporarily as Mr. Lauritzen cannot leave his present position until about Jan. 1st. He comes well recommended from Plummer, where he has had charge of the creamery for several years.—Thief River Falls Press.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall, August 22nd, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called

Aldermen all present except Brady.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

Telesphore Grandbois, street work,		$8 06
Julius Keshl	" "	15 75
John Deforge	" "	19 80

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Burchers, president.

Approved this 28th day of August, A. D., 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota at the office of the County Auditor of said county, in the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, up to 3 o'clock p. m. of September 16, 1907, for the purchase of ditch bonds issued for the construction of Judicial Ditch No. 4, in said county, said bonds to run for a period of ten years, and in the aggregate sum of $18,00.00 each. Bids to contemplate a series of ten bonds of $18,00.00 each, and a straight one-bond issue of $18.000.00, to include all blanks and stationery, stating rate of interest and premium, if any.

All bids must be accompanied by a certified check in the sum of $1,000.00, payable to the County Auditor, as evidence of the good faith of the bidder. Right reserved to reject any and all bids

JOHN B. O'BRIEN, County Auditor,
and Ex-Officio Clerk of Board,
Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Dated August 23, 1907. 2w

DR. ADLER'S TREATMENT
CURES AND PREVENTS
APPENDICITIS
LARGE DOLLAR BOTTLES AT DRUGGISTS.

An Omen.

"Did your sister know I was coming?"

"Well, she broke her lookin' glass, and somethin' was bound to happen."—Philadelphia Press.

To Be Sure.

Old Lady—Are you traveling for the good of your health?

Defaulting Bankrupt—Rather!—Illustrated Bits.

In the Barnyard.

Materfamilias—Great Scott! Two more mouths to feed!—Harper's Weekly.

Consolation.

Kind Hearted Motorist (to victim)—There's a doctor in that car behind.—Browning's Magazine.

A Safeguard.

First Beggar—What's that paper you've got?

Second Beggar—List of places where there's a lack of workmen.

First Beggar—You crazy? We won't go near such places!

Second Beggar—Chump! That's why I got it!—Fliegende Blatter.

Airy Criticism!

Bill (watching the traffic below)—Risky things, them there motors.—Sketch.

Partners.

"Before I engage you I must tell you my husband is very particular and very cross."

"Don't fear. Between us we'll manage him."—Fliegende Blatter.

Couldn't Touch Him.

"I tell you, sir, you're a liar!"

"Sir! If I were a fighting man, I'd knock you down for that."

"I'll bet you $10 I can prove it."

"Sir, I—er—never bet."

Real Need For Hurry.

The Gentleman with the Bonnet Box—Don't stop me, old chap! Don't stop me! I've got a new hat for my wife in here, and if I'm not quick it'll be out of fashion before she's worn it!—Drawn by H. M. Bateman, in Sketch.

Seeing the Sights.

New Yorker (to visitor)—There is a relic of the past—an old Fifth avenue balloon.—Harper's Weekly.

Any Port in a Storm.

She—Just imagine! Supposing you were so immensely wealthy that you couldn't possibly spend your income. What would you do?

He—Marry you.—New York Mail.

A Tight Squeeze.

Broncho Bob—I hear Dead Eye Pete has been hugged to death by a female grizzly.

Hurricane Bill—Well, that's just like Pete. He never could stand being hugged by a female.—Chips.

Gets Good Position.

Our readers may remember E. E. Sletvald, who left last fall to take a course at the Dakota Business College of Fargo. The Fargo Forum says he has just completed his course and has been placed in a fine position as bookkeeper for the Huber Manufacturing company. The "D. B. C." graduates have been uniformly successful in getting the best positions in business offices—some 350 of them having been so placed by the college last year.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 193.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $348.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows; to-wit Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this 5th day of August, 1907.

DULUTH BREWING & MALTING CO.
Mortgagee.

Baldwin, Baldwin & Dancer,
Duluth, Minnesota, 301-304 First Nat. Bank Bldg
a8 s13 Attorneys for Mortgagee.

Notice of Expiration of Redemption

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
County of Red Lake.
State of Minnesota

To J. K. O. Sherwood:

You are hereby notified that the following described pieces or parcels of land, situated in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota and known and described as follows, to-wit: The South one half of the South east quarter and the north west quarter of the south east quarter of section 30, in Township 151, Range 43 is now assessed in your name; that on the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1902, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Red Lake on the twenty first day of March, A. D. 1902, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1900 for said County of Red Lake, the above described pieces or parcels of land was sold for the sum of sixteen dollars and seven cents; that the tax certificate issued for said land at said sale has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of redemption of said sale given and served; that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of One Hundred Twenty one dollars and Eighty Cents (said sum being the aggregate amount of said sum for which said land was sold at said sale and interest thereon at twelve per cent per annum, delinquent taxes, penalties, costs and interest thereon, accruing subsequent to said sale and paid by said purchaser, and all unpaid delinquent taxes, interest, costs and penalties accruing upon said land subsequent to said sale); and that the time for redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said sale expires sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof of said service has been filed in my office.

Witness, my hand and seal of office this sixth day of July, A. D. 1907.

John B. O'Brien
County Auditor
Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT default has been made in the conditions of a mortgage executed by Peter K. Olson and Lillie Christine Olson, his wife, mortgagors, to The West of Scotland American Investment Company, Limited, mortgagee, dated May 11th, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on May 16th, 1903, at 2 o'clock and 30 minutes p. m., in book "26" of Mortgages, on page 509 thereof; that said mortgagee has paid the taxes assessed against the premises described in said mortgage for the years 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, amounting in all to $90.00, that the amount claimed and hereby declared to be due on said mortgage at this date, including said taxes and interest thereon is one thousand one hundred thirty two and 46-100 dollars ($1132.46) that the premises described in and covered by said mortgage are Lots five (5), six (6), seven (7), eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10) of section eighteen (18), township one hundred and fifty one (151), north of range forty-three (43) west of the fifth principal meridian, containing one hundred fifty one and 41-100 acres according to government survey, situated in Red Lake county, Minnesota; that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided said mortgage will be foreclosed by the sale of said premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the front door of the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state, on August 31st, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, including said taxes, together with the costs of such sale and fifty dollars attorneys' fees, stipulated in said mortgage.

Dated July 11, 1907.

THE WEST OF SCOTLAND AMERICAN INVESTMENT CO., Limited,
Mortgagee.

B. H. Whitney,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Slayton, Minnesota. j18-a29

Notice of Expiration of Redemption.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,
County of Red Lake.
State of Minnesota

To J. K. O. Sherwood,

You are hereby notified that the following described piece or parcel of land, situated in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to-wit: the South East quarter of Section 26, Township 153—Range 44, is is now assessed in your name; that on the twelfth day of May, A. D. 1902, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duty given and made in and by the District Court in and for the said County of Red Lake on the twenty-first day of March, A. D. 1902 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1900, for said county of Red Lake, the above described piece or parcel of land was sold for the sum of seventeen dollars and sixty-one cents; that the tax certificate issued for said and at said sale has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of redemption from said sale given and served; that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs, to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Two Hundred Thirty one dollars and sixty four cents (said sum being the aggregate amount of said sum for which said land was sold at said sale and interest thereon at twelve per cent per annum, delinquent taxes, penalties, costs and interest thereon, accruing subsequent to said sale and paid by said purchaser, and all unpaid delinquent taxes, interest cost and penalties accruing upon said land subsequent to said sale;) and that the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said sail will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof of said service has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office this sixth day of July, A. D. 1907.

John B. O'Brien
County Auditor,
Red Lake County, Minn

HUNT'S HARDWARE

STOVES RANGES

Enameled Ware Specials

We have just received a shipment of 2 coat gray enameled ware that you can buy at the following very low prices:

15 qt dist pans....	50c
10 qt water pails..	50c
Soop ladles........	10c
Pint cups.........	10c
Pudding pans........	10c
Preserving kettle........	10c

Why don't you get a
'Universal' Bread Maker
on trial It will save you a lot of work and time. If you don't say after trial that it's all we claim for it, bring it back and get your money. The price is.................... $2.00

We have a few Hammocks left that we are closing out at 20 per cent discount

HUNT HARDWARE CO.

HUNT'S HARDWARE

MASCOT

"A PURE FLOUR"

Sweet, Pure and Wholesome

"IT'S ALL THE WHEAT That's fit to Eat"

Always Uniform
Absolutely Pure

Have you got a farm for sale?
If so, see V. M. Higinbotham

Take a Vacation

"B. B." Cigars are just as good in the hot weather as at any other time of the year. An afternoon in the shade with a "B. B." or "I Lead" is a vacation in itself. Try it and see.

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THRESHERS AT IT

Golden Grain Being Ground Out in Large Quantities in This Section.

The merry hum of the threshing machine is again heard in this part of the land, and it will be a busy time among the farmers of Red Lake county from this week on.

The grain is practically all cut and ready for the threshing, with the exception of some late flax, and with the present favorable weather the fall work will be well taken care of before the winter season sets in. The prospects for a prosperous fall were never better. The grain is all better than was really hoped for, and while at the present time no threshing returns are available, it is stated by those who are most familiar with conditions that the machines will tell a story of big yields in this section of the valley.

The prevailing prices of grain and produce are high, and the farmers will reap a harvest of shekels for their year's work that will repay for the past several years of adversity.

It has been the history of all grain countries that good crops as well as poor run in series, and many close observers are now freely predicting that the Red River valley will get back to its own in the matter of crop production.

At any rate the yield this year will prove highly satisfactory, and THE GAZETTE expects to have some figures to prove the assertion for next week's issue.

Gang Plows!!

I have for sale second-hand gang plows, Flying Dutchman, John Deere and Bradley XX-Ray. These plows are in first-class condition; will do as good work as new ones, and you can buy them for half their actual value. WM. FINNEISEN.

COURT IN OCTOBER

Judge Watts Will Be Here To Try Court Cases—Jury Called Later.

The October term of the Red Lake county district court will be held in this city during the last week in October, the session to start on the 28th inst.

At this session Judge Watts will only try the court cases that are listed on the calendar, and will return later, the petit jury having been summoned for November 11. This is done in order that the farmer members of the jury may have an opportunity to get their fall work well out of the way and preparations made for winter, and there is no doubt but what it will be appreciated.

There are several important cases on the calendar for the fall term, and there promises to be much doing for a couple of weeks at least.

The Man With a Grouch.

The man who has a perpetual grouch is often surprised to find it reflected in those he meets. Just think of the times when everything seems to go wrong—those days when one is accused of having got out of bed the wrong side. Then you feel your nerves unstrung from a day of mishaps a glass of golden grain belt beer will soothe the tired nerves and cure indigestion, which is sometimes the cause of a grouch. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Out of Sight.

"Out of sight, out of mind." is an old saying which applies with special force to a sore, burn or wound that's been treated with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's out of sight, out of mind and out of existence. Piles too and chilblains disappear under its healing influence. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 25c.

A BIG MARKET DAY

Red Lake Falls Business People Will Join in Arranging Gala Day For Farmers on Wednesday, September 25.

Preliminary arrangements have been made for a big celebration and Market Day at Red Lake Falls on Wednesday, September 25, and from the outlook this affair will be on a larger scale than any like event ever before attempted in northern Minnesota.

The merchants of the city plan on making this a unique event, sort of a forerunner to what promises to be a prosperous fall to the people of this section of the state, and to this end will see that there is nothing left undone that will make the day one long to be remembered.

The work of arranging the regular program has not been completed but early next week bills and programs will be issued giving full particulars. There will be prizes offered from every business house in the city, a long program of sports and amusements, a grand concert by the Red Lake Falls band and other things to make the day pleasant and profitable. A new feature will be a big auction sale, so that the farmers may bring whatever they want to town and have it sold free of cost.

The merchants are all preparing to make big special sales for this occasion, and will get together in earnest to give their patrons the time of their lives.

This should be an ideal time for a Market Day of this sort, as the farmer will have his grain ready for the thresherman and can easily take one day off to celebrate the wind-up of a prosperous season's work. The business people will extend a most cordial invitation, and with the weather doing a fairly favorable stunt there is not the least reason why the big Market Day on Sept. 25 should not be a success.

Remember the date; and watch out for bills, programs and further particulars. Plan on coming to Red Lake Falls that day with the whole family. You will be treated royally.

DENTISTS WILL MEET.

Red River Valley Society to Gather at Crookston.

President J. E. Argue, of the Red River Valley Dental society, this week issued programs for the annual meeting of the society which will be held at Crookston Saturday of this week, the 14th inst.

Three sessions will be held, morning, afternoon and evening, and an elaborate program of clinics and other matters of interest has been arranged.

Dr. J. O. Wells, of Minneapolis, one of the most prominent dental workers of the state, will be present and give a demonstration on porcelain inlay Saturday morning, and another talk in the afternoon. Dr. Wells is spoken of as a brilliant talker and the society is looking forward with pleasure to hearing him.

Dentists from Hillsboro, Grand Forks, Hallock, Cass Lake and Crookston are down for clinics and the program will be very interesting. President Argue is down for an address at the evening session.

The present officers of the association are as follows: President, Dr. J. E. Argue, Red Lake Falls; vice-president, Dr. Thos. Speace, Crookston; secretary, Dr. J. F. Tuomy, Bemidji; treasurer, Dr. C. L. Tompkins, Grand Forks.

Good Time at Fair.

The members of the local band organization arrived home Monday and Tuesday from the cities, where they had played an engagement of three days at the big Minnesota state fair last week. The fair was one of the greatest in the history, and was attended by the biggest crowd of people that ever congregated at a like amusement center.

The exhibits and displays were complete in every detail, and there was much to see and more to do. The band played on different parts of the grounds during the three days of their engagement and on every hand were given an ovation. The boys had practiced faithfully for this work, and the way they got over their music was pleasing to the large crowd of listeners that was always around them. The board of managers were very considerate in their treatment of our boys, and they were given plenty of time to see all there was of the big show. The band's engagement at the fair was a great ad for Red Lake Falls, and the results will be felt in more ways than one.

His Dear Old Mother

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist. 50 cents.

A SUDDEN SUMMONS

Mrs. Mathias Waldorf, of Lake Pleasant, Drops Dead in Her Buggy.

Mrs. Mathias Waldorf, who lived with her family four miles south of Red Lake Falls in Lake Pleasant, died very suddenly from an attack of heart failure last Saturday evening.

About four thirty in the afternoon she started to town accompanied by her fourteen-year-old son. Before reaching town she complained of not feeling well, and the young man urged the horse as fast as possible in order to get her where help was available. When just at the south part of town, passing the residence of Dr. Wilkinson, Mrs. Waldorf gave a gasp and sank back in her seat. The young man drove up into the yard of Eddie Meyer, former neighbors of the Waldorfs, but when they reached the buggy Mrs. Waldorf was beyond the need of human assistance.

Minnesota Historical Society

She was taken into the house and the family notified, and later the body was moved to the Lake Pleasant home. Mrs. Waldorf had suffered for about a year with heart trouble, and while at times it gave her considerable annoyance, nevertheless it was never dreamed by those with her daily that her life was to be cut off so soon.

Deceased was born in Stearns county this state 37 years ago. In 1888 she was married to Mathias Waldorf and lived in Stearns county until eight years ago, when the family moved to Red Lake county, settling on the present farm in Lake Pleasant. Mrs. Waldorf was the mother of ten children, seven of whom are living, the oldest a boy of seventeen years and the youngest but a babe of seven weeks. These with the husband are left to mourn the loss of a good wife and loving mother.

The funeral was held from St. Mary's church Monday afternoon, the remains being laid at rest in the Catholic cemetery east of town. A large number of friends and neighbors followed the body to its place of eternal sleep.

The following relatives from out out of town were present at the funeral: John Waldorf and Mike Krebsbach and wife, of Spring Hill; Mrs, Frank Waldorf and Mrs. Ben Haskamp, of Melrose; Mrs. A. Blaeser and son Ben, of St. Anthony.

THE GAZETTE joins with the people of Red Lake Falls in extending its heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved father and motherless little ones.

Card of Thanks.

To the many kind friends and neighbors who rendered us such valuable aid during our recent bereavement we desire to express our heartfelt thanks. To the members of the C. O. F. and W. C. O. F. of Red Lake Falls we are especially grateful.—M. Waldorf and family.

JULY A BIG MONTH.

Terrebonne Cheese Factory Pays Out Over $2,000.

The Terrebonne cheese factory is becoming one of the big industries of Red Lake county, and is doing its full share in making this the banner dairy county. For the month of July the factory paid out over $2,000 to its patrons, and those receiving checks for over $50 are noted below:

L. C. Cadieux	$103.47
J. B. Suprenault	88.44
Frank Laplante	59.36
Xavier Sauve	68.62
Jos. Fournier	74.41
Jos. Laurent	70.78
Louis Perreault	103.81
Regis Gagnon	58.82
Hubert Prenevost	55.98
Bruno Derosier	83.47
Euclid Riopelle	60.73
Philip Demerais	62.60
Aloide Perusse	57.63

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl, Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold remedy and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter's drug store. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

'TIS BANNER YEAR

Prices of Farm Produce This Year Away in Advance of Those of 1906.

The comparison of prices of all farm produce this year and those of last, and several previous years, is very much in the farmer's favor. Not in many years have the prices on all farm produce been so high as at the present time. The quality and yield are also much better than in any previous year. For several years past wheat which graded No. 1 Northern was not a common commodity in the market. That grade of wheat in 1907 started in at 63 cents. This week new wheat was selling for 95 cents for No. 1 northern and a large per cent of the wheat from the shock was given that grade. The yields are good, some reports giving over 20 bushels per acre. After stack threshing begins buyers expect the grade to be No. 1 northern. The same difference exists in the price of all grains. Last year oats sold at 25 cents, now 40; barley 28, now 65; rye 46, now 65; flax $1.01, now $1.06; potatoes 30, now 50; butter 20, now 25; eggs only remain at the same price, 15 cents.

It does not matter much to the farmer why prices are so high so long as that is the fact. The potato market, however, should be of interest to the farmer and the business man of this section. The crop of tubers south and east was a partial failure, while that of Minnesota is abundant and of fine quality. Minnesota is known as the "Bread and Butter State," and it is fast becoming a vast potato storehouse for thousands of people to the south, south west and southeast. In some sections of the state the potato is staple crop and buyers frequent those sections the same as stock buyers visit other sections.

The farmer this year is on the winning side. With a good yield and top prices for all grains, butter and cream bringing an excellent price, with the price of stock good and the largest hay crop ever harvested in this county mowed away in good condition, the tiller of the soil is coming into his own.

For Sale.

Second-hand Southwick hay press in first-class working order; capacity fifteen tons per day; price $50, worth $150. Come quick.

WM. FINDEISEN.

Notice.

All persons knowing themselves indebted to me are requested to settle before the 25th inst., as all unsettled accounts will be placed with an attorney at that time.—J. H. Paradis.

For Sale.

New Bucher & Gibbs riding gang plow, 12 inch; will sell for $45, worth $75. Plow guaranteed in every particular. WM. FINDEISEN.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

Autumn Styles in

Stationery

For polite correspondence there should be no more slighting of the tone and correctness of a lady's stationery than of her clothing, or hat, or shoes.

Styles in paper vary with the year, what was in style last year seems out of place today. Everybody likes to receive a letter on new style grade.

We have correct stationery here—correct for every use and occasion and correct in price boxes or bulk, many grades.

W. A. SCHREITER

Druggist

Red Lake Falls

THE BIG STORE

BUSINESS IS BOOMING

in our Dress Goods Dept.—an evidence that our line is correct. The finest ever shown in the city is the verdict of all. We have the correct color of brown, the bronze greens in the shadow or phantom plaids, barres, etc. Fancy Panamas in Ombre plaids at 50c to $1.50 the yard. Come soon, our stock is melting fast. It seems that the people never were so greedy for goods.

.. REMNANT SALE ..

We have done such a business in dress goods that we find ourselves with a big lot of short lengths, 1 to 3 yd lengths—just the thing for children's school Jackets, Skirts, etc. These will be sold at 1-3 to 1-2 off their original values. Hurry and get the cream of the bargain. The sale of these will commence next Monday.

Men's and Boy's Clothing

Our line this fall will meet the expectations of the most fastidious, the most particular—as well as suit the purse of the ones that want cheap clothing. Our line runs from 8.50 to $27.50. We have a good run of numbers for STOUT MEN and FALL STOUTS—All in the matchless Kuppenheimer styles, America's foremost tailors.

50 doz new neckwear just opened, Come and see the latest.

GROCERY SPECIALS

Crackers 6 1-2c lb., large Rice 6 1-2c, 15c coffee 12 1-2c a good drinker, Vanilla cookies delicious by case 9c lb., Soda 5c, Macaroni 7c lb., pepper 25c lb., 35c Tea 25c.

Come and see us for your Threshing Supplies. It will pay you. We have the goods and our prices will save you money.

It pays to trade here
more and more of
them say so.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

All records for excavation on the Panama canal were broken during July, despite a reduction in the force of employes. The work in the Culebra division was nearly five times as much as for the same month in 1906.

More than 100 complaints were filed with the interstate commerce commission, each asking reparation from the various railroads in the Southeastern territory on account of the yellow pine decision of the supreme court of the United States.

People Talked About.

The Earl of Dunmore, a prominent Christian Scientist in England, who last December visited Mrs. Baker G. Eddy at Concord, N. H., died at Trimley Manor, near Canterbury, England.

Prof. Mentchikoff of the Pasteur institute in Paris, Prof. Maurice Calmette and Prof. Letulle of Lille have received formal invitations from the United States government to attend the tuberculosis congress at Washington next year.

Amzi Smith, for forty-three years connected with the document room of the United States senate and for many years in charge of that important branch of the senate, died in Washington of typhoid fever. He was sixty-four years old.

The marriage of Miss Katrina Wright, daughter of Luke E. Wright, the retiring ambassador to Japan, to Charles Palmer, vice president of the International Bank of Manila, took place at the picturesque American embassy at Tokio. The young couple sailed for the United States, in company with Gen. and Mrs. Wright.

Crimes and Criminals.

A mob lynched John Lipsey, a negro who criminally assaulted Mrs. Ed Windham at her home near Pickensville, Ala.

Eugene Cargell, marshal of Cairo, was shot and killed by Cohen Simms, a negro, near Moccasin Gap, Fla. Simms surrendered.

Dock Barnes, aged ninety-six, killed his aged wife at their home eight miles southeast of Tulsa, I. T. No attempt has yet been made to arrest the old man.

George Armitage and Charles Des, two young men, have been arrested at Billings, Mont., charged with "shooting up" the restricted district a few nights ago.

Albert Stmmelen became insane at Detroit, and, taking his two-year-old daughter to the Belle Isle bridge, threw her into the Detroit river and watched her drown.

W. A. Farren, alias M. D. W. Adams former cashier of the Farmers' Bank of Clearfield, Iowa, was arrested at Kansas City on the charge of embezzling the school funds of Taylor, Iowa.

A man under arrest at Osceola, Neb., was positively identified as Benjamin Cravens, who escaped from the Kansas state penitentiary at Lansing on Nov. 16, 1900, during a mutiny of the prisoners.

Thomas M. Sumerall, a boilermaker, was shot and killed by Wade Hampton Hunter in a saloon at Montgomery, Ala. Both men had been drinking and there had been ill feeling between them growing out of differences over union matters.

McKinley Richmond, a negro aged ten years, was found guilty of murder in the first degree at Oil City, Pa. On account of his youth the court ordered him sent to the reform institute. The lad shot a younger sister because she struck him with a stone.

Discovery has been made that ghouls visited the grave of Margaret Kuhlewind, the eight-year-old girl who was killed ten days ago in an automobile accident at Bernardsville, N. J., exhumed the body and removed therefrom certain parts. The ghastly work was evidently done by hands skilled in surgery.

Accidental Happenings.

Four boys were drowned at Oakland, Kan., in the Kaw river. The boys were wading and went beyond their depth.

Frances, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stoeffel of Le Mars, Iowa, was kicked in the stomach by a horse and died of the injury.

Two boys, Robert Williams of Boston and Getchell Cleghorn of Montreal, were killed, and a third, Daniel Denny of West Newton, Mass., is in a dangerous condition through the caving-in of a sand bank at Squaw lake, near Holderness, N. H.

Four persons were killed and thirty injured when a west-bound St. Louis & San Francisco passenger train and an east-bound passenger train, both heavily loaded with excursionists, collided head-on near Sapulpa, I. T.

A tornado struck the towns of Woodsfield and Newcastle, Ohio, wrecking a number of buildings and doing other damage. The home of Samuel Bartemus, near Woodsfield, was entirely destroyed, and a two-year-old child killed. The child was torn from its mother's arms and carried nearly [illegible]

One man was killed and seven passengers dangerously injured in the wreck of a passenger train at Bowman, Ill. Two cars jumped a switch and crashed into a box car.

While testing a smoke consumer recently installed in the Savery hotel at Des Moines, two steamfitters, John Price and John Kelly, were scalded by the explosion of the boiler. Kelly is in a precarious condition.

Several women and children were injured during a panic at a Cleveland pleasure resort as the result of a lion making an attack upon Capt. James F. Briggs, a tamer and performer.

Frank Churchill of Germantown, Pa., and his eleven-year-old son, Norman, were drowned in Back creek, Chesapeake City, while crabbing. Mrs. Churchill and another son witnessed the drowning.

Foreign.

A quarantine against all vessels coming from Cuba is being enforced at all Costa Rica seaports.

Cardinal Emilio Taliani died at Ascoli of heart disease. He formerly was papal nuncio at Vienna.

The battleship Lemaire, third of the Dreadnaught class, was launched at the dockyard at Devonport, Eng.

Fire broke out in the flimsy native structures of Hakodate, Japan, and before it could be got under control nearly 70 per cent of the city was in ashes.

The international socialists' congress closed its session at Stuttgart after adopting resolutions opposing armaments for conquest and imperialism.

Grave agrarian disturbances have broken out in the provinces of Kursk, in Russia, where the crops of several of the richest landlords have been burned.

A sharp earthquake was felt on the islands of Guadeloupe and Dominica. Several strong shocks have been reported from the island of St. Lucie the past week.

The Chinese legation at Paris has been informed by cable from Pekin that there is no truth in the reports that the dowager empress is suffering from an incurable disease. Her health is stated to be perfect.

Mr. Quelch, an English delegate to the International Socialists' congress at Stuttgart, has been expelled from Germany because he referred to the Hague peace conference as a "gathering of thieves and murderers."

The flood caused by torrential rains is reported to have done several million yen damage in Central Japan. Two pipes furnishing the water supply of Yokohama were seriously damaged, entailing a water famine which continued ten days.

The death is announced in Paris of Geo. Caffaret, who was involved in the decoration contract scandals in 1886, during the administration of President Grevy. H. Wilson, a son-in-law of the president, was involved in the scandals with Gen. Caffaret.

The chief secretary for Ireland, Mr. Birrell, announced in the house of commons that the government was prepared to accept some, but not all, of the amendments of the house of lords to the Irish evicted tenants bill, whereupon John Redmond, chairman of the Irish parliamentary party, said he declined to take any further part in the discussion of the measure.

General News Items.

Fifteen hundred coal miners went on a strike at Buxton, Iowa, because, as they charged, the mines were not ventilated properly.

James McIlroy, eighty years old, a resident of Menominee, Mich., claims to have participated in the charge of the Light Brigade at Balaklava, in the Crimean war of 1854.

Drivers and stablemen employed at the wholesale beef packing houses in New York went on a strike. They demanded a uniform working week of sixty-five hours and an increase in wages.

The new armored cruiser Washington made 21.38 knots an hour in her speed trials recently. The Tennessee, a sister ship of the Washington, made 20.82 knots under forced draught in her trial.

Frank Grattan, attorney for the Kansas board of railway commissioners, has issued a statement favoring the calling of an extra session of the legislature for the purpose of passing a straight 2-cent fare bill.

Made suddenly insane by news that his brother, E. R. Hancock, had been killed in a railroad accident at Galesburg, Herbert Hancock of Omaha became so violent when traveling on a Burlington train that it was necessary to place him in a straight jacket. He was taken to the asylum at Mount Pleasant, Iowa.

Director General James M. Barr of the Jamestown exposition has announced the appointment of Charles W. Kohlsaat as director general of ceremonies in the entertainment of distinguished visitors, a position heretofore held by President Tucker. It is an open secret that the official family of the ter-centennial is not a happy one.

The Consolidated Stock Exchange in New York took possession of its new building at Broadway and Beaver streets. The site of the new building is advantageously located in the heart of the financial district. It was purchased at a cost of $870,000, or at the rate of $72.50 per square foot.

E. F. Noel of Holmes county has been nominated for governor of Mississippi in the Democratic primary held last Thursday. Earl Brewer, his opponent, in an address to the people of Mississippi, conceded the nomination of Noel and asks all Democrats to support him.

STATE LAWS KILL INTERSTATE RATES

CONTENTION OF RAILROADS IN FIERCE ATTACK ON 2-CENT LAW.

DENIES POWER TO FIX RATES

ATTORNEY ARGUES THAT STATE RATES IN EFFECT RULE INTERSTATE RATES.

St. Paul, Sept. 6.—That the making of intrastate rates in practice makes interstate rates was the burden of the arguments yesterday before Judge Lochren, in the United States circuit court, in the Minnesota railroad rate cases. The suits are brought by stockholders of the railroads doing business in Minnesota to restrain the enforcement of the 2-cent passenger fare law and the commodity rate law passed by the last legislature, and the merchandise rate schedule ordered by the state railroad and warehouse commission.

The contention of the stockholders is that since state rates in practice control interstate rates, the state is exceeding its authority in making rates, since the regulation of interstate commerce is not a state but a national function.

Railroads' Contention.

The contention of the complaints is that the prescribed rates interfere with interstate laws, are confiscatory and in practice entail unlawful discrimination.

Pierce Butler of How, Butler & Mitchell, who represent the complainants in eight of the ten or more suits, occupied the attention of the court yesterday with a consideration of the effect of the prescribed rates upon interstate rates as well as upon the property of the roads. Affidavits in support of the contentions of the bills were submitted and discussed by Mr. Butler. The affidavits were offered to show that the effect of the prescribed local rates was to destroy interstate rates and that their enforcement in many cases would make dividends impossible and in some cases would result in forcing the roads into a receiver's hands.

TAKE TO OTHER TRADES.

Striking Telegraphers Are Finding Work.

New York, Sept. 6. — From now on the striking telegraphers will seek temporary employment in other trades. The 400 girls in this city started yesterday morning to get employment in dry goods stores. The summer vacations are over and they say they can easily find other employment. They will seek employment also as telephone operators.

Twenty of the men obtained employment yesterday and on Oct. 1 next, when the eight-hour law goes into effect compelling railroads to make three shifts of eight hours each in twenty-two states, 600 men from New York and Chicago will become operators on railroads.

ORDER 2-CENT FARE IN KANSAS.

Railroad Commissioners Order Rate to Go Into Effect Oct. 1.

Topeka, Kan., Sept. 6.—The board of railroad commissioners yesterday afternoon ordered the railroads to put a flat 2-cent fare into effect on or before Oct. 1. The railroads have not made any definite announcement of their contemplated action, but it is understood they will not recognize the order till the question is settled in some other states in which it is pending.

THINK BANDIT IS WOMAN.

Second Los Angeles Car Is Held Up Within the Week.

Los Angeles, Sept. 6.—For the second time within a week a street car was held up and robbed at the point of a revolver by a robber so slight and possessed of such delicate features that the police believe the crimes to have been committed by a woman in man's attire. The robber got $4.

Five Years in Prison for Glass.

San Francisco, Sept. 6. — Louis Glass, vice president and former general manager of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company, convicted last week of bribery, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment in San Quentin penitentiary yesterday.

Two Firemen Will Die.

New York, Sept. 6. — An exploding tank of gasoline in the cellar of a burning building on Havemeyer street, Brooklyn, seriously injured five firemen. Two of the firemen, John Kennedy and James Smith, probably will die of their injuries.

Lay Fire to Incendiaries.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 6. — Fire, which it is thought was of incendiary origin, last night gutted the Normandie hotel, occupied by fifty families. All the occupants made their escape. The loss is $200,000.

Ambassador Returns.

Paris, Sept. 6. — Henry White, the American ambassador to France, returned here yesterday after [illegible]

TO AVERT A COAL FAMINE

TRANSPORTATION OF COAL AND PROBABLE CAR SHORTAGE TO BE LOOKED INTO.

Washington, Sept. 5. — An inquiry into the railroads of the West is to be made by Commissioner Franklin K. Lane of the interstate commerce commission. Commissioner Lane left last night for an extended trip through the West and Northwest and along the Pacific coast. Incidentally he will hear several cases arising out of complaints filed with the commission from Spokane, Seattle, Portland, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Look Into Coal Problem.

Commissioner Lane will make special inquiries concerning the transportation of coal in the West and Northwest and will be prepared to extend to both the railroads and shippers the assistance of the commission to avert a coal famine, such was occurred last winter. He will also make a special investigation into a probable shortage of cars for moving crops this fall and winter. Agents of the commission have been investigating the question of car shortage and will report their conclusions to Commissioner Lane. Mr. Lane will take up the matter with officials of the roads.

ASSASSIN HELPS REBELS.

Tazzi Brothers, Who Dominate Sultan, Are Murdered at Fez.

Casablanca, Sept. 5. — Letters received here from Fez declare that the Tazzi brothers—Abdelkrum Ben Sliman, the Moroccan foreign minister, and Ganam, the sultan's second representative at Tanger—have been assassinated by partisans of the caid of Mechuar, the official who introduces ambassadors to the court of the sultan.

The Tazzi brothers exercised almost complete domination over the sultan, and to them is attributed the ruin of the empire.

It is alleged that they sought only their personal aggrandizement. Their fortune is counted by millions, and is said to be sufficient to pay the entire debt of Morocco.

Violence Before Sultan.

Some time ago the caid of Mechuar was on the point of killing the Tazzi brothers in the presence of the sultan. The name of the caid is Driss Ben Aich and he is the descendant of the Bujaris, one of the four tribes which founded the Moroccan monarchy.

ALTON CASE IS POSTPONED.

Judge Landis Grants Stay at Request of Government.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—Judge Landis, in the United States district court, yesterday ordered the postponement of the grand jury investigation of rebating charges against the Chicago & Alton road growing out of the recent trial and conviction of the Standard Oil company, until Sept. 24.

It was generally believed when court opened Tuesday that a letter would be presented from Attorney General Bonaparte defining the action intended by the government against the Alton road. The railroad company has made a claim of immunity, asserting that it was promised by Former District Attorney Morrison that if it aided the government in good faith in the prosecution of the Standard Oil company it would be exempt. No such letter, however, was presented in court, either by Judge Landis or by District Attorney Sims, the successor of District Attorney Morrison.

When the court opened yesterday, District Attorney Sims said in part:

"A situation has arisen which, in my judgment, makes it highly desirable that I have time to submit to the department certain facts and circumstances in addition to those already submitted.

"For these reasons I request that further action in the matter be postponed for three or four weeks."

Judge Landis then postponed the case until Sept. 24.

GEN. PORTER WINS HIS POINT.

Proposals for Collection of Contractual Debts Approved.

The Hague, Sept. 5. — Gen. Horace Porter of the American delegation to the peace conference led his proposal for the collection of contractual debts to practically unanimous approval yesterday by the committee of examination, and at the conclusion of the meeting he was the recipient of many congratulations upon the success of his efforts. The importance of the American suggestion, it is pointed out, lies in the principle which it establishes rather than in its practical application, which may be very seldom.

Gen. Porter met all the objections raised with ready argument and finally brought all the countries represented, debtor as well as creditor countries, into line, with the single exception of Switzerland, which is neither a debtor nor a creditor country. There is reason to believe, however, that even the Swiss government will sign the convention, with reserve regarding the matter of jurisdiction.

Steamer Sunk in Collision.

Gallipolis, Ohio, Sept. 5.—The passenger steamer Henry M. Stanley crashed into the United States dredge boat Oswego at Gallipolis island, in the Ohio river here, last night and sank. The loss is estimated at $20,000.

Plan Library at Glenwood.

Glenwood, Minn., Sept. 5.—Plans have been adopted for the new $10,000 Carnegie library [illegible]

BIG BROKERS ARE FORCED TO WALL

WATSON & CO., BIGGEST GRAIN BROKERS IN COUNTRY, CLOSE DOORS.

FAILURE WAS A SURPRISE

HIT BY SHRINKAGE IN GREAT NORTHERN AND NORTHERN PACIFIC STOCKS.

New York, Sept. 7.—The failure of Watson & Co., members of the New York Stock and Produce exchanges and of the Chicago Board of Trade, was announced in those exchanges yesterday. No cause was assigned for the failure, nor was any estimate of the liabilities and assets made public. The firm has extensive connections in the West, maintaining offices in Duluth, Minneapolis, Fargo and Winnipeg. They are said to have carried on one of the biggest grain brokerage businesses in the country, besides trading actively in railroad stocks, particularly those of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads.

Accountants at Work.

W. Frank Newell, manager of the firm's New York office, was named as assignee. Expert accountants have been put to work on the books and a statement of the financial condition of the firm will soon be issued. The members of the firm are Louis T. Watson, Henry P. Watson, Charles E. Anderson and Herschell V. Jones. Louis T. Watson is the only member of the firm residing in this city, the others being residents of Minneapolis.

Since its organization in 1901 the firm had made a specialty of dealing in grain futures. H. V. Jones, formerly publisher of a newspaper devoted to the grain interests of the West, traveled extensively in the wheat belt and issued frequent reports of crop conditions.

Failure Unexpected.

It was generally understood that the firm had advised its patrons to buy grain this year and that both the company and its patrons profited thereby. The announcement of its failure was therefore unexpected on the Produce exchange.

On the Stock exchange, however, it was understood that the firm had heavy commitments in Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroad stocks and that they suffered chiefly from the enormous shrinkage in the market values of those securities.

HOTEL FIRE FATAL TO ELEVEN.

All but Three Killed by Jumping From Windows.

Shelton, Wash., Sept. 7. — Fire destroyed the Webb hotel yesterday. Ten persons are known to be dead and one is dying. All but three were killed by jumping from the windows.

The fire was discovered at 1:40 yesterday morning. The hotel was a three-story structure. Within a few minutes the hotel was a mass of flames. Screams and cries for help were coming from almost every window. Those in the upper stories were completely cut off from the stairway and at least seven or eight jumped from the windows before help could reach them from the outside.

STATE GAINS $300,000.

Ad Valorem System Raises Railroad Tax in Wisconsin.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 7.—Under the ad valorem system the railroads doing business in Wisconsin have paid $1,647,124.97 in taxes into the state treasury. This is over $300,000 more than was paid during August last year. The North-Western Railway company paid in a single check $518,017.42, which was the largest check ever received at the treasury department. The smallest tax paid was 64 cents, by the Chicago & Lake Superior road, which has a short branch between London and Cambridge, Dane county.

WOULD ENJOIN RAILROAD.

Iowa Merchant Protests Proposed Removal of Tracks.

Burlington, Iowa, Sept. 7. — D. H. Mosley, a merchant of Pleasant Plains, Iowa, in Jefferson county, has brought suit against the Rock Island railroad to prevent its removing its tracks from the site of Pleasant Plains to the new cutoff, one and one-quarter miles away. He wants $4,500 damages.

Gets Equity Meeting.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 7.—The Wisconsin state branch of the American Society of Equity has decided to hold its 1908 convention in La Crosse next January. There will be 500 delegates present from all parts of the Badger state.

College Athlete Hurt.

Huron, S. D., Sept. 7. — While at work in the railroad yards here, Sheldon Skinner, a former Yankton college athlete, fell beneath a moving car, resulting in the crushing of his left arm and injuries to his foot.

Boys See Comrade Drowned.

Menominee, Mich., Sept. 7.—While swimming in the Sturgeon river near Hardwood, [illegible]

DAY OF TRIUMPH AT FAIR

OLD SETTLERS HOLD BIGGEST MEETING EVER HELD IN MINNESOTA.

St. Paul, Sept. 7.—Bright skies made yesterday another day of triumph at the big state fair. It was the second best day of the week from the point of attendance and showed considerably more gain than did the opening day over the corresponding day last year.

It was Old Settlers' day. Pioneers from all parts of the state assembled on the grounds and held the biggest meeting of the kind ever held in Minnesota. The movement to celebrate the semi-centennial of the state gained considerable momentum through the adoption of a resolution calling upon the people of the state to aid the association in its efforts to have the jubilee held next year in connection with the state fair.

Sweet Marie was the big attraction for the majority of visitors. She trotted a mile in 2:06 in her attempt to break her world's record of 2:02. She gave a magnificent exhibition and the immense crowd gave her a big ovation.

The Shorthorn auction sale was held in the big amphitheater and was attended by hundreds of spectators.

The receipts up to last night were enough to pay all expenses and what comes after will be profit.

COW SETS PRAIRIE AFIRE.

Flames Spread Rapidly and a Hard Fight Saves Buildings.

Pierre, S. D., Sept. 7.—Prairie fires are started in a number of different ways and from numerous different causes, but a fire started by a cow is reported from the vicinity of Reliance.

Of course the cow would never have started the trouble had not some person been along ahead of her and dropped a box of matches on the prairie. These were stepped upon by the animal, igniting the matches in the box and a small corner of it burned away in the flare, but enough to start the grass burning. After the blaze had been gotten under control a search was made to find the cause of its starting, and the partly burned match box and the cow track stood as evidence of of the cause. It required a hard fight to save the farm buildings of Fred Duefall from being destroyed by the fire.

BRENNANS GO BACK TO JAIL.

Defense Offers No Testimony—Father and Son Held to Grand Jury.

Lakeville, Minn., Sept. 7. — Michael Brennan, who on Aug. 27 shot and killed Anthony Brennan at the Brennan farm near this place, and Michael's father, Michael Nolan Brennan, who witnessed the tragedy and who was arrested as well as his son, were returned here for a hearing yesterday morning from the Ramsey county jail in St. Paul.

They were both remanded to jail without bail to await the action of the grand jury that meets in December in Hastings.

The prisoners, who were in charge of Sheriff McDevitt and Deputy Sheriff Reichow, were taken back to St. Paul late yesterday afternoon.

VISITS RESERVOIR SITE.

Congressman Volstead Studies Conditions at Browns Valley.

Browns Valley, Minn., Sept. 7.—Congressman Volstead of Granite Falls was in Browns Valley yesterday looking up the proposition for a reservoir system at Traverse and Big Stone lakes. This proposition consists of the turning of the Otter Tail river in the Mustinka river and thence into Traverse lake, connecting Traverse and Big Stone by canal at Browns Valley and storing the water in the lakes by means of locks and dams. Senator Clapp was here last May and made a personal inspection with a view to the proposition. The people are growing enthusiastic over the prospects of having the project carried out.

FINED FOR PROMOTING FIGHT.

St. Paul Man Fined $200 and Costs at Ellsworth.

Ellsworth, Wis., Sept. 7.—Charles De Witt, a St. Paul saloonkeeper, pleaded guilty to the charge of promoting a prize fight in Pierce county Sunday and was fined $200 and costs by Justice Charles Fenton here yesterday. The total amount of the fine, with costs, amounted to $303.

A deputy sheriff went to St. Paul after De Witt Wednesday and the St. Paul man returned with him voluntarily.

The fight is the one pulled off in connection with the excursion run from St. Paul Sunday.

Fined for Illegal Shooting.

Fergus Falls, Minn., Sept. 7.—George Brown and Harry Johnson, the two young men who were gathered in by Deputy Game Warden Jones for shooting chickens before the season opened, pleaded guilty and paid fines of $10 and $20 and costs.

Gored to Death by Bull.

La Crosse, Wis., Sept. 7. — Mangled almost beyond recognition, the body of Lars P. Moe, a well known farmer residing a few miles from Stoddard, was found in the barn yard near his house. The man had been gored to death by a vicious bull.

Lost in Wilds Five Days.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Sept. 7.—Word has been received [illegible]

State News of Interest

TREES GET A START.

Young Forests Near Hinckley Are Growing Splendidly.

Gen. C. C. Andrews, state forestry commissioner, has just made a trip in the district devastated by the great Hinckley fire of 1894, where he found that in some places the young forests had gained a considerable start. Land suitable for agriculture is being cleared and converted into prosperous farms. An interesting feature of the development of this fire-stricken tract is the fact that the Norway pine stumps are being used for the preparation of turpentine, tar, citric acid and charcoal.

In speaking of the trip Gen. Andrews said:

"It will be thirteen years Sept. 1 since the forest fire in which 418 persons perished in the vicinity of Hinckley. I visited the country swept by that fire to examine especially any pine that has grown since the fire. Three miles east of Hinckley I saw a tract of several hundred acres of close standing jack pine, about ten feet high, intermixed with some Norway pine and with poplar which has grown since 1894. The tract borders the Grindstone river and is a little too rocky for field crops. It is the sort of land that should be kept for forest. I was informed of several other bodies of young pine forest that have grown since the Hinckley fire.

"Most of the land in that region is suitable for agriculture, and I saw quite a number of well-cultivated and prosperous looking farms and with buildings that would be a credit to any farming community. Senator Clapp has a farm only a few miles east of the place I visited.

"Owing to the quality of the soil some of the pine which I have mentioned will be large enough to cut in twenty-five years, and it shows how important it is to keep out fires.

"As the removal of the old pine stumps has much to do with the successful opening of farms on cut-over land, made a particular inquiry about the business of producing turpentine from such stumps. There is a plant for this manufacture, under a Russian invention, a dozen miles or so east of Hinckley. Only Norway pine stumps are used and they must be old enough to have had the sap wood, which is the part nearest the bark, decayed. The company pays $4 for 3,000 pounds, reckoned a cord, of stump and roots; and the product from such quantity is forty bushels of charcoal, twenty-five gallons of turpentine, twenty gallons of tar and some citric acid."

SNAP THEIR CLAIMS.

Proof of Improvement of Land is Secured With Camera.

Determined that no dispute shall arise between themselves and the special agents of the government when the time for them to prove up, a number of homesteaders in the St. Louis valley country have adopted the novel experiment of photographing their claims. To show what they tell of their homesteads is true the photographs will be on hand when the hearing on the final proof is held.

The photographs are taken from different views and will give a clear idea of the amount of land which has been cleared and placed under cultivation and if there is any dispute the homesteaders will be able to present strong evidence to support their contentions. The photographs being made now will show the growing crops and other photographs will be taken from time to time to show other improvements which are being made upon the claims.

Gust Eklund and Frank E. Anderson, two homesteaders, have set the example in having these photographs taken, and now every claimholder in this vicinity has provided himself or herself with a camera and is engaged in taking snap shots showing the buildings and other improvements upon their claims.

PACKAGE RATE INCREASE.

Railroad Commission Says No Change Has Been Permitted.

Complaints are coming from several points in Minnesota of an increase in the freight rate on small packages.

Judge Mills of the railroad commission said that no change has been authorized between Minnesota points, but on interstate business the roads have raised the minimum from 25 to 40 cents. If higher rates are being collected within the state, it is done without authority, as the commission denied the application for a similar increase in minimums on state business.

One complaint from Minneiska reached the railroad commission. It was taken up with the Milwaukee officials, who said that the collection of a higher rate was a mistake of the agent, was unauthorized and would be corrected. It is probable that other agents have made the same mistake on account of the increase in the interstate rate.

AFTER STATE LAND.

Another batch of swamp land contests, covering fifty tracts in newly opened townships in Lake county, has been filed against the state. Owing to the general campaign to deprive the state of swamp land selections, W. E. Culkin of Duluth has been retained as special counsel to contest all these claims before the interior department. As former register of the Duluth land office, he has special experience adapt-

MAKES GREAT SHOWING.

Minnesota Leads in High School Enrollment Increase.

The enrollment of students in the high schools of the state last year showed an increase of 7.15 per cent over that of the previous year, according to the annual report of George B. Aiton, state high school inspector, to the superintendent of public instruction. The latest statistics available, the report states, show an annual increase in the united States of 6.62 per cent, while the percentage of increase for the North Central states, taken as a whole, is 6.42 per cent, so that the showing made in Minnesota is above the average for the surrounding states, as well as for the country as a whole.

The increase in the total enrollment was 1,581, which includes an increase of 521 in the number of non-resident students, a growth of 18 per cent for the year. This, the report states, would indicate that the number of non-resident students is increasing more rapidly than the total enrollment. There was also a gain of 326 in the number of graduates, the total number last year being 3,109. In other ways, 13.12 per cent of the students enrolled during the year were graduated in June. The commissioner of education gives the percentage for the United States as 12.81 per cent.

The report states that the number of superintendents teaching four or more classes is falling off slightly. The number of instructors has risen from 970 to 928, a gain of 58. The average is one instructor for each twenty-five students. In the large cities of the United States, the average is twenty-eight students to one teacher, and in the country towns, twenty-one students to a teacher. According to the statistics, the number of college graduates teaching has been increased by fifty. The number of normal graduates instructing in high schools remains stationary, while the number of high school graduates, a term used in the report to represent miscellaneous preparation, has risen from fifty seven to seventy-two. This is due to an increased number of instructors in special departments, such as music, drawing, cooking, sewing, manual training and commercial departments. It is so difficult to obtain suitable teachers for these special lines, the inspector states, that little effort has been made to require college education.

The report gives the following comparative figures on the attendance at the high schools for the past two years:

	1905-6.	1906-7.
Number of state high schools	192	201
Boys enrolled	8,937	9,560
Girls enrolled	13,169	14,127
Number of resident students	19,173	20,233
Number of non-resident students	2,933	3,454
Total enrollment	22,106	23,687
Number of graduates	2,783	3,109

COUNTIES DON'T AGREE.

Gov. Johnson May Be Asked to Appoint Appraisers.

Gov. Johnson may be called upon to appoint a board of appraisers to settle the question of the division of the debt of Itasca county between that and the new county of Koochiching.

The county commissioners of the two counties, after having been in joint session at Grand Rapids for some time, have been unable to reach an agreement. The Itasca board wanted to fix the value of the county buildings at between $32,500 and $50,000, while the Koochiching commissioners desired to make it $82,000, which would leave to their county a smaller proportion of the debt to pay.

Another joint meeting will be held, and then if it is found impossible to reach an agreement the governor will be called upon to appoint appraisers.

RECLAIMS 9,000 ACRES.

Drainage Ditches Will Place Land Among Best in the State.

By the completion of eight county ditches in Sherburne county about 9,000 acres of land has been reclaimed at an average cost of $4.55 an acre, and this land soon will become some of the most valuable in this part of the state. The ditches aggregate more than fifty miles in length, and the total amount of money expended on their construction is $40,000. This amount has been raised by the sale of bonds, the farmers to pay for this valuable improvement in a small additional taxation, which will extend during a period of ten years. Four more ditches are still under construction, which will more than double the value of an additional 1,900 acres at a cost of $12,000.

Ducks Are Plentiful.

Triumph, Minn., Aug. 30. — Young ducks seem to be quite plentiful in this section, and the local nimrods are anticipating some fine sport on Sept. 1. Prairie chickens are reported scarce.

Two Hurt in Collision.

Custer, S. D., Aug. 30.—Two men were hurt, one probably fatally, three engines were badly damaged and considerable track was torn up by a freight collision that occurred here at

SYNOPSIS OF THE GAME LAWS

Open and Closed Seasons in Minnesota—White, the Open Season; Black, Closed Season.

Elk, Caribou, Mongolian, China or English Pheasant. All Harmless Birds.	Whitefish, Trelipies.	Pickerel, Suckers, Redhorse, Carp, Bullheads	Pike, Muskallonge, Crappies, Perch, Sunfish, Catfish, Sturgeon.	Black, Gray or Oswego Bass.	Trout, any variety except Lake Trout.	Wild Duck, Goose and all other Aquatic Fowl	Quail, Partridge, Ruffed Grouse, Pheasant.	Turtledove, Snipe, Prairie Chicken, Pinnated, White-Breasted or Sharp-Tailed Grouse, Woodcock, Upland Plover, Golden Plover.	Moose, Deer.	Penalties are for each bird, animal or fish taken or had in possession or for attempted violations.
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Spearing of pickerel, suckers, red horse, carp and bullheads allowed, but artificial lights prohibited during May and June. Whitefish and trelipies may be taken with (licensed) nets from Nov. 10 to Dec. 10 for domestic use only.

The open season for trapping muskrat and mink is from Nov. 15 to April 15.

LICENSE PROVISIONS: Non-resident big game license, $25; non-resident bird license, $10; both obtainable from executive agent. Resident license, $1 for all game (not applied to hunter shooting birds or small game in county in which he resides), procured of county auditor.

Fish-house license $1, obtained from executive agent.

IT IS UNLAWFUL—

To fish with more than one line.

To fish within 400 feet of a fishway.

To break or destroy birds' nests or eggs.

To place or receive game in cold storage.

To hunt or carry firearms in state parks.

To hunt on land of another without permission.

To sell fish caught in lakes of Hennepin or Ramsey counties.

To obstruct the commission or its agents while gathering fish spawn.

To run or train dogs during the closed season on land frequented by game birds.

To deposit sawdust in waters planted by commission or where brook trout abound.

To use traps, snares, artificial lights, nets, bird lime or set guns, to kill game animals or birds.

To kill any game birds or animals in any other way than by shooting them with a gun held to the shoulder.

To use the hunting license of another person—minimum penalty $50—or to use another's shipping coupon.

To use sink boats, floating batteries, sunken boxes, tubs or floating blinds when shooting or to hunt or shoot between dark and daylight.

To take fish in any other manner than by angling with hook and line, except that pickerel, suckers, red horse, carp and bullheads may be speared.

BAG LIMITS.

Moose—One male antlered moose (not to be shipped out of state).

Deer—Resident of state, two deer; non-resident, one.

Game Birds—(Resident and non-resident alike). One day's bag, fifteen birds. Number allowed to have in possession at one time, fifty aquatic fowl; forty-five other game birds. Non-resident allowed to ship twenty-five game birds to place of residence.

Fish—Limit, twenty-five in one day; no limit on sunfish, perch, pickerel and bullheads. Non-resident may take fifty pounds with him to place of residence.

Sale of Game—Prohibited at all times.

Sale of Fish—Allowed during open season, except that sale of brook trout and bass is prohibited.

Size of Fish Allowed to Be Taken—Pike, fourteen inches in length or one pound, round weight; lake trout or whitefish, two pounds round; muskallonga, thirty inches in length; other fish except rock bass, sunfish and bullheads, six inches in length.

Folders containing the above information may be had on application to Carlos Avery, executive agent, state capitol, St. Paul.

SUMMER SCHOOLS GROW.

Attendance This Year Showed Large Increase.

The state summer schools recently closed had a total enrollment of 4,097, including 1,039 at the university summer school, but not including those enrolled at the summer terms of the normals. Last year the enrollment was 5,635, including 2,400 in summer schools at the normals, or 3,235 in the university and county schools, indicating quite an increase.

The total cost to the state this year was $27,250.69, of which $6,650 came from the university. The average age of all enrolled was 20.3 years, and the average age at which they began teaching was 18.4 years. First grade certificates were held by 564, second grade by 1,565, and third grade by 381.

Of those enrolled 108 were college graduates, 206 graduates of normal schools, 1,256 from high schools, and 1,753 only from common schools. There were 990 certificates of perfect attendance issued outside the university, and the average daily attendance was 2,400.

PASTOR IN HARVEST FIELD.

On account of the scarcity of help Rev. Brown of the Kerns and Hebron churches, across the river from Mankato, has taken off his vestments and gone into the harvest field and assisted his parishioners to garner their crops. He is a thorough believer in the strenuous life as exemplified by Theodore Roosevelt, and his neighbors are willing to back him against the president when it comes to stacking grain or pitching bundles [illegible]

WANT PAY; STOP GRADING.

Twin City & Lake Superior Road Held Up by Farmers.

The Twin City & Lake Superior railroad, which has commenced grading east of North Branch on its Arrow Line between the Twin Cities and the Head of the Lakes, has had to cease work on some of the land owing to the fact that the farmers owning the property wish to have their money before their land is cut up and spoiled with the grading. Notices to the railroad to stop work on their land have been served by at least two of the large farmers.

The railroad has been doing its grading on the strength of options secured from the farmers with a small payment down, and a large number of the owners of land have let the grading proceed, but others, who feel that considerable damage will be done to their property, demand advance pay on the land.

It is understood that the company is making arrangements to settle and grading will go forward again in a few days.

Would Buy Pine Tract.

The state forestry board, desiring to obtain for the state certain pine that borders the main road through the Itasca forest reserve and that is still the property of private owners, has just "estimated" the total quantity of the growth to be acquired. The board calculated that the pine amounts to about 2,000,000 feet. It is found on six 40-acre tracts belonging to Walker & Akeley of Minneapolis. What the firm will ask for their trees [illegible]

ON A REDWOOD FALLS MILK ROUTE

A combination of work and pleasure whereby the drudgery of the former is lost in the fun of the latter is the happy thought which has been put into execution by Esther Ziemer of Redwood Falls. The fun consists of driving her team of goats hitched to a neat rubber-tired cart, and while driving through the city she incidentally delivers milk to her customers.

Miss Esther is the daughter of R. W. Ziemer, agent for the Western Elevator company at Redwood Falls. Mr. Ziemer is also an excellent judge of cows, and the knowledge of this fact makes the neighbors eager to obtain their supply of milk from the cows of his selection. This gave rise to the business in which Miss Esther is engaged and from which she derives a great deal of pleasure.

Goats are not noted for their tractability, but these goats seem to realize that the arrangement of which they are an important part is only for fun, because Miss Esther has never had any trouble in managing them. Other children have their pets, some of them stocky little shetland ponies, but the chief attraction among them all is the team of goats.

Miss Esther has been using her goat team all summer, and when a circus arrived in town a short time ago it did not take the manager long to decide that the odd little rig would be an attractive feature for the parade, and he immediately made arrangements for her to take a leading position with the little rig which has become a familiar sight in the town.

BEST SCORES IN BUTTER.

Fifty Competitors Had Marks of 94 or Higher in Creamery Division.

Creamery butter which will score .94 points in a competitive contest, such as is carried on at the state fair, is very good butter, and the number of exhibitors who scored .94 or better is imposing. An additional large number scored .92 and better and a few went below .90.

The dairy butter contest was won by Mrs. J. H. Nicholson of Minneota, with a score of 93 1-2. The following had scores of .94 and above:

Creamery Butter—

M. Soudergaard, Hutchinson	.97
F. O. Scott, Augusta	.96½
Theo. Peterson, Maple Plain	.96
Edwin Hed, Nicollet	.96
N. C. Sorensen, Kandiyohi	.95½
John F. Kielty, Watkins	.85½
George A. Holmes, Biscay	.95¼
J. F. Walesky, Owatonna	.95¼
Henry Springer, Conger	.95½
Ehard Lindblod, North Branch	.95
Peter Kvale, Clover	.95
Magnus Anderson, Lester Prairie	.95
A. H. Wilcox, Bloomer, Wis.	.95
Alfred Anderson, Litchfield	.95
H. H. Jensen, Clark's Grove	.95
E. O. Olsen, Brooten	.95
J. P. Wheelan, Elma, Iowa	.94¼
A. G. Schandel, St. Clair	.94½
A. T. Radtke, Hamberg	.94½
E. O. Quinvold, Hutchinson	.94¼
L. H. Flagel, Erskine	.94¼
L. L. Flickinger, Fredericksburg, Iowa	.94¼
Henry Erickson, Hutchinson	.94½
Martin Doscher, Hutchinson	.94½
F. A. Peterson, Lindstrom	.94¼
E. A. Gudvangen, Kistu	.94¼
Geo. W. Myers, Fairmount	.94¼
T. T. James, Lake Crystal	.94½
H. W. Jarchow, Fairmount	.91
E. Steinhaus, Elysian	.94
P. N. Peterson, Rake, Iowa	.94
John Neitzel, Lakefield	.94
J. T. Rivard, Centerville	.94
Allie Olson, Winsted	.94
Geo. L. Austin, St. Heline	.94
J. W. Korpsell, Lewiston	.94
Nels Ahlness, Sleepy Eye	.94
N. R. Lund, Plainview	.94
A. Sorenson, Webster	.94
F. M. Zill, Sumner, Iowa	.94
O. F. Poehle, Vasa	.94
Carl Fjone, Bricelyn	.94
O. P. Jensen, Blooming Prairie	.94
J. J. Jensen, St. Peter	.94
M. M. Sorensen, Madelia	.94
J. T. Pomroy, Lake Benton	.94
Joseph Brey, Wabasso	.94
C. D. Carlson, Trade Lake, Wis.	.94
J. Rasmussen, Teldal	.94
F. O. Thompson, St. James	.94
H. L. Duke, West, S. D.	.94
Alex Johnson, New Ulm	.94

CHANGES AT CARLETON.

Miss Evans Gives Up Teaching, but Retains Deanship.

The fall semester for Carleton college begins Wednesday, Sept. 11. The following changes in the faculty are published in the college bulletin: Miss Margaret Evans retires from teaching, but retains the deanship of the women's department. Miss Alice Emerson, a graduate from Wellesley, takes Miss Evans' English work. Prof. Horace Goodhue retires, after forty years' active work, on the Carnegie pension fund. His successor has not been named. Neil S. Dungay of the University of Minnesota will take charge of the department of biology, vice L. W. Chaney, resigned. Rev. Fred B. Hill will take up his work as instructor in Biblical literature, returning to the college after a leave of absence.

J. W. Olsen, state superintendent of instruction, will make the opening address at chapel exercises Wednesday morning, Sept. 11.

The engagement of Myron S. Curtis, Brown university, 1907, as coach of Carleton's football team has been announced by the athletic department.

NEW CITY HALL AT FAIRMONT.

The contract for building the new city hall at Fairmont has been let to O. C. Gould & Son for $11,968. It will be of cement blocks, 50x80 feet on the ground and two stories high. The contract calls for its completion by Feb. 1, 1908.

Five cars of machinery have arrived for the new electric light plant and will be installed as rapidly as possible, but will probably not be completed [illegible]

ORE ROYALTIES ONLY $300,000.

Reports of Money Obtained by Great Northern Exaggerated.

There is a revival of talk over the Great Northern ore deal, now that a dividend has been paid on these ore certificates, and some very incorrect information is printed in the East. It is said that the royalties paid on independent mines owned in fee by the Great Northern and leased to independent concerns will this year be $3,000,000. This is almost one cipher too high. There are three of these mines owned in full by the Great Northern, and one-half of another. The three are Mahoning, Stevenson and Kinney, and the gross royalties they will pay this year will be in the neighborhood of $300,000.

Mahoning and Stevenson will produce a little more than 2,000,000 tons and Kinney about 125,000 tons. Royalties on the three range from 12 1-2 cents a ton to 16, which is the figure for the Kinney. The Great Northern owns a half-interest in the fee of the Leetonia, the other half being held by Cavour Langdon and G. H. Warren of Minneapolis. This mine will produce this year about 250,000 tons and will pay 36 cents a ton, or $45,000, to the Great Northern. It is also said that the Steel corporation is to pay this year $750,000 on its royalty account, as agreed for the first year.

The Steel corporation can scarcely pay anything this year, for the ore deal is of too recent occurrence to have any royalties accrue thereon. There may be large sums of money in the way of back royalties on the Mahoning, Stevenson and Kinney, accumulated during past years, that may be distributed to ore certificate holders, in which case the dividends will be large for some time from this source.

The Oliver Mining company will doubtless soon get to work on some of these lands preparatory to mining, but no step to this end has yet been undertaken. There should be during 1908 payments by the various operators on Great Northern lands of something less than $1,100,000; how much less will be determined by two factors—first by the proportion of Hill fee lands.

STATE A MILLIONAIRE.

Begins September With Plenty of Cash on Hand.

The state has a balance of $2,012,712.98 on hand at the close of business Saturday, according to a statement issued by State Treasurer C. C. Dinehart. This amount is divided among the various funds as follows:

Revenue	$568,874.48
Soldiers' relief	28,327.89
Funding tax	43,705.57
State road and bridge	125,512.70
Permanent school	13,657.49
General school	923,454.63
Permanent university	10,800.82
General university	64,441.22
Internal improvement	25,191.88
Internal impvt. land	52,099.08
Internal impvt. land int.	135.46
University campus	71,945.00
Swamp land	21,842.71
Swamp land interest	2,586.41
Hay inspection	2,766.86
Grain inspection	47,370.79
Total	$2,012,712.93

PLACES GO BEGGING.

State Employment Bureau Swamped With Applications for Help.

The state free employment bureau, located in the old capitol, is swamped with applications for help and is unable to fill a large proportion of them. The situation is at an acute stage just now, when the demand for men in the harvest fields of the West is at its height. The bureau has received a number of appeals from the western part of Minnesota and from the

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WHEN in doubt about the constitutionality of a state law ask the nearest Federal judge.

"THE melancholy days have come" according to the small boy, as he settles down to find out where the Bay of Biscay is located.

THE trouble in postponing a revision of the tariff "until after election" is that the people never know which election is meant.

IF the rate case goes against the state, what could a special session of the legislature do to remedy the situation? Re-enact the same laws?

EVERY man saves a lot of clothes to go hunting in, but the only hunting he ever does is for the clothes, only to discover that his wife has given them away.

A MEDICAL journol asserts that "fat legs are indicative of great mental power." Even an ordinary mortal can readily see that they indicate a good understanding.

ONE trouble with the Republican party in Minnesota is the fact that too many of its members are after vindication. Our own idea is that it needs a few more martyrs.

OWING to President Roosevelt's attitude toward the trusts we are forced to the conclusion that the chief executive does not want the abolishment of capital punishment.

IF Judge Lochren decides the Minnesota rate case against the railroads he will be obliged to turn a lot of his own precedents to the wall. The Judge so far has never disappointed the corporations.

AN Arkansas prophet declared that the world would come to an end on August 31st, but when he woke up Sunday morning he decided there was something the matter with his liver.

THE Red Lake Falls merchants have a bigger and better line than ever in the way of harvest and threshing supplies and their fall goods, which are arriving on every train, are of the best. It will pay you to do your trading here.

RED LAKE county lost a great opportunity in not having a display at the state fair. A good showing of our grains, grasses and dairy products would have been an object lesson to the older sections of the state. It is not too early to plan for next year.

USUALLY we enjoy hearing prosperity talk as well as anybody, says the Washington Herald, but when the United Undertakers announce that the past year was the most prosperous in their history, and that the next is even more promising, we submit that it is time to call a halt.

A KANSAS mon has paid his subscription to the local newspaper 20 years in advance, up to September, 1927. Here we have been lavishing praise upon the founders of libraries and patrons of colleges as great friends of humanity and promoters of happiness, when along comes this impulsive and kindly son of the Sunflower state and by his one act pales all their benefactions into insignificance.

THE St. Peter Free Press still insists that the timber frauds in Minnesota is a dead issue. Fortunately, this is true, but it is no fault of the long line of Republican state administrations. In this connection we are pleased to call Brer. Miller's attention to the fact that the other day the Shevlin-Carpenter company was mulcted in the sum of $35,000 for trespass, but in deference to the feelings of these patriotic citizens we pass the incident without further comment. It would be an unpardonable offense to criticize a timber thief.

BRAY.

Threshing will commence in this vicinity this week. Christ Bugge of Numedal will bring down his machine to take C. C. Ecklund's old "run."

Chas. Lindquist drove up to Numedal Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Halvor Hanson transacted business at Thief River Falls oo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs, Emil Larson drove to St. Hilaire Wednesday.

J. B. Hanson held an auction at his place last Thursday to dispose of some of his property.

Oscar Swanson and Chas. Englund made a trip to Numedal Friday.

A. E. Anderson drove to Wylie Saturday.

Gust and Charlie Napiin of Polk Centre were in Bray last Sunday looking for a horse which had strayed from them.

Henry Lindblom made a trip to Wylie on his bicycle last Sunday.

Mrs. C. Schumacher and daughter, Bertha, of Carrol, Iowa, who have spent the summer here at the home of Mrs. Schumacher's son, W. F. Schumacher, returned to their home in Iowa last Sunday.

Lots of teams and men have passed thru here lately on their way to the harvest fields of Dakota. Quite a number have gone from this vicinity.

The other day a young mon gove a reason for not dancing, the spirit of which might be made to apply to a good many failures in life. "I shonld like to donce," he said, "ond I should dance, only the music puts me out and the girl gets in my woy."—London Tatler.

It Looked Suspicious.

Five-year-old Lewis hod on several occosions successfully evoded his nurse and paid surreptitious and delightful visits to the workmen on an apartment house in process of building at the corner of his block. As the result of his observations there he unconcernedly and without prejudice emitted a choice and varied assortment of profanity at the luncheon table. His shocked mother tried to impress upon him thot never, never again must he repeat such words. But Lewis either lacked discrimination or his porent's warning had not been sufficiently impressive, for o few days afterward he vented a notable addition to his vocabulory of expletives. His mother this time waited not for speech, but promptly and firmly seized the young mon and washed his mouth out with soapsuds, which she had already demonstrated as an effectual spiritual cleanser.

A few days afterward Lewis was watching the nurse giving his six-weeks-old sister her bath, and when nurse carefully washed out the little mouth Lewis asked interestedly. "Nurse, hos baby been saying naughty words?"—New York Times.

They Won't Talk Shop.

"There is just one line of trade thot men cannot be induced to tolk obout in public ploces," said the city salesman. "That is women's fashions. I sow a man in the car a little while ogo that I wanted to interview the worst way, but I knew it would be impossible to get a word out of him. He deals in cloaks and suits, and, like all the rest of the men who handle women's garments, he fights shy of the subject in street cars on the ground that nothing mokes o mon look quite so ridiculous in feminine eyes and the eyes of other men as to discuss from a business standpoint the length of women's coats, the color of their gowns, the shope of their hats and the size of their sleeves."—New York Globe.

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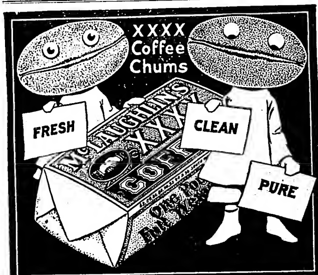

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DEFAULT HAS BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a mortgage executed by Edmond Bray and Mary Bray, his wife, mortgagors to Duluth Brewing & Malting Company, a corporation, as Mortgagee, bearing date the 5th day of January, 1904, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 7th day of January, 1904, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 21 of mortgages on page 199.

Said default consists in the failure of the mortgagors to pay the sum of $348.98, which amount is claimed to be due and which is due upon the note which said mortgage was given to secure, at date hereof. By reason thereof, the power of sale in said mortgage contained has become operative and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has ever been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, in accordance with the provisions of said mortgage and because of said default said Duluth Brewing & Malting Company hereby elects to declare and does hereby declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage to be due and payable.

The property described in said mortgage and thereby mortgaged is situated in the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota and is described as follows; to-wit: Lots numbered twenty-three (23) and twenty-four (24) in Block numbered eight (8) in Buse & Bottineau's Addition to Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, according to the plat thereof on file in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county Minnesota, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises above described which sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county at the Front Door of the County Court House at Red Lake Falls in said county, on Saturday, the 21st day of September, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage and fifty dollars ($50.00) attorneys' fees, as stipulated in said mortgage, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated this [illegible]th day of August, 1907.

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Orson Doe has accepted a position with Button's Business college of Crookston, and is visiting the valley towns in the interests of this school.

County Attorney Germo went down to St. Paul Tuesday evening to spend a few days looking after legal matters, and taking in the city sights.

Joseph Toupin left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis to take his second year's work in the academic department of the University of Minnesota.

V. M. Higinbotham returned home last Sathrday morning from a week spent visiting his parents at Forest City, Iowa, and taking in the big state fair.

Mrs. A. L. LaFreniere, of Grand Rapids, is a guest at the home of Mrs. O. LaFreniere this week, while on her way to her home from a visit at St. Paul.

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More than 400 graduates of the Minneapolis Business college went to good business positions during the past year. Write Rugg & Boyce, 300 Central Ave.

Rev. I. T. Aastad will conduct services in the Norwegian Lutheran church here next Sunday, Sept. 15 at 7:30 p. m. There will be no morning services.

Joseph Helm arrived home Saturday morning from the Twin cities, where he spent all of last week looking after business matters and attending the state fair.

Contractor Lindtner has completed the cement walk around the school house property, and is at present engaged in putting down the new walk around the court house.

The Misses Margaret Kans and Maude Findeisen departed last Thursday evening for Warren, where they will teach in the public schools during the next year.

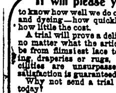
G. A. Kankel arrived home Monday from the Twin cities, where he spent most of last week in attendance at the Minnesota fair, and taking in the sights of the big towns.

John Helm has entered St. John's college at Collegeville, and will take a complete business course. John is a bright young man, and will without doubt succeed in his chosen work.

Chas. W. Latta, editor of the Plummer Pioneer, passed through here yesterday on his way home from Crookston, where he had spent several days looking after business matters.

Watch for the big bills for market day, giving list of prizes and program of events. The farmers of southern Red Lake county will be given the time of their lives on this occasion.

Mayor and Mrs. John A. Duffy arrived home Monday morning from a week's sojourn at the Twin cities. Mr. and Mrs. Duffy took in the big Minnesota state fair and visited with relatives and old-time friends, having spent a very enjoyabla week.



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Mrs. Robert Fritz, of St. Paul, is a guest this week of her mother, Mrs. John Sutor. She visited with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Chapman, of Crookston, several days while on her way here.

The members of the teaching staff of the Red Lake Falls schools arrived here the last of the week to take up their work Monday morning. They all express themselves as pleased to be back in Red Lake Falls.

Agent J. L. Tracy, of the Great Northern, is spending this week at Lake City, and points in Wisconsin, where he is renewing old time scenes and enjoying a rest from his duties. He is expected home tomorrow.

J. F. Grey came up from Royalton Friday and remained over Sunday with his family here. Joe reports his railroad contract work as progressing finely, and he expects to be employed steadily until the freeze-up.

Mrs. C. L. Grey and daughter, Katherine, returned home Monday from a several weeks visit at the cities and points in other parts of the state. They will open up their millinery store and get ready for the big fall business.

Fred Wilford and daughter, of Galena, Illinois, are guests at the home of Mr. Wilford's brother-in-law, John Drier, having arrived here last Thursday. This is Mr. Wilford's first visit to this part of the country and he is enjoying himself immensely.

Leon Huot, of Wylie, returned home Tuesday morning from St. Paul, where he went Saturday evening with a carload of cattle raised on his farm in Louisville. Mr. Huot spent a couple of days taking in the sights of the cities and had a most enjoyable time.

The venerable J. W. Bourdoa is able to be down town again after being laid up for a couple of months with an attack of blood-poisoning in one of his feet. He is still compelled to use crutches, but the injury is healing very rapidly and he will shortly be as well as ever.

Frank Jeffers came up from Minneapolis this morning and will spend several days with his family and friends here. Frank has been enjoying a brief rest and took in the state fair last week, and he did not want to go back to active work without first spending a few days at home.

There will be a meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church of Red Lake Falls, Minn., on Friday evening, Sept. 13, at 8 o'clock for the purpose of considering the advisability of renewing the pastor relation of this church. By order of Session—W. A. Ricchel, clerk.

The Red Lake Falls Milling company's elevator at Thief River Falls now occupies its new site on the Great Northern right-of-way, having being moved there last week. The elevator is being completely overhauled and will be ready for business by the time the crop is moving.

S. M. Sivertson left Tuesday evening for a trip up the St. Vincent line, on business for the Red Lake Falls Milling company. The movement of the fall crop makes lots of additional work for the mill people, and Mr. Sivertson will be kept constantly on the go for the next several weeks.

Have you pulled yourself up by your own boot-straps? Do you think you have too much to lose it all? The San Francisco earthquake proved the folly of this kind of thinking. Fidelity life insurance was all some persons had left.—The Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance Co., Philadelphia.

Harry Garceau has entered Carleton college at Northfield, and will spend the next year taking a course in music and one or two other studies. Harry has not fully decided on what profession he will follow, but will spend one year at least in work that will be of great benefit to him in later life.

Judge of Probate Tarrant officiated at the marriage of Paul Weiss, of Black River, to Miss Sophia Yette, of Louisville, Tuesday morning. The newly married pair will make their home on the groom's fine farm in Black River township and expect to go house-keeping at once. Mr. Weiss is a son of one of Black River's oldest residents, and is a young man of excellent habits and bright prospects. The bride is a well-known young lady of Louisville, well fitted for a wife's companion of the man of her choice. THE GAZETTE takes pleasure in extending its hearty congratulations.

Chas. Brady left last evening for Minneapolis where he will again resume his studies at the University of Minnesota.

Miss Laura Detert, one of the teachers in our schools, was in the bad railroad wreck on the Rock Island road near Waterloo, Iowa, last week. A fast passenger train left the track and crashed into a freight standing on a siding, killing several people outright and injuring a number of others. Miss Detert escaped unhurt, but does not care to repeat the thrilling experience.

John F. Naughtin, special agent of the Fidelity Life, is in Red Lake Falls this week interviewing prospective policy-holders. The Fidelity is one of the old reliable companies and during the recent scandal in insurance circles there was not the slightest suspicion of dishonesty or mismanagement lodged against it. If you want good insurance at a reasonable price Mr. Naughtin is the man to see.

August Morin and son, Alvah, arrived home yesterday from Bellecourt, North Dakota, where Mr. Morin has been working on a big job of government building work during the summer. He finished up for this year on Monday of this week, but expects to go back next summer and do considerable more work at the same place. Joe Lachance and Homer Laurent, who have been working with him, will return home this week also.

The Fosston Thirteen Towns comments as follows regarding two young ladies who are teaching in the public schools of that place this year: "Miss Marchand starts in with her work in a way that augurs well for the interests of the second graders. There are 22 bright little folks there hard at work and there are still others to come. The fourth grade pupils are fortunate in having a teacher of the enthusiasm and ability of Miss Tibbetts. Both the third and the fourth grades number 28 pupils."

The public schools opened for the years work on schedule time Monday morning, and from all appearances prospects for a highly successful year are particularly bright. The exact figures are not available at present, but Superintendent Chamberlain announces that the enrollment on the opening day was larger than the corresponding day last year. The school spirit seems to be manifest in every department and the pupils are there this year for the purpose of learning. The public school system is the grandest institution in the world, and that Red Lake Falls schools keep their place well at the top should be gratifying to the people generally.

Rev. Philip A. Schwarz, of Windom, who has occupied the pulpit at the Presbyterian church here for the past two weeks, will preach his final sermon Sunday morning, it being his intention to leave that evening for the Twin cities, where he will visit a few days before returning home. Rev. Schwarz came here a month ago to find relief from hay fever, with which he is afflicted every year in southern Minnesota, and he states to THE GAZETTE that he has never spent a more enjoyable outing. Not only was he completely rid of all traces of the hay fever, but the outing in this delightful northern Minnesota clime has done him a world of good, and he says he will long remember Red Lake Falls and her excellent people.

The Crookston Times took particular pains to note the fact that "the Red Lake Falls band was ably assisted by five professional players from Fargo" at the band concert given at Crookston while en route to the state fair last week. It is true that the local band did hire four players to accompany them on this trip, as the loss of several good men in the last few months necessitated hiring one or two men to keep the band up to its old standard. But there is no significance in this, as every engagement the Crookston band has played for several years past. Prof. Riggs has hired players to bring his organization up to where it had to be. The Times couldn't knock any other way, so it tried to make it appear that the "five professionals," as they were called, were entirely responsible for the excellent concert given at Crookston. But then, that's easy—considering that it came from Crookston.

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Garceau & Zaiser

F. J. Parker arrived here from Marshall today to spend a few days looking after his interests hereaway.

Part of our Kuppenheimer clothing is here.—Come and see the best ever shown here.—Theo. LaBissoniere.

State Librarian John E. King is up from St. Paul spending a few days looking over his interests this week.

For Sale—wind mill, Aermotor make, almost new, 60 ft 4 frame tower and 12 ft wheel. See S. A. Swanson.

Say, have you seen that new "White" Washer at Hunt's Hdw. Co.? It's worth your while to look it over.

G. A. Kankel and Joseph Paradis went down to Fertile last evening to spend a day looking after business matters.

Farmers, don't forget that I sell the John Deere plows—gang, sulky and walking plows.—William Findeisen.

Mrs. P. H. Martin, of Crookston, was an over-Sunday visitor with her daughter, Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere.

If you would try a box of that E-Z Stove Polish that the Hunt Hdw. Co. sells you would never use any other kind.

Miss Johanna Johnson, of Chicago, arrived here Saturday for a visit of some time with her cousin, Mrs. C. W. Johnson.

Isaac Mayhew is spending the week visiting with relatives and friends at Duluth, Superior and other adjacent points.

For sale at a bargain a 16-horse portable Gasoline engine used somewhat, in first-class working condition.—Jos. Helm.

Mrs. F. A. Grady and children arrived home yesterday from a visit of a couple of weeks with relatives in the Twin cities.

One 10-horse mounted Sweep Horse power on trucks, new; will sell for $125.00 cost; $275.00 at factory.—Jos. Helm.

Prof. H. R. Tonning, well-known to the people of Red Lake Falls, is principal of the public schools at Fertile this year.

John N. Kirsch, of the Crookston Journal, was a passenger on yesterday's train on his way for a business visit at Thief River Falls.

Mesdames G. A. Kankel and Otto Zaiser are expected home tomorrow from their two weeks visit with relatives at Duluth and Two Harbors.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Floan and family will leave Saturday of this week for Spokane, Wash., where Mr. Floan has made property investments and will make his future home. He has not announced his intentions, but it is understood he is erecting a business building in a new and growing section of the city and likely will engage in merchandising. The Floans have been residents of Red Lake Falls for nearly four years and have made hosts of friends. Mr. Floan does not relinquish all of his holdings here, but thinks there are many promising possibilities in the west, and will try it there for a while at least. While loath to see the family leave, the people generally will join with THE GAZETTE in wishing them [illegible]

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SISTER ROSE.

A STORY OF THE FRENCH REVOLUTION

BY WILKIE COLLINS.

CHAPTER XXIII.—(CONTINUED.)

"Let that man enter, whoever he is!" cried the general.

Lomaque passed Madame Danville on the threshold. She trembled as he brushed by her; then, supporting herself by the wall, followed him a few paces into the room. She looked first at her son—after that, at Trudaine—after that, back again at her son. Something in her presence silenced every one. There fell a sudden stillness over all the assembly—a stillness so deep that the eager, frightened whispering, and sharpened rustling of dresses among the women in the library became audible from the other side of the closed door.

"Charles," she said, slowly advancing, "why do you look?" She stopped, and fixed her eyes again on her son more earnestly than before; then turned them suddenly on Trudaine. "You are looking at my son, sir," she said; "and I see contempt in your face. By what right do you insult a man whose grateful sense of his mother's obligations to you made him risk his life for the saving of yours and your sister's? By what right have you kept the escape of my son's wife from death by the guillotine—an escape which, for all I know to the contrary, his generous exertions were instrumental in effecting—a secret from my son? By what right, I demand to know, has your treacherous secrecy placed us in such a position as we now stand in before the master of this house?"

An expression of sorrow and pity passed over Trudaine's face while she spoke. He retired a few steps, and gave her no answer. The general looked at him with eager curiosity, and dropping his hold of Danville's arm, seemed about to speak; but Lomaque stepped forward at the same time, and held up his hand to claim attention.

"I think I shall express the wishes of Citizen Trudaine," he said, addressing Madame Danville, "if I recommend this lady not to press for too public an answer to her questions."

"Pray, who are you, sir, who take it on yourself to advise me?" she retorted haughtily. "I have nothing to say to you, except that I repeat those questions, and that I insist on their being answered."

"Who is this man?" asked the general addressing Trudaine, and pointing to Lomaque.

"A man unworthy of credit," cried Danville, speaking audibly for the first time, and darting a look of deadly hatred at Lomaque. "An agent of police under Robespierre."

"And in that capacity capable of answering questions which refer to the transactions of Robespierre's tribunals," remarked the ex-chief agent with his old official self-possession.

"True!" exclaimed the general; "the man is right—let him be heard."

"There is no help for it," said Lomaque, looking at Trudaine; "leave it to me—it is fittest that I should speak. I was present," he continued in a louder voice, "at the trial of Citizen Trudaine and his sister. They were brought to the bar through the denunciation of Citizen Danville. Till the confession of the male prisoner exposed the fact, I can answer for Danville's not being aware of the real nature of the offenses charged against Trudaine and his sister. When it became known that they were secretly helping this lady to escape from France, and when Danville's own head was consequently in danger, I myself heard him save it by false assertion that he had been aware of Trudaine's conspiracy from the first——"

"Do you mean to say," interrupted the general, "that he proclaimed himself in open court, as having knowingly denounced the man who was on trial for saving his mother?"

"I do," answered Lomaque. (A murmur of horror and indignation rose from all the strangers present at that reply.) "The reports of the tribunal are existing to prove the truth of what I say," he went on. "As to the escape of Citizen Trudaine and the wife of Danville from the guillotine, it was the work of political circumstances, which there are persons living to speak to if necessary, and a little stratagem of mine, which need not be referred to now. And last, with reference to the concealment which followed the escape, I beg to inform you that it was abandoned the moment we knew what was going on here; and that it was only persevered in up to this time, as a natural measure of precaution on the part of Citizen Trudaine. From a similar motive we now abstain from exposing his sister to the shock and the peril of being present here. What man with an atom of feeling would risk letting her even look again on such a husband as that?"

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HE glanced round him, and pointed to Danville, as he put the question. Before a word could be spoken by any one else in the room, a low wailing cry of "My mistress! my dear, dear mistress!" directed all eyes first on the old man Dubois, then on Madame Danville.

She had been leaning against the wall before Lomaque began to speak; but she stood perfectly upright now. [illegible] of the light gaudy ribands, flaunting on her disordered head-dress, so much as trembled. The old servant Dubois was crouched on his knees at her side, kissing her cold right hand, chafing it in his, reiterating his faint, mournful cry: "Oh, my mistress, my dear, dear mistress!" but she did not appear to know that he was near her. It was only when her son advanced a step or two towards her that she seemed to awaken suddenly from that death-trance of mental pain. Then she slowly raised the hand that was free, and waved him back from her. Her lips moved a little—she spoke:

"Oblige me, sir, for the last time, by keeping silence. You and I have henceforth nothing to say to each other. I am the daughter of a race of nobles, and the widow of a man of honor. You are a traitor and a false witness, a thing from which all true men and true women turn with contempt. I renounce you! Publicly, in the presence of these gentlemen, I say it—I have no son."

She turned her back on him, and bowing to the other persons in the room with the old formal courtesy of bygone times, walked slowly and steadily to the door. Stopping there, she looked back; and then the artificial courage of the moment failed her. With a faint, suppressed cry, she clutched at the hand of the old servant, who still kept faithfully at her side; he caught her in his arms, and her head sank on his shoulder.

"Help him!" cried the general to the servants near the door. "Help him take her into the next room!"

The old man looked up suspiciously from his mistress to the persons who were assisting him to support her. With a strange, sudden jealousy he shook his hand at them. "Home," he cried, "she shall go home, and I will take care of her. Away! you there—nobody holds her head but Dubois. Down-stairs! down-stairs to her carriage! She has nobody but me now, and I say she shall be taken home."

As the door closed, General Berthelin approached Trudaine, who had stood silent and apart, from the time when Lomaque first appeared in the drawing-room.

"I wish to ask your pardon," said the old soldier, "because I have wronged you by a moment of unjust suspicion. For my daughter's sake, I bitterly regret that we did not see each other long ago; but I thank you, nevertheless, for coming here, even at the eleventh hour."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Another Big Naphtha.

Up at the works of the Gas Engine and Power company at Morris Heights they are building a seventy-six foot naphtha boat for T. Adolph Mollenbauer of Brooklyn that is a yacht in every sense of the word. The use of naptha as a motive power always suggests that the craft which it drives must be a launch but when that boat is seventy-six feet long and has twin screws it surely has a right to the more pretentious title. The interior arrangements of the new craft, which is well in hand, are very comfortable, the absence of coal bunkers and all the other necessary appurtenances of a steam yacht giving so much more cabin room. Forward of the pilothouse is a clear deck space of 10 feet. The house itself is 9 feet 8 inches long and is mahogany, handsomely paneled. The main saloon is finished in ivory and gold. It is 14 feet 3 inches long, with roomy lockers and bookcases at either end. The two engines that propel the boat occupy a space amidships of 6 feet 6 inches in length. In the crew's quarters there are three berths, while below the pilothouse is a cabin fitted with two berths for the captain and engineer. The boat is to be schooner rigged and from mast to mast there is a space of 25 feet, a flush deck, with the exception of one skylight.—New York World.

A Paper Restaurant.

An eating-house made of paper has been erected in the port of Hamburg. Its walls are composed of a double layer of paper stretched on frames and impregnated with a fire and water proof solution. A thin wooden partition affords further protection against the inclemency of the weather. The roofs and walls are fastened together by means of bolts and hinges, so that the entire structure may be rapidly taken to pieces and put up again. The dining-room itself measures 30 meters by 6 meters, and is capable of accommodating about 150 persons. There are twenty-two windows and four skylights, and the heating is effected by a couple of isolated stoves. A side erection contains the manager's offices, kitchen, larder and dwelling-rooms. The total cost of the construction is said to have amounted to 1,500 marks

The Egg.

In all ages the egg has been a symbol of life, and in the east, for thousands of years, the use of the egg at the spring festival, to symbolize the resurrection of nature, has been known. Its employment among the early Christians was probably borrowed from the Roman practices prevalent at that time of sending colored eggs as presents during the spring festival. It was condemned as a pagan custom by the Christian clergy in A. D. 321, and again in A. D. 416, but could not, apparently, be suppressed, so was permitted, a new symbolic meaning, that of the [illegible]

PHASES OF AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN FOUL BROOD

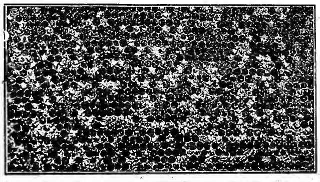
A Disease Which Works Havoc in the Hive—By G. F. White, Ph. D., U. S. Department of Agriculture.

American foul brood (often called simply "foul brood") is distributed through all parts of the United States, and from the symptoms published in European journals and texts one is led to believe that it is also the prevalent brood disease in Europe. Although it is found in almost all sections of the United States, there are many localities entirely free from disease of any kind.

The adult bees of an infected colony are usually rather inactive and do little toward cleaning out infected material. When the larvae are first affected, they turn to a light chocolate color, and in the advanced stages of decay they become darker, resembling roasted coffee in color. Usually the larvae are attacked at about the time of capping, and most of the cells containing infected larvae are capped. As decay proceeds, these cappings become sunken and perforated, and, as the healthy brood emerges, the comb shows the scattered cells containing larvae which have died of disease, still capped. The most noticeable characteristic of this infection is the fact that when a small stick is inserted in a larva which has died of the disease, and slowly removed, the broken-down tissues adhere to it and will often stretch out for several inches before breaking. When the larva dies, it forms a tightly adhering scale of very dark brown color, which can best be observed when the comb is held so that a bright light strikes the lower side wall. Decaying larvae which have died of this disease have a very characteristic odor, which resembles a poor quality of glue. This disease seldom attacks drone or queen larvae. It appears to be much more virulent in the western part of the United States then in the east.

Adult bees in infected colonies are not very active, but do succeed in cleaning out some of the dried scales. This disease attacks larvae earlier than does American foul brood, and a comparatively small percentage of the diseased brood is ever capped. The diseased larvae which are capped over have sunken and perforated cappings. The larvae when first attacked show a small yellow spot on the body near the head and move uneasily in the cell. When death occurs, they turn yellow, then brown, and finally almost black. Decaying larvae which have died of this disease do not usually stretch out in a long thread when a small stick is inserted and slowly removed. Occasionally there is a very slight "ropiness," but this is never very marked. The thoroughly dried larvae form irregular scales which are not strongly adherent to the lower side wall of the cell. There is very little odor from decaying larvae which have died from this disease, and when an odor is noticeable it is not the "glue pot" odor of the American foul brood, but more nearly resembles that of soured dead brood. This disease attacks drone and queen larvae very soon after the colony is infected. It is as a rule much more infectious than American foul brood and spreads rapidly. On the other hand, it sometimes happens that the disease will disappear of its own accord, a thing which the author never knew to occur in a genuine case of American foul brood. European foul brood is most destructive during the spring and early summer, often almost disappearing in late summer and autumn.

The nature of foul brood as a germ disease.—If a comb be removed from near the center of a healthy hive during the summer months its cells will normally be filled with eggs, larvae, and pupae in every stage of development. The eggs as left by the ovipositor of the queen or mother adhere commonly by the end to the base of the cells they occupy, and favored by the high temperature constantly maintained within the hive, the germinal vesicle at about three days matures into a larva ready for hatching. These eggs I have shown as liable to the disease even before they leave the body of the mother, but most careful microscopic examination is needful to make this apparent (and of which I shall speak presently more particularly). On the contrary, the larvae, which are constantly fed by the workers, so change in appearance soon after infection that a practiced eye at once detects the presence of the disease. Whilst healthy, their bodies are of a beautiful pearly whiteness, lying, at first floating, in the abundant pabulum the nurses are ever ready to supply. As they grow they curl themselves at the bottom of the cells until they become too strait for their occupants, which now advance to the head to be in readiness for the cocoon spinning, which follows upon the close of the eating stage. When the disease strikes the larvae they move uneasily in their cells, and often then present the dorsal surface to its mouth, * * * so that mere posture is no insufficient evidence of an unhealthy condition. The color changes to yellow, passing on by degrees toward a pale brown, whilst the skin becomes flaccid and opaque; death soon occurs, when the body, now shrunken by evaporation, lies on the lower side of the cell, increasing in depth of tone, until in a few days nothing more than a nearly black scale remains. Should the larvae, however, escape contamination until nearly the period of pupahood, they are sealed over in the normal way by a cover made of pollen-grains and wax, * * * and which is pervious to air. The cover furnishes a screen on which part of the cocoon is soon after spread, but the inhabitant of the cell is marked out for death, and before very long the capping or sealing sinks and becomes concave, and in it punctures of an irregular character appear, * * * and this is a nearly conclusive sign of the diseased condition of the colony. The sense of smell is also appealed to, as a peculiar, very offensive, and extremely characteristic odor now escapes from the diseased combs. The bees, in addition, lose energy, but become unusually active in ventilating their hive by standing at the door, heads towards home, and flapping their wings persistently so that a strong out-current, and as a necessary consequence, a correspondingly indraught are set up. Should any attempt be made at removing a dead larva which has assumed a deep brown tint, its body, tenaciously adhering to the cell wall will stretch out into long and thin strings like half-dried glue. The microscopist can easily explain this. The thin chitinous aerating sacs and tracheae do not undergo decomposition at all easily, and these remaining, occasion the peculiarity referred to. * * * The disease is terribly infectious, and once started soon spreads from cell to cell and often from stock to stock.



Portion of Comb from Colony Infected with American Foul Brood.

AGRICULTURE IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

By Prof. D. O. Barto, University of Illinois, Agricultural College.

First there must be a body of teachers with special training for this work; second, pupils must remain longer in school; third, the work should be adapted to local conditions and the capacity of the pupils.

The agricultural colleges have already worked out and formulated a vast amount of scientific knowledge admirably adapted to instructional work in the secondary schools. Our own college of agriculture has begun the training of teachers for such schools.

I would like to make the study of agriculture a permanent feature in the course of every high school, because the deepest interest of this community is agriculture, and I believe it to be the duty of the high school to advance the interest of the people who are supporting it and give the child that training which shall best fit him for his vocation; because the environment of these pupils is wholly of the country and the farm, and therefore agriculture provides the most effective field in which to reach and teach them; because agricultural science offers a subject for educational purposes unsurpassed by any other in our schools.

Instruction for these boys and girls should be about things which enter into their daily life, and have to do with the interests of the home and the farm, with earning a living, and making money—why these are real things, and have never been associated in their minds with school and education. These young people have learned by daily contact many of the commoner theories and practices of farm life, but when they learn in these schools how the key of science can unlock for them the mysteries of the soil and give them a power to control plant and animal life as they will, the indifference which has walled in so many pupils will rapidly crumble [illegible]

TELLS LOVE IN LEGAL FORM.

Wooer of Washington Widow Makes Deposition He Adores Her.

Of a score or more of prominent Washington widows, one of the most conspicuous is Mrs. Albert Clifford Barney, who sailed for Europe a few days ago, after receiving the most extraordinary declaration of affection ever bestowed on mortal woman. Mrs. Barney has the assurance that she possesses all the charm of her girlhood days, despite the fact that she is the mother of two daughters to all outward appearance as old as herself, for one of her adorers—she has several—has just gone before a notary and made solemn deposition in legal form that he loves her for herself alone and furthermore, that should she consent to marry him he will never accept one penny of her fortune in life or make any claim on her estate should he survive her.

He has proposed orally so many times without getting any results that in desperation he has at last resorted to this method. And even after this Mrs. Barney sailed away without encouraging, much less accepting, the suit of so disinterested a lover. The latter is, however, not wholly discouraged, and proposes following his adored one to Paris.

The object of this disinterested affection was born a Miss Pike, of Cincinnati, the daughter of that war-time manufacturer of a whisky which laid the foundation of the vast fortune this twentieth century knight treats with noble sc[illegible]. She is a handsome woman, possessed of great talent, as a portrait painter, several of her pictures having received distinguished notice at the exhibitions of the Corcoran art gallery. As a practical illustration of artistic temperament, she has taken to architecture, having built herself a wonderful house, combining in a delightful fashion the purposes of a home, a garage, and a studio.

DRIVER WAS NOT IMPRESSED.

Ambassador Jusserand Probably Now Carries Credentials.

Ambassador Jusserand, from France, was one of the party of diplomatists who accompanied the president to the opening of the Jamestown exposition.

The ambassador, who is small and nervous, grew tired of the exercises before they were over, and concluded to go back to the hotel. He left, accompanied by Mme. Jusserand. Conveyances were few. The ambassador looked around and saw several surreys standing.

He clapped his hands, whistled and shouted, but the drivers paid no attention to him. Then he trudged over and said: "I desire to engage this carriage."

"Can't," replied the driver.

"Cannot? And why?"

"Because these carriages is reserved for the president's friends."

The ambassador hopped up and down. "But I am ze president's friend," he exclaimed, lapsing slightly from the punctilious English he usually employs.

The driver looked the ambassador over. "You one of the president's friends?" he inquired scornfully. "Which one?"

"I am ze ambassador from France—ze ambassador from France, I tell you."

The driver grinned. He leaned out and shook a warning finger in the diplomat's face. "Now see here," he said, "you can't come that over me, Alphonse."—Saturday Evening Post.

Brought Capital Up to Date.

When President Roosevelt adopted a livery and put the national colors on his coachman's hat, he gave the finishing touch to Washington as an aristocratic and up to date capital. Now, at least the gentry can be distinguished at a glance from the commoner. Six years ago, Washington boasted of but one state equipage, and that was the property of the mikado's envoy. Now, Mr. and Mrs. Everybody, and those who want to get into the same family circle, has his coach embellished with coats of arms, his attendants bedecked in gay livery and ribbons of the same colors, fluttering from their horses' blinders. When the president goes out to drive, his driver and footman wear buff trousers, dark green coats embellished with shiny brass buttons, and a cockade of tricolored ribbon in their silk hats. Each of the horses also has a bunch of glory ribbon tied to his head dress. When Mrs. Roosevelt goes for an outing the outfit is made more festive by the use of a tan harness on which the national emblem appears several times, and the driver's whip is decorated with the national colors. The boys and Miss Ethel have individual ways of using bits of red, white and blue, about their pony turnouts, and even old Pinckney, as he goes marketing for the family, marks his horse with distinction by fastening a tri-colored rosette on either blinder.

Reclaiming Wife Deserter.

A barber named Bunch charged with deserting his wife was recently paroled by a Washington court on the following conditions: He is to stay out of the country for a period, to be determined by his father-in-law. He has a family of five boys, and he cannot see them unless his behavior justifies it. He has to go to church every Sunday, work in a first-class barber shop, and have a recommendation from the minister of the church that he has been trying to be a man. Should any of the conditions be broken, Bunch will have to go to prison for three months.

DOES YOUR BACK ACHE?

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Too Many Wolves in Iowa.

Wolves have become so numerous in the vicinity of Anita, Iowa, and their depredations so frequent that the sheep owners have united, agreeing to pay a bounty for all wolves killed in the four northeast townships of Cass county, equal to that now paid by the county, thus making the bounty $10 and $4, respectively, for old and young wolves.

CHILDREN TORTURED.

Girl Had Running Sores from Eczema—Boy Tortured by Poison Oak—Both Cured by Cuticura.

"Last year, after having my little girl treated by a very prominent physician for an obstinate case of eczema, I resorted to the Cuticura Remedies, and was so well pleased with the almost instantaneous relief afforded that we discarded the physician's prescription and relied entirely on the Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment, and Cuticura Pills. When we commenced with the Cuticura Remedies her feet and limbs were covered with running sores. In about six weeks we had her completely well, and there has been no recurrence of the trouble.

"In July of this year a little boy in our family poisoned his hands and arms with poison oak, and in twenty-four hours his hands and arms were a mass of torturing sores. We used only the Cuticura Remedies, and in about three weeks his hands and arms healed up. Mrs. Lizzie Vincent Thomas, Fairmont, Walden's Ridge Tenn., Oct. 13, 1905."

Right Foot on the Rail.

In every police station in the city a magistrate sits at 7 o'clock each morning to hear the petty cases of the day before. Nine out of ten of the arrests are drunks. Observant persons who attend these hearings notice a peculiar gesture made by almost every prisoner as he is brought before the bar of justice.

As each one places his hands on the rail before him and faces the Magistrate his right foot involuntarily is lifted a trifle off the ground as if to place it on a foot rail that graces almost every barroom in the city. It has also been noticed that the policemen who are brought up to testify against the prisoners do the same thing.—Philadelphia Record.

Sang at Her Work.

A well known clergyman relates that while on a recent visit to Shropshire he was in a small town where owing to the scarcity of good servants most of the ladies preferred to do their own work.

He was awakened quite early by the tones of a clear soprano voice singing "Nearer, My God, to Thee." As the clergyman lay in bed he meditated upon the piety his hostess must possess which enabled her to go about her tasks early in the morning singing such a noble hymn.

At breakfast he spoke to her about it and told her how pleased he was.

"Oh law!" she replied, "that's the hymn I boil eggs by; three verses for soft and five for hard."

FEET OUT.

She Had Curious Habits.

When a person has to keep the feet out from under cover during the coldest nights in winter because of the heat and prickly sensation, it is time that coffee, which causes the trouble, be left off.

There is no end to the nervous conditions that coffee will produce. It shows in one way in one person and in another way in another. In this case the lady lived in S. Dak. She says:

"I have had to lie awake half the night, with my feet and limbs out of the bed on the coldest nights, and felt afraid to sleep for fear of catching cold. I had been troubled for years with twitching and jerking of the lower limbs, and for most of the time I have been unable to go to church or to lectures because of that awful feeling that I must keep on the move.

"When it was brought to my attention that coffee caused so many nervous diseases, I concluded to drop coffee and take Postum Food Coffee to see if my trouble was caused by coffee drinking.

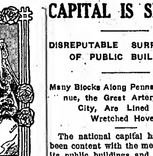
"I only drank one cup of coffee for breakfast but that was enough to do the business for me. When I quit it my troubles disappeared in an almost miraculous way. Now I have no more of the jerking and twitching and can sleep with any amount of bedding over me and sleep all night in sound, peaceful rest.

"Postum Food Coffee is absolutely worth its weight in gold to me." [illegible]

MOTHERHOOD

The first requisite of a good mother is good health, and the experience of maternity should not be approached without careful physical preparation, as a woman who is in good physical condition transmits to her children the blessings of a good constitution.

Preparation for healthy maternity is accomplished by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, which is made from native roots and herbs, more successfully than by any other medicine because it gives tone and strength to the entire feminine organism, curing displacements, ulceration and inflammation, and the result is less suffering and more children healthy at birth. For more than thirty years



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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free.

Her Bad Break.

"Well," said she, "I bought a Noah's Ark to-day as a birthday gift for the Greens' little boy."

"What on earth were you thinking of?" demanded her husband. "Didn't you know they're vegetarians?"

"Of course, but what of that?"

"Why that boy is morally certain to put some of those animals in his mouth, and even swallow them, perhaps!"

CONCORDIA COLLEGE.
Collegiate, Academic, Normal, Business, Ladies' Seminary, Elocution, Music. Illustrated catalogue free on application. Address, Prof. H. Bogstad, Moorhead, Minn.

A Misogynist.

"Me father," said Mrs. Murphy, "always gits up whin a lady enthers the room."

"The ould man is too suspicious," Mr. Murphy grunted. "I niver seen the woman yit that 'ud be mane enough to hit ye whin ye was sittin' down."

SHIP CATTLE, HOGS AND SHEEP.
Highest market price guaranteed.
CARSON, WOOD & WEILLER,
South St. Paul, Minnesota.

Always Kicking.

"Ostend," remarked the visitor, "as your father is quite a prominent man I suppose he makes a great many after-dinner speeches?"

"Oh, no," replied Ostend; "he makes all his speeches before dinner."

"Before dinner?"

"Yes, that is when he begins to find fault with the cooking."

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Victor, Edison or Zonophone. Write W. J. Dyer & Bros., 19 W. 5th St. St. Paul, Minn.

Unappreciative.

Young Man—Your sister sings a great deal, does she not?

Small Tommy — Not when I'm around.

Young Man—Why, how is that?

Small Tommy—Because it's me up the back alley when she begins.

SHIP YOUR CREAM
to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn. Write to-day for tags and prices.

Nothing Slow About Him.

Biggs—I understand Borrows is slow pay. How about it?

Diggs—Oh, there's nothing slow about him. He never pays at all.

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There is a special examination in Austrian cities for female barbers, who are yearly growing more numerous.

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Cash every day. Write for prices and tags.
MILLER & HOLMES, St. Paul, Minn.

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Manchuria last year purchased $12,000,000 worth of goods from the United States.

"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA
worth a dollar a lb. sold for 50c. Write Wm. McMurroy, St Paul, Minn., for free sample.

About the toughest thing that can happen to a man is to go contrary to his wife's judgment, and then make a failure.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

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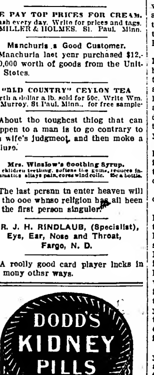

Finish Assured.

"John," said Mrs. Stubb, dropping her paper, "I am so glad."

"Glad of what, Maria," asked Mr. Stubb in surprise.

"Why, of the suffrage victory. There are nineteen women in the Finnish diet."

"Nineteen women in the Finnish diet! Hm! I can see its finish."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: George C. Andrews, Minneapolis, Minn., boiler; Charles J. Bender, Fergus Falls, Minn., bung; Gottlieb W. Froelich, St. Paul, Minn., washing machine; Isaac L. Rose, Bowbells, N. D., feed box; William C. Vegue, Brooks, Minn., snow-plow; John H. White, Ronneby, Minn., spark-arrester; Dennie Donahue, Sioux City, S. D., ice-washer.

Force of Professional Habit.

"What did that young man of Susan's do when her father took her away from him?"

"That lawyer chap?"

"Yes."

"He told the old man he might prevent his going to court, but he would immediately proceed to Sue."

PRESCRIPTIONS IN LATIN.

The Public Should Have Them Translated by the Druggists.

What virtue is there in the secrecy with which the doctor hedges about his profession?

"Professional etiquette" occupies a prominent place in the curriculum of every medical school, and when strictly analyzed "professional etiquette" seems to mean "doing what is best for the doctor, individually and collectively."

Among the things that "is best for the doctor" is the writing of his prescriptions in Latin, and thus keeping the public in ignorance not only of what it is taking for its ills, but forcing a call upon the doctor each time a prescription is needed.

In plain and unmistakable English the writing of prescriptions in Latin makes business for the doctors.

Let us say that you have the ague. You had it last year and the year before. Each time you have visited the doctor and he has prescribed for you—in Latin. You have never known what he has given you for the disease, and so each time you are forced to go to him again and give him an opportunity to repeat his prescription—in Latin, and his fee—in dollars.

If you ask the doctor why he uses Latin in writing his prescriptions, why he writes "aqua" when he means water, he will give you a technical dissertation on the purity of the Latin language, and the fact that all words are derived from it, etc. It will be a dissertation that you may not be able to answer, but it will hardly convince you.

It would be a good thing for the public to devise a little code of ethics of its own; ethics that will be "a good thing for the public individually and collectively."

Let us apply one of the rules of this code of ethics to you, the individual.

You call in the physician when you have the ague, the grippe, or any of the other ills to which human flesh is heir, and which you may have again some day. The doctor prescribes—in Latin, and you take this, to you, meaningless scribble to the druggist to have it compounded. Right here is where you come in, if you are wise. Say to the druggist that you want a translation of that prescription. It is your privilege to know what you are taking. While the doctor's code of ethics may not recognize this right it is yours just the same.

With the translated prescription in your possession you have two distinct advantages. You know what you are taking, and should you wish to call some other doctor at some time you will be able to tell him what drugs you have been putting into your system, and also if you should have the same disease again you can save yourself a visit to the doctor, and his fee, by taking this translated prescription to [illegible]

CAPITAL IS SHABBY

DISREPUTABLE SURROUNDINGS OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Many Blocks Along Pennsylvania Avenue, the Great Artery of the City, Are Lined with Wretched Hovels.

The national capital has for years been content with the magnificence of its public buildings and has endured shabby dwellings and business houses as one of the inevitable conditions of life. Even the filthy and disreputable surroundings of the great marble building itself have been tolerated, though a disgrace to decency and a menace to safety and health.

But at last Washington is waking up from its Rip Van Winkle sleep and heroic efforts are being made to get the lawmakers to realize their duty to the people not only of the District, but of the entire United States. There is a demand for laws which will clean out, burn out or drown out the rows of squalid hovels which almost hem in the great building on the hill, while the main approach—Pennsylvania avenue—must be looked after and purified.

It would be a difficult undertaking to depict the miserably wretched condition of affairs which exist for several blocks on Pennsylvania avenue—the chief boast of the city—extending from historic Georgetown to the Eastern Branch bridge. For several blocks at the foot of the capitol this world-renowned avenue is lined with low saloons, cheap boarding houses, shoes-half-soled-while-you-wait shops, shooting galleries, Chinese restaurants, laundries, junk shops, second-hand stores and cheap lunch rooms.

Perhaps in no city could be found a prominent street or avenue of more disreputable surroundings than this "Washington Bowery." Instead of growing better and more reputable in recent years it has grown steadily worse, though under the strongest possible police protection. Many of the buildings are unsanitary and unsafe, but the owners decline to tear down and rebuild or to sell at any reasonable price, for the rents are always good and a house is seldom vacant. On the Bowery can always be found, day and night, an ever changing panorama of human nature. Men of all conditions mingle promiscuously together. Well dressed men and ill-dressed ones, men of intelligence and stupid ones, old and young, foreigners and natives, all mix up in a general jumble, and, of course, there is no scarcity of the other sex. The color line is not rigidly drawn and every one is a good fellow so long as his money holds out, be he white man, negro or Chinese.

A higher moral tone of the population may be found in the southwestern and southeastern sections which surround the capitol, but in many instances the buildings occupied as homes are just about as shabby and disreputable and with not the least hope of being improved so long as tenants can be found. Worse still, and a burning disgrace to the city of Washington, is the fact that several of the really respectable-looking residences are disreputable resorts, but so well managed that the police have been unable to close them. At any rate, these houses have existed for years and there has been no interference.

Names That Are Suggestive.

When the Seattle high school baseball nine was in Washington recently it had as one of its players a young man named Ten Million.

Civil Service Commissioner Greene in commenting on the unusual appellation, recalled an instance of a queer cognomen that had come under his observation, somewhat in the same class with D-Cady Herrick, unsuccessful candidate for the governorship of New York against the late Gov. Higgins, and W. J. McGee of the Smithsonian Institution. But while in the case of these gentlemen the initials are not really such since they begin no word and are abbreviations for nothing whatever, in the instance cited by Commissioner Greene the initial had a meaning, making the whole name a parental admonition.

"I remember that years ago I knew a good woman who followed what used to be the humble occupation of monthly nurse," said the commissioner. "This Mrs. Quick was full of wise saws and modern instances, and used to lose no opportunity to give good advice. Her only son she burdened with a name which never let him forget his duty to the business world. She named him John B. Quick.

Danger to Consular Service.

"There is a doubt in my mind," said an official of the state department, apropos of a recent examination of candidates for consulships, "whether the best consuls will be secured, ultimately, by the entrance of these young men into the service, as permanent members of it. No matter how desirable they may be, personally, I cannot help feeling that with long service abroad, unless in countries positively repulsive, they will become denationalized, un-Americanized and willing expatriates. Their only sight of this country will be during brief and infrequent vacations, and imperceptibly their individual interests will become bound up with those of foreign countries. I may not take the right view of it, and my fears appear not to worry my superiors, but that's the [illegible]

Waste Not, Want Not.

The Friend—Bear up, Mr. Meenly; you'll get over it. You'll marry again.

Mr. Meanly—I shall have to. I've got a couple of hundred visiting cards with "Mrs. Meenly" on them, and I'm not going to have 'em wasted.

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Allen's Foot-Ease is a certain cure for hot, sweating, callous, and swollen, aching feet. Sold by all Druggists. Price 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Trial package FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Tricks in Every Trade.

"Yes, he is the craftiest upholsterer in town."

"In what way?"

"Why, he reads all the marriage notices in the papers."

"Does?"

"Yes; and then goes around to the bride's parents and asks them if they want the parlor sofa upholstered."

Does Your Head Ache?
If so, get a box of Krause's Headache Capsules of your Druggist. 25c.
Norman Lichty Mfg. Co., Des Moines, Ia.

Unkind.

"So she's about to be married again. Do you know who is the lucky man?"

"Yes; the dead one!"

A man can go to the devil, and back out if he doesn't like it, but a woman who goes to the devil is compelled to stay.

The long look within ourselves will cure us of a lot of impatience with other folks.

The Value of Time.

"Be sure you're right, and then go ahead," said the man who likes to quote.

"Yes," answered the energetic citizen. "But try not to waste too much time making sure, or you're liable to be like the man who studied his time table so long that he missed his train."

From His Point of View.

"You say that the number of the automobile that ran over you was 6666?"

"Yes."

"Well, my client's number is 9999."

"That's all right. The auto turned upside down when it fell on me."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
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All Needed.

South Water Street Merchant—Isn't there some mistake about this order? What can that small dealer possibly want of 100 dozen lemons?

City Salesman—He runs a fruit stand near the West side ball park, and the Cubs and Gi——

Merchant—I see.

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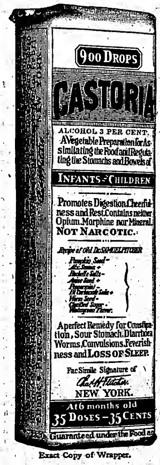
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Dr. Wm. J McCrann, of Omaha, Neb., says: "As the father of thirteen children I certainly know something about your great medicine, and aside from my own family experience I have in my years of practice found Castoria a popular and efficient remedy in almost every home."

Dr. J. R. Clausen, of Philadelphia, Pa., says: "The name that your Castoria has made for itself in the tens of thousands of homes blessed by the presence of children, scarcely needs to be supplemented by the endorsement of the medical profession, but I, for one, most heartily endorse it and believe it an excellent remedy."

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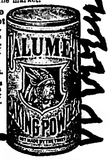

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Swell line of fancy vests at The Big Store.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

First-class base burner for sale cheap.—Mrs. Louis Sieff.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

Brunelle Bros. and Higinbotham have change of ads this week.

L. C. Simons was a Crookston visitor over last Friday night.

One 110 bushel grain tank, for sale at $25. See Joseph Helm.

For Sale—a top buggy and surrey both good as new.—P. O. Floan.

Market day on September 25. Watch for big bills and program.

Boys suits $1.25 to $7.00 at the Big Store. All new goods and styles.

Jim Balman was down from Thief River Falls over Monday night.

The Big Store has an interesting new ad in today's paper. Read it now.

One new Belle City thresher, 32 inch cylinder at a bargain.—Jos. Helm.

County Attorney Germo was a professional caller at Crookston over last Friday night.

A few gang and sulky plows to sell at less than wholesale cost today—Jos. Helm.

Your board will cost you $2 a week if you attend Mankato Commercial college.

100 dozen of brand new neckwear, just arrived at The Big Store. Come in and look.

Louis Berthiaume accompanied a car of cattle to the Twin city market last Saturday evening.

John Puhlen was in from Plummer last evening, shaking hands with his many friends.

John Doyea left Tuesday evening for North Dakota, where he will spend a month threshing.

Messrs. Felix and Albert Anderson, of Wylie, were Sunday guests of Clerk of Court Johnson.

Brand new $55 Singer sewing machine for sale at a bargain. Inquire at THE GAZETTE office.

Bert LaFreniere is now in the employ of the Big Store, have commenced his new duties Monday.

I have a few thresher belts, cotton and rubber, left which I will sell at bargain prices—Jos. Helm.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

W. W. Emmerich, the Crookston sewing machine dealer, was interviewing the trade here yesterday.

Get your binder twine at Wm. Findersen's. He sells the celebrated Plymouth and Prison twine fresh from the factory and sells it at rock bottom prices.

Changed Schools.

Miss Ella Olson, who went to Fargo to attend a business college, found that she had selected the wrong school, changed over to the Dakota Business College and has recently been placed in a fine position as stenographer for the Gaar Scott Machine Company of that city. Professor Watkins of the "D. B. C." has been very successful not only in training young people for business life but in locating all his graduates with the best business firms.

Caught.

A clergyman recently, addressing those who criticise others while they themselves are open to criticism, told this story: "When I was a boy we had a schoolmaster who had odd ways of catching idle boys. Says he one day: 'Boys, I must have closer attention to books. The first one of you that sees another boy idle I want you to inform me and I will attend to the case.' 'Ah,' thought I to myself, 'there's Joe Simmons, that I don't like. I'll watch him, and if I see him look off his book I'll tell on him.'

"It was not long before I saw Joe look off his book, and immediately I informed the master. 'Indeed,' said he. 'How did you know he was idle?' 'I saw him,' was the reply. 'You did. And were your eyes on your book when you saw him?' I was caught, but I didn't watch for the boys again."

The Walking Delegate.

When it first became a part of my duty to come in constant and direct contact with employers and trades union men, it was with little comprehension of the intensely human elements that persist, however the industrial environment changes. For example, it was a cause of much surprise to hear a very active business agent—"walking delegate," if you like—in telling the story of a labor trouble he had been handling and upon which a good deal depended remark that he couldn't follow it up on a certain day because it was his last chance to buy Christmas presents for the babies. Previously looked upon as a sort of impersonal economic automaton, he suddenly became understandable in the light of what he really is—simply an honest, somewhat narrow, tender hearted, pugnacious, jolly good fellow.—H. Robbins in Atlantic

A Criminal Attack

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels, 25c at Schreiter's drug store.

Notice of Application for Liquor License.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, City of Red Lake Falls, ss:

Notice is hereby given that application has been made in writing to the city council of said city of Red Lake Falls and filed in my office, praying for license to sell intoxicating liquors for the term commencing on Aug. 6 1907, and terminating on Aug. 5, 1908, by the following person, and at the following place, as stated in said application, respectively, to-wit:

LATENDRESSE BROS.

In that certain frame building situate on lot 18 of Block 7 in Champagne and Dow's addition to Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Said applications will be heard and determined by said City Council of the City of Red Lake Falls at the City hall in City of Red Lake Falls in Red Lake County, and State of Minnesota, on Thursday the 17th day of Sept. A. D. 1907, at 8 p. m. of that day.

Witness my hand and seal of the city of Red Lake Falls this 5th day of September, A. D. 1907.

12-19 A. P. TOUPIN, City Clerk.

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Scott's Emulsion **is powerful nourishment—highly concentrated.**

It makes bone, blood and muscle without putting any tax on the digestion.

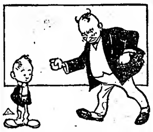
ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND $1.00.

Half Past Kissing Time.

The Lady In a Hurry—Why didn't you stop at once, conductor, when you saw me waving my hand?

The Facetious Conductor—Lor', miss! Why, I thought you was a-throwin' kisses at me.—Sketch.

What He Didn't Know.



Irate Pa—Now, I'm going to punish you and don't try that innocent game on me. I know all the wicked things you've done today.

Willie—No, you don't. You don't know where I've hid the strap you lick me with.—Once a Week.

Two of a Kind.

First Summer Girl—Who is that clean shaven, handsome boy?

Second Summer Girl—Oh, he's an actor!

First Summer Girl—No. I mean the other one.

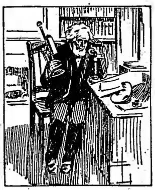
Second Summer Girl—Oh, he hasn't any money either!—Punch.

Generally.

Doleful Donald—Some of my brightest thoughts come to me when I am asleep.

Thirsty Gus—Troubled with insomnia, ain't you?—New York Mail.

Absentminded.



The Professor—Yes, hello, is this Jones' lamp store? No, I can't tell you the size of the shade, but here's the lamp.—Harper's Weekly.

A Cure For Obesity.

Landlady (to new boarder, who is rather stout)—I am glad to hear that one of my former boarders recommended you to my house.

Stout Boarder—Yes; he spoke very highly of it. After telling him that I had tried all kinds of antifat without success, he advised a short stay here.—Tatler.

Gems In Verse

OLD FAVORITES.

WHATEVER IS IS RIGHT.

KNOW thy own point: This kind, this due degree
Of blindness, weakness, heaven bestows on thee.
Submit: In this or any other sphere
Secure to be as blest as thou canst bear,
Safe in the hand of one disposing power,
Or in the natal or the mortal hour.
All nature is but art unknown to thee;
All chance, direction which thou canst not see;
All discord, harmony not understood;
All partial evil, universal good:
And, spite of pride, in erring reason's spite,
One truth is clear—whatever is is right.

—Alexander Pope.

THE WAY TO SHADOWTOWN.

SWAY to and fro in the twilight gray;
This is the ferry for Shadowtown.
It sails away at the end of the day
Just as the darkness closes round.

REST, little head, on my shoulder—so;
A sleepy kiss is the only fare.
Drifting away from the world we go—
Baby and I in the rocking chair.

SEE, where the firelogs glow and spark,
Glitter the lights of Shadowland.
The raining drops on the window—hark,
Are ripples lapping upon its strand.

THERE where a mirror is glancing dim
A lake lies shimmering, cool and still;
Blossoms are wavering o'er its brim—
Those over there on the window sill.

ROCK slow, more slow, in the dusky light.
Silently lower the anchor down.
Dear little passenger say "Good night."
We've reached the harbor of Shadowtown.

—Eugene Field.

THE RULER OF THE QUEEN'S NAVEE.

WHEN I was a lad I served a term
As office boy to an attorney's firm.
I cleaned the windows and swept the floor,
And I polished up the handle of the big front door.
I polished up the handle so care-ful-lee
That now I am the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

As office boy I made such a mark
That they gave me the post of junior clerk.
I served the writs with a smile so bland,
And I copied all the letters in a big round hand.
I copied all the letters in a hand so free,
And now I am the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

In serving writs I made such a name
That an articled clerk I soon became.
I wore clean collars and a brand new suit
For the pass examination at the Institute.
And that pass examination did so well for me
That now I am the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

Of legal knowledge I acquired such a grip
That they took me into the partnership.
And that junior partnership, I ween,
Was the only ship that I ever had seen,
But that kind of ship so suited me
That now I am the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

I grew so rich that I was sent
By a pocket borough into parliament.
I always voted at my party's call,
And I never thought of thinking for myself at all.
I thought so little they rewarded me
By making me the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

Now, landsmen all, whoever you may be,
If you want to rise to the top of the tree;
If your soul isn't fettered to an office stool,
Be careful to be guided by this golden rule—
Stick close to your desks and never go to sea,
And you may all be rulers of the queen's na-vee.

—William S. Gilbert.

HIGHLAND MARY.

YE banks and braes and streams around
The castle o' Montgomery,
Green be your woods and fair your flowers,
Your waters never drumlie!
There simmer first unfauld her robes
And there the langest tarry,
For there I took the last fareweel
O' my sweet Highland Mary.

How sweetly bloomed the gay green birk,
How rich the hawthorn's blossom,
As underneath their fragrant shade
I clasped her to my bosom!
The golden hours on angel wings
Flew o'er me and my dearie,
For dear to me as light and life
Was my sweet Highland Mary.

Wi' mony a vow and locked embrace,
Our parting was fu' tender,
And, pledging oft to meet again,
We tore oursels asunder.
But, oh, fell Death's untimely frost,
That nipped my flower sae early!
Now green's the sod and cauld's the clay
That wraps my Highland Mary!

Oh, pale, pale now those rosy lips
I aft ha'e kissed sae fondly,
And closed for aye the sparkling glance
That dwalt on me sae kindly,
And moldering now in silent dust
That heart that lo'ed me dearly,
But still within my bosom's core
Shall live my Highland Mary!

—Robert Burns.

TWO SHIPS.

TWO ships of war met on the sea,
And each had sailors brave and free.
And the sun on high was shining.

But it was plain they were enemies,
For a shot from each boomed on the breeze,
While the sun on high was shining.

They roared and charged and backed and swerved.
Each gave the other what he deserved.
And the sun on high was shining.

They shelled each other an hour or so,
And then they suddenly went below!
Yet the sun on high was shining!

And no one knew which ship had won!
And neither knew where the other had gone!
But the sun on high was shining.

—Unidentified.

TO A NEWBORN.

THERE, on thy nurse's lap, a newborn child
We saw thee weep while all around thee smiled.
So live that, sinking in thy last long sleep,
Thou still mayst smile while all around thee weep.

—Sir William Jones.

HUNT'S HARDWARE

Enameled Ware Specials

We have just received a shipment of 2 coat gray enameled ware that you can buy at the following very low prices:

15 qt dish pans....	**50c**
10 qt water pails..	**50c**
Soap ladles........	**10c**
Pint cups..........	**10c**
Pudding pans.......	**10c**
Preserving kettle....	**10c**

STOVES

RANGES

Why don't you get a

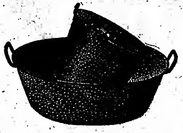
'Universal' Bread Maker

on trial. It will save you a lot of work and time. If you don't say after trial that it's all we claim for it, bring it back and get your money. The price is.......................... **$2.00**

We have a few Hammocks left that we are closing out at 20 per cent discount

HUNT HARDWARE CO.

HUNT'S HARDWARE



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Always Uniform
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THRESHERMEN

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Insure your machines this week. Protects while threshing or in shed. For rates and particulars see

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The Brunelles

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THE BIG STORE

Great Clothing Opening

We are making a grand showing of Kuppenheimer and Ederheimer Stein & Co.'s fine suits and overcoats at from

$15 to $27.50

These goods are too well known to need any introduction. The product of America's best tailors. We show dozens of patterns, your suit is surely here.

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The
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LOW-PRICED CLOTHES—Price has been talked to death when the purchase of cheap clothes is intended. Just one more word to the discussion. There are better clothes than our **"Hard Cash"** clothes and there are a lot of poorer ones, too—but there are no better clothes for the money. These suits range from

$8.50 to $15.00

and they have the style, the fit and the weight. For a knock-about suit they are strictly all right.

Palmer Cloaks

Our full line of the celebrated Palmer coats is now ready for your inspection.

Remember we give you a guarantee signed by both Palmer and us, that you are getting your money's worth in every way when you buy one of these garments. Come and look at them, our doors are wide open to you whether you want to buy or not.

Our special coat is a fine broadcloth coat, full length, fine large size, Delaware otter collar, quilted mercerized lining, a beautiful coat at the extremely low price of

$15.00

We expect to sell a large quantity of these. Our range is from

$6 to $27.50

for the finest cloaks made.

On Market Day, Oct. 9, we will offer 50 boys' suits 3-piece suits, short pants, 10 to 15 years, at 1-2 price, $1.00 up; 50 skirts at 1-2 price, $1.50 up. It will pay you to attend the Market Day.

It pays to trade at **The Big Store** Theo. LaBissoniere

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BOYS ROB A FARMER.

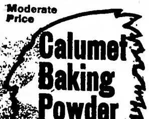
Joe Livee and Harvey Lachance Get In Law's Toils.

Joe Livee and Harvey Lachance were arrested at Thief River Monday on the charge of robbing J. B. Johnson, a resident of Grygla, Marshall county. It is alleged that the culprits secured $55 from Mr. Johnson. At a hearing before Municipal Judge Bishop Tuesday Livoe was bound over to the grand jury, and is at present languishing in the Red Lake county jail.

Young Lachance signified a disposition to plead guilty, and upon information by County Attorney Gerno he will be taken before Judge Watts at Crookston for sentence. It is likely he will be given a reformatory sentence. Harvey was formerly a resident of Red Lake Falls and comes from a highly respected family. It is too bad that he has fallen in evil ways.

His Dear Old Mother

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 50 cents.



Moderate Price

Calumet Baking Powder

$1,000.00 will be given for any substance injurious to health found in Calumet.

Decision In Ditch Case.

Crookston Journal: The findings of Judge Watts in the case of the Merchants State Bank of St. Hileire vs. commissioners of the county of Polk have been filed and in brief he holds that the labor and parties furnishing material must be paid before the parties holding asignments of ditch contractors for balance due from the county can receive one cent.

The St. Hilaire bank sued to recover over $800 due for the construction of Judicial ditch number 48 near Fosston and Judicial ditch number 2 near Neilsville which amount was assigned by contractors Anderson and Larson to the bank. A. A. Miller appeared for the bank, and W. E. Rowe appeared for Polk county, having been named by the county commissioners to represent the county during the absence of County Attorney Mayhury last winter in California.

In a previous case W. E. Black, as assignee of the claims of laborers and parties furnishing materials, sued the company to recover the amount still due the contractors of Polk county.

The bank demurred to the complaint and the case went to the supreme court which dismissed the demurrer and sent the case back for trial on its merits. This case will be tried at the December term of district court in this city. The questions involved in the two cases were identical.

This means that all the bills which have been assigned to W. E. Black for collection by the laborers and those who furnished the supplies in the construction of Ditch No. 48 near Fosston and Judicial ditch No. 2 near Neilsville will be paid.

The decision is a most important one as it establishes a precedent in the protection of labor that will be state wide importance.

WANTS NEW TRIAL.

Paul Fournier Thinks That He Was Not Given Fair Chance.

An important matter which was considered by Judge Spooner, of Bemidji, this week, was the application for a new trial which was made by Charles W. Schrutchin, the Bemidji colored attorney, on behalf of Paul Fournier, who was convicted last April on charge of having killed N. O. Dehl, and who is now an inmate of the state prison at Stillwater, serving a life sentence for the crime of which he was convicted.

In appearing for Fournier, Mr. Schrutchin argued in favor of a motion to set aside the verdict render in the Fournier trial, and to grant a new trial in the case of the state vs. Paul Fournier. County Attorney Henry Funkley represented the state.

Mr. Schrutchin's application for setting aside the verdict and giving a new trial was based mainly on the allegation that improved testimony was admitted in the case. Especial reference to the testimony of Florence Melquist, wherein the latter swore that Fournier was possessed of the hallucination that a looking glass would reproduce the features of any person looking into it, the testimony of the young woman having had considerable weight with the jury in connecting Fournier with the removal of a looking glass that was claimed to have been in the cabin of Miss Dahl at the time she was killed. Mr. Schrutchin also took exception to the manner in which the cross examination of Fournier was conducted relative to the killing of a man named Berkley at Pine River, and also as to the death of a squaw at that place.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

FOR MARKET DAY

Wednesday, October 9, the Big Day—Large List of Prizes to Be Offered.

Red Lake Falls will hold its first big market day on Wednesday, October 9, and it will be to the advantage of every farmer within twenty-five miles to come here that day.

While the arrangements are not yet completed, the work has progressed far enough that THE GAZETTE can announce that a splendid program of sports and amusements is in preparation. A concert by the celebrated Red Lake Falls band will also be rendered.

A large list of valuable prizes will also be offered, more valuable than ordinarily given on market days. There are no strings to these prizes and they will be given to the ones who win in the several competitions without any charge whatever.

There will be special sales at the stores that will be of real benefit to the purchaser, for the reductions are genuine and upon goods that are in season.

The full list of prizes will be announced next week, and the following business houses have already signified their intention of offering a valuable prize:

Theo. LaBissoniere, Garceau & Zaiser, G. A. Kankel, Hunt Hardware Co., Red Lake Falls GAZETTE, Merchants State Bank, First State Bank, Brunelle Bros., Groshong & Blake, E. A. Nelson, Joseph Miller, H. W. Anderson, Chatel's Cash Grocery, Anderson & Wander.

Watch THE GAZETTE next week for full list of prizes and the complete program.

STOCK MAPLE LAKE.

Bunch of Black Bass Planted There by Game Warden.

Sam Fullerton of the State Game and Fish commission arrived in Crookston last week with 22 cans of elegant black bass which were taken to Maple lake by Deputy Game Warden Munch. They were very fine specimens, beyond the experimental age, being from an inch and a half to four inches in length.

Later on this year another consignment of pike will be received for Maple lake and before long that beautiful resort will be teeming with as fine fish as can be found in the entire state.

"The commission realizes," said Mr. Fullerton, "that Maple lake is about the only one available for the people of Crookston and vicinity, and for this reason every effort will be made to keep it well stocked."

Mr. Fullerton also promised to send several pairs of ring-necked pheasants which will be placed in a locality where there is some brush and good cover and feed. They are a fine game bird, larger than the prairie chicken and have very beautiful plumage. They cannot be shot till 1910 and are very prolific, the hens laying from 16 to 40 eggs per year. At Fergus Falls, Brainerd, St. Peter and other places where birds have been placed by the commission they have thrived well and multiplied very rapidly. The ring-necked pheasant came from China originally but the Minnesota State Game and Fish commission have received their consignments from Oregon where they are now plentiful,

To the Public.

In view of the fact that the barbers in the surrounding towns have long ago raised the prices for tonsorial work, and also from the fact that everything in the line of commodities has raised in price, we, the proprietors of the Red Lake Falls tonsorial parlors, will on and after October 1, 1907, adopt a new schedule of prices as follows: Shaving, 15c straight; hair cutting and all present 25c jobs, 35c. We feel that we are entitled to the same prices as surrounding towns are paying, and we trust that the public will heartily approve of the new arrangement. Signed:

Jos. Miller.
Ed. A. Nelson.

Dated Sept. 17, 1907. 2w

BAND AT FERTILE

Red Lake Falls Organization Furnishing Music For the Polk County Fair.

The Red Lake Falls Concert band is again in the lime-light, and this week they are furnishing music at the Polk county fair being held at Fertile.

The band left Tuesday evening and will return tomorrow, and reports from there are that the boys are covering themselves with glory as usual.

Only about twenty of the band boys could get away for this trip, but with that number the band is equipped to furnish a good quality of music, and the visitors at the Fertile fair are hearing some good concerts.

The band is furnishing music for the fair day times, and each evening there they are giving a concert in the opera house.

WON'T BUILD THIS YEAR.

Great Northern Promises to Get to Roseau in 1908.

Roseau Region: O. B. Ekman returned from St. Paul Tuesday, where he had been as the representative of Roseau to confer with the Great Northern as to the extension of the line from Greenbush.

Mr. Ekman informed the Region that he had interviews with both Mr. James J. Hill and Louis W. Hill. Mr. Louis Hill informed him that the Great Northern would build no more roads in Minnesota; that legislation had been so pronouncedly adverse to their road as well as to other corporations that the company would let the extension go, and he stated that the farmers could build a farmers' road if they wanted to—and see what running a railroad really meant. Mr. Ekman got no encouragement whatever from the present head of the system.

However, later on he was able to secure an interview with Mr. James J. Hill, the real head of the Great Northern system, and from him Mr. Ekman learned that were it not for the fact that the company had the grade in readiness and had promised our people the extension of the road from Greenbush east, he would concur in all that his son had stated. As it was, Mr. Hill declared that he would keep his promise and endeavor to lay the steel the midsummer of 1908 but no earlier. He declared further that the foolish legislation of past years had driven eastern capital away from Minnesota. He stated that stockholders of the road and capitalists generally refused to finance any Minnesota corporation, giving as reason the aggressive propaganda of recent legislatures against corporations en masse. He illustrated this by saying that after expending several thousand dollars of his own money to secure data from Germany and other European countries to show that the introduction of smelters and the burning of charcoal on the iron ranges would bring a good profit, he attempted to interest Eastern capital to the extent of $12,000,000, but that he utterly failed, because the project was in Minnesota and capital was scared. Be this as it may, it is evident the great money centres of the country do not take kindly to Minnesota's attack upon corporations and that the extension of the road from Greenbush to Roseau is still in the future.

It is a shame it is so, but judging from what Mr. Ekman learned and informed us, there is nothing to be done but wait—wait—wait or else interest another road. The latter would be a difficult proposition.

Gang Plows!!

I have for sale second-hand gang plows, Flying Dutchman, John Deere and Bradley XX-Ray. These plows are in first-class condition; will do as good work as new ones, and you can buy them for half their actual value. WM. FINDEISEN.

For Sale.

Second-hand Southwick hay press in first class working order; capacity fifteen tons per day; price $50, worth $150. Come quick.

WM. FINDEISEN.

$3201.82 IN CHECKS

August a Big Month at the at the Creamery—Patrons Get Large Returns.

The report of George F. Hennings, secretary of the Red Lake Falls Creamery association, for August shows that during the month the patrons were paid $3,201.82, a substantial gain over the previous month. Those receiving more than $40 are as follows:

Ildaige Baril	$94.90
Ludolf Janke	84.53
Andre Bisson	84.49
Amie Carriere	84.07
Dolphis Patnode	80.03
Jeff Porter	79.18
Fred Behn	73.41
Delina Amoit	68.26
Jacob Boutin	64.87
Wm Schaper	60.83
Paul Cyr	59.82
Frank Greuier	58.96
Matt Waldorf	58.85
Dona Laurent	54.46
Louis Ducharme	54.08
Mrs. Sam Miller	50.47
M. Kees	49.59
Mrs. A. Longtin	48.96
Alex Emard	48.95
Ed Enright	48.71
Pierre Emard jr	47.01
Joe Duffy	45.38
Erick Bjergo	45.33
Chris Gedde	44.95
Chas. Patnode	44.86
Swan Akenson	44.85
Aug. Anderson	43.96
Frank Hoyald	42.80
Darl Nelson	42.44
J. B. Sande	42.42
Henry Tillman	40.70
Henry Patnode	40.49
Arthur Lafontaine	40.28

PAID OUT BIG SUM.

Lambert Cheese Factory Has a Good July Record.

And now comes the Lambert cheese factory, owned by Messrs. Robidoux and Perenteau, with a report of the July business. The showing made is very gratifying.

For the month of July they paid to patrons for milk the sum of $2,214.34, those receiving over $50 being as follows:

Alexis Bergeron	$147.18
Francois Fournier	61.33
H. Dery	56.92
Joseph Bergeron	80.79
Harmides Lambert	50.19
Simon Boucher	61.88
Francois Lacoursiere	98.61
Joseph A. Lambert	59.66
Edwert Lessar	74.38
Joseph Lacoursiere	64.04
Joseph T. Lambert	50.23
Joseph Belend	52.37
Abraham Lacoursiere	50.87
Philip Lacoursiere	63.12

Hereditary Ill Humor.

Herbert Bismarck had none of his father's bright wit in conversation but had his overbearing temper. Bismarck in anger was as ferocious as a mastiff and he grew worse in the evening before his dinner hour. Most men are in better humor after a good meal especially if they have a glass or two of golden grain belt beer, which is very famous for its soothing tonic effect. Keep a case for your table use. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Autumn Styles in

Stationery

For polite correspondence there should be no more slighting of the tone and correctness of a lady's stationery than of her clothing, or shoes.

Styles in paper vary with the year, what was in style last year seems out of place today. Everybody likes to receive a letter on new style grade.

We have correct stationery here—correct for every use and occasion and correct in price boxes or bulk, many grades.

W. A. SCHREITER
Druggist
Red Lake Falls

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Washington Notes.

The president has appointed Gen. S. M. B. Young, retired, who was his old commander in Cuba, superintendent of the Yellowstone National Park.

According to a government report just issued pearls to the value of [illegible] were found in the United States during the year 1906, and other precious stones to the value of $208,000 were produced.

The war department has directed the return to duty as an assistant military aid to the president, Capt. Frank McCoy, Third cavalry, who has been spending most of the summer in Yellowstone Park with his troop. This means that there are not likely to be any more changes in the president's family of military and naval aids at present.

People Talked About.

August Gisin, founder of the Baltimore Journal, German, died at his home in Baltimore of acute indigestion.

Dr. Michael Beshoar, pioneer, prominent citizen, founder of the Pueblo Chieftain and Trinidad Advertiser, died at Trinidad, Colo., at the age of seventy-four.

John M. Turner, writer, humorist, actor and originator of trick banjo playing, is dead at the Post Graduate hospital in New York city, following an operation for appendicitis. Turner was founder of the Vampire club and his ready wit and mimicry were known from coast to coast.

James Bellows McGregor, said to be the oldest Mason in the world, celebrated his 106th birthday at Mount Sunapee, N. H., with a public reception. He was born in 1801, a mile from where he now lives. His joining of the Masonic order in 1827 makes him a member of eighty years' standing and the oldest Mason on record in the world.

Foreign.

The first Jewish synagogue to be erected in Moscow was opened last week.

The situation in German Southwest Africa has improved to such an extent that the repatriation of the troops is about to commence.

Work has been resumed at Antwerp on all the steamers, where 4,000 strikebreakers are employed. No further disorders occurred.

The chamber of deputies of Peru has approved the contract of Alfred McCune of New York for the construction of the Cerro de Pasco, Huacho & Ucayali River railroad.

The Krupp works are building for Japan about thirty twelve-inch guns for use on board battleships, and they are continuing the fulfillment of a contract made soon after the war with Russia ended in re-equipping the Japanese field artillery.

The withdrawal of Dr. Jose Gilfortoul, the Venezuelan representative from the Hague peace conference Sept. 4 was due to a misunderstanding. He will not only remain as a delegate, but President Castro has cabled him how to vote on many questions.

The Chinese throne appointed Taschon, Wong Ta Hsi and Ting She Hmei to be imperial commissioners, with instructions to separately visit Japan, Great Britain and Germany for the purpose of reporting on the constitutional systems of those countries.

Deputy Pinero has been challenged by Senator Benito Villanueva, president of the senate, to fight a duel at Buenos Ayres. Pinero, in the chamber, made the charge that the revolutions in the provinces were fostered by certain senators, among them the president of the senate. Hence the challenge.

An automobile in which Queen Victoria was driving from San Sebastian to Bilbao was suddenly confronted by a large bull, which planted himself in the roadway immediately in front of the queen's car and compelled the chauffeur to put on the brakes hurriedly and stop the machine. No collision appears to have occurred, but her majesty is said to have been greatly affected by the unexpected meeting of the bull.

Accidental Happenings.

Clarence Henry, an employe of the Fort Dodge, Iowa, Light company, was electrocuted while changing a transformer.

William J. Mulhall, ferrier for the First City troop of Philadelphia, and well known college football player and athlete, was killed by plunging headforemost over a mustang he was attempting to mount.

Fifty persons were injured at Tonton, Ill., by the explosion of powder or gas in the hardware store of Wheeler & Co., when firemen were trying to extinguish a blaze in the basement.

By the derailment of an east-bound Seaboard Air Line passenger train at Wilcox creek, Ga., five persons were seriously injured and many others cut and bruised.

Venice, the ten-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Creveling of Leon, Iowa, fell beneath a wagon heavily loaded with lumber and died ten minutes after as the result of her injuries.

Mrs. John H. Williams, an aged resident of Quincy, Mich., was struck by a rock train while picking up coal from the track. She was instantly killed.

George McNamara was found dead on the Iowa Central tracks near Marshalltown, Iowa. He was making his initial trip as a brakeman. It is not known just how the accident occurred.

Mrs. Marguerite Croft, bride of a few weeks of John Croft, New York, was swept overboard from a yacht in the Delaware river and drowned. Mrs. Croft and her husband were on their honeymoon.

Seven cottages on the beach and the Avery Beach hotel were burned at South Haven, Mich. Dynamite was used to blow up the hotel to prevent the spreading of the fire. The loss on the hotel alone was $50,000.

Two young men and two girls were drowned in the Saginaw river at Saginaw, Mich., when a gasoline tank exploded in a power launch. It is thought that the tank caught fire from one of the boat's signal lights.

Wet rails cost the life of one man and resulted in the serious injury of several other persons at Nazareth, Pa. A car descending a steep grade got beyond control of the motorman, and jumping the tracks at a sharp curve turned turtle.

Crimes and Criminals.

A $100,000 shortage was discovered in the accounts of the state tax commissioner in New Orleans. The police are searching for Charles E. Letten, a clerk in the office, who is charged with the defalcation.

A bold daylight robbery of the bank in the village of Manley, Neb., occurred last week. The lone robber got between $2,000 and $3,000 and escaped, but is reported surrounded in a cornfield near Murdock.

Edward J. Hildebrandt, a painter thirty years old, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head in Chicago when about to be arrested for the murder of Mrs. Maude Westerfield, at whose home he was to be a boarder.

When Mrs. Arch Fesman, revolver in hand, burst open the door leading into her husband's room in the Wilson hotel at Caruthersville, Lucy Logsden, a waitress, who was in the room, jumped out of a third story window and was crushed so badly in the fall that she will die.

Frederick L. Stone, chief of police of Dillon, Mont., was charged with perjury in a complaint filed against him by County Attorney Melton. Stone is accused of perjuring himself in a suit for divorce which he brought against his wife, Carrie E. Stone. Stone was arrested and his bond was fixed at $500.

Masked robbers broke into and blew open the safe in the Royal Savings bank at Chippewa, Ont. A posse was organized and at once set out in pursuit of the robbers. Officials of the bank say that the safeblowers were frightened away before they got into the safety deposit box inside the vault, where the most of the bank's money was kept.

Owing to the fact that on account of the great influx of homeseekers into Billings, Mont., all of the hotels and rooming houses being crowded, an unusual number of robberies have been reported to some of those of the cheaper class. One of the policemen from Miles City ran upon some pickpockets and as a result lost not only his roll of $50 but also his revolver.

General News Items.

Creditors of the Seidenberg-Steifel company, one of the largest cigar manufacturing companies in the country, have filed a petition in New York asking that the company be declared bankrupt and a receiver appointed.

State Railroad Commissioner Glasgow has issued a statement that all the railroads in Michigan have agreed to adopt the 2-cent passenger rate law when it takes effect, Sept. 28.

Shipments of hard coal by the lake from Buffalo during August amounted to 405,373 tons, breaking the record of July, when 421,525 tons were forwarded to the upper lake ports by boat.

Former President Palma of Cuba, in an interview given on his estate in Byamo, stated that he is keeping aloof from politics and is devoting all his time to agricultural interests.

Chairman Thomas K. Nedrlinghaus of the Republican state committee of Missouri has resigned and Walter S. Dickey of Kansas City has been elected in his place.

The high tent of the Rechabites of America, in annual convention at Newport News, adopted a strong resolution against the restoration of the canteen.

Stricken with apoplexy at Galilee N. J., Brig. Gen. Samuel N. Mills, U. S. A., retired, is dead. Gen. Mills was born in Pottsville, Pa., in 1843 and was graduated from the military academy in 1865.

The great council of the United States Improved Order of Red Men, in sixtieth annual session at Norfolk, adopted an amendment to the laws of the order prohibiting membership in the future to all saloonkeepers and bartenders.

The United States army transport Thomas sailed from San Francisco last week for Honolulu, Guam and Manila, with nine troops of the Sixth cavalry and a detachment of field artillery for the Philippines on board in addition to a large number of cabin passengers.

Rev. A. T. Tillinghast of Minneapolis stated at Waterloo, Iowa, that he expected to make his headquarters at Waterloo on account of its central location for the discharge of his duties as superintendent of the Universalist churches of Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota.

PROFITS OF OIL TRUST ENORMOUS

KELLOGG BRINGS OUT STARTLING INFORMATION ABOUT STANDARD.

$490,315,934 IN EIGHT YEARS

CAREFULLY GUARDED SECRETS REVEALED—CONTROLS SEVENTY COMPANIES.

New York, Sept. 19.—Delving into the financial workings of the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, the holding company of all the subsidiary organizations of the so-called oil trust, Frank B. Kellogg, conducting the federal suit for the dissolution of the company, brought forth yesterday to public view for the first time the enormous profits made by the Standard Oil company.

Fabulous Profits Shown.

In a period of eight years, from 1899 to 1906, inclusive, the Standard Oil company, in a statement spread upon the record of yesterday's hearing, was shown to have earned the total profits of $490,315,934, or at the rate of more than $61,000,000 a year, and distributed to its shareholders in the same period $303,354,403.

While the company was earning these vast sums in the refining of oil the statements adduced at the hearing yesterday show that between 1899 and 1906 the assets of the company grew by leaps and bounds from $200,791,523 to $371,366,531. The capital stock is $93,338,386.

Always Carefully Guarded.

Financiers and those seeking knowledge of the exact profits of the Standard Oil company have striven vainly to obtain the figures, which Mr. Kellogg succeeded yesterday in placing upon the record of the court. The Standard Oil company makes no statement of its business, and other than these declarations of a dividend, it makes no public announcement by which its business may be gauged.

The hearing yesterday brought out much information which Mr. Kellogg obtained from the Standard Oil company.

Controls Seventy Companies.

Mr. Kellogg obtained a statement showing that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey controlled by a stock ownership over seventy companies engaged in the refining and the transportation of oil on Sept. 14, 1907. The list showed that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey owned $999,000 of the total capital stock of $1,000,000 of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, which was recently fined $29,240,000 by Judge Landis in the United States circuit court in Chicago for rebating.

Records Disappear.

Mr. Kellogg's efforts at yesterday's hearing to obtain information of the records of liquidating trustees who had charge of the liquidation of the Standard Oil trust, and the exchange of the liquidating trust certificates for the shares of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey were not rewarded.

Just before the hearing closed Mr. Kellogg remarked that he thought it strange that no one in the Standard Oil company seemed to know where the records of the liquidating trustees could be found.

PRIEST CONVICTED OF MURDER.

Trial Full of Sensational Features—Priest Admits Shortcomings.

Pittsburg, Sept. 19.—Ludwig Szczglei, the Roman Catholic priest from Chicago who has been on trial for the murder of Andrew and Stephen Starzynski, brothers, was convicted of murder in the second degree last night. District Attorney Geehring severely arraigned the priest and closed by saying:

"He parades his shame, his drunkenness, as a shield to protect himself from the penalty for the breaking of the commandment, 'Thou shalt not kill.' He is an imposter."

The trial was a conglomeration of sensational testimony and features. To protect himself from the supreme penalty the prisoner unburdened his past life, frankly confessing his many shortcomings, especially his drunkenness. During his testimony he admitted that Francesca Sprow, his housekeeper, who was in the house when the double murder was committed, had accompanied him to this city from Chicago. It developed that the housekeeper occupied the same room with one of the Starzynski brothers, following which admission District Attorney Geehring remarked:

"There you have the motive."

The priest on the stand said he supposed it was correct that he had killed the brothers, but that it was done in self-defense and that he was drunk at the time.

Chicago Rejects New Charter.

Chicago, Sept. 19—The new charter authorized by the state legislature at its last session for the city of Chicago was rejected by the voters at yesterday's special election by a majority of over $2,000.

Many Hurt, None Killed.

Easton, Pa., Sept. 19.—A Lehigh Valley express train was wrecked near Pattenburg tunnel, in New Jersey. A number of trainmen and passengers were injured, but none of the latter fatally.

EXPLOSION ON JAP WARSHIP

FORTY-THREE OF THE OFFICERS AND MEN ARE KILLED OR INJURED.

Tokio, Sept. 19.—Forty-three of the crew were killed or injured on board the Japanese battleship battleship Kashima by an explosion within the shield after target practice, near Kura, at 4 p. m. on Sept. 9. The Kashima, under command of Capt. Koizumi, reached Kure at 6 a. m., where the injured were placed in the hospital. The fatalities included a lieutenant, two cadets and one staff officer, the rank and name of whom is not given.

Details regarding the effects of the explosion are lacking, but it was terrific, and the ship is badly damaged.

The explosion followed an attempt to remove an unexploded shell from the gun.

Fearfully Mutilated.

A majority of the bystanders were fearfully mutilated. The casualties reported as the result of the explosion are as follows:

Killed—Five officers, names not given, and twenty-two men.

Severely Wounded — Two officers and six men.

Slightly Wounded—Two officers and six men.

The cause of the explosion is under investigation. It occurred inside of the shield of the starboard after ten-inch gun.

It was not the shell which exploded, but powder which evidently caught fire from the gas emitted from the breech when opened for the purpose of reloading the gun. The hull of the Kashima is not damaged.

Thirty Are Drowned.

Tokio, Sept. 19. — Thirty persons were drowned and a hundred houses burned at the Kosakahi mine, near Kotaru.

A fire started in the mining works, and while attempts were being made to save the mine the water reservoir was broken, flooding a portion of the village. Many women and children were among the victims.

MADMAN SEEKS PRESIDENT.

Wants Roosevelt to Help Him Collect $10,000,000 From Rockefeller.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 19.—The monotony of official routine at Sagamore Hill was relieved last night by the arrival of another unexpected caller, who thought that he had urgent business with the president. The stranger, who described himself as Orlando Toland, farmer, of Oxford, Ala., had reached the front door of the president's home when he was detected and headed off by a secret service agent. To the officer Toland explained that he wished to enlist the aid of Mr. Roosevelt in the collection of an obligation of $10,000,000 from John D. Rockefeller. He was hustled on the first train for New York.

Wants $10,000,000 From John D.

It was about 7 o'clock when a man of perhaps thirty years, clad in blue jeans and with the general appearance of a hard worker, mounted the steps at the president's front door. There he was seen by Secret Service Agent Washer, who asked the man's business. Toland had no hesitancy in telling it. He had come to Sagamore Hill, he said to request President Roosevelt to collect a debt of $10,000,000 which he said John D. Rockefeller owed him. This sum, he explained, Mr. Rockefeller had promised him in return for his services in connection with a murder trial at St. Paul.

BOND IS FIXED AT $6,000,000.

Judge Grosscup Rules in Oil Trust Case—Fine May Be Wiped Out.

Chicago, Sept. 19. — The Standard Oil Company of Indiana, in order to obtain a supersedeas staying execution on its property to satisfy the judgment of $29,240,000 recently imposed by Judge Landis in the United States district court, must furnish bonds to the amount of $6,000,000.

This was determined yesterday by Judge Grosscup, in the United States circuit court. The $29,240,000 fine would be wiped out of existence on a technicality if the scheme of the Standard Oil lawyers, which became known yesterday, is carried out.

In the event that the Alton is granted the immunity which it has been fully established was promised to the railroads through agreement with Former Atttorney General Moody, the Standard Oil attorneys will demand that Judge Landis' fine be set aside. The grounds for this plea will be that the Standard Oil attorneys should have been apprised of this immunity agreement in order that they might question the Alton railroad witnesses properly.

The lawyers claim that the procedure in the case was illegal and that it furnishes sufficient grounds for setting aside the fine.

Oklahoma Goes "Dry."

Kansas City, Sept. 19. — Reports from the Oklahoma election indicate that prohibition has certainly carried, and it is probable that the constitution has been accepted and that Haskell (Democrat) has been elected governor.

Saloons Robbed of $26.

Barnesville, Minn., Sept. 19. — The saloons of P. E. Engles, Carl Ellefson and J. A. Cloon of this city were broken into. The robbers secured $26 in all.

Insane Woman Drowns Self and Child

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 19.—Driven insane by brooding over ill health and the protracted absence of her husband in Iowa, Mrs. Anna Baker drowned herself and her seven-year-old daughter in Johnson lake, near here, yesterday.

DIETZ IS VICTOR IN BITTER FIGHT

CAMERON DAM MAN WINS OUT IN CONTEST WITH LUMBER COMPANY.

IS SETTLED ON SECRET TERMS

BLOODSHED IS PART OF RECORD MADE IN LONG, BITTER STRIFE.

Winter, Wis., Sept. 21.—The famous Dietz dam dispute has been settled. It is stated that an agreement has been reached between the contending parties and that the logs that have long been held up by the intrepid defender of Cameron dam, on the Thornapple river, near here, will be moved at once.

This was the statement made as the result of conferences held between W. F. Moses, representing the Weyerhaeuser interests, and William Dietz, representing his brother.

Just what the terms of the settlement are has not been made public, but the first payment was made to Dietz on Monday, and the details were arranged satisfactorily to both parties.

The recent failure of the company to get the legislature or governor to take a hand in the game against Dietz is believed to have decided the company to yield.

Long, Bitter Fight.

Dietz procured a farm on the Thornapple river a few years ago, and upon discovering that Cameron dam was on his land, instead of upon the company's land, as was generally supposed, he put in a claim of 10 cents per thousand for every foot of logs which the company sluiced through the dam, aggregating several thousand dollars. The company ignored the claim until Dietz drove the log drivers away from the dam, after which the company offered to settle with Dietz for $10,000, which settlement was refused.

Innumerable attempts to capture him failed. Three different sheriffs were ordered to get him, but all failed. Large forces of armed men have attempted to get him, but all found the place well fortified and were obliged to give up the attempt. Blood has been shed several times.

ONLY ONE DEATH IN STORM.

Damage Amounting to $30,000 Done Wednesday Night.

St. Paul, Sept. 21.—Reports received here up to last night gave only one dead as the result of the terrific electrical storm of Wednesday night and yesterday morning, but they showed that the disturbance was widespread and that great losses had been sustained in various parts of Minnesota and Wisconin, mainly from the lightning. The rainfall was very heavy, and in some places washouts occurred, but as a rule the intermittent character of the rainfall gave the water a chance to run off without doing serious damage. Altogether the losses from the storm are estimated at about $30,000, confined principally to live stock and buildings.

The one fatality reported last night was the death of Mrs. John Hayes, wife of a farmer living near Buffalo, Minn. The house was struck by lightning and burned, and the woman received a shock that later caused her death. The farmhouse was located three miles south of Buffalo.

FINE CHURCH DESTROYED.

Presbyterian House of Worship at Hastings Burned by Lightning.

Hastings, Minn., Sept. 21. — Lightning destroyed the Presbyterian church of this city, one of the most beautiful structures to be found anywhere, leaving the edifice a mass of ruins. It was built of stone and brick and valued at $25,000. The estimated damage is $10,000; insurance only $5,000.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Woman Fatally Wounded — Assailant Then Commits Suicide.

Larimore, N. D., Sept. 21.—Yesterday morning George Welsh shot and fatally wounded Mrs. Matt Lootz. Welsh then turned the gun on himself and blew out his brains. Details of the cause which led up to the shooting are lacking. The woman is still alive, but will die.

ARRESTED FORTY-SIX TIMES.

Jake Ressler of St. Cloud Holds Local and Possibly State Record.

St. Cloud, Minn., Sept. 21.—With his latest arrest by Chief Quinlivan, Jake Ressler holds the local and possibly the state record for numerous arrests. He has been hauled up no less than forty-six times, most of them being on charges of drunkenness.

Murderer Captured.

Marquette, Mich., Sept. 21.—Charles Worl, wanted here for the murder of Wallace Hogan, stabbed to death two weeks ago, was captured at Ashland, Wis., yesterday. Sheriff Rought left last night to bring him back to Marquette.

Wants $10,000 for Eye.

Perham, Minn., Sept. 21. — J. B. Hoover, who lives south of here, has just sued the Nichols-Chisholm Lumber company of Frazee for $10,000 damages for the loss of an eye.

BARLEY SALES BREAK RECORD

ONE MILLION DOLLARS' WORTH SOLD IN MINNEAPOLIS IN FOUR DAYS.

Minneapolis, Sept. 21.—Farmers attracted by the high prices of barley are sending in their grain in such quantities that over $1,000,000 worth of barley was sold at the Minneapolis chamber of commerce during the first four days of this week. A total of 1,012 car loads, or 1,248,300 bushels has been received in the city during the week, and most of it has been sold immediately upon receipt.

Despite the heavy increase in the shipment of barley, which is cutting down the shipment of wheat because of the lack of cars and facilities for moving more, the price of barley has not sagged. Solid train loads of barley are coming into the city every day.

The Soo, the Milwaukee and the Great Northern are bringing in the greatest amount from North and South Dakota, while all the other lines, the Minneapolis & St. Louis, the Omaha the Chicago Great Western, the Rock Island and the Northern Pacific, are bringing in more than they ever did before.

The best grade of barley is drawing between 85 and 90 cents every day and no evidences of a decline in the price has been noted.

STORM BRINGS GREAT LOSS.

Immense Amount of Property Destroyed.

Owatonna, Minn., Sept. 21. — The storm here last night did considerable damage. The large barn of George Brush, just outside the city, was struck by lightning and totally destroyed, with all its contents. Five thoroughbred horses were killed. They were valued at $1,500. One blooded Polled Angus bull, recently purchased at a fancy stock sale at the state fair and valued at $500, was also killed. Seventy-five tons of hay were consumed, together with harnesses and farm machinery. Many smaller buildings throughout the county were struck and damaged.

WOMAN LOST IN ROCKIES.

Indians Turn Out and Find Member of Longworth Party.

Grand Canyon, Ariz., Sept. 21.—Mrs. Frank Joy, wife of Frank Joy of St Louis and a member of Congressman Nicholas Longworth's party, took a stroll into the woods here yesterday and, becoming confused regarding directions, wandered away about ten miles. The power plant whistle was sounded and a searching party of Navajo Indians started out. She was found in the Long Jim canyon about 9 o'clock in the evening, somewhat fatigued and badly frightened.

PRISONERS BREAK JAIL.

Knock Down Sheriff's Wife and Escape.

La Porte, Ind., Sept. 21. — After knocking down the wife of Sheriff Sautzer with an iron rod wrenched from a bed, when she stepped into the cell corridor to give a drink of water to a sick prisoner last night, Arthur Cummings and John Edwards, awaiting grand jury action on grand larceny charges, escaped from the La Porte county jail. Mrs. Sautzer, though badly hurt, crawled to the outer door and locked it, preventing the escape of eleven other prisoners.

MILLIONAIRES ARE INDICTED.

Another Turn in the Wheel at Boise Idaho, Which May Have Results.

Boise, Idaho, Sept. 21.—A warrant was yesterday issued for the arrest of Sumner G. Moon and James L. Barber of Eau Claire, Wis., millionaire officers of the Barber Lumber company, and Horace S. Rand of Burlington, Conn. indicted for conspiracy to defraud the government.

They were indicted with Senator Borah and others. They will be brought to Boise at once to answer the charges.

MAY BE TRAIN ROBBERS.

Three Suspects Are Arrested on Hold up Charge.

Sioux City, Iowa, Sept. 21.—Special Agents Shields, Morwaiser and Meekin of the Rock Island railroad are in Sioux City to take James Williams, J. D. Daly and "Max" Hubbell back to Lincoln, where they are charged with having robbed three persons at the Rock Island depot and where they are suspected of having been implicated in the hold-up of the Rock Island train near Murdock.

CATCH DESERTED CUBS.

Wisconsin Hunters Take Little Bears When Mother Runs Off.

Grantsburg, Wis., Sept. 21.—A live bear cub has been brought to town from the upper part of the county. Three of the animals were captured. They were on a stub and when the hunters came upon them the old bear was in sight, but scampered off into the woods as soon as she saw the men.

Accused of Robbery.

Huron, S. D., Sept. 21.—A. W. Hopkin, sheriff of Spink county, was here Wednesday, having two men named Mack in charge. They are brothers and reside near Manchester and were arrested on a charge of robbing a store in Redfield a short time since.

Fierce Storm Sweeps Coast.

St. John's, N. F., Sept. 21. — The heaviest gale reported here in forty years swept the Newfoundland coast yesterday. Reports from settlements show that five lives were lost.

PLANS COMPLETE FOR RIVER TRIP

INLAND WATERWAYS COMMISSION WILL START ON INSPECTION TOUR.

PRESIDENT ON MISSISSIPPI

GEN. M'KENZIE MAKES ARRANGEMENTS FOR PRESIDENT'S PART OF TRIP.

Washington, Sept. 18—Telegrams received here yesterday announced that the members of the inland waterways commission will assemble at Loraine, Ohio, next Saturday. They will start from there for their inspection of the Great Lakes waterway, and particularly of the Soo route.

All arrangements have been made by Representative Theodore Burton, chairman of the commission. It is understood that the inspection tour will extend to Duluth and that the members of the commission will proceed from there to St. Paul by rail. The snag boat Col. Mackenzie has already been ordered to meet the commission at St. Paul, so the start can be made from there on the morning of the 26th.

President on River.

Members of the commission count on having a week's inspection trip of the Great Lakes waterway and another week on the Mississippi river. Three days of the latter trip on the upper stretch of the river from Keokuk, Iowa, will be in company with the president of the United States.

Gen. MacKenzie, head of the engineer corps of the army, had the responsibility placed upon him of making all the arrangements for the river trip of President Roosevelt. The general had three suitable boats offered to him, the "Mississippi," the "Col. MacKenzie" and the "Lily," each controlled by different branches of the government service. In addition to this the Business Men's league of St. Louis indicated its willingness to furnish the "Altor" or any other boat.

Neither MacKenzie Nor Lily.

A part of the rivalry to carry the president was eliminated by Gen. MacKenzie's announcement that the president would not travel on a boat not owned by the government. Then came the later rivalry between the three government boats. Gen. MacKenzie, being himself indifferent as to what this ultimate decision should be, sent complete descriptions and state room plans, with their dimensions and the general character of their furnishings, over to Oyster Bay to the president's secretary.

GIVE POLICE DESPTRATE FIGHT.

Italian Shoots Hardware Merchant Who Refused to Return Money.

New York, Sept. 18. — After Harry Becker had been killed, and Samuel Becker, his brother, had been mortally wounded by Francesco Sicca, a young Italian, last night, two detectives had a desperate fight with a mob led by the young men's mother and bent on lynching the assailant of the two young men, before the three were rescued by the police reserves.

The Becker brothers were proprietors of a hardware store on Upper Second avenue in "Little Italy." The police say Sicca Sunday purchased a revolver at the store. Last night he returned and wanted his money back, saying the revolver was not satisfactory.

Italian Opens Fire.

His demand was refused and he opened fire on Harry Becker, who fell dead at the first shot. His brother Samuel rushed to the rescue and the Italian fired three more shots in rapid succession, Samuel Becker falling, apparently dead with a bullet in his abdomen.

Detectives Higgins and Naughton rushed into the store and grappled with the Italian, who fought fiercely. A great crowd gathered and made an attempt to take the prisoner from the detectives.

Aged Mother Leads Mob.

At the head of the mob was the aged mother of the Becker boys, who was armed with an ax and who in her frenzy demanded that she be allowed to wreak vengeance on the slayer of her sons. The detectives were hard put between the struggles of their prisoner and the efforts of the mob to reach him. Finally the police reserves arrived and rescued the trio. Mrs. Becker was taken home and is in a serious condition from shock. The hospital surgeons say Samuel Backer will die.

TO START RIVAL TOWN.

North-Western Railroad Seeks to Offset Central's Action.

Arlington, S. D., Sept. 18. — The North-Western road has secured options on a tract of land about half way between Arlington and Volga, immediately east of Dray lake, and as soon as the deal is closed will plat a town on the site. The move is intended to offset the action of the Dakota Central, which has placed a town on its road almost directly south of this point.

EACH ROAD ON ITS OWN FEET

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL STONE ARGUES IN RATE SUITS.

St. Paul, Sept. 18.—The third week of the hearing in the United States circuit court on an application for a temporary injunction in the stockholders' railroad rate suits opened yesterday before Judge Lochren.

Senator F. H. Peterson of Moorhead, father of the rate law, spoke in its defense yesterday after Thomas D. O'Brien, special attorney for the state, concluded his analysis of the affidavits and argument on the facts. Late in the afternoon Assistant Attorney General Royal A. Stone began an argument on some phases of law involved in the case. He expects to finish today and he will be followed by Attorney General Young, who will reply to the contention of the complainants that the prescribed rates, in practice, necessarily and directly interfere with the exercise of the exclusive power of congress to regulate interstate commerce.

Assistant Attorney General Royal A Stone yesterday afternoon began a reply to the contention of the complainants that if the rate laws are found to be confiscatory as to any of the weaker roads they must fall as to all.

Mr. Stone contended that each road would have to stand or fall on the merits of its own case and declared that the stronger roads could not base their defense upon the claim that the law was confiscatory as to some of their weaker rivals.

TOO SICK TO GO TO COURT.

Members of Rogers' Family Say He Has Suffered a Stroke.

Boston, Sept. 18. — Upon the evidence of members of the family of Henry H. Rogers and the family physician that Mr. Rogers suffered a stroke last July and has since been unable to transact any business, Judge Hammond, in the supreme court, yesterday announced that it would be cruel to compel his attendance in court and dismissed a motion to that effect. The condition of Mr. Rogers was disclosed in the course of a hearing on a motion to show that he was incapable of attending the trial of a suit against him for $50,000,000 brought by C. M. Raymond of Somerville, for alleged conversion of certain royalties in connection with the production of petroleum.

Suffered a Stroke.

The hearing began last week with the testimony of Dr. Charles P. Pratt of New Bedford, who stated that Mr. Rogers had suffered from a stroke last July and was unable to attend to his business.

The hearing was resumed yesterday and two sessions of the court were consumed in hearing the testimony.

Counsel for Mr. Raymond sought to show by the testimony of personal and business friends of Mr. Rogers in New Bedford and Fairhaven, and also by numerous telephone tickets giving

A Record of Calls

between New York and the home of Mr. Rogers in Fairhaven, that the Standard Oil financier had been about the streets, had participated in certain festivities, had engaged in certain business in New Bedford and had been in frequent communication with his associates in New York.

Several witnesses admitted that they had talked with Mr. Rogers within the past few weeks, but all declared that he was much changed.

In support of the claim that Mr Rogers was too ill to appear four witnesses were heard.

MRS. CHADWICK ILL.

Witch of Finance Will Not Live to Serve Out Sentence.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 18.—Mrs. Cassie M. Chadwick, noted witch of finance, who, posing as Andrew Carnegie's natural daughter, swindled Ohio and Eastern banks and capitalists out of millions in loans on bogus securities was stricken with a nervous collapse at the penitentiary, which has left her blind.

Her condition is serious, and it is the opinion of the prison physicians that she will never live to serve out her ten years' sentence, two years of which she has now completed.

Mexico Celebrates.

Mexico City, Sept. 18.—The ninety-seventh anniversary of the independence of Mexico was celebrated throughout the republic yesterday. At the national capital the feature of the day was the military parade. Ten thousand troops in line were reviewed by President Diaz at the national palace.

Rear Admiral Walker Dead.

York Cliffs, Me., Sept. 18. — Rear Admiral John G. Walker, U. S. N., retired, died suddenly at the home of a friend at High Pasture. Admiral Walker was seventy-two years of age and a native of New Hampshire. He was at one time president of the isthmian canal commission.

Killed by Playmate.

New York, Sept. 18.—Peter Burger, eleven years old, of Middlevillage, in the borough of Queens, was killed by his chum, Herman Wehle, fifteen years old, in a struggle for a small rifle with which the boys and two companions had been playing.

Evangelist Falls Dead.

Louisville, Sept. 18.—Evangelist Felix Lawrence of Nashville last night fell dead of heart disease after delivering an address in the mission where he was converted seven years ago.

News of the Northwest

I.O.O.F. WELCOMED TO ST. PAUL

SOVEREIGN GRAND LODGE HOLDS ITS EIGHTY-THIRD ANNUAL MEETING.

St. Paul, Sept. 18.—St. Paul yesterday formally became the host of the eighty-third annual communication of the sovereign grand lodge of Odd Fellows. The supreme governing body of the order, one of the largest in the world, met in executive session, after having been extended the greetings and welcome of the state and city at Central Presbyterian church. Immediately at the conclusion of the public ceremonies the sovereign grand lodge went into executive session at the old capitol to consider matters of import to the millions of the brotherhood throughout the United States and Canada.

Reports obtained from the information bureaus and headquarters indicated that there were last night 5,000 members of the order of I. O. O. F. in the city to spend the week.

The number of visitors is expected to reach the maximum late to-day or to-morrow, when Odd Fellows from Minnesota and neighboring states are expected to arrive for the grand parade which is to be one of the features of the week.

Although the gathering this year is not so large as usual the arrivals indicate that the number expected by the local arrangement committee will be attained. Aside from the attendance, however, the present communication is considered by the national officers one of the most successful ever held in the history of the sovereign grand lodge. The program as outlined is comprehensive and includes every branch of the order—the Odd Fellows proper, the encampment branch, the Patriarchs Militant and the Rebekah assembly.

The gathering is international in character in that every province in Canada is represented at the sessions of the sovereign grand lodge, in addition to two delegates from every state in the Union.

HELD FOR WOMAN'S DEATH.

Prisoner Is Accused of Murdering Mrs. Gifford Julian at Waseca.

Waseca, Minn., Sept. 18.—Held on a charge of murder as the result of the inquiries of a coroner's jury, Rudolph Munson, lately from Albert Lea and said to be a recent resident of Iowa, must answer for the death of Mrs. Gifford Julian, also known as Ida Gritton. Munson and Mrs. Julian had been living in a hotel here for about six weeks.

Saturday evening loud talking was heard from the room occupied by the couple and the quarrel was ended when a pistol shot was heard.

Investigation showed that Mrs. Julian had been shot in the heart with a .22-caliber revolver.

Munson gave himself up to the authorities.

Found Dead in Creek Bottom.

Yankton, S. D., Sept. 18.—Tom Sharkey, a prosperous young farmer, was found dead here Sunday in the bottom of Dry creek, between two horses. A bridge had been washed out. Death was accidental.

Aged Man Goes to Prison.

Eau Claire, Wis., Sept. 18. — John McGowan, sixty-five years old, of Jackson county, was sentenced by Judge O'Neill to three years in state prison on a plea of guilty of felonious assault.

To Fete Solons and Judges.

Bemidji, Minn., Sept. 18.—The Beltrami County Bar association will give a banquet in honor of Senator Moses E. Clapp, Congressman Halvor Steenerson and Judges McClenahan and Spooner on Sept. 27.

Thieves Break In and Steal.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 18. — Thieves broke into the store of the Ester Oyster company here Sunday night and robbed the safe of $42.85. The door of the safe was closed but not locked.

Gas Kills Sioux City Man.

Sioux City, Iowa, Sept. 18.—Robert B. Hutchinson, a nephew of Judge Hutchinson, went to his room Sunday evening and a few hours later was found dead, asphyxiated by gas.

Flour Mill Is Burned.

Freeport, Minn., Sept. 18.—During a heavy thunder storm last night a bolt of lightning struck and burned the flour mill of Thelen Bros. Loss, about $1,000, caused by fire and water.

Two Drowned.

Philadelphia, Sept. 18. — Miss Ada Smith and George Denvar were drowned in the Delaware river yesterday by the overturning of their boat.

Star Tackle Returns.

Appleton, Wis., Sept. 18.—Lawrence university football stock took a jump yesterday when Klaus, the star tackle of last year's team, who had been denied entrance to college this year by his father, enrolled for the year.

Steal a Hundred Chickens.

Caledonia, Minn., Sept. 18.—Chicken thieves have been active in this village of late. One hundred chickens are reported to have been stolen in one night from one coop. No clue to the raiders has been fund.

EACH ROAD ON ITS OWN FEET

ASSISTANT ATTORNEY GENERAL STONE ARGUES IN RATE SUITS.

St. Paul, Sept. 18.—The third week of the hearing in the United States circuit court on an application for a temporary injunction in the stockholders' railroad rate suits opened yesterday before Judge Lochren.

Senator F. H. Peterson of Moorhead, father of the rate law, spoke in its defense yesterday after Thomas D. O'Brien, special attorney for the state, concluded his analysis of the affidavits and argument on the facts. Late in the afternoon Assistant Attorney General Royal A. Stone began an argument on some phases of law involved in the case. He expects to finish today and he will be followed by Attorney General Young, who will reply to the contention of the complainants that the prescribed rates, in practice, necessarily and directly interfere with the exercise of the exclusive power of congress to regulate interstate commerce.

Assistant Attorney General Royal A. Stone yesterday afternoon began a reply to the contention of the complainants that if the rate laws are found to be confiscatory as to any of the weaker roads they must fall as to all.

Mr. Stone contended that each road would have to stand or fall on the merits of its own case and declared that the stronger roads could not base their defense upon the claim that the law was confiscatory as to some of their weaker rivals.

CASE FOR THE STATE COURTS.

State Claims Federal Court Has No Jurisdiction in Rate Cases.

St. Paul, Sept 19.—That the United States circuit court has no jurisdiction to grant the relief prayed for in the pending injunction suits was the contention of Assistant Attorney General Royal A. Stone in his argument before Judge Lochren yesterday.

Mr. Stone, in an argument well fortified by the citation of authorities, contended that in at least six of the suits there is really no diversity of citizenship between the parties and that there is no federal question on which the court can base jurisdiction, unless it be the alleged interference of the prescribed rates with the exercise of the exclusive power of congress to regulate interstate commerce.

Mr. Stone declared that in spite of every subtlety and subterfuge the attorneys for the complainants had succeeded in raising no question "under the laws and constitution of the United States." Mr. Stone urged that the allegation that the prescribed rates would, in effect, deprive the complainants of property without due process of law; raises only a question of fact, inasmuch as the answers admit that these rates, if found to be confiscatory, would be violative of the fourteenth amendment of the constitution of the United States.

There is no dispute, he said, between the parties to these suits as to the construction of the constitution or any law of the United States, hence there is nothing in this contention of confiscation of property which rises above the dignity of a pure question of fact. The whole controversy as to confiscation, said Mr. Stone, turns on the proof of facts for which the state law has made ample provision.

PREPARE UNIFORM LABEL.

Food Commissioners From Six States Meet in St. Paul.

St. Paul, Sept. 19.—Pure food commissioners from six states of the Northwest are in session in St. Paul formulating a uniform label for food products. It will be submitted to manufacturers, and is expected to do away with the argument made by manufacturers that the laws of the different states require a different set of labels for each state.

A uniform label for all staple articles is now being prepared. Those present at the sessions are: Commissioner A. H. Jones, Assistant Commissioner H. E. Schucknecht and Chemist J. Bryan of Illinois, Commissioner H. R. Wright of Iowa, Prof. E. F. Ladd, commissioner of North Dakota, Commissioner A. H. Wheaton and Chemist J. H. Shepard of South Dakota, Commissioner J. Q. Emery and Chemist William Fisher of Wisconsin and Commissioner Edwin K. Slater, Assistant Commissioner J. McCabe and Chemist Julius Hortvet of Minnesota.

To Hold Fair Next Week.

Wahpeton, N. D., Sept. 19.—Preparations for the second annual fair of the Richland County Fair association, which will be held in this city on Sept. 24, 26, 26 and 27, are about completed and a large crowd is expected in Wahpeton next week, the weather permitting. Besides the exhibits of grains, vegetables, horses and stock, etc., there will be a good amusement program, including races, ball games, a gun tournament and a tennis tournament.

State W. T. C. U. Meets.

Northfield, Minn., Sept. 19. — The thirty-first annual convention of the State Women's Christian Temperance union is in session in the First Congregational church. About 150 delegates are expected to attend the sessions, which last until Friday.

In and About the State

FARM SCHOOL OPENS OCT. 7.

Offers Practical Course to Fit Young Men and Women for Farm Life.

The school of agriculture of the University of Minnesota will open at St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, on Oct. 7. Students are advised to correspond with the registrar of the school, J. M. Drew, St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, prior to coming to the institution and to make the necessary preliminary arrangements for registration.

The school of agriculture was organized in 1888, with the object of giving a practical education to the young men and women who are unable to pursue the full college course in agriculture. It offers a practical course of study designed to fit young men and woman for successful farm life, and aim to give to its students the necessary preparation for useful citizenship. The course of study offered covers a wide range of subjects and is largely technical in character, but provision is made for some instruction in English and mathematics. The course requires three winters, of six months each for completion, and is co-educational. Instruction is given in the workshop, laboratories, barns and fields, as well as in the class room. The necessary expenses for the year do not exceed $85. This amount does not include the cost of the required military suit for the young men, traveling and personal expense.

The cost to the student for board, heat, light and laundry is the actual cost of maintaining the table (including management), and caring for the buildings. This has not exceeded $3 per week. Text books are furnished at a rental of $2 per year to students who do not desire to purchase. A competent nurse is kept on the ground to care for the sick. To meet this expense each student pays $1 per term. On entering school the student makes a payme f $12 board, $6 deposit, $2 book rent and reading room, $1 maintaining nurse, $5 entrance fee, $2 reserve fund; total, $27.

All male students are required to provide themselves with the prescribed uniform, which consists of navy blue blouse, trousers and cap. The suit complete to measure is furnished under special contract for $12.25.

Societies for the purpose of improvement in debate and elocution and for obtaining instruction in the form of lectures, give excellent opportunities for entertainment and culture.

STATE SCULPTORS FAVORED.

Minnesota Artists Asked to Furnish Designs for Statue of Col. Colvill.

Designs of Minnesota sculptors will be given preference in the selection of a model for the statue of Col. William Colvilli to be placed in the state capitol. The commission appointed to select the statue met in St. Paul, and although no definite action was taken it was decided that the choice shall be determined by competition.

Col. Colvill, now deceased, was the officer who led the famous First Minnesota regiment in the charge at the battle of Gettysburg, and the legislature of last winter provided a fund of $10,000 to pay the expense of placing a statue of him in one of the niches in the rotunda on the second floor of the new capitol.

The commission to which has been entrusted the selection of the statue consists of Maj. C. B. Heffelfinger, Minneapolis; J. Searles, Stillwater; M. F. Taylor, Anoka, and R. L. Gorman and H. T. Bevans, St. Paul.

The statue, which will show Col. Colvill in uniform, will be of heroic size and cast in bronze. A place has been selected for it in the niche on the north wall of the rotunda.

SUIT IS FOR $50,000.

Citizens' Bank of Faribault and F. A. Barry Are Defendants.

Papers have been received by the clerk of the courts at Faribault in the suit of Albert E. Grant, a Faribault railroad contractor, against the Citizens' State bank and F. A. Barry, its president, for $50,000 damages. D. W. Lawler of St. Paul is attorney for the plaintiff.

The litigation is based on transactions involving a note held by the bank and made by John G. Grant and his brother, the complainant, who alleges that to satisfy the note and without due notice to himself a sheriff's sale was held last December to convert certain of his property for the benefit of the holders of the note. It is alleged that because of this sale, which he contends he was not given reasonable opportunity to avert, Grant has suffered damages to his credit and standing to the amount of $50,000.

The case will be tried at the November term of court.

DAIRYMEN AT NORTHFIELD.

Annual State Meeting Will Be Held in January.

At a recent meeting of the executive committee of the state dairymen's association it was decided to hold the annual meeting in Northfield. The dates for the sessions will be Jan. 21, 22 and 23. From the fact that Northfield is a great center for the dairying cattle, especially of the Holstein breed, it is expected that one of the largest meetings ever held will convene there.

ORDINANCE IS AMENDED.

Street Railway Agrees to Run Cars by Nov. 1, 1908.

At a recent meeting of the Bemidji council the matter of granting a franchise for the construction, and operation and maintenance of an electric street railway within the limits of the city of Bemidji was taken under consideration, through the reading of the amended ordinance which had been drafted under the direction of the committee appointed for that purpose, in conjunction with the representatives of the parties who desire the franchise.

The most important amendment, or rather the filling in of the provision that was left blank, is that the company binds itself to have constructed and in operation a fully equipped line of road on or before Nov. 1, 1908, beginning at Fourteenth street, on the west side of Lake Bemidji, continuing to a point near the site of the new Bemidji mill, on the east side of the lake.

The original ordinance placed no other limit as to the kind of power which the company could use, except to forbid locomotives or steam. The present ordinance was extended to prohibit the use of horsepower and explosive power. Another amendment allows the company to carry freight on its line for its own use. There was a provision in the old ordinance which might have been construed as allowing the company to maintain and operate a public telephone system. The wording of the new ordinance allows the company to maintain a telephone system only for its own use.

COLLEGE YEAR OPENS.

Macalester Students Hear an Address by Dr. Davis.

Macalester college, in St. Paul, opened its doors with a large increase in the attendance. During the vacation many improvements have been made about the college building and campus, Wallace hall, the new woman's dormitory will be ready for occupancy in the near future.

The exercises marking the opening of the school year took place in the college chapel. Dr. A. B. Marshall of the board of trustees addressed the students and welcomed them with a pleasing and forceful address. Dr. George W. Davis, who returns after an extended absence to take the chair of semetics and political science, was the speaker. His address dealt with the opportunities and responsibilities of the college career. Dr. Davis urged the students to stick to the prescribed curriculum and make concentration their aim.

Several changes have been made in the faculty. Three members have been added. Besides Dr. Davis, the new members are Dr. MacRae, who has been called to the pastorate of the Macalester Presbyterian church, who will occupy the chair of biblical history, and Miss Margaret Moore, who will be associate professor in modern languages and preceptress of Wallace hall.

RENEW THEIR LICENSES.

Two Foreign Companies Get New Permit to Operate Here.

The secretary of state has received the first returns from notices recently sent out to twelve foreign corporations announcing the expiration of their licenses to operate in this state. The Dubuque Mutual Fire Insurance company and the Musser-Sauntry Lumber company, both Iowa corporations, applied for new licenses recently. Mr. Schmahl also received a letter from General Manager Redfield of the Western Town Lot company, a subsidiary company of the Chicago & North-Western road, stating that it would soon renew its license. Three companies have withdrawn from the state and the other six have not yet been heard from.

STATE PRISON LEADS.

Stillwater Institution Returns the Largest Sum to the State.

The state institutions last month turned in to the state treasury $23,938.01, according to a report just made by the state board of control. The receipts from the various institutions were as follows: Anoka asylum, $28.75; Hastings asylum, $48.18; Fergus Falls hospital, $450.36; Rochester hospital, $624.29; St. Peter hospital, $545.79; Faribault school for the blind, $301.66; Faribault school for the deaf, $897.64; Faribault school for the feeble minded, $6,481.26; Owatonna state public school, $119.80; Red Wing training school, $687.81; St. Cloud reformatory, $2,020.85; Stillwater state prison, $11,731.62.

MEN ARE SCARCE.

State Employment Bureau Cannot Supply Demand in City.

The state free employment bureau in the old capitol at St. Paul, has a large number of applications for men to work in the city, but is having difficulty in finding enough men to go around. Requests for men are being received from contractors in the various building lines, as well as for common laborers. While the bureau is furnishing work to a large number of men the demand exceeds the supply.

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LAWYER LEGISLATORS.

Lawyers are granted license to represent whatever cause offers the largest inducement—pecuniary or otherwise, and there is no objection from any source, but when a lawyer is also a public official it is a serious question whether that fact ought not preclude him from accepting retainers and making pleas for corporations in cases where the interests of the state conflict with the interests of his client. For instance only last week a well-known state senator living in the vicinity of Stillwater appeared before the state tax commission and also before the board of equalization to argue for a reduction in the proposed valuation of the Twin City street railway company. This is probably legitimate from the lawyer's point of view, but since as state sonator this gentleman ought to be interested in securing an equitable and adequate valuation it is hard to reconcile the the conflict of interests. There should be some method of keeping corporation lawyers out of th legislature. They cannot serve two masters and the history of the state records the lamentable fact that the state invariably is given the short end of the straw.

It is a well-known fact that at every election the corporations attempt to dominate the legislature. The railroads elect as many members as money and influence can secure; the street railway obtains four or five; the other public service corporations of St. Paul and Minneapolis as many more, while the steel trust and the brewing trust get as many of their agents as possible. It is noteworthy that all of these senators and representatives while primarily looking after the interests of the corporation responsible for their election combine in the general policy of favoring all of the corporations and special interests.

The remedy is in the hands of the people. When these senators and representatives come up for re-election the voters have the opportunity to elect some one not identified with the corporations. The records and characters of legislative candidates should be investigated more carefully.

WILL Frank Kellogg next be instructed to investigate the steel trust? He ought to know something about it.

THE paper trust is a great educator. It is teaching the high protection newspapers the necessity for tariff revision.

THE Redwood Reveille thinks the Republican political leaders seem to be more anxious just now about what John A. Johnson is going to do than who shall run for governor on the Republican ticket.

TAMS BIXBY, it is said, will again be active in Minnesota politics. But the Little Falls Herald reminds him that the days of the open check-book, railroad passes by the handful, free newspaper passes, etc., have passed away. It's done differently now.

DON'T prophesy hard times or other disasters. When tempted to do so remember the story about the long-faced corner-stone lounger, who made the remark, "if it doant rain we will hev a long dry spell," then smile out loud as the fellow did who heard him say it.

THE Cannon Falls Beacon surmises that "the railroads of Minnesota are not going to let go of the $10,000 per day which they are collecting in extortionate freight rates so long as there is a court to appeal to or a judge who will listen to the 'con' talk of their attorneys."

J. B. COTTON, solicitor for the U. S. Steel company, says that when J. J. Hill leased his iron range properties to the United States Steel corporation he drove a hard bargain and obtained considerably more than they were actually worth, getting nearly four times as much as the mining properties lease for on the average. How unkind of Jim to take such an unfair advantage of a poor, struggling little steel trust!

WE fear that Judge Lochren looks through the corporation end of the judicial telescope when he criticizes the legislature for passing a two-cent fare law and equalizing freight rates. Ordinarily the legislature is a fit subject for criticism, but the last Minnesota session did attempt to curb the rapacity of the railroads and should receive commendation for its efforts to remedy some of the evils the people of the state have endured.

THE Adams Express company recently divided a gift of two hundred per cent. among its stockholders, this action following a gift of one hundred per cent. in 1898. Thus the stockholders have been repaid threefold within less than ten years, besides regular and liberal dividends, and they still have the stock. The American public is "long suffering and kind," but some day there will be an end to the express and telegraph robbery.

THE St. Peter Free Press has its own peculiar views on the liquor question, saying "the people of Minnesota as a whole are temperate, but they have little time for prohibition; they like to indulge occasionally in a glass of beer, wine or liquor, but they detest a drunkard; but unless a wholesale system of effectual supervision of the traffic is inaugurated soon they will prefer prohibition to a wide-open saloon, and it is up to the authorities and to the dealers themselves to determine which it shall be."

A LARGE falling-off in the number of immigrants arriving in the Canadian northwest is reported, says the Roseau Region. No wonder. We predicted it three years ago. That country is now advertising itself, and thousands there be who wish they had never seen the over-much advertised country. There are many even from Roseau county who are writing back to their friends to stay where they are, and assuring them that the Canadian northwest is far from being what it is cracked up to be by the paid advertisements of the government.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT is not adding to his reputation as a reformer by using the power of his great office in attempting to defeat Tom Johnson as mayor of Cleveland. Mayor Johnson has made a great fight for three-cent street car fares and has won. Moreover, he has stood for municipal decency, and Cleveland is one of the best-governed cities in the country. It is not in good taste for a president to interfere in local politics, and it will put his popularity to the straining point by continuing a course so repugnant to American ideals.

THE simplest and plainest laws of health are outraged every hour of the day by the average man, says an exchange. Did Adam smoke? Did Eve wear corsets? Did Solomon chew tobacco? Did Ruth chew gum? Did the children of Isreal make for a beer garden after crossing the Dead Sea? Did Rebecca eat gum drops and ice cream and call for soda water? Adam was the first man made perfect from head to heel. How long would he remain so after eating a mince pie before going to bed? Suppose he slept in a bedroom 5x7, with the windows down, the door shut and two dogs under the bed? Suppose Eve had laced herself in a corset pulled up tight, sat up all hours of the night eating her fill of trash and sizzled her hair. When you come to look how a man misbehaves himself you can only wonder how he ever lived to get there. Verily, the average man behaves as if he were little better than a fool.

RHEUMATISM

CAN NOT BE RUBBED AWAY

It is perfectly natural to rub the spot that hurts, and when the muscles, nerves, joints and bones are throbbing and twitching with the pains of Rheumatism the sufferer is apt to turn to the liniment bottle, or some other external application, in an effort to get relief from the disease, by producing counter-irritation on the flesh. Such treatment will quiet the pain temporarily, but can have no direct curative effect on the real disease because it does not reach the blood, where the cause is located. Rheumatism is more than skin deep—it is rooted and grounded in the blood and can only be reached by constitutional treatment—IT CANNOT BE RUBBED AWAY. Rheumatism is due to an excess of uric acid in the blood, brought about by the accumulation in the system of refuse matter which the natural avenues of bodily waste, the Bowels and Kidneys, have failed to carry off. This refuse matter, coming in contact with the different acids of the body, forms uric acid which is absorbed into the blood and distributed to all parts of the body, and Rheumatism gets possession of the system. The aches and pains are only symptoms, and though they may be scattered or relieved for a time by surface treatment, they will reappear at the first exposure to cold or dampness, or after an attack of indigestion or other irregularity. Rheumatism can never be permanently cured while the circulation remains saturated with irritating, pain-producing uric acid poison. The disease will shift from muscle to muscle or joint to joint, settling on the nerves, causing inflammation and swelling and such terrible pains that the nervous system is often shattered, the health undermined, and perhaps the patient becomes deformed and crippled for life. S. S. S. thoroughly cleanses the blood and renovates the circulation by neutralizing the acids and expelling all foreign matter from the system. It warms and invigorates the blood so that instead of a weak, sour stream, constantly depositing acrid and corrosive matter in the muscles, nerves, joints and bones, the body is fed and nourished by rich, health-sustaining blood which completely and permanently cures Rheumatism. S. S. S. is composed of both purifying and tonic properties—just what is needed in every case of Rheumatism. It contains no potash, alkali or other mineral ingredient, but is made entirely of purifying, healing extracts and juices of roots, herbs and barks. If you are suffering from Rheumatism do not waste valuable time trying to rub a blood disease away, but begin the use of S. S. S. and write us about your case and our physicians will give you any information or advice desired free of charge and will send our special treatise on Rheumatism.

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Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council held at the city hall, September 5, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called

Aldermen all present except Hennemuth and Brady.

On motion unanimously carried the following bills were allowed:

Julius Keibl, for street work......	$ 6.75
John Deforge, for street work....	19 80
Mrs. Louis Guilmette, repairing city flag..........................	1.00
J. K. Wood, establishing grade...	4 00

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Borchers, president.

Approved this 11th day of September, A. D, 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest: A. P Toupin,
City Clerk.

Regular meeting of the city council, held at the city hall, September 19, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called.

Aldermen present: Borchers, Crompe and Paul.

Aldermen absent: Hennemuth and Brady.

Minutes of two previous meetings were read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Red Lake Falls Electric Light Co., street lights for month of August, 1907................ ...	$111.71
Red Lake Falls Fire Department, for services September 13, 1907......................	89.00
Julius Keibl, for street work	7.50
John Deforge, for street work...	19.80

The application of Latendresse Bros. to sell intoxicating liquors was duly granted.

The application of Dennis Cyr for correction and abatement of taxes on lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 of block 4 in Charles Bottineau's addition was on motion duly rejected.

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 24th day of September A. D. 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. Toupin,
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John E. Wander and family are moving into the Ford residence.

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Miss Clara Swisher of Minneapolis is visiting Mrs. J. E. Argue this week.

One new Belle City thresher, 32 inch cylinder at a bargain:—Jos. Helm.

P. F. Pouliot was an over-Sunday visitor at Crookston and Grand Forks.

S. L. Lewis and wife were visitors at St. Hilaire the fore part of the week.

Attorney Martin O'Brien, of Crookston, was a business caller here Monday.

A few gang and sulky plows to sell at less than wholesale cost today—Jos. Helm.

Carl Pochardt is up from Lyon county this week loooking after his farming interests.

Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere returned Friday from a visit with relatives at Fargo and Crookston.

Brand new $55 Singer sewing machine for sale at a bargain. Inquire at THE GAZETTE office.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Swisher of Minneapolis were guests at the home of Frank E. Hunt over Sunday.

Ole Knudtson of Crookston has taken a position as bookkeeper with the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

James H. Cross and wife drove down from St. Hilaire yesterday for a short visit at the Piriath home.

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I have a few thresher belts, cotton and rubber, left which I will sell at bargain prices—Jos. Helm.

Lewis Alstadt is at Kelliher, where he is employed by James Brady on the new school building.

Sam E. Hunt was here over Sunday looking after his business interests and visiting his many friends.

An opportunity good agency position in Fidelity. Write General Agent, John F. Naughtin, Minneapolis.

H. W. Anderson and Miss Rose Harren drove to Crookston Sunday and spent the day with friends there

S. M. Sivertson was a visitor up the Greenbush line Monday looking after business or the mill company.

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Joe Harren arrived home Friday from his two weeks' visit with relatives at St. Cloud and neighboring points.

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If you would try a box of that E-Z Stove Polish that the Hunt Hdw. Co. sells you would never use any other kind.

The Crookston Milling company is building a grain elevator at Mallory and will buy wheat there for its mill this fall.

The first killing frost came Tuesday night, the 24th. Everything was out of the way except a little of the late corn.

One 10-horse mounted Sweep Horse power on trucks, new; will sell for $125.00 cost; $275.00 at factory.—Jos. Helm.

For sale at a bargain a 16-horse portable Gasoline engine used somewhat, in first-class working condition.—Jos. Helm.

The venerable L. M. Healy, of Osakis, arrived here Tuesday morning to spend a week or so with his son, Ed L., and family.

B. H. Phinney of Otter Tail county is here today looking over the farm he recently purchased from the Sortedahl Land & Loan company.

Mrs. Chas. J. Chapman of Crookston, visited over Sunday at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Sutter, returning to Crookston Monday evening.

Messrs. Henry P. Johnson and Hjalmer Johnson transacted business at the county seat, and visited with their cousin, C. W. Johnson, last Friday.

J. W. Kulp of Princeton, Ill., was in the city Sunday and Monday. Mr. Kulp owns a farm in Rocksbury and is making preparations to move on it this fall.

The Misses Ella Krueger and Stella Hennemuth left Monday evening for Moorhead, where they will attend the normal school during the coming year.

Lost—Wombat overcoat, on Monday, on road between Red Lake Falls and Gentilly. Finder leave at Gazette office, and receive reward.—John Westerland.

Arthur Ittner passed through here Monday evening on his way from St. Hilaire to Cass Lake, where he will work on the Cass Lake Times for Judge Frank Ive..

A guarantee of satisfaction or money refunded is given every student at the Minneapolis Business College, 300 Central Ave. Be sure to write for information.

Rev. Father Fayolle is home from Mt Clemens, Mich., where he spent several weeks at the health resort. Here's hoping the genial pastor has added ten years, anyway.

Mrs. L Deslauriers of St. Paul is visiting at the home of her brother, Louis Berthiaume and family. She will also visit Mr. and Mrs. Dupont of Terrebonne, before returning home.

Threshing has been delayed by the unfavorable weather of the past week, but the machines are now at work. Not many returns are available, but the yields are generally anticipated.

James E. Ford is shipping his household goods to St. Paul this week. Mr. Ford has rented a house on Von Minden street, and expects to have his family comfortably settled there next week.

M. O. Sortedahl returned Tuesday morning from a trip to Otter Tail county, where he closed a deal for the sale of a fine farm near Wylie, and takes in exchange a stock of hardware in Grant county.

C. O. Kankol, the Terrebonne miller, was here Tuesday on business. Mr. Kankel says his mill is running full blast this season, and is grinding about all the wheat in the vicinity of Terrebonne.

Rufus Porler came down from Rollo, North Dakota, Monday, to spend a week with his family and many friends here. Rufus has a good position with a lumber company at Rolla and reports himself as prospering.

George Lizee has sold his farm adjoining the townsite of Terrebonne to Joseph Laurent. Mr. Lizee expects to move to North Yakima, where he has secured a position with an irrigation company.

Dr. N. M. Watson was host at a luncheon at Paul's hotel today. The guests were Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Argue, Mrs. E. F. Marshall, Misses McClatchie, Swisher and Hamry, William Hunt and John E. King.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. LaDue of Los Angeles, Cal., were guests of their cousin, Mrs. E. F. Marshall, over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. LaDue were on their way east for an extended visit. They were formerly residents of Rochester, this state.

One of our prominent farmers tells us that he is going to have about twenty young pigs in town for sale on market day. The pigs range from six weeks to five months of age, and this will be a splendid opportunity to buy young porkers.

Joel G. Winkjer, of the state dairy and food department, was here last Friday scoring the creamery and the work of Buttermaker Malvin. The scores showed up exceptionally well, and the buttermaker was complimented highly on his showing.

H. H. Zaiser returned Friday from an extended visit to Philadelphia, New York and other eastern cities. While away he purchased a fine line of winter and spring goods, and the Busy store will as usual have the latest creations the market affords.

Oliver Belair, Henry Belair, Simon Paul, Fred Cyr and Ed. Bray went up to Mud lake Tuesday to spend a few days hunting ducks and geese. They took along a tent and complete camping outfit and expect to have a good time and bring back some game.

Orson Doe returned home Monday from a visit of a week at various valley towns in the interests of Button's Business college at Crookston, which he is now representing. Orson has succeeded in working up a nice business for this school in the surrounding towns.

Mrs. F. A. Mizen entertained a party of twelve ladies Saturday evening. Two interesting contests furnished diversion, Mesdames S. S. Haislet and J. C. Wilkinson winning the honors. Fortune telling by Miss Minnie Shannon was also a feature. Elegant refreshments were served.

The city election is only six weeks away, and there is some talk of candidates. The many friends of J. J. Paddea announce that he will be a candidate for alderman of the first ward. Mr. Paddea is one of the most reliable young men in the city and his honesty and competency is unquestioned.

County Superintendent of Schools McAnulty is this week moving his office from the second floor of the court house to the west front room of the building just north of the court room. This will give McAnulty much more desirable quarters and a better chance to carry out some ideas he has long had in mind.

The First State Bank reports the sale of the Letvig farm—the northwest quarter of 21, Black River—to Dan Whalen of LeSueur, son of Thomas Whalen, who bought the Poirier farm north of town last fall. Mr. Whalen will move his family here at once, and will make some substantial improvements on the farm.

Don't forget the "Autumn Supper" Friday evening, at the Presbyterian church parlors, served by the September and October divisions of the Ladies' Aid society. Everybody come and partake of creamed potatoes, cold meats, baked beans, cabbage salad, pickles, rolls, jellies, pumpkin pie, doughnuts, cakes, coffee. Price 25c.

Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson, of this city, in company with Sheriffs Lundgren, of Douglas, and Fosberg, of Marshall counties, spent Sunday and Monday in the Mud Lake country in pursuit of game. Besides having a most enjoyable time these jolly law enforcers bagged a big bunch of geese and ducks and Mr. Nelson's guests went back to their homes delighted with their outing.

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Rev. H. S. Waaler, Ph. D., of Minneapolis, will preach Sunday morning and evening at the Presbyterian church. Rev. Waaler is doing general missionary work in this presbytery under the direction of Dr. Adams, secretary of home missions in the northwest district. Rev. Waaler preached last Sunday in Red Lake Falls and the audiences were much pleased with the sermons.

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Candidates for the high school football team have commenced practice, and the work of getting ready for fall games will be got at in earnest from now on. The team will be a very light one this year, and will probably not seek games with the heavy teams from the larger towns, but there is already prospects of games with several elevens of about their own weight and some interesting contests may be looked for.

The Fort Cobb (Okla.) Record fathers this story about a bright little school girl's composition on men: "Men are what women marry. They drink, smoke and swear and have so many pockets, but they wont go to church. Perhaps if they wore bonnets they would. They are more logical than women and always more zoological. Both men and women have sprung from monkeys but the women certainly sprung much farther than the men."

Mrs. William Gervais of Two Harbors, who has been visiting relatives and friends in and around Red Lake Falls for the past couple of weeks, left Monday for Blackduck, where she will be joined by Mr. Gervais. They will visit at points along the line before returning home. Mrs. Gervais has a host of friends in Red Lake Falls who were delighted to see her again and who will hope that her stay in Blackduck will be as enjoyable as was her visit in our city.

Henry P. Johnson went through here on Monday's train bound for the Augustana Seminary, at Rock Island, where he is studying for the ministry. He was accompanied by his aunt, Mrs. Schieltz of Chicago, who has been visiting with relatives near Wylie. It will be remembered that Mr. Johnson was a great hustler for the Gazette during Kaufer's regime, at which time he acted as collector, reporter and general solicitor for Wylie and the surrounding country.

James E. Ford came up from St. Paul Friday and is this week packing his household goods and getting ready to move his family to St. Paul where they will reside for some time at least. Monday Jim received word from the public examiner to go to the town of Numedal and make such examination of the records of the school district and township officers as the county board requested at their last meeting. Mr. Ford went up Tuesday and will probably be there two or three days finishing up this work.

A farmer went to a veterinary surgeon to ask what he was to do about his horse, which had been ill. "Give him this powder," said the vet. Later the farmer came again and said that he couldn't get the horse to take the powder. "Oh," said the vet., "I forgot. Put this tube down his throat, then lay the powder in the tube and blow it down his throat." Within half an hour the farmer came running back, pale and excited. "What's up now?" asked the vet. "Didn't you do as I told you?" "Yes," said the farmer. "I put the tube down his throat and laid the powder in it, but the horse blew first."

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In Unspoiled Tripoli

By Mabel Loomis Todd

Tripoli Most Enchanting of Oriental Cities—Quaint Characters and Costumes on the Streets—A Silver City in the Moonlight—Life in the Harem—Inmates Heavily Jeweled and Tatooed—Weird Wedding Celebration—Bride a Concentrated Nightmare of Color—Hands Covered with Gold-Leaf—Guests from the Desert.

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(Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd, wife of Prof. David P. Todd, the noted astronomer of Amherst college, has enjoyed unusual facilities for travelling in little known corners of the earth, having accompanied her husband on journeys undertaken for purposes of astronomical research. Her father was David Loomis, astronomer of Harvard university. Besides being a talented writer for the magazines and author of several books, Mrs. Todd is a successful lecturer.)

Pedestrians have few rights in the [illegible] thoroughfares of Tripoli. In pursuing one's devious way, the tiny feet of omnipresent donkeys perhaps are sound enough to indicate their approach, even if their drivers did not conscientiously shout "Balik! Balik!" to the unwary. But they never swerve from their course. If one succeeds in jumping out of the way in time, well and good. Not even so much notice is given of the soft-footed progress of the camel. During my weeks in Tripoli, most enchanting of unspoiled oriental cities, the first indication of the camel's presence was often the long, arched neck curving quite over my shoulder as he silently overtook me and the supremely scornful face close beside mine. It was quite indifferent to him where his next footstep fell, but not being equally so to me, he immediately possessed the street in clear and unrestricted ownership. Four feet, not two, reign in Tripoli.

Humanity indeed is harder to disentangle. Nationalities multiply with every step. Along the white walls and buildings, Arabs, Bedouins and Moors wrapped in white barracan flit swiftly, while Greeks, Maltese, black Sudanese and Fezzani—some polished like patent leather, others finished in dull tints like ebony—with fez and turban rags and bronze limbs, Turkish trousers and Albanian drapery give still further accent, and would absolutely defy one to identify one's locality if suddenly set down in the midst of it all.

In Tunis the Arabian women hide their faces, except the eyes, by a tightly strapped black veil, otherwise completely wrapped in a white burnoose. In Tripoli no veil is worn, but half of the left eye only is permitted to remain unshielded, and the barracan is put on differently. I took several lessons in adjusting it, attaining at last quite a degree of proficiency. But I fear the right manipulation of all the complicated, if graceful, folds would not be possible in a country of tailor-made suits and sealskin coats. One's mental fitness varies with environment. The peeping advantage of one bright black eye, or a small part of it, is rather an advantage than otherwise, for one may imagine all sorts of concealed beauty behind the white folds. A suggestion of something too choice and lovely for casual gaze envelops them, though in all my Tripoli experience actual sight of the street shrouded faces never failed to disenchant. American adoption of the barracan might enhance the attractiveness of our street parades.

Looking out of my window one morning—an entertaining employment hardly to be resisted—I witnessed an altercation which promised to turn into a genuine encounter. The combatants were apparently a jet-black vender of bottles carried about in a little push cart, and a lighter colored and more fully clothed and befezzed person with a table on his head. A crowd of all the nations of the earth speedily collected, and the conversation reached a pitch that suggested the tearing out of eyes and hair at once. But Arabic is curiously emphatic, voices at best loud and hoarse with a guttural "catch" in the throat quite inimitable; and this street fight turned out to be merely an amicable difference of opinion soon adjusted by a laugh from a bystander.

Maltese women in the black head cover and cloak combined, several [illegible]-eyed Moslem dames and two anxious-looking Roman Catholic sisters with a small brood of children whom they seemed to be initiating into the difficult art of wearing European clothes, were among the spectators; a Franciscan monk in brown robe and rope girdle stopped a moment as he passed, while a heavily turbaned Turk in a gorgeous red robe looked scornfully upon these inferior persons playing at emotions.

Days passed before I could intelligently study these types, or feel otherwise than that all were disporting themselves with histrionic intent.

If these ordinary street scenes were picturesque, how much more the great Tuesday market or fair on the beach or planura, where all the inhabitants for miles around from country and desert having anything to sell assemble by sunrise and establish the ephemeral but crowded city of tents close to the gentle Mediterranean surf! Thousands come every week, laying out the seats and blankets in rows facing each other like little streets. As in many oriental basars, articles of one kind are together. Next the water a narrow way led between booths where meat was displayed in tempting cuts; the next showed vegetables; another showed fruits, apricots, mulberries and a few belated oranges. Farther back, rude rugs and saddle-bags were displayed by strange men with wild but not unamiable faces, while barbarous old women sold bead bracelets and huge earrings, strings of coral, silver chains and handsome handkerchiefs. Plaid cottons, woven in Tripoli, in brilliant reds and yellows—barracans for the poorer class, who cannot afford the finer white ones—gave attractive suggestion of their utility as curtains and portieres in summer houses. But as usual much conversation on the subject was necessary before a bargain was made on the basis of a proper price. The sellers spoke Arabic to our attendant—the gorgeously impressive cavasse of the British consulate—who turned their remarks into modern Greek for the consul's daughter, she in turn reconstructing it all in French for me.

A row of Arab men made on the spot the close-fitting white caps worn under the fez by men, and wild desert women, hardly a degree above four-footed animals, were selling embroidered head coverings for little girls younger than four years. One of the most picturesque groups was composed of desert women seated flat in the sand surrounded by the woven straw covers for the bowls of cus-cus, a universal edible. These covers, like rather flat yet conical hats, with brilliant-colored strips of flannel woven in them, and of all sizes, were endlessly attractive, and I loaded the cavasse and my patient donkey with the spoils won by four languages.

But life in the harems, with the inner courtyard as its chief theater, is unique. My first morning spent in these visits is most memorable. No moslem young girl in Tripoli goes into the street after early childhood until she has been some time married and then only after the customary style of barracan shelter. And one or two young girls with whom I talked evinced a good deal of curiosity about the outer world, though never for a moment deeming it possible that they could see it for themselves before marriage. The coming husband is distinctly a liberator.

In one house the daughter was making a sort of coarse lace with a crochet needle. Her mother seemed to be washing some garment in a big flat bowl on the tiled floor of the court, her back bent double as she leaned, standing, to her task. Another middle-aged woman was seated on the floor of a room opening on the courtyard, sifting flour into different grades of fineness, preparatory to cuscus. A wizened little old woman crouched in a corner, grinding coffee in a tiny brass mill, and a few children seemed to be promiscuously scattered about. All the women were heavily laden with necklaces and bracelets and huge earrings. The courts were quite clean, many beautifully lined with Moorish tiles, but barbarously injured by the omnipresent whitewash. A handsome black woman from the interior seemed to be chief hostess in another harem, but a number of young married women of different nations hovered about with babies, pounds of jewelry and tattoo. One was quite covered with the blue-black symbols—face, hands, arms—and, as she proudly announced, she had done it all herself, though not after the usual gunpowder method.

Our shoes were removed, as in Japan, to go into the inner rooms, and a white sheepskin was brought for me to sit on. In one rather dirty little patio a forest of thread after dyeing was hanging overhead to dry in great skeins of scarlet and yellow and a pretty young girl was manipulating reels and bobbins as she sat in the shade. In another dwelling the chief apartment was shown—full of fine gold embroidery, on pillows and cushions and divans, hung on the wall, spread on the floor. Heavily curtained beds at each end were piled high with gorgeous cushions. It was still called the bridal chamber, though the bride showed her lusty babe of a year with evident pride, while a second, three weeks old, lay gurgling and meditating in a cradle close by.

Sounds in Tripoli are almost as picturesque as its sights, and several times, generally at night, one especially joyous cry echoed through the streets with a singularly penetrating vibration. This happy scream sometimes announces a birth, but it may be used to proclaim a wedding as well, or other fortunate happening. One Wednesday evening three genuine carriages passed, two containing Arab ladies and the last filled with black women, chanting weirdly, occasionally giving vent to the characteristic resonant tremolo.

All this signified that a prospective bridegroom's mother was announcing to the town her approaching happiness. Glad tidings filled the air. The next night, Thursday, a favorite night for weddings, a large procession passed up and down through the narrow streets for hours. Arab men closely wrapped in white barracans like ghosts marched ahead of a company of black men, beating drums, burning red fire and exploding rockets and fire crackers. Behind came Moslem boys swinging lanterns and occasionally singing. In the midst walked the expectant bridegroom, taking this emphatic farewell of bachelorhood. Until two o'clock in the morning he paraded the streets, entertaining his friends and giving them a fine supper at the end. Meantime, the little bride would be brought by her relatives to his house, with somewhat less flourish, and placed in charge of his mother. Some time during the day he has been to the mosque, but it is not necessary for the bride to go.

The next day, Friday, I was invited to the wedding festivities. The families were of a far higher class than those of the harems I had previously seen. The pleasant courtyard was lined with fine green tiles in good designs, the rooms opening directly upon it and also from a gallery above. In the center flat on the floor sat a dozen black women with coarse tambourines and small drums, keeping up an incessant though intermittent noise of chanting, but ranged about the sides on a platform slightly raised sat the chief female relatives and friends of the high contracting parties, and their effect was so theatrically dazzling that it was some time before I discovered which might be the bride. The love of aniline dyes rather than the lovely old soft oriental colors had infected all ranks, and as each Arab lady in Tripoli when indoors appeared in all the seven colors of the spectrum and a good many more not recognized by the rainbow, the effect of 40 or 50 together was overpowering. Jackets, blouses, short skirts, Turkish trousers, silk stockings, gold slippers and crimson, pink, cobalt blue, scarlet, yellow, silver gauze and gold brocade distributed liberally on each woman—words convey little of the effect. Each face was painted dead white, with startling crimson triangles accurately set upon the cheeks; eyebrows were heavily outlined in black and connected over the nose and yards of gold sequins and beads were looped around neck and arms and forehead.

In the center of all this gorgeousness sat the little bride, rigidly erect and immovable, with two especially resplendent friends on each side to fan and otherwise attend her. For hours she must neither move nor smile, nor even wink. Her hands were spread stiffly upon her knees, the fingers black with henna and gold leaf thickly laid on up to her wrists; while as to costume, she was a concentrated nightmare of color. Her hair was braided down with blue silk and silver, her vest was gold brocade, her trousers were of blue velvet; scarlet and crimson disported bewilderingly among yards of gold coins and chains of some white-petaled flower. Half a dozen holes in each ear supported an immense weight of ornaments; bracelets reached the shoulder. In every detail her decorations were bigger and brighter and more amazing than those of the others.

Friday, from just before sunset, the bride sits thus like a statue for an hour or two, while the bridal chamber is examined, the viands discussed and much hilarity prevails among the assembled women. The father of this particular bride had had but four wives, and there had been but 50 children altogether. Of these 25 or 30 had died young, so the poor man had not married into a very extensive connection. But he was grateful for even so many relatives-in-law.

The most really interesting figures in all this wedding party were a group of Bedouins, who had come up from the desert, strange, bright-eyed women, with the great Sahara spaces breathing from their weird personality. They were draped in silver chains and bangles, their dark robes being held together by splendid old silver clasps and buckles. Their earrings were so heavy that they had to be attached to the head covering as well. These were the real essence of the east, the breezy embodiment of free air, but showing, too, a shy distrust of ways other than their own.

Saturday, too, the little bride sits for hours in state, but afterward the ceremonies proper are over, though she is dressed and waited upon and made the guest of honor in her husband's house for a month. After that practical life begins.

Grotesque as are some customs, confused as are nationalities and races, there is yet a strange and inexplicable charm about Tripoli. It took a permanent hold upon my heart and imagination, and when I saw its white minarets and domes grow less upon the horizon, fading almost into the blue of the incomparable Mediterranean, I was glad to remember that I had surely stepped upon the little plate of brass at the sea gate as I came away, which by a native superstition means certain return to Tripolitan joys.

The Feeling Was the Same.

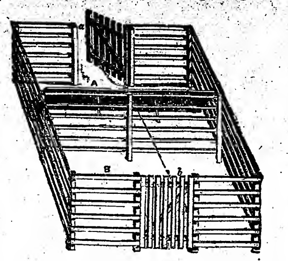
There is a little girl in a little town "up the state" who has been brought up most carefully, and whose father and mother have taken the utmost pains that she should hear nothing but English, absolutely untainted by slang, to say nothing of more forcible language. She was therefore kept from the society of children of her own age, and the weekly young people's meetings at one of the village churches were the only form of entertainment (if such they may be called) that she had ever attended.

One evening she was playing all by herself as usual, and had built on the side porch an imposing edifice of blocks. She sat looking at it, possibly planning additional improvements, when her elder brother, "a real grown-up young man," came up the steps with one of his college friends. One of them made a careless step, and in an instant the house of blocks was in ruins.

The little girl jumped to her feet and stood a moment, struggling with emotions that seemed too large for her, then she burst out:

"Christian Endeavor! Rock of Ages! Onward, Christian Soldiers!—I'm swearing, brother Henry."

Trap for Sheep-Killing Dogs



In the meadow or field where sheep are pastured during the day, is a small pen, which is divided by a cross fence and covered on the top by strong slats. Two gates are made so that they will swing open of their own accord and remain so, unless held closed or fastened. The gate is furnished with a latch by which it is fastened when closed. This gate is intended to admit the dog into the part of the pen A when he is attracted to it by a sheep confined for the purpose in the other part of the pen B. In the A part of the pen is a heavy board reaching across it. One edge of this board rests upon the ground against two pegs, which keep it from slipping backward. The other edge is kept up by means of two shaky, slender supports. A rope is fastened to the upper edge of this board and to the gates so that one-half of it when the board is propped up, allows the gate A to swing open and the other half holds the gate B shut and thus keeps the sheep confined. The trap is now set. A dog seeking entry into the pen finds the gate open and rushes over the board, thus knocking it down. The gate A is closed by the rope and fastened, while the gate B is allowed to swing open and set the sheep free.

THE CULTURE OF ASPARAGUS

By W. R. Beattie.

This crop can be grown on almost any well-drained soil, but will do best on a deep, mellow, sandy loam. There is little possibility of having the land too rich, and liberal applications of rotted barnyard manure should be made before the plants are set. It is usually more satisfactory to purchase two-year-old roots from some seedsmen or dealer. The price of good roots is generally about $1.25 per hundred, and 100 to 200 plants will be found sufficient to supply the ordinary family. The roots should be transplanted during the late autumn or early spring. Before setting out the plants the land should be loosened very deeply, either by subsoil plowing or deep spading. It is a good plan to remove the topsoil and spade manure into the subsoil to a depth of 14 or 16 inches; then replace the topsoil and add more manure. There are two methods of setting an asparagus bed, depending entirely upon the kind of cultivation to be employed in the garden. If horse tools are to be used, the plants should be set in rows three and a half feet apart and 14 inches apart in the row. On the other hand, if the garden space is limited the plants should be set in a solid bed, one foot apart each way, and cultivated by hand. In setting asparagus the crowns should be covered to a depth of four or five inches. At the north it will be desirable to mulch the asparagus bed during the winter with three or four inches of loose manure or straw. In the south the covering during the winter will not be necessary, but the bed should receive a dressing of manure or fertilizer at some time each year, preferably in the autumn.

Hard Milking.—"Hard milking" occurs from varied causes. Sometimes the trouble is due to an unnatural construction of the entire length of the canal of the teat, sometimes to new growths along its course, and not infrequently to little shot-like bodies attached to a pedicle, which drop down into the canal from above and form a sort of a ball-valve obstruction. Again, says Farm Journal, the trouble may come from injuries to the lower part (the sphincter of the teat). These last causes usually arise from injuries received from without, and occasionally are due to warty growths at the opening of the teat.

Needs a Separator.—The farmer that has a good-sized herd of cows and has no separator can well afford to sell his poorest cow and buy a separator. It will save him money in the end.

EFFECT OF SOILS ON PLANTS

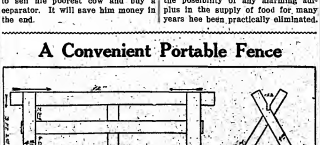
By C. L. Allen.

While variations of climate produce wonderful changes in vegetable forms, it is a well-established fact that any vegetable grown in a given soil will assume a very different form when grown on either a heavier or a lighter one. This has been shown in a remarkable degree with the cabbage. A given variety grown for a long number of years on a heavy soil, with a liberal supply of plant food, proper care in growing the plants and in transplanting them, and constant cultivation until the crop is matured, will develop a type remarkable for size and vigor, with excellent keeping qualities, and be what is known as a Late Flat Dutch or Drumhead cabbage. On the other hand, take the same stock seed, grow it on a light sandy soil, under the same climatic influences, with the same care in cultivation, always selecting with a view to earliness and solidity, and the result will be in the same number of years a variety of the same general form but of smaller size and very much earlier. Again, a soil intermediate in character, from the same stock, during the same period, with the same care in selection, will give a variety intermediate in character as well as in period of growth.

Red Cedar.—Red cedar, from which pencils are made, has become so scarce that it enjoys the unique distinction of being bought and sold by the pound. Most of this cedar comes from Tennessee, Alabama and Florida, and the supply in Tennessee is nearly gone. Fence rails that weathered the civil war have gone into pencils. Stumps have been dug up and sold for more than the trees which were cut from them to make railroad ties. Fence posts have given way to newer kinds of wood and have been carted to the pencil factory to be sold for ten cents a hundred pounds. And yet this red cedar will grow anywhere in the United States where the soil does not contain too much sand or clay; will flourish on land that is unfit for agriculture, and will reach a size fit for pencil making when 25 years old.—Department of Agriculture.

Good Prices for Stock.—The era of cheap meat seems to be as far off as ever and it looks as if consumption has overtaken and passed production. There is undoubtedly room for much increase in the production of live stock, but with the population increasing at the rate of 2,000,000 a year and plenty of work in sight for everybody, the possibility of any alarming surplus in the supply of food for many years has been practically eliminated.

A Convenient Portable Fence



The panels in the portable fence shown here are made of four-inch fencing, 14 feet long, with six-inch spaces between the boards, thus making a fence three feet high by allowing the cleats to project two inches. If the fence is to be used for pigs the lower space may be reduced to four inches and the upper one increased to eight inches. The fence is held in place by triangular frames. The ends of the panel overlap about six inches and fit into notches for the top and bottom boards. The brace should be on the outside of the foot. It may be necessary in some cases to stake the panels at the braces to secure greater stability.

HERITAGE OF CIVIL WAR.

Thousands of Soldiers Contracted Chronic Kidney Trouble While in the Service.

The experience of Capt. John L. Ely, of Co. E, 17th Ohio, now living at 500 East Second street, Newton, Kansas, will interest the thousands of veterans who came back from the Civil War suffering tortures with kidney complaint. Capt. Ely says: "I contracted kidney trouble during the Civil War, and the occasional attacks finally developed into a chronic case. At one time I had to use a crutch and cane to get about. My back was lame and weak, and besides the aching, there was a distressing retention of the kidney secretions. I was in a bad way when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills in 1901, but the remedy cured me, and I have been well ever since."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Precisely Defined.

Knicker—What was the size of the fish he caught?

Bocker—Between a lie and a fake.

Hard on Pop.

Pa—"Thomas, I'm disgusted at this report of your teacher's. Why don't you ever know your lessons?"

Tommy—"They're too hard."

Pa—"Nonsense! They're not too hard for Johnny Jones, are they?"

Tommy—"Aw, that's different. Johnny has got a smart father, an' he inherits his brains."

Woman's Way.

"What an actress that woman is! She pretends to be glad to see me."

"But you were a match for her?"

"Indeed, yes! I pretended to be just as glad to see her."

THREE BOYS HAD ECZEMA.

Were Treated at Dispensary—Did Not Improve—Suffered Five Months—Perfect Cure by Cuticura.

"My three children had eczema for five months. A little sore would appear on the head and seemed very itchy, increasing day after day. The baby had had it about a week when the second boy took the disease and a few sores developed, then the third boy took it. For the first three months I took them to the N— Dispensary, but they did not seem to improve. Then I used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment and in a few weeks they had improved, and when their heads were well you could see nothing of the sores. Mrs. Kate Keim, 513 West 29th St., New York, N. Y., Nov. 1, 5 and 7, 1906."

KISSING DAYS.

Observance of Ancient Custom by an English Fishing Town.

Yesterday, says a late issue of the London Evening Standard, was "kissing day" at Hungerford, a quiet community on the western borders of Berkshire, renowned for its trout fishery and its faithful adherence to the ancient customs of Hocktide, which have been observed since the days of John Gaunt, duke of Lancaster, who granted the rights and privileges to the commoners.

At daybreak the town crier, arrayed in a new livery, took his stand on the town hall balcony and blew his lusty blasts on the historic horn, which is the symbol of Hungerfordian liberty. Then the "tuttimen" went forth bearing staves garlanded with flowers and made a perambulation of the town, kissing every lady whom they met and demanding a penny from every male householder.

The sum thus obtained served to purchase oranges for scrambling among the crowd of children who followed in their footsteps. The ladies took the kissing in good part, and the males paid up smilingly.

Meanwhile the Hocktide jury was transacting more serious business in the town hall, electing a constable, who is both a coroner and a mayor, also appointing keepers of the keys of the common coffer, bailiff, portreeve and other ancient officers whose duties are rather obscure.

FOUND OUT.

A Trained Nurse Made Discovery.

No one is in better position to know the value of food and drink than a trained nurse.

Speaking of coffee, a nurse of Wilkes Barre, Pa., writes: "I used to drink strong coffee myself, and suffered greatly from headaches and indigestion. While on a visit to my brothers I had a good chance to try Postum Food Coffee, for they drank it altogether in place of ordinary coffee. In two weeks after using Postum I found I was much benefited and finally my headaches disappeared and also the indigestion.

"Naturally I have since used Postum among my patients, and have noticed a marked benefit where coffee has been left off and Postum used.

"I observed a curious fact about Postum when used among mothers. It greatly helps the flow of milk in cases where coffee is inclined to dry it up and where tea causes nervousness.

"I find trouble in getting servants to make Postum properly. They most always serve it before it has been boiled long enough. It should be boiled 15 to 20 minutes after boiling begins and served with cream, when it is certainly a delicious beverage." Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

WHAT FATHER AND HARRY ACCOMPLISHED

AN ILLINOIS MAN WRITES REGARDING HIS SUCCESS IN WESTERN CANADA.

Change In Homestead Regulations Makes Entry Easily Accomplished.

"Nothing succeeds like success" is an old and true saying having many applications in Western Canada. The following letter is an illustration. The writer, Mr. Gerts, left Chicago a short time ago and the success he has achieved may well be gained by anyone having pluck and energy by locating on the free homestead lands in Western Canada. A change recently made in the Canadian Land Regulations concerning homesteads makes it possible for any member of a family to make entry for any other member of the family entitled to a homestead. For instance, a man may now make entry before the local agent for his father or for his brother or brothers, or for his son or sons, or for a sister or daughter who may be the head of the family having minor children depending upon her for support. A sister, daughter or mother are also entitled to make entry upon a homestead. The only fee required is $10.00 for each entry. A great saving in railway expenses is thus made.

Read what Mr. Gerts has to say:

Battleford, Sask., Aug. 4, 1907.

Dear Sir.—

Thinking a letter from us Northwest settlers might interest you, and I write a few lines and let you know we are progressing finely and well pleased with our new home.

When I think of the many hard working, industrious men east with families who are struggling for a living and doing the strenuous, laying up practically nothing for old age and the thousands of acres of land here yet to be plowed and cultivated capable of raising sixty to eighty bushels of oats, thirty to forty bushels of wheat, it certainly seems a pity the two cannot be brought together. But I will repeat, this country is only for the industrious and thrifty; also I might add, it requires some capital to start.

A man should have at least a team of three good horses; better to have mares so as to have some colts coming along each year. It is best to bring them with him as work horses are high. He should be able to purchase plow, disc and drag, harrow, drill, binder and hay rake. Of course several taking up claims or buying land near together can divide up the purchasing of the above machinery and exchange work. This plan will work well for a few years or until crops will warrant each individual to purchase a full outfit.

We have 480 acres of as good farm land as lies in the famous Cut Knife district. Every foot can be plowed. Last year our oats run 60 bushels per acre. I sold them for 50c per bushel on the place.

The indications are for a good crop this year, though we were very late in seeding owing to the late spring. Last winter was the coldest known in this country by the oldest settlers (some who have been here 35 years), but with a comfortable house and plenty of firewood, which we hauled four miles, we passed the winter quite pleasantly. The air is clear and dry. Some of the days I came from work I was surprised to find the thermometer registering 40° below zero. Though we never keep fire at night, we had nothing freeze in our cellar.

Our stock and chickens wintered fine. I have a yearling heifer, who would hold her own in any "fat stock show." She has never had a drop of milk since she was four months old and has never had a mouthful of grain. A gentleman who saw her made the remark, "He bet that heifer had eaten her head off with grain," but would hardly believe she had never had any grain.

This is a great country for growing all kinds of vegetables and we are certainly enjoying our garden. The flavor of the green peas is especially fine. Last season Mrs. G. canned a lot of them, and we have enjoyed them up to the fresh crop.

I am sorry I did not have time this past season to attend to transplanting trees, but will keep the land I had prepared worked up for next season's planting. I received a number of small trees (ash and maple) from the Government Experimental Farm at Indian Head. I put them around the edge of the garden and they are doing fine. I also received quite a lot of other seeds, oats, wheat, potatoes and rhubarb roots which were acceptable.

It is useless for us to bother with garden flowers as wild ones grow in profusion. We are located near a fine creek, the water of which is soft and fine for bathing and washing. We have a well of water near the house, 32 feet deep and 21 feet of water all the time, though it is harder than the creek water.

Land which could be bought for five dollars per acre three years ago is now worth $14 per acre and steadily advancing each year.

All kinds of improvements are going on. Steam plows and large threshing outfits are already in. Roads are being graded, bridges being built across rivers and creeks. Last year I took my family, also wagon, across the Saskatchewan river in a row boat, swam my team across and now the contract has been let for $200,000 bridge at that place.

The C. N. R. have run their final survey from Battleford to Calgary, running west about one mile north of us. The C. P. R. have run a survey, which runs northwest passes about 500 feet from the northeast corner of our farm. The country will soon be covered with a net work of railroads and it will keep them busy hauling the output of grain. It is certainly encouraging to us settlers.

Two years ago, Harry, my son, and I as you know unloaded our car at Saskatoon and drove 139 miles to our claim. Last fall we had only 18 miles to haul our wheat to railroad and as you see, the prospects are we will have a railroad at our very door and a town near-by. This district can support a good town and it will be well patronized.

Harry arrived home at 12 p. m. last night after going fourteen miles to blacksmith shop to get plowshares beat out. The shop was full of work and it was eight p. m. when Harry left for home and parties still in line to have work done. We will need stores nearer and good mechanics.

We are all enjoying the best of health which is a great blessing. When we left Chicago over a year ago my youngest son's (four years of age) health was so poor that I almost despaired of raising him, but he is certainly a hearty, healthy little fellow now. The pure fresh air has done him worlds of good.

So to sum up the whole. Why should we not be glad we made the break? A good farm, stock increasing, health and an independent life. What more can we expect?

Did we have to make an effort? You can bet we did and hustle, too. Should you pass this way with your shotgun this fall, we should be pleased to let you shoot prairie chickens off our grain stocks.

Respectfully yours,

CHAS. M. GERTS AND FAMILY.

Threw No Hints.

"Did the Browns treat you well when you visited them?"

"I should say they did. I stayed there three days, and they never even mentioned the people they've entertained who always made up their own bed."

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

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Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

A Poor Diet.

"I guess the track team men are glad to break training and eat what they please."

"Yes, it must be pretty tough to live on field day meets."

Shake Into Your Shoes

Allen's Foot-Ease. It cures painful, swollen, smarting, sweating feet. Makes new shoes easy. Sold by all Druggists and Shoe Stores. Don't accept any substitute. Sample FREE. Address A. S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Even the rhinoceros may be proud of his beauty, but he never blows his own horn.

GUNS, TRAPS, DECOYS, ETC.

Lowest prices. Write for free catalog No. 1 N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Some folks think they are pious because the sight of pain gives them pleasure.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Light hearted people are those who always are looking for the sunshine.

Laughing at little trials is more than half of winning great triumphs.

One Enterprising Ambassador.

Mr. Whitelaw Reid, American ambassador in London, is said to be the first war correspondent who ever telegraphed a description of a battle from the battlefield while fighting was actually in progress.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: John Arcoren, Rosebud, S. D., vehicle seat lock; Reiner Braun, Glen Ullin, N. D., belt holder; Homer Charles, Rapid City, S. D., explosive engines; Lowzella W. Sprague, Osakis, Minn., rail brace; Lewis P. Thompson, Minneapolis, Minn., floor scraper; Ellis J. Wolf, Minneapolis, Minn., explosive engine; August Zastrow, Aberdeen, S. D., self-feeder for threshing machine.

There Are a Lot Like Him.

"I'm sorry for that man. He can hardly walk. I suppose he's suffering with rheumatism?"

"Rheumatism, nothing! He's suffering from the effects of an idea that he could still play baseball."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Proof Positive.

The Medium—Do you believe that communications can be received from the dead?

The Caller—Sure. Only this morning I received a letter from Philadelphia.

There is no virtue in doing right in such a way as to lead others wrong.

A FASHION FROM WAR.

How Flat Watches Took Place of the Old-Time "Turnips."

When the neat man takes unto himself a watch as thin as parchment he little thinks that that thin watch results from army regulations.

Up to the time of the Allies taking Paris the ordinary watch was convex in shape and called from its outline a "turnip." The officers of the Russian and other armies objected to this because its bulbous form made the uniform of a man on parade look untidy, whether it were carried in the coat or the fob. Here in Paris, however, they found that the watchmakers of the Palais Royal had contrived a chronometer which got over the difficulty. Flat watches were the fashion in Paris. The English when they appeared in the streets of the French capital marched in not in gala dress such as the others wore, but in the raiment which they had worn on campaign. Great was the impression which their habiliments created. But they at once adopted the smart flat watch and brought it back to England for our own manufacturers to copy.

Induced the French to Walk.

The celebrated Dr. Tronchin, friend of Voltaire, Rousseau and Diderot, whose biography has just been published, was the inventor of walking.

In France until his epoch (1709-1781) the leisured class never walked either for health or recreation. Walking was only practiced by the Tiers Etat; folks footed it from one place to another simply because they possessed neither coach nor sedan chair. Dr. Tronchin, an initiator in many other respects, induced "les elegants et les elegantes," writes a historian, to take what is now called a constitutional.

To stroll abroad was named tronchiner, after the inventor, and for their airings both sexes had special costumes and shoes, the latter being more especially necessary. The verb tronchiner, by the way, has not had the fate of our "to boycott," having passed into disuse long ago.

Stars and Stripes on Gloves.

A new glove design has been brought out for use on men's fabric gloves only, the features a "star and stripes" in colors of red, white and blue. The glove with the design on will be used for parades during national, state and city election campaigns, or upon any occasion when a display of patriotic sentiment in wearing apparel is desired. The design is very simple and easily made, and is used mostly on cheap stores for 15 cents, and with the design on will cost 25 cents. The patriotic sentiment is always in evidence during election periods in this country, and the glove with this design is introduced to be used during the presidential campaign of 1908.

Wanted Things Clear.

The Dutch housewives of old New York, ever noted for their housekeeping qualities, created the agitation which resulted in the appointment of the first public street cleaner in New York in 1692. He was Laurens Van Der Spiegle, a baker. His daughter married Rip Van Dam, who afterward became governor of New York, an illustration of the democracy of that day.

First American Gas Engine.

The first American gas engine patent, issued May 25, 1844, was granted to Stuart Perry, Newport, N. Y., for his two-cycle, double-acting, air-cooled gas engine. Perry proposed to inclose the cylinder and its immediate appendages in a case, through which cold air could be blown by means of a rotary fan or other blowing apparatus.

Awakening of the East.

Damascus, the oldest surviving city in the world, and the most typically Oriental one in these dominions, leads in Turkey in adopting electricity for purposes of light and locomotion. The harnessing of the Barada (the Abana of the Bible) for such ends emphasizes the change which is fast overtaking Ottoman industrial and social life.

Porto Rican Invited.

The convention of state legislatures which is to assemble at the Jamestown exposition has invited Jose de Diego, speaker of the Porto Rican house of delegates, poet, lawyer and politician, to attend the meeting. The status of Porto Rico will be subject on which De Diego will address the convention.

Electric Bath.

An electric bath in which the patient is deluged with electric sparks a foot long is announced to work wonders by celebrated French scientists. Hardening the arteries, cerebral hemorrhage and heart lesions are declared to yield to the treatment.

Foolish Litigation.

Sixty years ago a Pennsylvania farmer cut down a chestnut tree on a neighbor's property. Recently the heirs of the two farmers paid the costs upon final decision of the suit. The total expenses have been $30,000.

Favorite Mode of Suicide.

According to the coroner's records asphyxiation is the favorite mode of suicide in New York city, there being an average of one suicide each three days, while there is about one in four days from shooting.

Girls Outlast Boys.

Of a million girl babies born, 871,266 are alive at twelve months. Of the boys, 30,000 fewer live through the first year.

MEDICAL FAILURES.

An Authority Says Three-Fourths of Graduates Are Unfitted to Practice.

That 3,000 out of the 4,000 graduates turned out by the Medical Colleges each year are wholly unfitted to practice medicine and are menaces to the communities in which they settle was stated by Dr. Chester Mayer, of the State Board of Medical Examiners of Kentucky at a meeting of the American Medical Association's Committee on Medical Education, held in Chicago not long ago. Dr. Mayer said that only 25 to 28 per cent of the graduates are qualified. Fifty-eight per cent of the graduates examined in 28 states were refused licenses. With few exceptions these failures took a second examination in a few weeks and only 50 per cent of them passed.

"This does not mean that deficiencies in their training were corrected in those few weeks," Dr. Mayer said. "It probably shows that experience showed them what the test would probably be and they 'crammed' for the examination. Dr. W. T. Gott, Secretary of the Indiana Board said: "The majority of our schools now teach their students how to pass examinations, not how to be good physicians."

At the session of the American Medical Association held in Atlantic City in June, Dr. M. Clayton Thrush, a professor in the Medico Chirurgical College in Philadelphia said: "Many doctors turned out of the Medical Schools are so ignorant in matters pertaining to pharmacy that they know nothing about the properties of the drugs they prescribe for their patients!" Dr. Henry Beets, Jr., President of the Pennsylvania State Board of Medical Examiners, after scrutinizing the papers of a class of candidates for licensure said: "About one quarter of the papers show a degree of illiteracy that renders the candidates for licensure incapable of understanding medicine."

A great many more physicians and chemists might be quoted in support of the astounding charge that 3,000 incompetents are being dumped onto an unsuspecting public each year. What the damage done amounts to can never be estimated for these incompetents enjoy the privilege of diagnosing, prescribing or dispensing drugs regarding the properties of which they know nothing and then of signing death certificates that are not passed upon by anyone unless the coroner is called in. Probably there is not a grave yard from one end of the country to the other that does not contain the buried evidences of the mistakes or criminal carelessness of incompetent physicians.

During the last year there have been perhaps, half a dozen known cases where surgeons, after performing operations have sewed up the incisions without first removing the gauze sponges used to absorb the blood, and in some cases forceps and even surgeon's scissors have been left in the wound. How many of these cases there have been, where the patient died, there is no means of knowing and comparatively few of the cases where the discovery is made in time to save life become generally public. Reports from Sanitariums for the treatment of the Drug Habit show that members of the medical profession are more often treated in these institutions than members of any other profession, and that a majority of the patients, excluding the physicians themselves, can trace their downfall directly to a careless physician.

How many criminal operations are performed by physicians is also a matter of conjecture. Operations of this class are, unfortunately, very frequent in large cities. Some graduated and licensed physicians, many of them of supposed respectability, make an exclusive practice of criminal medical and surgical treatment. Dr. Henry G. W. Rheinhart, Coroner's physician of Chicago, estimates the number of criminal operations, annually, in Chicago alone at 38,000. How many resulted fatally are unknown, as when death results, the real cause is disguised in the death certificate, which the physician signs, and which no one but himself and a clerk sees.

Probably not one case of malpractice in 1,000 ever becomes the subject of a law suit but in the last year approximately 150 cases wherein the plaintiff has alleged malpractice have been reported in the newspapers, and owing to the social prominence and the favored positions of many physicians not more than half the new suits stated, probably, result in any newspaper publicity, but it would probably not be an exaggeration to state that the total cases of malpractice, not involving criminal operations or criminal medical practice, would amount to 150,000 or more than one case to each physician in the country. This estimate is, of course, more or less conjecture. Untimely deaths and permanent disabilities are frequent, and occur within the knowledge of almost every one, when life could have been saved, or health restored had the physician been skillful, careful and competent.

Character never is complete.

MEN ADMIRE

a pretty face, a good figure, but sooner or later learn that the healthy, happy, contented woman is most of all to be admired.

Women troubled with fainting spells, irregularities, nervous irritability, backache, the "blues," and those dreadful dragging sensations, cannot hope to be happy or popular, and advancement in either home, business or social life is impossible.

The cause of these troubles, however, yields quickly to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made from native roots and herbs. It acts at once upon the organ afflicted and the nerve centers, dispelling effectually all those distressing symptoms. No other medicine in the country has received such unqualified indorsement or has such a record of cures of female ills as has

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the most successful remedy for all forms of Female Complaints, Weak Back, Falling and Displacements, Inflammation and Ulceration, and is invaluable in preparing for childbirth and the Change of Life.

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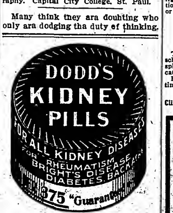

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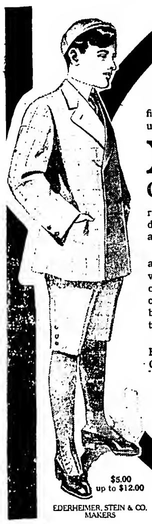

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MUST ATTEND SOME SCHOOL

Children Between the Ages of 8 and 18 Years Must Study.

It is an opportune time to suggest the importance of children attending school. No matter what station in life parents of a child may hold, it is highly necessary that their offspring receive at least a common school education. A person without a fair education in this age is doomed to earn a livlihood by common labor, and is unable to grasp the opportunity of advancement should it present itself. The facilities for free education in this country has made it possible for children of the lowly to compete with those who possess wealth for high positions in political and social life, and the child who does not take advantage of the opportunities afforded it to learn, or is denied this privilege by its parents, is to be pitied. The higher educated the masses, the great and stronger the government and the nation. It may not be generally known that a compulsory education law exists in Minnesota, which, in brief, is as follows:

Section 1. Every parent, guardian, or other person who resides in any school district or city, who has control of any child or children of or between the ages of eight or eighteen years shall send such child to a public school, parochial or private school in each year during the entire time the public schools of such district or city are in session. Provided, however, that such child or children may be excused from such attendance for the whole or any part of such period by the school board of education of the school district or city in which such parent, guardian or person having control resides, upon its being shown to the satisfaction of such board, (1) that such parent, guardian or other person having control is not able by reason of poverty to clothe such child properly; or (2) that child's bodily or mental condition is such as to prevent his attendance at school or application to study for the period required; or (3) that such child is taught at home in such branches of study as are usually taught in public schools, subject to same examinations as other pupils of such district or city; or (4) that such child has already acquired the ordinary branches required by law; (5) that such child is actually engaged in some useful occupation, employment or service permitted by law.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press; Castor oil is about the best cure for love sickness.

A boy has a chance to earn his own living unless he has a father with money.

A comfortable thing for women is how they know things aren't true but believe they are.

More girls would elope because it is so romantic, if it weren't for the trosseau which is so practical,

When you see a man insisting on going to church in bad weather, either he has been to the races and has lost or he is going and hopes to win.

Doesn't Pay to Ship Cream.

This item from the Wabasso Standard should be of local interest: "Buttermaker Small shipped a can of cream taken from one of his patrons to a well known creamery in St. Paul. This cream had been carefully weighed and shipped so there could be no possible chance of mistake and was done for the purpose of ascertaining whether these centralized plants do better or rather to prove that they did not do better than the local creamery. The statement showed that the St. Paul concern paid one cent a pound more for butter than the local creamery did at the time. But to offset this they gave one point less in test and one pound less in weight besides it cost 31 cents to ship the cream, making a total loss above the gain in price of 37 cents—not a great amount but if figured for a whole year it would amount to quite a sum.

Animals' Long Fasts.

"Snakes," said the zoo keeper, "have been known to do without food for two years. I know personally of a South American anaconda that in seven years has only eaten four times—that is to say, two meals per annum. The noctule, a bat, fasts regularly seven months out of the twelve, but the noctule while fasting hibernates, and of the snake this cannot be said. An antelope can live twenty days without food, an eagle twenty-eight days, a badger thirty days, a horse twenty-five days, a dog thirty-five days. But that is nothing. A crocodile can fast two months, a scorpion three months, a bear six months, a chameleon eight months and a viper ten months. How do I know all this? From my zoological studies. These facts are easy to learn. Scientists have proved them time and again in the various zoological gardens of the world."

Wasted Irish Land.

The landlords own most of the land in Ireland and rent it out to the farmers, who assert that it is poor, and consequently they have a hard time to produce enough to support their families and pay the rent. Most of the land seems to be used for pasturage, and but little of it is under cultivation, as are the lands of Italy, Germany and France. Besides, there is a great waste caused by the building of wide turf fences. There are more fences to a farm in Ireland than in any other country.—Travel Magazine.

Couldn't Toss With Them.

While the late Lord Goschen was chancellor of the exchequer under Lord Salisbury it was proposed to bring out one pound notes. Mr. Goschen, as he was then, was rather doubtful of the value of such notes, and he consulted a well known financier as to the advisability of the innovation. "It would be a great mistake," said the financier. "Why?" queried Mr. Goschen. "Well, you see, you can toss with a sovereign, but you can't with a one pound note," was the reply, and the one pound notes were shelved.—Bellman.

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold remedy and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter's drug store, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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It builds up and strengthens your entire system.

It contains Cod Liver Oil and Hypophosphites so prepared that it is easy to take and easy to digest.

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Position in First National Bank.

A. C. Lowen entered the Dakota Business College at Fargo last fall and, according to the Morning Call, he has just completed his course and has been placed by the school as bookkeeper for the First National Bank of Hope. Many of the banks of the state are now getting their help directly from this school, which appears to be giving the most practical training along lines desired in the business office.

BRAY.

Threshing has been delayed on account of the rainy weather which we have had during this and last week.

Mrs. Casper Bakken of Thief River Falls, who has been visiting at the home of her brother, Ed. Crown, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hallstrom of Polk Centre visited at Emil Larson's last Sunday.

Among the Brayites who transacted business at St. Hilaire Friday were Christ Person, Chas. Englund and Alfred Olson.

E. J. Akerlund drove to St. Hilaire.

Halvor Hanson came home from Angus, last Friday where he has been working during the past week.

Albert Anderson, one of Bray's young scious has left for Missoula, Mont., where he will work during the coming year.

Hannah Johnson has returned from Crookston where she has been staying the latter part of the summer.

Swan Scholin was busy the latter part of the week hunting for some cattle which had strayed from his place.

Diner—Walter, bring me a cutlet, and also a big bone for my dog. I will pay extra for that.

Walter—Yes, sir.

Diner (when the cutlet arrives)—Where is the bone for the dog?

Walter—In the cutlet, sir.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

The gypsies of Granada, Spain, are unique among the race as cave dwellers, living in recesses hollowed out of a hillside near the city.

One 110 bushel grain tank, for sale at $25. See Joseph Helm.

For Sale.

New Bucher & Gibbs riding gang plow, 12 inch; will sell for $45, worth $75. Plow guaranteed in every particular. WM. FINDEISEN.

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ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8. and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ambrose, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school a 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

Secret Societies

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall Visitors are always welcome.—Fred Zaiser N. G. Dr. J. E. Argue, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S. James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—E. G. Buse, C. C.; P. B. Gaass, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kaufer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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THE BIG STORE

MARKET DAY SPECIALS

Come to Red Lake Falls on Oct. 9 and make money whilst you are enjoying yourself. This will be a gala day all around and it will be worth coming for many miles around. We offer price inducements for this day that have never been equalled. You will find bargains scattered all over the store in every department. We will enumerate a few of them only:

Dry Goods Department

Handkerchief sale regular 5c, 10c and 15c values	3c
Dress plaids and stripes, 15c value, just the thing for waists,	8c
Dress goods short lengths **1-2 price.**	
Golf gloves, 25c to 50c values	15c
Ladies' and Misses caps, to clean up 50 to 75c values, now	29c
Pins **1c**, needles **3c**, thread 6 spools for **25c**	
25 skirts, all good heavy weights, black, grays and browns, worth up to $12.50, your choice for	$2.98
25 boys suits, coat, vests and pants, some long, some short, sizes 10 to 14 years, worth from $3.50 to $6.00, choice	$1.98
Ladies' Cloak Sale--25 ladies' and misses' cloaks, the balance of last season's cloaks nt at ½ price, $1.00 up.	
The balance of our 10c bunch lace	5c
5 pieces of outing flannel at, yd	5c
Towel sale, huck towels, 18x44,	10c
Funny postal cards 2 for	5c

Shoe Department

50 pairs of lodies' shoes, brand new stock, worth $1.50 to $1.75, morket day price	$1.25

These are the famous Godman shoes. None better at 50c per pair more.

Bargain Shoe Basket—full of our clean ups, short lines, etc., at bargain prices.

Grocery Department

An 18c Rio coffee, clean, good drinker, 8 lbs for	$1.00
Yeast cakes 2 for	5c
Cracker, by box, per lb	6c
Saleratus	5c
Sugar 17 lbs for	$1.00

To the farmer bringing in the largest amount of butter and eggs on Market day we will give the choice of any lamp in stock

Remember Market Day

and remember it pays to trade here. We'll have an extra force of salesman on that day.

THE BIG STORE

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BROOKS.

Brown Bros. from Sauk Centre shipped a bunch of cattle from here last Saturday. They are heavy buyers and have shipped several carloads from this place lately and will continue to do so for a while yet.

Abraham Paquin tells us that for his last shipment of butter to New York, he received 29½ cents a pound for his butter. J. W. Welch from Minneapolis is the buttermaker and he scored 92 points on the last test of the butter.

W. B. Cheshire, our popular cashier of First State Bank, took the Soo line flyer Tuesday evening last week to St. Paul, and the next morning got married to Miss Jennie Dahle. We extend our very best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Cheshire.

Postmaster Arthur Laniel went to the county seat on some business matters last Tuesday morning.

L. C. Simons is taking care of the First State Bank in the absence of W. B. Cheshire.

J. E. Buskirk, manager of the lumberyard here is building a fine residence for himself and will move his family here in a few days.

Mrs. K. Ronnestrand from Thief River Falls has been visiting with Mrs. A. E. Sorenson for the last few days.

Aug. Morin from Red Lake Falls is at present engaged in fixing up the rooms above the Brooks Mercantile Co.'s store building to be occupied by Mr. Cheshire and bride when coming home from their honeymoon trip.

W. L. Orme raised 20 bushels of wheat and about 30 bushels of oats on his farm this year, all machine measure.

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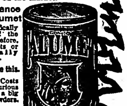

May Spoil Hunting Resort.

Mud Lake is acquiring natiooel repute as a resort for duck bunting. Men have come here this fall from St. Paul, Minneopolis, Duluth, Chicago and even Cincinnatti. Besides those from these larger oities there bave been numerous parties from Crookston, Red Lake Falls, Thief River Falls, Greenbush nnd other Minnesota points. Aod most of them come to Middle River nnd drive ont from here to the lake, all of which is a good thing for Middle River, making business for the hotel, the restaurant, the livery and the local hunters who go along to officiate as guides for the visitors. Just now some of the shooters are protesting to be on onxious seat for feor the government ditch will be put through next year and drain out the lake and spoil the shooting. Of course that would be hard on the hunters, but in view of the fact thot it would open up several thousand acres of good land, the public in general is aotsympathizing with the fears of the hunters but will manege to subsist without the ducks in case the ditch goes through.—Middle River Pioneer.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A woman likes to go visiting, so she can get homesick to come back bome.

You can nag a maa into purgatory easier than you can pray bim into heaven.

When a man is able to support his sons they will hardly ever learn to support themselves.

It's mighty clever the way a girl will kiss a man and then get mad with him for what she did.

A girl thinks she is having a good time whea she is allowed to do something she thought would be fun because she wasn't allowed to.

One 110 bushel grain tank, for sale at $25. See Joseph Helm.

TRUTH COMING OUT.

Canada No Longer Sending Out Claims of Big Crops.

Canada has changed its policy of sending out felse and misleading claims concerning its wbent crop. Glowing accounts of the bumper crop have been sent out persistently duriug the lote summer and early fall. These claims were not justified by the octual conditions, for, as a matter of fact, the wheat crop is small.

The true facts are now coming out. The Canadian crop has been greatly domoged. This wes known loog ago, but the policy of optimism was adhered to, aad glowing accounts of the bumper crop were given out to the world nt large. This was done to help the financial interests aod land men, but the true facts could not longer be concealed. Not only this, but it was found that the false and misleading iuformetion was doing Canada more harm than good.

The Twiu city papers have recently been full of these adverse reports coocerning the Ceoadiau wheat crop, and the following from the market page of the Mioneapolis Journal will be of interest.

The Winnipeg Free Press has an editoriel article thet attracted some nttention. The gist of it is that it is folly to try to conceal the facts nbout that couotry and that claims of a big crop are doing more harm than good. There is no doubt, to judge from the article, that there is full realization of the situation. Looked at from the Minneapolis end, it would seem to on impartial observer thet the Cenadian west, instead of trying to minimize the damege and trying to put on a bold front in the interest of the land business might do better frankly to come out aod admit that the orop it small. No sensible person would blame that country, aod it is wholly improbobly that any unfavorable opinion would be created, for in all truth it could be pointed out that this has been n most extrnordinary year, thet oats in Wisconsin, fruit in Missouri, winter whent in Kansas and cottoa in the far south all suffered, and that the September report of the government indicates that the United States is in for a total shortage of nearly 500,000,000 bushels of grain of all kinds, spring and winter wheat, corn, oats, barley aod buckwheat all promisiog less than last year. Yet no one in the United States feels that the country is not all right, for all know that the late spring, the frosts through Kansas on May 27th, and the bed weather that followed, mark the development of period unfavorable beyond enythiog for a generatioo, and Western Canada can justly show that conditions such es affected her crops this yeer are in many respects, quite unprecedented and might not come again in a lifetime.

But the policy bas been different. Persistent hope and optomism hes led to reports of big yields up to dete. Certeioly no one here wants to deny the country above tbe line everything it is entitled to, but no one believes that the recent estimate of a yield of 95,000,000 bushels is warranted. Moreover, some of the best informed in the Canadinn trade do not believe it themselves. The theory seems to be that insistence upoa the fact that there has been no damege and that a big crop was raised will help the lond and finoncial interests, while as a mntter of fect such statements fool no one and the effect, if any, can only be to cut out additional influence ngainst the price, whereas west Canada's salvation this year lies in the big money that will come that way as a result of the bigh prices, which prices will be the better maiatained the sooner the Canadians come out frankly with the facts.

For Sale Quick.

Two iron beds with springs and mattresses; 1 oak dresser; 1 good refrigerator; 1 new three-hole gasoliae stove, with oven; ten-foot rouad extension table, oak; two good rocking chairs; one mahogony corner chair and numerous other articles. For partioulars call at the GAZETTE office.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

Market Day Next Week

Big Time For The Faamers Next Wednesday, October 9.---Red Lake Falls Will Entertain Patrons.

Next Weunesdoy, October 9, will he a gala day in Red Lake Falls, and all thet will be needed to moke it the biggest kind of a success will be a big representation of farmer folks.

The business men of the city are ready and anxious to show their patrons a good time, and while ell the arrangemeats ero not completed nt this time, everything will be in readiness next Wednesday for a big jollification.

The merchants of the city bave all orranged to have special sales on this day, and besides having a good time the visitors cen teke advantege of the opportunity to buy their fall supply of goods at reduced rates.

The amusement features of the day have not all been arranged for, but there will be plenty doing to keep the people interested. The celebrated Red Lake Falls Concert Band will give an hour's concert on the street, and following this there will be a number of interesting races to be participated ia only by farmers.

Then there will be a big free auction sale, at which all articles brought in will be sold free of cherge. This sale will be conducted by an experienced auctioaeer and there will be numerous bargains nt this sale.

The list of prizes to be offered by the merchants is not quite complete, but there will be a big bunch of valuable prizes given away absolutely free. The list so far as completed is as follows:

Theo. LaBissoniere, choice of any lamp ia the store to the farmer bringing the most butter and eggs to this store on that day.

G. A. Kankel, "Flyer" washing mecbine to the farmer bringing the biggeet potato to town.

Bruaelle Bros., box of "I Lead" cigars to the farmer bringing in a vegetable shaped nearest like the "B. B." cigar.

E. A. Nelson, free hair cut to the most bald-headed man coming to town that day.

Garceau & Zaiser, choice of any pair of shoes in the store to the fermer buying the biggest bill of goods at any store in the city.

Chatel's Cash Grocery, fine parlor lamp to the former buying the biggest bill of goods at this store.

Huot Hardwere Company, foot warmer to the oldest married couple coming in from the country.

First State Bank, to the person guessing oearest to the uumber of pennies in glass bottle in bank window, $10 mentle clock.

The Gazette, year's subscription free to every fifth person paying subscription on Merket Day.

Besides the above H. W. Anderson, Groshong & Blake, the Merchants State Bank and several others will have prizes hung up and bills and circulors will be sent out this week containing the complete list and program,

The Market Day will be made a big success if the farmers will take an interest and come to town, and if this ooe proves popular several more will be held this fall.

Come to Red Lake Falls next Wednesday, Oct. 9th. You will be treated right.

The Bird-eating Spider.

There lives in South America a bird-eating spider which earns its name by occasionally including in its menu some of the brilliantly hued humming birds which frequent the banana and chocolate plantations. Differeot animels eat strange things but the human race agrees that for beverage there is nothing thot equals golden grain belt beer in delicacy of flavor and value as food tonic. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Gang Plows!!

I have for sale second-hand gaog plows, Flying Dutchman, John Deere and Bredley XX-Ray. These plows are in first-class coodition; will do as good work as new ones, and you can buy them for half their actual value. WM. FINDEISEN.

His Dear Old Mother

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 50 cents.

A Good Fair.

The members of the local band organizetion arrived home lest Friday morning from Fertile, where they had played for three days at the Polk county fair held there last week. The fair was a very good one, and while the crowd was not very large, those who stayed away missed something fine. The exhibits in every department were away above the averoge county fair, aad in the fruit and vegetable liae especially was there a fine showing. The display of stock was also very good, and the stock parade the last afternoon was a pleasing feature. The race program was very fair, and some exciting conteste were beld both afternoons. The officers of the fair association are a fine lot of geatlemen, and spared no pains to make the visitor comfortable; in fact, the people of Fertile as a whole, are a good lot to be with and our boys enjoyed their stay there immensely.

For Sale.

Second-hand Southwick hay press in first class working order; capacity fifteen tons per day; price $50, worth $150. Come quick. WM. FINDEISEN.

Autumn Styles in

Stationery

For polite correspondence there should be no more slighting of the tone and correctness of a lady's stationery than of her clothing, or hat, or shoes.

Styles in paper vary with the year, what was in style last year seems out of place today. Everybody likes to receive a letter on new style grade.

We have correct stationery here—correct for every use and occasion and correct in price boxes or bulk, many grades.

W. A. SCHREITER
Druggist
Red Lake Falls

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington.

The United States navy department has contracted with Welsh firms for 100,000 tons of the best steam coal, the delivery to extend over 1908. The price agreed upon has been kept secret.

The special board appointed to devise means of reducing the chances of fatal accidents in the turrets of war ships has submitted its report to Secretary Metcalf, who has taken it under consideration before making any part of it public.

An abstract of the reports made to the controller of the currency showing the condition of national banks in Minnesota at the close of business Aug. 22 gives the loans and discounts at $58,190,300 and the individual deposits at $62,544,935.

The resignations of Midshipmen Oscar G. Salb of Jasper, Ind., and Clarence C. Rinner of Cheyenne, Wyo., both fourth classmen, have been accepted. The resignations had been requested some weeks ago, the youths being allowed to resign after having been recommended for dismissal.

Personal.

Odin Louis Rensing, a well known pianist and composer, who composed the coronation ode to King Haakon of Norway, died at a hospital in Milwaukee. Death followed an operation two weeks ago for appendicitis.

Alvah H. Trowbridge, former president of the American Bankers' association, died at his home at Hackensack, N. J. He had long been connected with the National Bank of North America and was one of the founders of the Trust Company of America.

Mrs. Catherine Duncan Lewis, daughter of Blanton Duncan of Kentucky, was married in London to Alfred Henry Scott, Liberal member of the house of commons. Mrs. Scott is reported to be wealthy, and it is understood that she will associate herself with her husband's political work.

Crimes.

Driven insane by brooding over ill health and the protracted absence of her husband in Iowa, Mrs. Anna Baker drowned herself and her seven-year-old daughter in Johnson lake, near Los Angeles, Cal.

A daring robbery took place at Missoula, Mont., just before 12 p. m. when a thief entered the Northern Pacific ticket office and stole $500 from the cash drawer. The station was crowded with waiting passengers.

Mrs. Carrie Nation was arrested on a charge of "disorderly conduct" in Washington. Mrs. Nation refused, when requested by an officer, to stop lecturing to 200 men from the steps of the postoffice department.

The general store and postoffice of George Horter at Faithorn, Mich., was entered by burglars, who rifled the safe, taking jewelry to the amount of $200 and also $150 of the government money in the postoffice drawer. No postage stamps were taken. The authorities have no clue to the guilty parties.

From Other Shores.

About 450 delegates, male and female, attended the opening of the social democratic congress at Essen.

William Wright of Dayton, Ohio, and his associate in negotiating the sale of the Wright brothers' aeroplane to Germany, have arrived at Berlin and were well received by the chiefs of the military balloon division of the army.

Juan Espinosa, an expert Chilean marksman, while attempting to shoot an apple from the head of a man at a circus at Rio de Janeiro, missed and killed the applebearer. The crowd at the exhibition made a rush for Espinosa and he barely escaped lynching.

Agrarian troubles have broken out again in Southern Italy. The troops present are insufficient to cope with the rioters, who already have done much damage to property. There have been frequent conflicts among the strikers, the non-strikers and the troops, in which the soldiers have used their bayonets freely.

Notwithstanding the proclamation of the new prefect of Odessa, Gen. Novitsky, outrages in the streets of Odessa were resumed on the occasion of the funeral of a police official. The Black Hundreds fired revolvers recklessly all day, broke into Jewish houses, pillaged them and cruelly beat their occupants. Two Jews were killed and many were injured. Reports are reaching the city of raids, robberies and murders at other places.

The Russian council of ministers has ordered the closing of all the dormitories attached to the institutions of higher learning at St. Petersburg and Moscow because of the admission of the police that they are unable to prevent them from being used as meeting and hiding places for revolutionists.

Prince Eugene Troubetsky, the leader of the Russian Moderates, has been indicted on the charge of high treason for writing an article defending the late parliament and saying the government committed an irreparable mistake in dissolving that body.

Four persons were killed and three dangerously injured in a fire damp explosion in the Merienbach mine at Forbach, Germany.

Casualty.

Charles Carter, a painter of State Center, Iowa, was killed by falling from a North-Western freight train.

A locomotive pulling a passenger train blew up at Calhan, Colo., killing the engineer and fatally injuring the fireman.

Eleven persons were killed and twelve injured by the explosion of a boiler in the Ferrer factory at Asorridero, State of Michoacan, Mex.

Edward and Thomas Johnson, brothers, of Sioux City, Iowa, were drowned at St. Joseph, Mo., by the capsizing of a skiff in the Missouri river.

Martin Kellogg, street commissioner of South Norwalk, Conn., was struck and killed by an automobile owned by Brig. Gen. Russell Frost.

A fire which originated at the Overland hotel at Boise, Idaho, destroyed seven business buildings and inflicted a loss of $51,000. Incendiarism is suspected.

A Lehigh Valley express train was wrecked near Pettesburg tunnel, in New Jersey. A number of trainmen and passengers were injured, but none of the latter fatally.

Frank Meher and Lewis Truckey, machinists, were drowned by the capsizing of the rowboat in which they were fishing near the mouth of the Cheboygan river at Bay City, Mich.

S. J. Weatherford of Independence Mo., was killed and H. E. Koll of Fort Dodge was injured in a rear-end collision between freights on the Illinois Central road at Webster City, Iowa.

Fifteen thousand pounds of powder exploded at the Equitable Powder works at East Alton, Ill., killing Chas. McGinnis and shocking Chas. Gilson so that his mind is temporarily gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pool, fifty-six and fifty-two years old, were killed at the same moment, the husband by an explosion in a coal mine and his wife in the railroad yards at Centralia, Ill.

Peter Burger, eleven years old, of Milildgeville, in the borough of Queens N. Y., was killed by his chum, Herman Wehle, fifteen years old, in a struggle for a small rifle with which the boys and two companions had been playing.

While three young fellows were returning from a baseball game west of Monona, Iowa, they attempted to steal a ride on a freight train. In the attempt to get on the caboose Ed Wickler, aged fourteen, was thrown under the wheels and his right leg was cut off below the knee.

Domestic.

The record price for whisky was reached at Cincinnati when it rose 2 cents, reaching $1.34.

Three hundred miners at Evans, Iowa, struck because the company refused to clean the cars in which they were transported to the mines.

Evangelist Felix Lawrence of Nashville fell dead of heart disease after delivering an address in the mission at Louisville, where he was converted seven years ago.

The new charter authorized by the state legislature at its last session for the city of Chicago was rejected by the voters at a special election by a majority of over 2,000.

A mad dog scare has resulted at Madrid, Iowa, from the fact that no less than seven persons have been bitten by mad dogs. They will all take the Pasteur treatment.

It is probable the supreme lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen will meet in Des Moines next June, instead of Milwaukee, as decided at the last biennial session held in Montreal.

Clarence Darrow, the Chicago lawyer who defended Heywood in the recent trial at Boise, was hissed by a large crowd in a cafe at Spokane because he refused to stand while the band played "America."

At the annual meeting of the members of the Associated Press, held in New York, a resolution was unanimously adopted approving the course of the officers of the association in dealing with the telegraphers' strike.

Dr. Robert Abbe, a prominent physician of New York, in a paper read before the dermatological congress, stated that he believed radium was effective in many cases of cancerous growths, naturally those of the epidermal type.

Rear Admiral John G. Walker, U. S. N., retired, died suddenly at the home of a friend at High Pasture, York Cliffs, Me. Admiral Walker was seventy-two years of age and a native of New Hampshire. He was at one time president of the Isthmian canal commission.

Mrs. J. B. Hollenhors is suing for divorce at Waterloo, Iowa, from her husband, who is serving a three-year term in the penitentiary for having padded the Chicago Great Western pay rolls and devoting the proceeds to his own use. Mrs. Hollenhors appeared greatly attached to her husband during his trouble and broke down completely when the train pulled out taking her husband away from her to serve his time.

Dr. I. D. Jones of Murdock, Neb., informed the state board of health that twenty cases of beri-beri existed among the Japanese laborers at Alvo, Neb. The state board of health immediately sent representatives to investigate. Dr. Jones says the disease resembles paralysis and seemed to be contagious.

The general council of the Evangelical Lutheran church in North America adjourned at Buffalo, N. Y. The next council will be held in Minneapolis in September, 1909. The Rev. George W. Sandt of Philadelphia was elected editor of the church paper.

CROOKED WORK OF OIL TRUST SHOWN

MORE EVIDENCE OF STANDARD'S SAILING UNDER FALSE COLORS IN TEXAS.

LOMBARD TELLS HIS TROUBLES

HAMPERED BY RAILROADS IN ATTEMPT TO FORCE HIM INTO TRUST.

New York, Sept. 26.—Accountants of the Standard Oil company finally audited the books of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company of Missouri after 1900, when its name disappeared from the list of companies controlled by the Standard, according to Wade Hampton, general auditor of the Standard Oil company, who testified yesterday in the government's suit against the oil company.

In 1900 the Waters-Pierce Oil company was prohibited from doing business in Texas under the anti-trust law because of its relations with the Standard. The Waters-Pierce company was reorganized and the stock held by the Standard was sold.

Held in Standard's Interests.

Testimony had previously been adduced that Charles Pratt, secretary of the Standard, bought the stock and held it in the Standard's interests. Mr. Hampton testified yesterday that he had sent each year accountants to the Waters-Pierce Oil company to audit the books at the request of the officers of the company. Mr. Kellogg produced a letter sent by the witness to one of the officials of the Waters-Pierce company stating that an accountant was on his way and that, for reasons which he would understand, his name had better be put on the pay rolls of the Waters-Pierce company until the accounting was completed. Mr. Hampton said he had forgotten what the reasons were that he mentioned in the letter.

Lombard and Trust.

The troubles of the oil firm of Lombard & Ayres in the early '70s was an interesting feature of the day's hearing. Mr. Lombard said that he had difficulties in obtaining tank cars to ship oil and that his company felt the difficulty of competing with the Standard, which, he said, was receiving rebates from the trunk lines. He had two conferences with A. J. Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railroad, but was told that the rebates which were given the Standard did not amount to much. Mr. Cassatt, the witness said, suggested that his difficulties would doubtless cease if he united the Lombard company with the Standard.

Mr. Lombard testified that he had a conference with Col. Thomas Scott, president of the Pennsylvania, in which he was told that the Lombard company was getting all the tank cars it could obtain under the allotment. Col. Scott, according to the witness, said the Pennsylvania railroad would not haul tank cars built by the Lombard company. Col. Scott also expressed the opinion that the Lombard & Ayres company would do well to unite with the Standard.

Anthony N. Brady of Albany told yesterday how the Manhattan Oil company of Ohio was sold to a London company. Mr. Brady said he had no idea when the sale was made that the company was going into the hands of the Standard company.

PERFORMS STUNTS IN THE AIR.

Count Zeppelin Makes Most Successful Aerial Voyage Ever Made.

Constance, Grand Duchy of Baden, Sept. 26.—Count Ferdinand Zeppelin, the German aeronaut, yesterday made the most successful aerial voyage hitherto achieved in any dirigible balloon. He spent four hours and seventeen minutes in the air, completely circumnavigating the Lake of Constance and passing over five different states. The speed of the airship is estimated to have been at least thirty-eight miles an hour.

Count Zeppelin, who is sixty-nine years of age, was in command of the airship, which bears his name. He had with him two assistants and a crew of seven men to run the motors. The airship executed the most diverse evolutions with the greatest ease. It moved back and forth before the windows of the royal castle at Friedrichshafen, making the turns on a small radius, and, coming down the homeward stretch, it ascended or descended at the will of the pilot, at times almost dipping into the water and then rising to a height of 600 feet.

The balloon used yesterday is on a rigid frame, 420 feet long over all. It holds 11,000 cubic meters of gas. Count Zeppelin was most enthusiastic over the day's work.

CUTTING TRACKS; BEARS?

Veteran Hunters Busy Preparing Ground for the Roosevelt Camp.

Lake Providence, La., Sept. 26—The proposed bear hunt of President Roosevelt will be made in East Carroll parish, opposite Alsatia station, on the Iron Mountain railroad. The camp will be located about eighteen miles from Lake Providence. Several noted bear hunters of this parish have been on the ground for more than a month preparing a place for a camp, cutting tracks, etc.

CHICAGO AND ALTON GOES FREE

FEDERAL GOVERNMENT MAKES GOOD ITS PROMISE OF IMMUNITY.

Chicago, Sept. 26.—It was decided yesterday by Judge Landis, in the United States district court, that the Chicago & Alton railway shall not be further prosecuted for its connection with the Standard Oil company granting of rebates between Whiting, Ind., and East St. Louis, Ill.

It was claimed by Attorney General Bonaparte, whose letter was read to the court by District Attorney Sims, that Mr. Morrison, the predecessor of Mr. Sims in office, had promised immunity to the Alton road, provided it assisted in good faith in the prosecution of the Standard Oil company.

Take No Further Steps.

The attorney general, therefore, claimed that it was the duty of the government to see that no further steps toward the punishment of the railroad for its part in the granting of the rebates be taken. The attorney general asked that the grand jury which had been summoned at the instance of Judge Landis to investigate the Alton railroad be discharged, and that the matter be allowed to drop as far as the Chicago & Alton were concerned.

Judge Landis in a statement which required fully thirty minutes for its delivery, declined to discharge the jury, but instructed its members that they had no further duty to perform in connection with the Chicago & Alton railroad. The court then called attention to a statement issued by President Moffett of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, in which it was claimed that if the Standard Oil company was guilty of receiving rebates, no other manufacturer was innocent. The court directed the jury to investigate the conduct of other manufacturers, and directed that a subpoena be issued for President Moffett.

OPENS CASE AGAINST BORAH.

Jury to Try Idaho Senator Is Completed in United States Court.

Boise, Idaho, Sept. 26.—A jury to try United States Senator-elect W. E. Borah on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the government of public lands was completed yesterday afternoon in the United States court. The opening address to the jury on behalf of the United States was made at the afternoon session by Mr. Burch of Detroit, special representative of the attorney general of the United States. He dealt at length on the details of the charges set forth in the indictments—that of conspiracy to defraud the government out of timber lands by inducing persons to make false entries, and asserted that the prosecution was without malice, but would be carried out without fear or favor to the end, and that no guilty man should escape.

Mr. Burch declared that Former Governor Frank Steunenberg was one of the leading members of the conspiracy and had openly stated that he was interested in obtaining timber lands by causing others to enter claims for his benefit. He induced others to go in with him—one of those approached being the present governor of Idaho, Frank Gooding. Mr. Burch quickly added, because he turned his back on the scheme and declined to go into it.

MADWOMAN KILLS THREE TOTS.

Tells Police She Fears They Would Become Crazy Like Herself.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Mrs. Bertha Mund, aged thirty-seven years, early yesterday strangled her three children, Christopher, aged eight years; Helen, aged two, and Freda, aged eight months, at their home in Clinton street. Immediately after she went to the Pennsylvania railroad yards, where her husband is employed, and informed him of her action. Mrs. Mund was arrested.

Supt. Regan said she made a statement in which she said:

"I killed the children because I did not want them to grow up and be crazy like me."

The police say the woman does not realize the enormity of her crime and that she killed the children while suffering from a sudden attack of insanity.

She has been ill with nervous troubles for about six months, but never prior to yesterday morning had manifested signs of mental derangement.

TRAIN KILLS INSANE MAN.

Fugitive From Asylum Is Crushed by Locomotive.

New Richmond, Wis., Sept. 26.—Alexander Kuz, a Russian, was run down by an Omaha locomotive in the freight yards in this city last night, and instantly killed. The remains were frightfully mangled. He was an inmate of the county asylum for the chronic insane, located near this city, and Monday afternoon managed to elude his keepers.

GOTHAM CAR LINE BROKE.

New York, Sept. 26.—The New York City Railway company, one of the maze of corporations formed in connection with the operation of the surface traction lines on Manhattan, was placed in the hands of receivers yesterday on petition of creditors and the admission by the company that it is unable to pay its debts. Douglas Robinson and Adrian H. Joline were named as receivers. No statement of liabilities was made.

MORE FABULOUS PROFITS SHOWN

PIPE LINE MAKES $4,091,022 IN ONE YEAR ON INVESTMENT OF $2,228,758.

KELLOGG BARES MORE SECRETS

PROFITS IN SOME CASES TWENTY TIMES ACTUAL COST OF OPERATION.

New York, Sept. 28. — The Indiana Pipe Line company, a subsidiary of the Standard Oil, made a profit of $4,091,022 in 1903 on a total investment of $2,228,758, according to the company's figures produced by George Chesebro, controller of the National Pipe Line company, who appeared as a witness yesterday in the federal suit against the oil combine. Mr. Chesebro testified that the Indiana Pipe Line company was a common carrier and engaged only in the transportation of oil. From balance sheets of the company Frank B. Kellogg, conducting the government's case, sought to show that the Indiana company was making excessive profits and that it maintained a high schedule of tariffs to prevent shipments of oil by independent oil producers.

Profits Are Enormous.

Mr. Chesebro testified that the Indiana company transported practically only the oil of the Standard company. The counsel for the government allege that it will be shown that the profits made by these pipe line companies have in some cases been twenty times the actual cost of operation.

Calvin N. Payne, who with H. C. Folger, Jr., owns the Corsicana Refining company of Texas, under examination yesterday, stated that tanks and receiving stations at the end of the pipe line of the New York Transit company, now called the National Transit Company of New Jersey, and at the terminals of the pipe lines of the National Transit company at Center Bridge, Pa., and Fond Grove, Pa., were built the year the Hepburn law went into effect.

Not Public Carriers.

Mr. Payne was stating that he supposed there was some legal reason for building these receiving stations on the state lines of New York and New Jersey, Pennsylvania and New Jersey, and Pennsylvania and Maryland, when John G. Milburn, chief of the defendant's counsel, interposed and said he gave the advice. Mr. Milburn, cross-examining the witness, developed the testimony that the pipe lines connecting the terminals at Unionville Center Bridge and Fond Grove with tidewater at New York and Baltimore were the private lines of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, and were not public carriers. Mr. Payne said that the National and New York Transit companies were prepared to accept business over the lines and to deliver it at their receiving stations.

DELAYED BY GALE.

Commissioners Arrive in Duluth Behind Their Schedule.

Duluth, Sept. 28.—The inland waterways commission arrived here at 3 o'clock on the big steamer Thomas F Cole, flagship of the Pittsburg Steamship company, and left in the private car of President Elliott of the Northern Pacific for St. Paul on the night train.

The commissioners were a day late in arriving, owing to the northwest gale that has been blowing on Lake Superior, and they had a rough voyage. The commission was obliged to cut short its program here in order to adhere to the schedules.

HARRIMAN UNDER KNIFE.

Operation Will Keep Him From Work a Few Days.

New York, Sept. 28.—E. H. Harriman was not at his office yesterday having undergone a surgical operation Wednesday for the trouble from which he suffered last winter.

The operation is stated to be trifling in comparison with that which Mr. Harriman underwent eight months ago, but he is not expected to return to his office until next week.

IMPALED ON MEAT HOOK.

C. C. Whistler of Watertown Is Suspended by His Thigh.

Watertown, S. D., Sept. 28. — Suspended from a meat hook caught in the fleshy part of his thigh, C. C. Whistler, one of Watertown's prosperous business men, hung in the basement of his market last evening till rescued by an employe. Mr. Whistler fell down the elevator shaft from the first floor and was impaled on the hook.

Bank's Money Gone.

Helena, Mont., Sept. 28. — C. W. Thurston, cashier of the State Bank of Moore, Fergus county, has been deposed, it being alleged that he made wrongful use of the funds of the institution. He has disappeared, and not even his wife, said to be in St. Paul, is aware of his whereabouts.

Hit by Train; May Die.

Keenan, Wis., Sept. 28.—F. [illegible] Beals, with of Defiance, Ohio, was struck by a freight train here. His injuries may prove fatal.

CROPS MEET EXPECTATIONS

MORE BARLEY AND FLAX AND ABOUT SAME AMOUNT OF WHEAT AND OATS.

Winona, Minn., Sept. 28.—The final report on crop conditions along the line of the North-Western railway west of Winona has just been issued and the summary bears out the favorable reports that have been issued weekly during the past summer. This final report has been delayed until more complete returns, upon which to base conclusions, could be secured. However, with threshing now well under way it is possible to make a report.

It is believed there will be more barley and flax in Minnesota and South Dakota and about the same amount of wheat and oats. The corn crop is fully matured at the present time but because of the lateness of the spring and the unevenness of the year it is estimated that this crop this year will not be over 75 per cent of last year's corn crop of feeding quality. In Minnesota the crop is slightly better in quality.

On the whole the quality of small grain is very much better than last year. In South Dakota there has been very little rain since early harvest, and threshing has been done under the most favorable conditions. The result is the largest per cent of milling wheat in South Dakota in a number of years. The highest grade of barley also comes from that section. This also applies to Western Minnesota, while in Eastern Minnesota the quality is about the same as last year because of the frequent storms this year the same as a year ago. Taking the whole territory into consideration, the quality is much superior to a year ago.

STOCK LAW FIZZLES OUT.

Board Can Demand Information, but Cannot Refuse Certificates.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 28.—The stock and bond bill enacted into law by the last legislature, having for its purpose the restraining of corporations from watering stock, was declared ineffective to prevent the unrighteous issue of $300,000 in bonds by the Southern Wisconsin Railway company by the Wisconsin railroad rate commission yesterday. The commission declared all it can do is to demand full information from corporations which make application for certificates of permission to issue bonds, and that after all necessary information has been furnished the law is mandatory in its requirement for the commission to grant the desired permission.

NO CHANGES IN METHODISM.

Members of Minnesota Conference Vote Down Proposals.

Marshall, Minn., Sept. 28. — Proposals for radical changes in the administration of the Methodist Episcopal church received some hard knocks at yesterday's session of the Minnesota conference, race bishops and the cutting down of representation in the general conference being declared inadvisable by the vote of that body. On the other hand, a memorial was ordered prepared calling on the next general conference to take the power of appointing presiding elders from the the bishops and to make these officers elective by various conferences.

DON'T OPPOSE DIVORCE.

Sixteen Husbands Let Wives Have Their Own Way.

Waterloo, Iowa, Sept. 28. — Seventeen divorce cases, sixteen brought by women, went by default yesterday in the Blackhawk county courts for want of answer. This places the plaintiffs in position to secure the coveted documents of separation on proving up their claims, a formality of law. Divorce actions in which defendants have given notice of intention to contest the claims made in resistance of decrees and alimony being granted number twenty-five.

ARMED MADMAN AT LARGE.

Iowa Community Disturbed by His Presence.

Marshalltown, Iowa, Sept. 28.—Heavily armed and violently insane, Henry Kaiser escaped from his home in the southern part of the county last night. When his condition became known the entire community was thrown into a furore of excitement lest he attack unprotected homes. The sheriff and a posse of thirty men searched all day in the woods and cornfields, but did not find him.

IS HELD TO GRAND JURY.

Suppla Acted in Self-defense, Three Witnesses Say.

Moorhead, Minn., Sept. 28.—Antonio Supple, charged with stabbing two Italians at Dillworth, has been held to the grand jury. Three witnesses at the hearing claimed that Ferrero and Garrell, the injured men, were trying to do Suppla bodily harm and were battering in the end door of the car when Suppla fired the shots.

Roberts County Fair Opens.

Sisseton, S. D., Sept. 28.—The Roberts county fair opened here yesterday and the display of fruit, vegetables and grains is gratifying. The exhibition of live stock is not large, but good. The association has hung up $1,000 in prizes and purses.

First Snow Falls.

Roseau, Minn., Sept. 28.—Reports received here tell of the first snowfall in Warroad. Roads leading to Warroad are so bad that the daily mail now is being carried on horseback.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

The thirty-eighth annual fair of the Sibley County Agricultural society was a great success.

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Michael Wiederholt of Miesville was badly scalded while attending a threshing engine.

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The schoolhouse at Fairhaven has been burned to the ground. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin.

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Fire started from the gasoline lighting plant destroyed the Modern Woodmen hall in Isanti, causing a loss of about $2,000.

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The stores of P. E. Engles, Carl [illegible] and J. A. Cloon of Barnesville were broken into. The robbers secured $26 in all.

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During the severe storm lightning killed two cows and three young cattle belonging to John Krohn, who lives on a farm about three miles northwest of [illegible] Center.

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Fire destroyed Elliott's foundry at Northfield. The building was situated in the outskirts of the city, where it was difficult to reach it with city water. The loss is about $5,000.

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The house and barn of David Brown at Kimball burned recently. One team and a few other articles were saved. He carried a small insuraoce. The cause of the fire is unknown.

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A barn belonging to Mrs. Thomas Jackson at Cedar Lake was struck by lightning and destroyed with its contents—hay, cattle, tools nnd a large amount of poultry. The liss is about $1,500.

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The thirty-first annual convention of the State Women's Christian Temperance union was held in the First Congregational church at Northfield last week. About 150 delegates attended.

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Pipestone experienced a very severe electrical storm lasst week. The Omaha railway depot was struck by lightning and burned. Considerable property in the freight room was consumed.

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George Grodell of Barnum, charged with deserting his wife, was tried before Justice Ireland at Moose Lake, who sentenced him to sixty days in the county jail or a fine of $50 and costs. He went to jail.

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By an overwhelming vote at a special municipal election, held in Litchfield, bonds for $10,000 were voted to purchase a site to offer to the state for the girls' industrial training school soon to be located by the state board of control.

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The unloading machine in use at Northern Pacific construction work, near Moorhead, while unloading n lot of cars, keeled over and went down the fifty-foot embankment, landing upon the surfacetrack used by regular trains. No one was hurt.

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The farm buildings, slacks of grain and all the buildings contained on the A. Showalder farm, in Hennepin county, near Anoka, were burned by a firestarting from a steam threshing outfit. With great difficulty the $4,000 threshing outfit and the house were saved. The loss will reach $3,000.

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Lake City and vicinity was visited by a severe thunder storm last week, several farmers suffering losses. One man lost a barn, together with all it contents, two others lost several stacks of grain, and one man lost a horse, all by lightning.

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Some timeago Roy Lowry was arrested at Moorhead on the charge of forging a check, which was cashed at the Cooper & Keefe saloon. He was sentenced to the county jail for sixty days, and last night his term expired. He immediately was arrested by an officer from South St. Paul, where he is wanted on a forgery charge.

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John Brang, from whom his wife secured a divorce some time ngo, got a beating while in the vicinity of his former wife's house at Winona. The police were notified that there was trouble in that section, and when they arrived they found Brang lying unconscious in the street with his jaw broken. They have been unable to find out who committed the assault.

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The tobacco growers of Houston county now are busy harvesting their tobacco. Tobacco growing in that county is passt the experimental stage, as approximately seventy-five acres were planted in this county this year. It is claimed thot the soil is well adapted for tobacco, and that in quality it equals that grown in Wisconsin. The industry is receiving much attention here.

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Miss Josephine Edwards, a young colored lady of Farmington, has to take the chair of domestic sscience in the colored ecoomic schools at Greensboro, N. C. Miss Edwards won her position by strenuous study through a correspondence school.

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Louis Jorgenson, superintendent of the paper mill at Grand Rapids, may receive a Carnegie medal for saving the life of little Frank Smith. The lad fell into the river and was being swept to his death, when Jorgenson plunged in and pulled him to safety.

Axel Stark's farm residence at Comfrey was burned and a daughter, ten years old, was burned to death.

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Mika Clark of Harmony was run over by the evening passenger train at Preston and was instantly killed.

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James A. Brewster, switchman, was killed in the Soo yards at Glenwood, being thrown under the wheels of a flat car.

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Hunters shooting in the fields of Anton Johnson's farm, west of Faribault, killed one of his valuable cows and escaped.

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Ernest Zomjah of Chaska was caught in a cave-in of a clay bank in one of the local brickyards and was seriously injured.

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The First Methodist Episcopal Church of Braham was dedicated recently. The church is a frame building and cost about $1,200.

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During a heavy thunder storm a bolt of lightning struck and burned the flour mill of Thielen Bros at Freeport. Loss, about $1,000, caused by fire and water.

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Thomas McDonough was run down in the Great Northern yards at St. Paul and was crushed to death. His body was mangled by the wheels of several freight cars.

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George Leslie, roadmaster of the Minneapolis & Rainy Lake road, which runs north from Deer River, was accidentally killed by being struck by an engine at Deer River.

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Clorence W. Holt, the fifteen-year-old son of Ed Holt, a farmer residing in the town of Platt Lake, near Brainerd, was killed by lightning while in bed with two brothers.

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Chicken thieves have been active in Caledonia of late. One hundred chickens are reported to have been stolen in one night from one coop. No clue to the raiders has been found.

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The Beltrami County Bar association will give n banquet in honor of Senator Moses E. Clapp, Congressman Halvor Steenerson and Judges McClenahan and Spooner on Sept. 27.

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Death from alcoholism and exposure was the verdict of Coroner Chasterman in the case of John Lyons, who was discovered dead back of a saloon on the Red river bank at East Grand Forks.

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Joe Botz, n Freeport farmer, was killed by a threshing machine. One arm was completely torn from his body and his head was crushed. Botz was one of the most prominent farmers in that vicinity.

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Dr. Gottfried Stamm, aged sixty-four, one of the oldest and best known physicians in St. Paul, is dead after an illness of more than a year. Death is believed to have resulted from a cancer of the intestines.

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There were 5,000 people at the Faribault County Agricultural fair Saturday. Mr. Hammond of St. James, congressman of that district, spoke. There were good running and trotting races, besides acrobatic feats.

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For the second time in two years lightning during a heavy rain and electric storm struck the spire of St. Peter's Norwegian Lutheran Church of Red Wing. The spire was but slightly damaged and the loss is fully covered by insurance.

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The long-considered milk inspection ordinance has been passed by the city council of Albert Lea, but it does not take effect until the first of the year. All cows from which milk is secured for the people of the city must be inspected for tuberculosis.

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Fire started in the office of the Sauer meat market at Red Lake Falls from a heating stove. The loss is as follows: Duffy building, $1,800; Sauer building, contents, $500; Spillane building and contents, $2,000; Majern's feed store, $3,000.

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Claus Thomssen hanged himself in the cellar of his home in St. Paul. The body was found by Mrs. Thomssen, who had gone into the cellar to get some vegetables for dinner. Thomssen had not been in good health for some years, and it is thought that his mind had become affected.

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A stranger giving his name as Pat Noon and his residence as Toledo, Ohio, threw himself under the wheels of an east-bound train at Lake City and was badly hurt. Despondency over his unsuccessful attempt to stop drinking is the cause of the attempted suicide.

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John A. Korstaad, who lived out on the Yellow Medicine river, near Granite Falls, met with an accident that cost him his life. While starting a gasoline engine to grind feed his left arm was caught in the wheel and so badly torn that he was unable to withstand the shock and died from the effects.

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John Richie, foreman of the switching crew for the Great Northern, was instantly killed in the railroad yards at Willmar in coupling cars. His foot caught, throwing him to the ground, and the switch engine passed over him, crushing the body almost beyond recognition.

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John Eberhartson, a young engineer on the Milwaukee road, was crushed to death at Minneapolis when his engine crashed into a freight train. A mistake in signals is said to have been the cause of the accident.

MINNESOTA M. E. CONFERENCE CONVENES IN MARSHALL

MARSHALL M. E. CHURCH AND PASTOR.

Rev. Benjamin C. Gillis is pastor of congregation that entertains delegates to state Methodist conference.

PLUM CROP IS CORNERED.

Minnesota Output Limited to One Richfield Orchard.

One man holds the local plum market in his hand to do with it what he will. That man, who, by the way, is a Minneapolis fruit merchant, came into this advantageous position by contracting to purchase the output of the orchard owned by James Elwin at Richfield, Minn.

By a freak of nature it happens that Mr. Elwin's trees are the only ones in the whole state of Minnesota, cultivated and wild, that are bearing this year. The late spring frost, blight or one thing or another, caused a general destruction of the plum crop, with this single exception, as far as reports at the central market disclose.

Mr. Elwin has a fine orchard of 2,000 trees, loaded almost to the point of breaking, with luscious red plums. But nobody can get any of them from him, as he has sold out the entire crop to a wholesaler on Commission row, Minneapolis, and he gets the fancy price of $1.75 for every case of sixteen quarts.

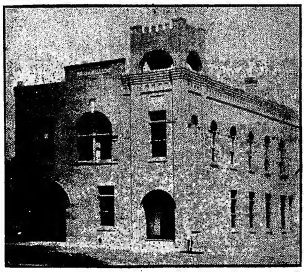
WOMAN'S BUILDING COMPLETED.

Macalester College Plans Housewarming to Open New Structure.

Macalester college is making preparations for the opening of its new $75,000 women's building which has been named Wallace Hall after Dr. James Wallace, formerly president of the college, now on leave of absence in the east. The opening is expected to be some time early in October, but may be delayed to a later time if the work on the building is not completed as soon as expected.

The plans for the opening include a house warming in the form of a general reception, to which Presbyterians and others interested in the college, will be especially invited; speechmaking by representative men of the church and the state, music, refreshments and opportunity to see the handsome new dormitory from cellar to attic. The young women of the hall will serve as guides for the visitors.

The attendance at the college is now about at the two hundred mark, and is expected, before the year closes, to reach at least 250.



LYLE (MINN.) CITY HALL.

Building that has been erected for $15,000 for municipal departments.

ST. PETER SELECTED.

Butter and Cheesemakers Will Meet There on Oct. 1.

St. Peter has been selected by the officers of the Minnesota State Butter and Cheesemakers' association as the place in which to hold the next state convention. Several cities, including St. Cloud and Owatonna, made overtures for the meeting, but James Sorenson of Maple Plain, president; G. E. Lindahl of Milaca, vice president, and E. P. Greeley of Alden, secretary, met in St. Peter recently and decided to accept the invitation presented by St. Peter.

The convention will be held on Oct. 30 and 31 and Nov. 1, and will be attended by upwards of 300 buttermakers. The officers have voted to set aside a fund of $1,200, the largest ever appropriated by the association, to be paid in premiums in the butter-scoring contest.

PETITIONER WINS CASE.

Devil Creek Ditch Will Be Constructed as Engineer Specifies.

Judgment has been filed in the clerk of court's office at Faribault in the Devil Creek ditch case. The decision is in favor of the petitioners, who appealed from the report of the county commissioners. The ditch will be constructed as specified in the report of the civil engineer. It runs through Morristown and Shieldsville townships and is long.

WILL FIX VALUES.

Commissioners Go to Grand Rapids to Settle County Dispute.

The commissioners appointed by Gov. Johnson to appraise the value of the county buildings in Itasca county in order to arrive at the basis of division of the county indebtedness between Itasca and the newly erected Koochiching county have gone to Grand Rapids to inspect the property. Under the law the new county is liable for its proportion of the debts of the county from which it was created, less the value of the county buildings and the amount in the county treasury at the time of the separation. The officials of the two counties were unable to agree on the value of the property and the governor appointed Einar Hoidale, Thomas Downs and M. C. Tifft commissioners to determine upon the value of the property.

Glass Bath Tubs.

Glass bath tubs are being made in Germany, and are said to have advantages over the metal and enamel, the principal one being that they are much cheaper. They are made in a solid piece, and one can be turned out complete in about five minutes.

How Wealth Is Divided.

The states west of the Mississippi possess a combined wealth of more than $25,000,000,000, and the states east of that river $80,000,000,000, nearly three and a half times this amount.

PUTS HIGH SCHOOL ON POPULAR BASIS

PROF. R. F. ROSS,

Superintendent of the Walker (Minn.) schools, has commenced his third year in his present office, and under his direction the schools are making splendid progress in all the various grades. The Walker schools in District No. 5 include the schools at Walker, Kabekona and Lake Alice which comprise an independent district. The work is under the direct management of Prof. Ross, who has had several years' experience in both rural and high school work and the management of the Walker schools for the last two years.

The work of the high school is especially gratifying to those who are directly interested, as the scholars on completing the course of instruction of the school there are fully equipped to enter any of the various colleges of the Northwest, including the University of Minnesota.

The school board is making arrangements to enlarge the present school building. This has become necessary owing to the fact that the population of the village of Walker is rapidly increasing and to the fact that many pupils from the surrounding villages are taking advantage of the excellent opportunity offered them by the Walker high school to prepare them for university work.

An athletic association has been organized and the basket ball teams, both girls and boys, stand ready to demonstrate their supremacy over any of the schools in the surrounding villages and towns.

MINNESOTA RANKS HIGH.

Capt. Shelton Gives Favorable Report of University Regiment.

Capt. George H. Shelton of the general staff of the regular army, who gave a two days' inspection to the cadets of the university last spring, has sent in his report to the war department, in which he gives Minnesota high rank for the efficiency of its military department. He comments especially upon the spirit shown by the cadets in their work.

For two days the university students went through all manner of maneuvers on the campus and in the drill hall of the armory. Not only the ability of the men to march and countermarch, but the manner in which they held themselves, the degree of efficiency they showed in handling their weapons and the care with which they cleaned their guns were all carefully looked into by the inspecting officer, who made a tour of all the colleges and universities receiving aid from the government because they maintain military drill.

In his report Capt. Shelton said: "There is a fine spirit among the student body at the University of Minnesota, and there is an excellent degree of pride in the military department." He also commends the officers and says that the material in the graduating class for second lieutenants in the regular army is good.

The Apt Pupil.

The philanthropical Fifth avenue lady was visiting a lower East side Sunday school. To test the aptness of a particularly indigent cluster of pupils, she took the class in hand to question them.

"Children, what is the greatest of all virtues?"

Not one answered.

"Think a little. What is it I am doing when I give up time and pleasure to come down among you for your moral good?"

A grimy fist went up.

"Well, what am I doing, little boy?"

"Buttin' in."

WATER PLANT WORK LATE.

Scarcity of Labor Hinders Progress at St. Cloud.

Owing to the impossibilities of obtaining sufficient labor and because of unforeseen delays it is announced that the St. Cloud pure water system cannot be placed in operation before the middle of October. The work is being rushed, however, and the huge 100-foot smokestack, which it will take 150,000 bricks to complete, has now passed the 80-foot mark. The stack when completed will have cost something like $1,500. The pumping station proper is nearly completed, and when this is finished the big boilers and pumps will be set, the foundations of which already have been begun. The great question now is the obtaining of labor. Brickmasons are being paid at the rate of 55 cents an hour and common laborers at the rate of $2 per day.

LIPTON WILL TRY AGAIN

IS QUITE WILLING TO ABIDE BY THT DECISION OF NEW YORK YACHT CLUB.

London, Sept. 28.—Sir Thomas Lipton was interviewed last night after he had learned the reasons why his challenge to race for the America's cup had been declined by the New York Yacht club and spoke as follows:

"I still have plenty of time to issue another challenge, but all depends upon what I am advised to do. Mr. Fife is coming especially to consult with me on the situation.

"I know the New York Yacht club feels its responsibility and I am quite willing to abide by its decision, as the club certainly understands its business better than any one else. I cannot help hoping that the existing difficulty may be overcome and that a race will occur in 1908. I will do everything in my power that is reasonable to meet the wishes of our American friends. I am willing to consider most favorably the idea of challenging with a ninety-foot boat if that will be received under the conditions existing in the New York Yacht club, and if Mr. Fife can design a boat which will give me a reasonable prospect of success, and, although such a boat might have to be constructed as a freak boat, even then I would be only too pleased to do it."

NEUHAUSEN TO PORTLAND.

St. Paul Man Who is Land Fraud Prosecutor Gets New Assignment.

Washington, Sept. 28. — Thomas B. Neuhausen of St. Paul, formerly secretary to Congressman Stevens and for several years connected with the investigation of land frauds in Oregon, has been assigned to duty with District Attorney Bristol at Portland for cases coming up for trial during the fall and winter. Neuhausen has been one of the active agents of the office in the prosecution of cases already tried, and the present appointment was made in recognition of good work in those cases.

CREMATED IN HIS HOME.

County Commissioner's Body Burned to a Crisp.

Crookston, Minn., Sept. 28.—County Commissioner John Driscoll was cremated yesterday morning when his farm residence was burned. All other members of the family escaped. He returned home late at night and the other members of the family did not know he was in the house till his charred remains were found in the ruins. Nothing is known as to the origin of the fire.

TO READ STRIKERS' PLEA.

Roosevelt Consents to Receive Documents From Telegraphers.

Washington, Sept. 28. — President Roosevelt said yesterday that he had consented to receive some documentary statements from the striking telegraph operators, and that when these are in his hands he will undoubtedly call into consultation Commissioner of Labor Neill. Further than this he said no arrangements had been made for any conference regarding the strike.

THE MARKETS.

Latest Quotations From Grain and Live Stock Centers.

St. Paul, Sept. 28. — Wheat — No. 1 Northern, $1.10 1-2; No. 2 Northern, $1.08; No. 3, $1.04 1-4@1.05 1-4. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 51 1-4c. Oats—No. 2 white, 49 7-8c.

Minneapolis, Sept. 28.—Wheat—No 1 hard, $1.11 3-4; No. 1 Northern, $1.10 1-2; No. 2 Northern, $1.04 1-4@1.05 1-4; durum, 89 1-4c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 51 1-4c. Oats — No. 2 white, 49 7-8c.

Duluth, Sept. 28. — Wheat—No. 1 hard, $1.13 1-3; No. 1 Northern, $1.12 1-8; No. 2 Northern, $1.10 1-8. Oats—No. 2 white, 50c.

Chicago, Sept. 28. — Wheat—No. 2 red, 97 1-2@98 1-2c; No. 2 hard, 96 1-2@1; No. 1 Northern, $1.07@1.10; No. 2 Northern, $1.05@1.07. Oats—No. 2 white, 57 1-4c. Corn—No. 2, 51 1-2c.

Milwaukee, Sept. 28 —Wheat—No. 1 Northern, $1.[illegible]; No. 2 Northern, $1.05@1.09. Rye—No. 1, 89 1-2@90c. Barley—No. 2, 95c.

Chicago, Sept. 28. — Cattle—Beeves $4.10@7.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50@5; calves, $5.50@7.25. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, $5.80@5.60; bulk, $5.95@6.35. Sheep—$3@5.45; lambs, $4.75@7.40.

Sioux City, Iowa, Sept. 28.—Cattle—Beeves, $4.25@6.75; cows and heifers, $2.50@4.25; stockers and feeders, $3.50@4.50; calves and yearlings, $2.75. Hogs—$5.75@5.85.

South St. Paul, Sept. 28.—Cattle — Good to choice steers, $5.50@6.25; goods to choice cows and heifers, $3.50@5. Hogs—Price range, $5.30@$6.05; bulk, $5.60@5.70. Sheep — Wethers, $5.25@5.40; good to choice ewes, $4.50@5.50; good to choice lambs, $5.25@5.75.

Carrie Nation Again at Large.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, recently condemned to the workhouse for refusal to pay a fine of $25 as penalty for disorderly conduct, was released yesterday, her fine having been paid by a friend.

Clergy to Convene.

Paynesville, Minn., Sept. 28. — A convocation of the Episcopal clergy for this district will be held at St. Stephen's church, in this village, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 29 and 30.

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BRYAN dubs Taft "the great postponer," but William H. will probably not object if the people do not get it into their heads to postpone Taft.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT doesn't think much of the Oklahoma consitution, but he has decided to let 'em have it. Another great victory for states rights!

THE Fairmont Sentinel believes a sack of flour left on the doorstep of the needy will knock louder at heaven's gate than a wreath of flowers laid on the coffin of one beyond the reach of earthly comforts.

A CRAZY Jap when arrested near Moorhead last week was talking about Crookston. It is likely the fellow is an emissary of the 25,000 club, but failed to supply himself with the proper credentials.

CONGRESSMAN STEENERSON believes President Roosevelt ought to have a third term. Although it is not generally known we violate no confidence in saying that Halvor is also in favor of a fourth term for himself.

THE Albert Lea Standard, who doesn't forget that he was once young, observes that "woman's latest fashion waist is a small as her ankle, but the regular armful style are still more popular with the other sex."

BEER is going up. Horrible thought! Pretty soon we'll be buying beer tickets--seventeen for a dollar. Maybe when a fellow is asked to lay down a dollar all in a bunch for booze he'll dig up some of last January's good resolutions.

BRADSTREET'S has figured it out that the cost of living has increased 51 8 per cent. since 1896. If it cost you $100 a month in 1896 it now costs you $154. The outlook is not very encouraging for the man on a salary.

THIS is the time of the year when we are all poor. According to the assessment returns there isn't enough gold and silver plate in Minnesota to stock a battleship, and as for moneys and credits—why, bless you, who ever thought we had any.

IN the present state of political uncertainty and unrest the former disposition of party leaders to punish recalcitrants is not so apparent as formerly. A large and respectable element of the Republican press is even trying to coax John Lind back to his former idols.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON'S presidential boom wasn't blighted a bit by the early frosts. If the Governor has a publicity bureau it is doing good work. But Johnson doesn't need a promoting agency. The pleasing personality of his is enough in itself to win any sort of a political game.

C. G. SCHULZ, assistant superintendent of public instruction, believes that the Minnesota legislature did a wise thing when it put high school fraternities under the ban. In an interview Mr. Schulz asserts that the high school fraternities foster factions in high schools and distract the attention of students from their studies.

THE Montrose Herald enjoys the acquaintance of an editor who found it necessary to warn a careless reporter to write nothing unless he knew it to be correct. Later in the day the reporter handed in a society item as follows: "It is rumored that Mrs. Smith, who claims to reside in South Chestnut street, gave a so-called dinner party to a number of her alleged friends. Mrs. Smith asserts that they had a good time. In the progressive euchre feature, which followed the dinner, Mrs. Brown, who claims to be the wife of Postmaster Brown, was successful."

THE only way to get and hold a good business is to keep everlastingly at it. The successful merchant is always on the look-out for additional patronage, and one of the best ways to get new business is to invite people into your store by purchasing advertising space in well established papers. Call the attention of the public to some of your seasonable bargains, and if you do this through a paper that has a circulation, you will soon note the results. The GAZETTE can give good returns to all advertisers, for it has a remarkably large circulation for a local paper. Practically every one from whom the Red Lake Falls merchants get their business, take this paper.

SOCIETY women of Chicago are up in arms against the millinery association for its introduction of such ridiculous fashions in headwear and threaten a boycott—that is, they threaten to go about hatless unless the new styles are amended, says the Princeton Union. These styles, according to samples on exhibition at the Chicago convention of milliners, certainly run to extremes, the hats consisting of an inverted frying-pan shape top with two or three feet of feathers and a yard or two of gewgaws dangling over the edge. This is the first time in history, perhaps, that women have rebelled at the "latest fashions." and they should be given credit for beginning to look at these things from a commonsense viewpoint.

THE state prison binding twine plant has saved the farmers more than a quarter of a million dollars this year to say nothing about the effect of the state's competition on the product of other factories, says the Fairmont Sentinel. The men who fathered the scheme to make twine in Stillwater were populists whom it was common and popular to characterize as "cranks, agitators and socialists." Ignatius Donnelly, who went to his grave "unwept, unhonored and unsung," was chief promoter of the enterprise and to him the farmers owe a debt of gratitude which, alas, can never be paid.

PARTISAN newspapers are fond of saying that the Democrats favor independent voting only so long as Republicans vote for Democratic candidates. This proposition probably is true of any party. Political managers would not be true to their trust did they not labor for and earnestly hope for party success from president down to constable. But in Minnesota there is a formidable army of voters in all parties who give to the character of the candidates rather than to the necessity of party success. For instance in 1904 fully as many Democrats voted for Roosevelt as Republicans voted for Johnson. If Republicans are more prone to independence they are entitled to greater credit for intelligence and patriotism.

CATARRH BLOOD DISEASED

AND SYSTEM DISORDERED

Catarrh is not merely an inflammation of the tissues of the head and throat, as the symptoms of ringing noises in the ears, mucous dropping back into the throat, continual hawking and spitting, etc., would seem to indicate; it is a blood disease in which the entire circulation and the greater part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to the presence of an excess of uric acid in the blood. The Liver, Kidneys and Bowels frequently become torpid and dull in their action and instead of carrying off the refuse and waste of the body, leave it to sour and form uric acid in the system. This is taken up by the blood and through its circulation distributed to all parts of the system. These impurities in the blood irritate and inflame the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting of a cold will start the secretions and other disgusting and disagreeable symptoms of Catarrh. As the blood goes to all parts of the body the catarrhal poison affects all parts of the system. The head has a tight, full feeling, nose continually stopped up, pains above the eyes, slight fever comes and goes, the stomach is upset and the entire system disordered and affected by this disease. It is a waste of time to try to cure Catarrh with sprays, washes, inhalations, etc. Such treatment does not reach the blood, and can, therefore, do nothing more than temporarily relieve the discomfort of the trouble. To cure Catarrh permanently the blood must be thoroughly purified and the system cleansed of all poisons, and at the same time strengthened and built up. Nothing equals S. S. S. for this purpose. It attacks the disease at its head, goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. removes every particle of the catarrhal poison from the blood, making this vital stream pure, fresh and healthy. Then the inflamed membranes begin to heal, the head is loosened and cleared, the hawking and spitting cease, every symptom disappears, the constitution is built up and vigorous health restored. S. S. S. also tones up the stomach and digestion and acts as a fine tonic to the entire system. If you are suffering with Catarrh begin the use of S. S. S. and write us a statement of your case and our physicians will send you literature about Catarrh, and give you special medical advice without charge. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

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Harvey Lachance, who last week was arrested and plead guilty to being implicated in a stealing scrape at Thief River Falls, was taken before Judge Grindeland at Warren last Friday and given a reformatory sentence at St. Cloud, Sheriff Nelson and Nightwatchman Lizee taking him there Monday. No time sentence was given him, and it is thought that with good behavior he will be liberated within a short time. Levee, his partner in the deal, was released on bail Sunday morning and went back to Thief River Falls Monday. He will be tried at the fall term of court in this city.

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John Driscoll, one of the county commissioners of Polk county, was burned to death at his home near East Grand Forks on Thursday morning. His residence and contents valued at about $7,000 were entirely destroyed.

Mr. Driscoll had gone to town on Wednesday evening for the purpose of hiring some men. He returned some time after midnight and having put his team in the barn entered the house by a shed in the rear. It is supposed that he upset a can of gasoline which was standing in the shed and then struck a match to see what had happened. Mrs. Driscoll and five children were sleeping upstairs and were awakened by the smoke in time to escape in their night clothes. No member of the family knew that Mr. Driscoll was home until the charred remains were found in the ashes of the shed. The body was found lying face downward and his watch had stopped at 5 minutes of 2 o'clock. The funeral was held Saturday and was attended by the county officers of Polk county in a body.

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Mrs. Ed. Bray visited with relatives at Crookston a couple of days this week.

T. P. Hamre, of Thief River Falls, was a visitor here Monday night and Tuesday.

Don't forget the Junior dinner and lunch next Wednesday in the O'Brien building.

Merchant Theo. LaBissoniere was an over-Sunday visitor with relatives at Crookston.

M. O. Sortedahl went down to Fergus Falls Tuesday evening to close up a land deal.

Al Pouliot moved his family to Crookston the first of tho week, where he has a good position.

A social dance was held at the Foresters hall Tuesday evening and a first-class time was had.

Mrs. N. W. Tarrant visited between trains yesterday with her many friends at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Enright visited over Sunday with relatives at Grand Forks, returning home Monday.

Frank Jeffers left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where he had business that required his attention.

John Doyea roturned home yesterday from North Dakota, where he has spent several weeks threshing.

For Sale—Policies that insure a man 's income and his insurance—Fidelity Mutual Life, Philadelphia.

Market Day visitors will find good things to eat at the Junior dinner and lunch in the O'Brien building.

Mrs. Sylvan Hall came over from Crookston today for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Crompe.

For Sale—wind mill. Aermotor make, almost new, 60 ft 4 frame tower and 12 ft wheel. See S. A. Swanson.

Farmers, don't forget that I sell the John Deere plows—gang, sulky and walking plows.—William Findeisen.

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E. E. Fletcher went down to Moorhead Monday evening where he will be employed for the next few weeks.

Theodore Zaiser has been quite sick this week but is reported as greatly improved at the preseat writing.

We have received direct from Norway, a barrel of the finest KKK Herring wn have ever seen. Try it. —The Big Store.

Joseph Benoit moved his family to Crookston this week. Mr. Benoit is employed on the Great Northern road there.

John Verboncour and Peto Miller drove over from Crookston and spent Sunday with their relatives and friends here.

J. T. Curry, of Northrup, this state, was hero yesterday looking after his real estate interests in Black River township.

Mrs. Adolph Whitn, of Cohasset, arrived hern Tuesday for a visit of a few weeks with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Miller.

Deputy Sheriff Bob Lee, of Thief River Falls, passed through hern Monday evening on his way to Bemidji on official business.

County Treasurer Tandberg has so far improved as to be able to be over town several times this week, and expects shortly to bo back at his desk at the court house.

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Ernest Guilmette and Eli Noel left last eveniag for North Yakima, Washington, where they will spend several months taking in the sights of the western country.

Dairy Inspector Joel G. Winkjer was a passenger on Monday's north bound train on his way up the Greenbush line on a trip of inspection of the creameries.

P. B. Gaass, J. C. Wilkinson, E. G. Buse, Harry Healy and Clem Brunelle went up to Thief Lake this morning up to spend several days chasing ducks end geese.

County Auditor O'Brien was over at Bemidji last week, attending the Beltrami county fair and also the meeting of the county auditors of the north part of the state. He returned home Saturday.

G. A. Kankel moved his family into rooms in the Paradis block over his hardware store the first of the week. This makes a fine place for "Gus" as he is close to his place of business all the time.

A farewell dance and party was given at the K. P. hall by the young folks last Friday evening in honor of Miss Eva Paradis, who left this week for the west. Supper was served at Paul's hotel and a delightfully pleasant time was had.

The only true constipation cure must begin its soothing, healing action when it enters the mouth. Hollisters Rocky Mountain Tea restores the whole system to a healthy normal condition. 35 cents Tea or tablets.—A. L. Reichert.

Abner Fletcher came over from Grand Forks Saturday and remained at his home here until Monday evening. Ab. is attending the University of North Dakota again this year, and will graduate from the college of law next summer.

Cash Sanscartier and Miss Beline Goulet, both of this city, were married by the Rev. Father Fayolle Tuesday. The young couple took the eveaing train for Hibbing, where the groom is employed as engineer on the iron range road.

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The Misses Maude Findeisen and Margaret Kaus came over from Warren Saturday and spent the day at their homes here. The young ladies are very well pleased with their teaching duties at Warren and are being treated well by the people there.

D. P. O'Neil was a north bound passenger on Monday's Great Northern on his way to Thief River Falls. D. P. had been down in Norman county threshing, and says that while the crops are good there they are not up to the Red Lake county standard this year.

A business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will be held at the church parlors Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 9th, at 3 o'clock. Every woman interested in the work of the society is requested to be present as important business will be discussed.

Harry E. Ives, of the St. Hilaire Spectator, passed through here Monday evening on his way for a trip down the Halstad line. Harry is doing a big stroke of business in the postcard line these days, and reports an increasing demand for the goods his company is turning out.

L. J. Hall returned to his home at Kenney, Ill., last week after a several deys' visit here. He was a brother of M. R. Hall, of this city, who has been in Montana all summer and intended remaining here until M. R. returned home, but business matters called him home sooner than he expected.

Oliver Belair, Ed. Bray, Henry Beleir, Simon Paul and Fred Cyr returned home Friday evening from their several days' outing at Mud Lake, where they enjoyed a duck hunt. They were well rewarded for their efforts, too, as they returned with over one hundred ducks and a couple of big geese.

Mrs. H. N. Johnson returned here last week from Lankin, North Dakota, where she had visited with her husband for a few weeks Mr. Johnson is building e residence at Lankin and until it is ready his wife will remain with her perents here.

O. N. Skomedal, one of the best of the good Gernes boys, passed through here Tuesdey on his way to Dakota where he will put in a month threshing. Ole got his own grain in the stack and couldn't stand around in idleness until he could get a threshing rig, so he made for Dakota rake in a bunch of shekels while he is "resting."

Mrs. S. M. Sivertson and Mrs. L. C. Simons went down to the Twin cities Tuesday evening, where they will spend e few days with friends. They were on the Great Northern flyer thet was wrecked Tuesday night near Fergus Fells, but the passengers esceped with a good shaking up.

Manager Tracy and Prof. Maxwell are elready making plans for the first indoor band concert, which will be given the letter part of October. The boys hope to make the first concert en excellent one, and will follow it up with a series of great entertainments during the winter months.

Mrs. F. A. Gredy entertained a number of ladies at a delightful party at her home last Saturday evening. Two interesting contests furnished the diversion, Mrs. P. B. Gaass and Mrs. J. C. Wilkinson winning the honors. Elaborate refreshments were served and a very enjoyable time was had.

Rock Lefebvre, formerly a resident of Brooks, but now of Garrone, Srskatchewan, was a caller here Saturday, having come to Brooks from his Canada home last week to look after some interests there. Mr. Levebvre tells THE GAZETTE that the crops are good in his country this year and that he hes prospered since going to Canada.

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Mrs. Joseph H. Paradis and children left on Monday evenings Northern Pacific for their future home at North Yakima, Weshington. Mr. Paradis did not leave until last evening as he could not get his business matters here fixed up in time to go Manday. He will go into business with his brother, P. G. at North Yakima and expects to do a big business in that rushing country.

James E. Ford left last Friday evening with his household goods for his new home at St. Paul. Mrs. Ford and her mother, Mrs. N. Pouliot, followed Tuesday evening. Mrs. Pouliot will remain with Mrs. Ford a few weeks until they get settled, when she will return to her home here. The Red Lake Falls people will trust that Mr. and Mrs. Ford will be successful and contented in their new home.

On October 1st a new rate of postage went into effect on letters to foreign countries. Heretofore the rate has been 5 cents for each half ounce or fraction thereof; the new rate will be 5 cents for the first ounce or fraction thereof, and 3 cents for each additional ounce or fraction thereof. For instance, under the old rate a letter weighing two ounces, addressed to a foreign country, would cost the sender 20 cents in postage while under the new rate it costs only 8 cents.

Crookston Times: Judge Watts returned Friday from a nine days trip through western Canada. He went as far west as Edmomtoa, and stopped off at Dauphin, Man., and Regina, Sask. It was the Judge's first trip through that country, and he found it most enjoyable. The crops in Manitoba are turning out very well, as they escaped damage by frost almost entirely. Crops in Saskatchewan end farther west did not fare so well end much of the standing grain was badly nipped. A week ago half the grain in the western provinces was still uncut.

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The northern Minnesota Educational Association will meet in Crookston in ennual session on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 14 end 15th next. Those who remember the lest meeting of the association will recall that it was one of the biggest and most enthusiestic conventions ever held in that city. Hundreds of educators from all over the northwest will be there. Some of the best educators in the state will deliver addresses and the meeting will put new life and vigor into the school life of Minnesota.

P. K. Matus, of New York city, leader of the famous Hungarian Court Orchestra, spent last week here visiting with J. L. Tracy. Mr. Matus had been teaching a band at Portage la Prairie, Canada, for the past several months, and having at one time had some correspondence with Mr. Tracy regarding the leadership of the band here, he stopped off for a look at the town and a brief visit. He is one of the greatest musicians in the east, and on his return to New York will at once re-organize his famous orchestra for a concert trip of several months throughout the western states.

Phil Lizee, the crack Argyle pitcher who has played with the North Valley League during the past summer, and who is a native son of Argyle, passed thaough Crookston last week enroute home from Green Bay Wisconsin, where he has been playing since the close of the North Valley league. The Wisconsin league has finished the season, Freeport taking the pennant. Lizee has a remarkable record this summer. He has pitched 100 games this year and has not been taken out of one. Lezie has signed to play the next year with the Burlington team of the Iowa state league.

Louis Roy, one of the prominent rural school teechers of the county, died at his home in Rocksbury township Sunday, after an illness of but a few days with an attack of typhoid fever. He had been teaching near Wylie, and last week when he became too sick to continue his work he went to his home in Rocksbury. Medical aid was enlisted but to no avail, death occuring Sunday afternoon. Mr. Roy was a leader in the county school workers and had a host of warm friends who are greatly grieved at his sudden demise. The funeral was held from the family home in Rocksbury yesterday and was attended by a large number of sorrowing friends.

At St. Joseph's church in this city next Monday will occur the marriage of Miss Alma Leitzke, of Tigerton, Wisconsin, to John Verboncour, a young man well known here, but who now resides at Crookston. The Rev. Father Fayolle will perform the wedding ceremony and afterwards the bridal party will be banquetted at the home of Ed. Bray, a brother-in-law of the groom, leaving for Crookston in the evening. Johnny was raised in Red Lake Falls, and is known as a first-class young man. He is at the present time employed by the Great Northern as brakeman on the Greenbush passenger, with headquarters at Crookston. His bride-to-be is a strenger to most of the people here, but is highly spoken of by those who know her, and the people of Red Lake Falls are extending congratulations in advance.

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Woman's Services to the Church

By the Rev. Anna H. Shaw

Hebrews Had Famous Prophetesses and Women Teachers—Woman's Activity in Early Apostolic Church—How Women Became Proscribed as Church Offices Became More Desirable—Salvation Army Shows What Women Can Accomplish—Many Denominations Ordain Women Grudgingly Today—No Sex Should Be Deified in Religion of Jesus.

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(The Rev. Anna Shaw, M. D., has the twofold distinction of being a regularly ordained minister of the gospel and a physician. The latter title was gained by study so that the gifted woman might widen her scope of usefulness in her charitable work among the poor. She was born in England, but her parents removed to this country when she was four years of age. Her first studies were carried on by reading the newspapers pasted on the walls of the log cabin in which she lived in a wild part of Michigan. At 15 years of age she became a teacher. In 1875 she was graduated from the theological department of Boston university. Her first pastorate was in a Methodist church at Hingham, Mass. She afterward filled other pulpits. For some years she has devoted her time to lecturing and preaching rather than to parish work.)

If the civilization of an age is measured by the degree of freedom accorded to women this age is making vast progress toward that much-desired goal of human development. The nineteenth was pre-eminently woman's century. In it more changes were wrought for the amelioration of her condition than in the 10 preceding centuries. Great as have been these changes there still remains much to be accomplished before women will be free to develop themselves or to exercise their highest powers along any line of human endeavor. This is particularly true of their position in the ministry.

A correct appreciation of the relation of women to the service of religion is exceedingly difficult. There has accumulated about the subject a vast amount of futile discussion, much of which is irrelevant, which has hidden its real and vital significance. The only hope of a clear understanding of the subject is to divorce our thought from the narrow view of our own time and study it from the vantage ground of the great religious movements of the past. And while this will not give a definite answer to our problem for to-day it will give us a clearer vision and a more rational basis for our hope of to-morrow.

There can be no question that in the development of ecclesiastical history and in the propagation of religious systems women have constituted one of the most effective agencies. In all ancient religions, as priestess, prophetess and sibyl, women participated in the worship and service of the temple. And as the government of all pagan countries was chiefly theocratic, women, after they ceased to meet in councils with men, enjoyed great dignity by virtue of their office as deliverers of the inspired oracles.

From the earliest history of the Hebrews women were teachers, prophetesses and servants of the church. The recorded ministry of Miriam, the prophetess and joint leader with her brother of the hosts of Israel; of Deborah, who became the theocratic ruler and judge of her nation; of the little Hebrew maid whose evangelistic fervor led Naaman to bow before the true God; of Anna, the prophetess who "departed not from the temple," with scores of other illustrious names, will remain forever famous in the history of the Hebrew nation.

If we turn to the story of the Founder of Christianity we learn that the three sublime events of His life, which form the basis of all orthodox creeds, were first revealed to women and announced by them to the world—the annunciation by the angel to Mary, the declaration of His Messianic mission by Jesus to the Samaritan woman, through whose ministry many believed and followed Him, and the manifestation of Himself to Mary Magdalene after His resurrection and her commission from the highest authority to preach a risen Lord.

His example paved the way for women's activity in the apostolic church. Here they stand out pre-eminently as teachers, preachers, evangelists and missionaries. The range of their activities covers the whole field of religious enterprise. Lydia, the merchant, whose zeal led to the conversion of all her trade people; Phoebe, a deacon of the church of Cenchrea, and its financial and missionary agent (Ignatius of Antioch tells us that these deacons were not ministers of meats and drinks, but ministers of the church of God); Priscilla, a lady of distinguished learning, who became the theological instructor of one of the most eloquent of the apostles; Philip's four daughters, who with their father were itinerant evangelists, and a vast number of other devout women, stand as a perpetual refutation to those who seek by scriptural authority to limit the field of woman's ministry in the modern church.

From preapostolic times to the present there has never been a period of great religious awakening when women and men have not stood together in the forefront of the struggle. Ecclesiastical history will forever associate the names of Helen and Constantine, Monica and Augustine, Eusebia with the Gregory of Nissa, Marcella with Athanasius and Paula with Jerome.

That many women were not only accorded positions of trust and honor but were ordained and set apart for the work of the ministry is shown by the writings of both sacred and profane historians. When, in the second century, Pliny the younger was sent by the Emperor Trajan to investigate the doings of the Christians he reported officially that he found women in the ministry of the church. From the apostolic constitution has come to us the following formula for the ordination of apostolic women: "Eternal God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, Creator of men and women, Thou who didst fill with Thy spirit Miriam, Deborah, Hannah, and Hilda, look down Thou also upon this Thy handmaid and bestow on her the Holy Ghost, that she may worthily perform the work committed to her to Thy honor and the glory of Christ."

The simplicity of the democratic ideal of the unity of the human race, with its equality of honor, rights, duties and privileges, taught by Jesus, was not understood by even His immediate disciples. What wonder, then, that when these simple lessons were carried out by men of lesser spiritual insight and narrower sympathies the ethical teachings, with their deep spiritual significance, were gradually lost in dogma; that arrogance began to manifest itself in claims of superior wisdom and authority, and the simple service of loving ministry, which revealed itself in "honor preferring one another," was supplanted by a burdensome ceremonial and sybaritic and powerful hierarchy?

It is a well-established fact that in times of great religious awakening and persecution, where there are no honors of office or pecuniary compensation for service, women are accorded greater power and recognition than in periods of the church's prosperity. Therefore, when the hierarchy was established, when the position of minister became a prize to be contended for and not a burden to be borne, when the office of deacon, presbyter or bishop was a sinecure eagerly sought by men who employed every possible device or intrigue to reduce the number of classes eligible to these positions, women were naturally the first to be proscribed.

This reaction against women was begun in the third century by Tertullian. Influenced by his mighty ambition upon his conversion to the new religion, he immediately began to reconstruct the simple life of Christianity. Imbued by the pagan contempt for women, he waged unrelenting war against them, declaring "Woman! thou oughtest always to walk in mourning and rags, thine eyes filled with tears of repentance to make men forget that thou hast been the destruction of the race. Woman! thou art the gate of hell."

Many of his disciples were in accord with these sentiments and followed his example with unflagging zeal. They diligently preached of the beauty of self-effacement, of the loveliness of self-sacrifice and modesty, of the admirable qualities of womanly obedience and subjection, emphasizing the immodesty of her preaching and teaching.

While the church denounced woman as the source of all evil, in instituting the worship of the Virgin it deified her. It was not the woman with her human desires, hopes and aspirations that it exalted, but the saint, secluded from life's interests, struggles and temptations.

It was but natural that during the reactionary period of the church life, while the attitude of its foremost teachers and writers was that of arrogant contempt for women in all of their human capacities, they should gradually lose the position which they enjoyed in the early Christian church. For a thousand years they labored with unceasing devotion for the triumph of the faith, the difference being that with Jesus and the early church fathers they labored with honorable equality with men, and after the triumph of Tertullianism they served in obscure positions, neither receiving nor demanding recognition, and under the domination of men.

The worst result of any form of slavery is to produce in the enslaved a love of servitude and to create a spirit of protest against release from this bondage. Hence the persistent repetition from century to century in a grossly ignorant and superstitious age that woman is a sex of superior wickedness and mental inferiority, responsible not alone for her own sins but also for those of men, could have but one result. It created within women themselves a passion for self-depreciation, humility and self-hatred, and it also implanted in the minds of man a superstitious horror of the natural powers of women, the effect of which is not yet wholly eradicated from the mind of either sex.

Notwithstanding all that the forces of ignorance, superstition and ecclesiastical selfishness have accomplished in opposing the development of women and in preventing their highest usefulness in the church, the pages of history, even though written by prejudiced men, are resplendent with their remarkable achievements in religious propaganda. The mother of Wesley, who was the real founder of the methodist faith, influenced her son to recognize lay preachers and thus laid the basis for the great spiritual success of methodism. The Countess of Huntingdon was the founder of Calvinistic methodism. Mme. Guyon numbered among her converts Fenelon and several distinguished leaders of the court of Louise. Barbara Heck, the heroic Irishwoman who was the founder of American methodism. Elizabeth Fry in the prisons persuaded hundreds to turn from lives of crime to virtue and industry. Mrs. Bartlett in six years of her personal efforts added 600 members to Mr. Spurgeon's church. In later times the salvation army largely owes its existence and marvelous power to the energy, zeal and devotion of Mrs. Booth. In our own country scores of devout women, as ministers, evangelists and missionaries, have rendered invaluable service to the church and humanity.

Historically considered, the ministry seems to be a work for which women by nature are pre-eminently fitted. Here are women in all ages of the church found in almost every class and in every condition of life, who, while engaged in the ministry, have left records of which the church may well be proud.

The beginning of the twentieth century sees women recognized officially in nearly every Christian denomination. In many of them women are ordained, though in some cases rather grudgingly. In the more liberal denominations—notably among the unitarians, universalists and united brethren—they have been recognized in the ministerial office from the beginning, resulting in a stronger corps of women ministers among these than in any other denomination.

The prejudice of the past and the conservatism of the present prevent them from extending to women the same open, generous welcome which they extended to men. This reacts upon the women themselves, and those instincts toward self-annulment, which are the result of centuries of restraint and false ideas in women's education, make them ever conscious of antagonism, even though unexpressed and unacknowledged. This restrains the freedom of their thought and action, necessarily crippling their powers and preventing them from giving the best service of which they are capable. Until women are received into all positions of the church with the same cordial welcome that is accorded men, are granted the same rights in the ministerial office and are as heartily urged and assisted to enter it, there can be no fair estimate of the value of their service.

The Society of Friends and after them the salvation army and American volunteers present the best fields for estimating the value of the service of women in the Christian ministry. Their immense influence lies unquestionably in the fact that from the inception of these organizations women were received on equal terms with men. It is generally conceded that women make quite as efficient officers and in many instances more desirable soldiers than men. Their ability to govern and lead their forces is freely recognized. In the realm of the spiritual the governing forces are not brute strength, but love and justice.

The need of women in the service of humanity was never so great as it is to-day and they will not hesitate to enter it by the established and officially recognized channels of the church if they may, but by new and untried ones if they must.

There are scores of organized bodies of women doing the real work of the church, who, because they were restrained from performing service within, have been compelled to organize outside of the church.

The ministry of woman in the future development of religion is an established fact. The value of her ministry will be gauged not so much by its official recognition as by the motive and manner of her service to humanity.

Let her go back to the simplicity of Jesus' teaching; let her set up no sex which must be deified, no dogma which must be believed. Let her teach no ecclesiastical system which must be rigid and thus from its very nature retrograde. Let her go forth in the service of humanity and not to perpetuate a ponderous institution. Let her teach that the kingdom of heaven is set up here and now in the hearts of men. Let her show by example that service is the sum of human excellence. Let her declare that love is the fulfillment of the perfect law, that it alone is the dynamic force in human lives which is to redeem the world from its greed, its injustice and its barbarism. Let love be the keynote of all her thinking and acting, for out of it alone can come the great social, moral and religious harmony, which shall usher in "the new heaven and the new earth wherein dwelleth righteousness."

WOMAN'S SPHERE

NEW IN EMBROIDERY

AN EFFECTIVE AND SIMPLE COMBINATION.

Flower Design on Front of Blouse Has Caught the Fancy of Those Who Seek Originality.

Weary of embroidered blouses in French work, in eyelet and in shadow work, the girl who can have what she wants looks listlessly around for an inspiration which will tell her what she does want, says a writer in the New York Herald. The shops are full of these oft told tales of embroidery, and no new idea comes to her. It seems to be lurking on the horizon, or just over it, where she cannot see it. It must be something novel, something most effective and rich.

And then she sees it! A friend has seen something which gave her the idea and has adopted it to her own use. And, joy of joys! It is a kind of work which may be done on the beach, on the veranda, while waiting for the mail, by electric light, and, indeed, in any moment that is free from other joys and duties.

It is strikingly effective and yet so simple in construction as to be almost childish. And this is what it is: Any effective flower design is stamped on the front of a blouse—a sheer lawn or handkerchief linen one—and over this is basted a piece of heavy Brussels net. The edges are cut away at the outline of the whole design. If there is no outline at the edge of the design carry lines of stems or leaves around to meet, so that when embroidered the edge of the net shall be covered and securely anchored there by the stitches. Next stuff or pad the flower and leaf forms thickly with embroidery cotton or darning cotton and work solidly over them with a rather coarse mercerized thread. The work stands up beautifully and gives a very rich effect. When the embroidery is finished the lawn is cut away at the back, leaving the embroidered design as if worked directly on the net.

Such flower forms as honeysuckle, chrysanthemums, daisies, slim tiger lilies—in fact, any flower with a long narrow petal—are best. The embroidery stitch is carried across the petal the narrowest way. It is best to avoid too long stitches, as they are liable to catch and pull. For this reason, when working leaves it is a good plan to stuff the two sides from the center vein separately, and to embroider these two parts with a distinct line of division down the center. This makes more variety in the work and the short stitches wear best. The stuffing stitches lies in the opposite direction to the embroidery ones always.

The same idea may be carried out on the collar and cuffs. There may be also a little embroidery on the top of each sleeve. A complete yoke of this net embroidery is very affective, and the work goes very quickly. Even an impatient girl who loves to be "on the go," playing tennis, boating or swimming, may on rainy days accomplish this and be elated at the possession of a blouse quite different from those worn by her friends.

A simple method of using the net is to stamp a design suitable for cut work and buttonhole the edges of the design.

IN MATTERS OF HEADGEAR.

Downward or Upward Brim Is the Question to Decide.

Dip brims fight steadily to retain their hold upon feminine favor, and it will be some months before the battle between the downward and upward effect will be definitely decided. One thing, however, is certain. Wide brims are bound to prevail for all headgear to be worn with elaborate gowns, and a marked feature of their trimming is the tendency to use light flowers and ribbons on dark hats and vice versa, as is the case of a black hat trimmed with rose ribbon and roses to be worn with rose crepe gown, and with a white felt hat trimmed with black plumes and velvet. Flowers will be seen on many of the hats made of heavy materials, usually matching in tint the other trimmings. The milliner's bow has of late become a wonderful and eccentric production. At times it is a myriad of short loops and ends, on other occasions it lies stiffly and flatly like a bird's wing against the crown, and, again, plaited in clusters, it forms bulky loops, accented by a handsome buckle.

Concerning Coats.

Of the making of coats there is no end.

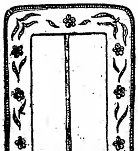
Long, short, medium, tight-fitting, with collars and without.

They are shown with long sleeves and with short, single-breasted and double-breasted.

When the season had advanced the separate coat will be seen in some one of the many remarkable imitations of fur fabrics which manufacturers and importers are preparing for women.

Broadcloth, with or without fur lining, is to enjoy another season of coat utility. Black will undoubtedly prove the most popular color for average wear, with white and pastel tints for carriage use.

PRETTY BUCKLE SLIDE.



Buckle slide of white embroidered linen. Foundation of heavy cardboard and several thicknesses of buckram.

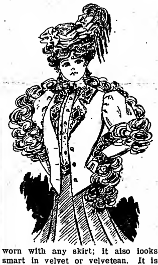
Hasty Engagements.

Nine times out of ten when a girl's parents oppose her marriage they have some excellent reason for their opposition. From their experience of life and its handicaps they know that the young man is not ready to shoulder the responsibilities of married life. Or perhaps they realize that he is not the man to make their willful little daughter happy. No girl should become formally engaged to a man until her parents have met him and passed judgment upon him.

JACKET FOR YOUNG GIRL.

Tight-Fitting Garment Smart in Velvet or Velveteen.

A little tight-fitting jacket like this may be made of the same material as the skirt, or in cloth that may be worn with any skirt; it also looks smart in velvet or velveteen. It is quite tight-fitting, fastening below the bust with buttons and buttonholes. The collars and revers are faced with silk and ornamented with silk and velvet appliques. The band that finishes the wrists of the coat sleeve matches the collar.



Turban-shaped hat of fancy straw, trimmed with ribbon and a feather mount.

Materials required for jacket: 1¾ yards 48 inches wide, 3½ yards lining silk, one-half yard silk for collar and revers.

DICTATES OF FASHION.

Dresden and pompadour silk foundations are being used for chiffon and voile dresses.

Trimming ideas are numberless. Tiny ball drops, tassels and pendants of all descriptions are shown on the new models.

Somewhat heavier and rougher goods will be fashionable this fall. Scotch cheviots of fancy design will be much used in the construction of tailored gowns.

Two distinctive features may be noted about sleeves. They have much more fulness at the top, some of them even being laid in deep plaits, and they are very ornate, even to the point of fussiness.

When one does not have a skirt with a paneled front, a plain gored front is often trimmed with buttons and loops. This adornment sometimes goes to the bottom of the skirt, on both sides; at other times it extends a little below the hips.

There appears to be some controversy about the wearing of hatpins. Some say that none should be visible at all; but, on the other hand, the most exquisite designs are seen in wrought gold and colors to harmonize with hat or gown.

Hat Trimmings.

Hats for sombre-colored tailor-made costumes are an important consideration. Preferably they carry bird plumage in the form of wings and breasts rather than ostrich feathers, which belong rightly to the mauve, white and tan cloth costumes.

A MISSOURI WOMAN

Tells a Story of Awful Suffering and Wonderful Relief.

Mrs. J. D. Johnson, of 603 West Hickman St., Columbia, Mo., says: "Following an operation two years ago, dropsy set in, and my left side was so swollen the doctor said he would have to tap out the water. There was constant pain and a gurgling sensation around my heart, and I could not raise my arm above my head. The kidney action was disordered and passages of the secretions too frequent. On the advice of my husband I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. Since using two boxes my trouble has not reappeared. This is wonderful, after suffering two years."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Hardly.

"Speaking of John D.——"

"What of him, sirrah?"

"It's a cinch he can't afford oysters now."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

There seems to be a yellow streak in human nature that makes it always want to shift the responsibility.

HIGHER CREAM PRICES.
Write us to-day for particulars and tags.
MILTON DAIRY CO., St. Paul, Minn.

No man is worth much to society until he learns to make the most of himself.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.
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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

CARE OF THE LAWN.

Mow It Often Water It Well, Use a Good Commercial Fertilizer.

The oftener grass is mowed the better it will withstand dry weather. If it becomes necessary to apply water during July or August, do it thoroughly. A litttle wetting with the good for nothing lawn sprinkler is worse than none.

Enough water should be applied, says the Village, so that the ground below the sod becomes thoroughly soaked, thus attracting the roots downward. Do not use the lawn mower when the grass is wet.

Try using a commercial fertilizer on the lawn at intervals during the summer. The result will surprise you. All fertilizer manufacturers make a lawn fertilizer that is much more efficacious than stable manure, more cleanly and sanitary.

If old, well rotted manure could be applied very thick and allowed to remain, some good might be accomplished, but the usual custom is to spread a thin coat, leave it a few weeks and then rake it off. It might about as well not be used at all.

The commercial fertilizer is much better in every way. By its use an old, worn out lawn may be rejuvenated. Any fertilizer dealer who knows his business is able to give full information about its cost and use.

If you have a thin, weedy spot in your lawn scratch it and sow grass seed very thick. If at first you don't succeed in getting turf try again. Thick grass will drive out the weeds in time.

PUTS THE "GINGER" IN.

The Kind of Food Used by Athletes.

A former college athlete, one of the long distance runners, began to lose his power of endurance. His experience with a change in food is interesting.

"While I was in training on the track athletic team, my daily 'jogs' became a task, until after I was put on Grape-Nuts food for two meals a day. After using the Food for two weeks I felt like a new man. My digestion was perfect, nerves steady and I was full of energy.

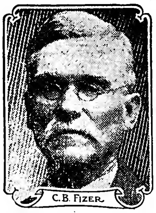
"I trained for the mile and the half mile runs (those events which require so much endurance) and then the long daily 'jogs,' which before had been such a task, were clipped off with ease. I won both events.

"The Grape-Nuts food put me in perfect condition and gave me my 'ginger.' Not only was my physical condition made perfect, and my weight increased, but my mind was made clear and vigorous so that I could get out my studies in about half the time formerly required. Now most all of the University men use Grape-Nuts for they have learned its value, but I think my testimony will not be amiss and may perhaps help some one to learn how the best results can be obtained."

There's a reason for the effect of Grape-Nuts food on the human body and brain. The certain elements in wheat and barley are selected with special reference to their power for rebuilding the brain and nerve centres. The product is then carefully and scientifically prepared so as to make it easy of digestion. The physical and mental results are so apparent after two or three week's use as to produce a profound impression. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason."

KIDNEY TROUBLE

Suffered Two Years—Relieved In Three Months.



C.B. FIZER.

MR. C. B. FIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., writes:

"*I have suffered with kidney and other trouble for ten years past.*

"Last March I commenced using Peruna and continued for three months. I have not used it since, nor have I felt a pain.

"I believe that I am well and I therefore give my highest commendation to the curative qualities of Peruna."

Peruna For Kidney Trouble.

Mrs. Geo. H. Slnser, Grant, Ontario, Can., writes:

"I had not been well for about four years. *I had kidney trouble, and, in fact, felt badly nearly all the time.*

"This summer I got so very bad I thought I would try Peruna, so I wrote to you and began at once to take Peruna and Manalin.

"I took only two bottles of Peruna and one of Manalin, and now I feel better than I have for some time.

"I feel that Peruna and Manalin cured me and made a different woman of me altogether. I bless the day I picked up the little book and read of your Peruna."

It is the business of the kidneys to remove from the blood all poisonous materials. They must be active all the time, else the system suffers. There are times when they need a little assistance.

Peruna is exactly the sort of a remedy. It has saved many people from disaster by rendering the kidneys service at a time when they were not able to bear their own burdens.

One of Them.

Laxman—Oh, brace up! What are you worrying about?

Markley—Money.

Laxman—Oh, forget it. I never let my creditors bother me.

Markley—It's just fellows like you that make me worry. I'm worrying about my debtors.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF ECZEMA.

Terrible Itching Prevented Sleep—Hands, Arms and Legs Affected—Cuticura Cured in 6 Days.

"I had eczema nearly fifteen years. The affected parts were my hands, arms and legs. They were the worst in the winter time, and were always itchy, and I could not keep from scratching them. I had to keep both hands bandaged all the time, and at night I would have to scratch through the bandages as the itching was so severe, and at times I would have to tear everything off my hands to scratch the skin. I could not rest or sleep. I had several physicians treat me but they could not give me a permanent cure nor even could they stop the itching. After using the Cuticura Soap, one box of Cuticura Ointment and two bottles of Cuticura Resolvent for about six days the itching had ceased, and now the sores have disappeared, and I never felt better in my life than I do now. Edward Worell, Band 30th U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska."

In Society.

"I made my money honestly."

"But, pa, we could easily live that down if you would only stop telling everybody."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

Knew What Was Coming.

Mrs. Boofer (meditatively, over her book)—How true this is!

Mr. Boofer (bracing himself)—Well, Maria, don't keep me in suspense. What is it about us men?

Every man possesses something that some other man envies.

"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA

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No matter how good your credit may be, your cash is better.

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature

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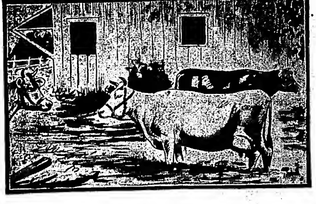
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

INSPECTION OF DAIRIES

BY ED. H. WEBSTER, M.S. CHIEF DAIRY DIVISION U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.



A systematic sanitary inspection of dairy farms and milk distributing depots cannot be too strongly recommended. Recent investigations in various parts of the country have conclusively shown that the conditions on many of the farms and at many milk depots are anything but ideal; they are, in fact, about as bad as it is possible to conceive. Stables are poorly lighted, many having no windows whatever, and ventilation is not provided for. Little attention is paid to floors, ceilings, walls or stable yards. Swine, horses and poultry are often found in the same barn with the cows. Manure is not removed, or, when removed, is thrown through an opening in the wall or just outside the door, frequently near the milk room. The necessary appliances for sterilizing and cooling in the milk room are often lacking, making it impossible to properly wash and sterilize pails, cans, bottles, and other appliances, or to properly cool and hold at a low temperature the milk before delivery.

Milk dealers as a rule have more regard for sanitation and have better appliances than are to be found on the average farm, but some common practices are deplorable. Very few dealers have appliances for sterilizing bottles. Drivers not infrequently bottle milk on the wagon, using bottles that have come from some household and have not been sterilized. Wagons and appliances are not kept in as sanitary condition as should be required. A number of dealers do not separate business from home operations. Help of unknown origin and doubtful habits is employed and is a constant menace to purity of milk. Up to April 5 of the present year a careful examination had been made, under the supervision of the department of agriculture, of 727 dairies supplying milk to the District of Columbia. This examination took into account only the sanitary condition of the farms and did not include the health of the animals nor an examination of the water supply, except as these points would be revealed by observation on the premises at the time of the inspection. The average rating of these 727 dairies, on the basis of 100 as perfect, was 45.1 per cent. Thirty-three were above 75 per cent., 278 between 50 and 75 per cent., and 407 scored less than 50 per cent. The tuberculin test had been applied to but four of the herds, though many proprietors stated that the test would be applied in the near future. With tested herds and a pure water supply assured, this showing would be deplorable, but under existing conditions of probable water contaminations and but four out of 727 herds tuberculin tested, what shall be said?

A similar study has been made of conditions in the city, and the situation there is not nearly so bad as in the country. Seventy-three depots were examined, of which 45 were rated above 75 per cent. and 27 between 57.5 and 75 per cent.

The situation in Washington is not different from that confronting the health departments of most of the cities of any size throughout the country. The public is gradually awakening to the fact that these conditions must be changed.

The following are suggested as ideal conditions, which might be used as a basis for rules and regulations:

The Cows.

1. Have the herd examined frequently by a skilled veterinarian. Promptly remove any animals suspected of being in bad health. Never add an animal to the herd until certain it is free from disease, especially tuberculosis.

2. Never allow a cow to be excited by hard driving, abuse, loud talking, or unnecessary disturbance; do not unduly expose her to cold or storms.

3. Clean the entire body of the cow daily. Hair in the region of the udder should be kept short. Wipe the udder and surrounding parts with a clean, damp cloth before milking.

4. Do not allow any strong-flavored feed, such as garlic, cabbage or turnips, to be eaten except immediately after milking.

5. Salt should always be accessible.

6. Radical changes in feed should be made gradually.

7. Have fresh, pure water in abundance, easy of access, and not too cold.

The Stables.

8. Dairy cattle should be kept in a stable where no other animals are housed, preferably, without cellar or storage loft. Stable should be light (four square feet of glass per cow) and dry, with 500 cubic feet of air to each animal. It should have air inlets and outlets, so arranged as to give good ventilation without drafts of air on cows. The presence of flies may be reduced by darkening the stable and removing the manure as directed below:

9. Floor walls and ceilings of the stable should be tight, walls and ceilings being kept free of cobwebs and whitewashed twice a year. There should be as few dust-catching ledges and projections as possible.

10. Allow no musty or dirty litter or strong-smelling material in the stable. Store manure under cover at least 40 feet from the stable in a dark place. Use land plaster daily in gutter and on floor.

Milk House.

11. Cans should not remain in the stable while being filled. Remove the milk of each cow at once from the stable to a clean room; strain immediately through cotton flannel or absorbent cotton; cool to 50 degrees Fahrenheit, or lower. All milk houses should be screened.

12. Milk utensils should be made of metal, with all joints smoothly soldered, or, when possible, should be made of stamped metal. Never allow utensils to become rusty or rough inside. Use milk utensils for nothing but handling, storing or delivering milk.

13. To clean dairy utensils use pure water only. First rinse the utensils in warm water; then wash inside and out in hot water in which a cleansing material has been dissolved; rinse again; sterilize with boiling water or steam; then keep inverted in pure air that may have ready access, and sun if possible, until ready for use.

Milking and Handling of Milk.

14. The milker should wash his hands immediately before milking and should milk with dry hands. He should wear a clean outer garment, which should be kept in a clean place when not in use. Tobacco should not be used while milking.

15. In milking be quiet, quick, clean and thorough. Commence milking at the same hour every morning and evening, and milk the cows in the same order.

16. If any part of the milk is bloody, stringy, or unnatural in appearance, or if by accident dirt gets into the milk pail, the whole mess should be rejected.

17. Weigh and record the milk of each cow.

18. Never mix warm milk with that which has been cooled, and do not allow milk to freeze.

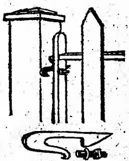
19. Feed no dry dusty feed just previous to milking.

20. Persons suffering from any disease, or who have been exposed to a contagious disease, must remain away from the cows and milk.

21. It is needless to say that the shorter the time between the production of milk and its delivery, and between delivery and use, the better will be the quality of the milk.

A GOOD GATE LATCH

The tidy farmer never likes to see his farm gates swinging, as they are sure to loosen and sag the gate posts by slamming back and forth in the wind, and are apt to be run into and broken by wagons in the dark. One that will hook itself when the gate is pushed to is the best as it is more likely to be heeded by the hired help than one which he must stop and fumble with. The above cut shows an ingenious and reliable latch for this purpose. The latch is made of iron and is so arranged that it will hook and hold the gate as soon as it is closed.



Details of Gate Latch.

CUT OUT THE WORD LUCK.

Give Expert Sportsman Credit for Rich Hauls.

Speaking of fishing, "fishermen's luck," "lucky fishermen," etc., says the Miami (Fla.) Record, what does it all mean, anyhow?

To say a man is a lucky fisherman is merely to admit his superiority as a fisherman over other fishermen. The fish are in the water; we all have the same chance to get them, yet some "lucky fishermen" always come home with their fish boxes full and the other fellow gets nothing. In the parlance of the fisherman, the word "luck" really means "knowledge."

The "lucky fisherman" you will find, knows the rock holes where the grouper lurks; he knows the channels in and about the patches and passes where the amberjacks and barracuda live; he knows how to bait his hooks for different fish as occasion may require; he knows the style of hook to use for every kind of fish; he is a judge of what style of fishing to do under certain conditions of wind and weather and, above all, he is untiring in his efforts to use all of his knowledge when he is out for fish.

Last year when Gen. Shettue broke the world's record for catching a large number of tarpon in a few hours, other fishermen said he is "so lucky."

It is surely a peculiar coincidence how "luck" still sticks to the general. He just can not shake it off; it sticks to him like paper on the wall. All this season the Buckeye, the general's natty little yacht, has always returned from her day's pleasure fishing trips with her fish box full; on days, too, when others were wondering why the fish would not strike. The general is fond of outdoor exercise, and of late has been taking a couple of hours' run up the bay and back and, incidentally, catching a tarpon or two on each trip. Just because he is "lucky" and needs the exercise, and about the easiest way for some people to get regular exercise is to catch a tarpon every day. To do this one must be "lucky."

HE DEMONSTRATED.

Baggageman Showed What Would Happen to Gripsack.

The baggage handlers on the railroads are justly called "baggage smashers." In Washington one day a distinguished French visitor to this country pointed out to one of these men a rather frail gripsack.

"Is that strong enough," he asked, "to go in the baggage car?"

"I'll see," said the man. He lifted the grip high above his head and threw it on the platform with all his might.

"That," he said, "is what she'll get in Philadelphia."

He took it up again and banged it against the side of a car four or five times.

"That is what she'll get in Chicago," he went on.

He tossed it high in the air, and on its descent jumped on it. This broke the lock open, so that the contents were scattered over the platform.

"And that's what she'll get in Sioux City," he concluded.

"You'd better take her in the Pullman with you, boss," he added, graciously, "if you're going farther than Sioux City."

Costly Walls of Panama.

When the Spaniards built the city of Panama to be the great port of their Pacific commerce they put around it walls which they expected to save them from raiders of all sorts. Although these walls were built by natives forced to work almost for nothing, they cost, says Mr. Forbes-Lindsey, not less than $11,000,000.

The king of Spain, the story goes, looked wearily and long one day out of the westerly windows of his palace. One of his ministers inquired the reason for his apparent anxiety.

"I am looking," said the king, "for those costly walls of Panama. They ought to be visible even at this distance."

The Motto's Inspirations.

The proprietor of a large business house bought a number of signs reading "Do It Now" and had them hung around the office, hoping to inspire his people with promptness and energy in their work. In his private office one day soon afterward a friend asked him how the scheme affected the staff.

"Well, not just the way I thought it would," answered the proprietor. "The cashier skipped with $15,000, the head bookkeeper eloped with the private secretary, three clerks asked for an increase in salary and the office boy ran away to become a highwayman."

The Toughest Wood.

What is believed to be the toughest wood in the world has been found recently in Southwestern Australia. Until these late tests were made the yate tree was considered of no great value, but since it has been discovered that the wood is about as strong as cast iron, some of it even equaling wrought iron in strength, the price promises to soar.

Raid on Door Knockers.

An extraordinary raid has been made upon 130 houses at Sands End, Fulham.

Not a knocker is left upon the door of any of these premises. The tenants wondered why the milkman and the postman did not knock, as usual, and then discovered that in the early hours the knockers had been ripped off.

Thirteen streets were visited by the gang responsible for the outrage, and in one road on one side every door has lost its knocker.

TUMORS CONQUERED

Overwhelming Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds.

One of the greatest triumphs of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the conquering of woman's dread enemy, Tumor.

The growth of a tumor is so insidious that frequently its presence is wholly unsuspected until it is well advanced.

So called "wandering pains" may come from its early stages or the presence of danger may be made manifest by excessive monthly periods accompanied by unusual pain, from the abdomen through the groin and thigh.

If you have mysterious pains, if there are indications of inflammation or displacements, secure a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, right away and begin its use.

The following letters should convince every suffering woman of its virtue, and that it actually does conquer tumors.

Mrs. May Fry, of 836 W. Colfax Ave., South Bend, Ind., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I take great pleasure in writing to thank you for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I also took the Blood Purifier in alternate doses with the Compound. Your medicine removed a cyst tumor of four years' growth, which three of the best physicians declared I had. They had said that only an operation could help me. I am very thankful that I followed a friend's advice and took your medicine. It has made me a strong and well woman and I shall recommend it as long as I live."

Mrs. E. F. Hayes, of 26 Ruggles St., Boston, Mass., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I have been under different doctors' treatment for a long time without relief. They told me I had a fibroid tumor, my abdomen was swollen and I suffered with great pain. I wrote to you for advice, you replied and I followed your directions carefully and today I am a well woman. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound expelled the tumor and strengthened my whole system."

Mrs. Perry Byers, of Mt. Pleasant, Iowa, writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I was told by my physician that I had a fibroid tumor and that I would have to be operated upon, I wrote to you for advice, which I followed carefully and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am not only cured of the tumor but other female troubles and can do all my own work after eight years of suffering."

Mrs. S. J. Barber, of Scott, N. Y. writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"Sometime ago I wrote you for advice about a tumor which the doctors thought would have to be removed. Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to-day am a well woman."

Mrs. M. M. Funk, Vandergrift, Pa., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I had a tumor and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound removed it for me after two doctors had given me up. I was sick four years before I began to take the Compound. I now recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound far and near."

Such testimony as above is convincing evidence that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound stands without a peer as a remedy for Tumor Growths as well as other distressing ills of women, and such symptoms as Bearing-down Sensations, Displacements, Irregularities and Backache, etc. Women should remember that it is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that is curing so many women. Don't forget to insist upon it when some druggist asks you to accept something else which he calls "just as good."

Mrs. Pinkham's Invitation to Women.

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass., for advice. She is the Mrs. Pinkham who has been advising sick women free of charge for more than twenty years, and before that she assisted her mother-in-law, Lydia E. Pinkham in advising. Thus she is especially well qualified to guide sick women back to health.

A Sure Thing.

"I hear that Todd has bought an auto."

"Yes; the doctor advised him to walk five miles every day."

SHIP CATTLE, HOGS AND SHEEP.

Highest market price gauranteed.

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South St. Paul, Minnesota.

The safety of a little religion lies in the fact that if it is real it will take root and grow.

SHIP YOUR CREAM

to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn. Write to-day for tags and prices.

It is no use praying to the Father in heaven when you are breaking up families on earth.

WE PAY TOP PRICES FOR CREAM.

Cash every day. Write for prices and tags.

MILLER & HOLMES. St. Paul, Minn.

When a woman has a train of thought it is apt to be an unlimited express.

GET A BUSINESS EDUCATION.

Learn shorthand, bookkeeping, telegraphy

Capitol City Commercial College, St. Paul.

The easier it is to pump a man the less information you get out of him is worth.

GUNS, TRAPS, DECOYS, ETC.

Lowest prices. Write for free catalog No. 1

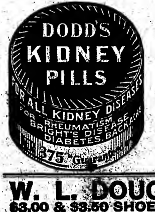
N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn

When you hear anything that is too good to be true it is time to stand from under.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.

For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

Keep you eye on all small opportunities. They sometimes grow.



There is nothing better than a good woman and nothing worse than a bad one.

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Axle Grease

takes miles off the road, and weight from the load. Helps the team and pays the teamster. Practically destroys friction. Saves half the wear that comes from jolting over rough roads, and lengthens the life of a heavy vehicle more than any other one thing. Ask the dealer for Mica Axle Grease.

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CAUTION! The genuine have W. L. Douglas name and price stamped on bottom. Take No Substitute. Ask your dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you, send direct to factory. Shoes sent everywhere by mail. Catalog free. W. L. Douglas, Brockton, Mass.

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There's Exceptional Style in this "Yale" Suit for Young Men

IT'S another of the Ederheimer-Stein garments we've selected to demonstrate in every sale we make that this is, in fact, a superior clothing store.

¶ The Yale is the smartest Young Man's style—striking in the weave and rich colors of the fabrics—combines good taste, service, satisfaction—lends the air of true refinement—is fashionable without being fancy.

¶ The young fellow who exercises common sense and good judgment in the selection of this style, *cannot* be commonplace. It's a suit for college men or any others who are particular. Let us show it to you.

Superior tailoring reaches its climax in the Yale. Each garment is made separately by skillful hand needlework throughout. Trimmings and fabrics all match. Every operation of the tailor contributes to make it distinctive, individual.

THE "YALE".—Coat is long and full chested; cuffs on sleeves; open seams down back of coat and sides of trousers. Trousers full at waist. Sizes 30 to 38. Prices $18 to $35.

The Big Store

Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

S'MORE LOCAL.

Market day next Wednesday.

Ed. Bray was a Crookston visitor Monday night.

F. F. Freund visited at Crookston last Friday.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

Take your dinner with the Juniors next Wednesday.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

Junior dinner and lunch on Market day, Wednesday, Oct. 9.

J. K. Wood was here from Thief River Falls over Monday night.

County Superintendent McAnulty was a caller on the north line Tuesday.

One new Belle City thresher, 32 inch cylinder at a bargain.—Jos. Helm.

Mrs. P. E. Pirath visited over Sunday with her daughter at St. Hilaire.

A few gang and sulky plows to sell at less than wholesale cost today—Jos. Holm.

Dr. F. F. Fletcher was over from Grand Forks and spent Sunday with his parents here.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

I have a few thresher belts, cotton and rubber, left which I will sell at bargain prices—Jos. Helm.

The pain in ma's head has gone,
She's happy as can be,
Her head is right, her temper bright
Since taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea at night.—A. L. Reichert.

Diner—Waiter, bring me a cutlet, and also a big bone for my dog. I will pay extra for that.

Waiter—Yes, sir.

Diner (when the cutlet arrives)—Where is the bone for the dog?

Waiter—In the cutlet, sir.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

To the Legal Voters of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition is on file in my office, signed by legal voters of said County to the number of Two Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Two, praying that the county seat of said county of Red Lake be changed to the city of Thief River Falls in said county, and that a special meeting of the county board will be held at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, Minnesota on the 19th day of October, A. D., 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to consider said petition at which time and place any legal voter of said county may appear, in person, or by counsel, and be heard.

Dated October 1st, A. D., 1907.

JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
County Auditor, Red Lake County, Minnesota.

EASY TO MIX IT.

Prepare It At home By Shaking Ingredients Well In a Bottle.

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, as formulated by a noted authority, who claims that he has found a positive remedy to cure almost any case of headach or kidney or bladder derangement, if taken before the stage of Bright's Disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Sarsaparilla, three ounces Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here at home when asked regarding this prescription stated that the ingredients are all harmless and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or mixture would be put up if asked to do so, He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic purposes with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and headache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sicknesses and suffering, Those of our readers who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold remedy and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter's drug store, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }

The State of Minnesota to Francesco Coradi, defendant.

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county, on the 5th day of November, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, to answer to the complaint of Wm. H. Krueger, in a civil action, wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of twenty and 50-100 dollars, ($20.50.)

Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid, judgment will be rendered against you, upon the evidence adduced by said Wm. H. Krueger, for such sum as he shall show himself entitled to.

Given under my hand this first day of October, A. D., 1907.

A. P. TOUPIN.
Justice of the Peace.

Consumption is less deadly than it used to be. Certain relief and usually complete recovery will result from the following treatment:

Hope, rest, fresh air, and—*Scott's Emulsion.*

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND $1.00.

An Omen.

"Did your sister know I was coming?"

"Well, she broke her lookin' glass, and somethin' was bound to happen."—Philadelphia Press.

To Be Sure.

Old Lady—Are you traveling for the good of your health?

Defaulting Bankrupt—Rather!—Illustrated Bits.

In the Barnyard.

Matterfamilias—Great Scott! Two more mouths to feed!—Harper's Weekly.

Consolation.

Kind Hearted Motorist (to victim)—There's a doctor in that car behind.—Browning's Magazine.

A Safeguard.

First Beggar—What's that paper you've got?

Second Beggar—List of places where there's a lack of workmen.

First Beggar—You crazy? We won't go near such places!

Second Beggar—Chump! That's why I got it!—Fliegende Blatter.

Airy Criticism!

Bill (watching the traffic below)—Risky things, them there motors.—Sketch.

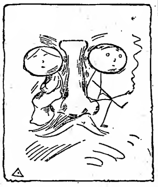
Position With Marshall Oil Co.

Miss Nellie Lien, who went to Fargo to take shorthand last fall, has completed her course at the Dakota Business College and has been placed by the school as stenographer for the Marshall Oil Co. of that city. The Fargo papers are full of praise of the work which this school is doing for young people who want to engage in business pursuits—about 350 of its pupils got places in business offices last year.

New Duties For the Police.

The aerial police at work—a vision of the near future.—Sketch.

Can't Always Tell.



She—I thought you said nothing would ever come between us?

He—Well, you can't tell what may happen on a pinch.—Optical Review.

Business Cards.

CHAS. E. BOUGHTON,
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Oldest established lawyer in the city. Collections, real estate, loans and insurance. City Attorney.
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RED LAKE FALLS, MINN.

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Attorneys
Law, Loans, Collections, Insurance
Office over Red Lake Falls Bank, Red Lake Falls.

Churches.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8 and 10 a. m.—Very Rev. E. Fayoffe, pastor.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8. and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ambrose, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Knox, Pastor.

Secret Societies

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall. Visitors are always welcome.—Fred Zaiser N.G. Dr. J. E. Argue, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S. James E. Ford, F.S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—E. G. Buse, C. C.; P. B. Gaass, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kanfer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN—Meets every Wednesday at M. W. A. hall.

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Sweet, Pure and Wholesome

"IT'S ALL THE WHEAT That's fit to Eat"

Always Uniform
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Doesn't This Weather Make You Think of an Overcoat? Yours is here.

Our array is magnificent—a superb line of Kuppenheimer's and Ederheimer Stein's swellest creation at

$10.00
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A little less stylish but a little more cloth for the money. You can surely be suited here.

Gordon Fur Lined Coats

at $25.00 to $100.00. Nothing like a Gordon coat for fit and quality. Gordon Sheep lined Corduroys $5.00 to $18.00. We can show you half a dozen points of superiority over others in these coats. Higher, longer collars, knit armlets, longer, better faced, etc. Don't buy until you see a Gordon.

Palmer Cloaks

From the looks of things and judging from the sales we are making the Palmer cloak is again going to lead. One thing is evident, the particular people admire and buy the Palmer. There is something about the fit of them you can't see in others. Fur collared long coats $12.00 to $27.50. All cloth long coats $6.00 to $15.00.

Grocery Specials

KKK Norway herring 10c, fancy pink salmon 10c lb, 5 lb jelly 20c, 3 cans plums for 50c, macaroni 10 lb box 60c, force 10c, mince meat 9c.

Market day was a grand success. For those who couldn't come on that day, we will hold open for a week all our bargains in skirts, suits, shawls, dress goods, towels, sweaters and other things. Watch for next Market day. Remember it surely pays to trade at

THE BIG STORE

THEO. L'BISSCNIERE — RED LAKE FALLS

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BROOKS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Supernaut from Terrebonne visited with friends and relatives here over Sundays

Mr and Mrs. S. Demerack from North Yakima, Wash., came here for a visit last week. They formerly resided at Lambert at Lambert but moved to North Yakima three years ago and have prospered since and like that part of the country very well.

Mr. and Mrs W. B. Cheshire arrived home last Thursday and are now keeping house over Brooks Mercantile store.

Thos. Crompe of Red Lake Falls and Mrs. Sylvan Hall from Crookston visited at H. Preme a few hours last Sunday.

Felix Fournet of Crookston came here the other day on a combined business and pleasure trip. Hunting prairie chickens being a part of the fun.

Mrs. I. W. Orme passed through here on her way home from Lancaster where she has been visiting a couple of weeks.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council, held at the city hall, October 3, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called.

Aldermen present: Borchers, Crompe and Paul.

Aldermen absent: Hennemuth and Brady.

Minutes of two previous meetings were read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

Waterous Engine Works Co., for repairs	$12 50
Joseph Salley, for coal	43 75
Franz F. Freund, for labor on flag pole	1 50
A. P. Toupin, for insurance	85 40
John Deforge, for street work	19 80

The liquor bond of Latendresse Bros. was duly approved.

Application for transfer of liquor license from Joseph H. Paradis to Nap Pouliot was duly granted.

The following judges of election were duly appointed:

First ward—P. E. Pirath, D. W. Brown John Marleau.

Second ward—Eusebe Normandeau, J. P. Harren, Fred Krueger.

Third ward—J. C. Mathews, V. M. Higinbotham, J. W. Bourdon.

Voting places were designated as follows:

First ward—Schmitz hotel.
Second ward—city hall.
Third ward—Montreal hotel.

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Borchers, President.

Approved this 9th day of October, A. D. 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

Men's Clothes.

It is the most popular assumption that women care more about clothing than men do. Fashion has given women a much greater latitude in the matter of dress but men are often as particular as women in this matter. Men and women of particular taste agree that golden grain belt beer is a beneficial tonic and unsurpassed as a food tonic. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Judges of Election.

At the meeting of the city council last Thursday evening the following gentlemen were named as judges for the coming city election: First ward, P. E. Pirath, D. W. Brown, John Marleau; second ward, Eusebe Normandeau, J. P. Harren, Fred Krueger; third ward, J. C. Mathews, V. M. Higinbotham, J. W. Bourdon. The voting places will be: First ward, Schmitz's hotel; second ward, city hall; third ward, Montreal hotel.

Gang Plows!!

I have for sale second-hand gang plows, Flying Dutchmen, John Deere and Bradley XX-Ray. These plows are in first-class condition; will do as good work as new ones, and you can buy them for half their actual value. WM. FINDEISEN.

Diner—Waiter, bring me a cutlet, and also a big bone for my dog. I will pay extra for that.

Waiter—Yes, sir.

Diner (when the cutlet arrives)—Where is the bone for the dog?

Waiter—In the cutlet, sir.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

It makes you long for dinner time

CALUMET BAKING POWDER

Best for flaky pastry, wholesome bread and biscuit—best for crisp cookies—best for delicious cakes, toothsome muffins, doughnuts that will melt in your mouth.

Everything you make well, it will help to make better, because it's "best by test."

Anybody can cook well if they use Calumet Baking Powder. Failure with it is almost impossible.

It is chemically correct and makes Pure, Wholesome Food.

Price is Moderate

'LECTION DAY NEAR

City Officers Must Be Chosen Again on Tuesday, November 7th.

City election day comes this year on November 7—less than a month away, but so far there has been no announcement as to who was ready to get into the arena.

The various offices do not appear to be great magnets and it is the general feeling that good men will be found to take them.

No word is passed as to the candidate for mayoralty honors. Mayor Duffy has given good satisfaction in the office, but has at times expressed a desire to retire. Dr. Watson's friends are urging him to become a candidate, but as he has served long and faithfully in that capacity the genial doctor does not appear anxious for further political honors. There is no question but that the voters will see to it that a good man is chosen, as at this particular time there is need for harmony in getting the best man possible.

In the first ward it is said that J. J. Pedden will be a candidate for alderman. James Brady, the present alderman, has not given out whether or not he will be a candidate for re-election.

In the second ward there seems to be no desire to change, and it is likely that the old wheel-horse, Fred Barchers, who has served so long and faithfully, will be given the honors without opposition.

Simon Paul will probably be a candidate for re-election from the third ward. Mr. Paul is a good official and looks after the interests of his constituents in good shape.

The places of aldermen-at-large will probably be contested for by three or four candidates. H. Hennemuth and T. A. Crompe are the present incumbents, and it is not given out whether or not they will be up again.

Ovide Emard will undoubtedly be a candidate for re-election as city treasurer and there is no one offered to oppose him as yet.

The election in Red Lake Falls does not promise to develop any scrap whatsoever, as it has been the policy of our people to put good men in charge of the affairs and keep them there.

A Good Result.

Under the operation of the new Pure Food Laws, baking powders now generally bear on the labels a statement of the ingredients. This is of utmost importance because of the harmful ingredients used in many cases.

Royal Baking Powder is known to be the only baking powder made of Royal Grape Cream of Tartar, and this no doubt explains its greatly increased sale here.

Careful housekeepers are taking advantage of the protection which the Laws afford, and are examining all the reading matter on the back of the label before adopting any brand for use in the home.

When in place of the words Cream of Tartar the words "alum," "aluminum" or "phosphate of lime" appear among the ingredients, they heed the warning and avoid baking powders containing these substitutes.

Notice to the Public.

I have started up the Healy flour mill and am now prepared to furnish the famous "Gold Seal" fancy patent flour, and feed of all kinds on the shortest notice. Orders phoned to No. 87 will be given prompt attention. Farmers who desire to exchange wheat for flour will find it to their advantage to call on me. Will also always pay the highest cash price for wheat. Am prepared to do feed grinding every hour in the day. Give me a call.

Yours sincerely,
1-3 Leo. Steinert.

A Criminal Attack

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels. 25c at Schreiter's drug store.

PASTOR IS CALLED.

Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz Will Come to Red Lake Falls.

Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz, of Windom, has been tendered and accepted a call to the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Red Lake Falls, and will take up his work here about November 1.

Rev. Schwarz came here last August from Windom to escape the dreaded hay fever with which he is bothered every year, and while here he conducted services at the church for several Sundays. He was very favorably impressed with Red Lake Falls and her people, as well as they with him, and he was glad to accept a call to the work here.

Rev. Schwarz is a most excellent gentleman and conscientious worker, and THE GAZETTE takes pleasure in welcoming him to our city.

Young People Wed.

At St. Joseph's church in this Monday morning at 9 o'clock, the Rev. Father Feyolle pronounced the words that united for life Miss Alma Leitzke, of Tigerton, Wis., and John Verbancour, of Crookston. The ceremony was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends and was beautiful and impressive. Following the wedding ceremony a wedding breakfast was spread at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bray, at which members of the family to the number of twenty-five or more were present. In the evening at the Forester's hall a reception and dance was tendered the newly-married pair, and they were showered with congratulations and good wishes. They left Tuesday evening for their home at Crookston, and their many Red Lake Falls friends will trust that they may ever be successful and happy.

More Fish For Maple Lake.

Crookston Journal: Sam Fullerton, superintendent of the state Fish Hatcheries, accompanied by Major Handy of the St. Paul Pioneer Press arrived in the city Monday morning with 16 cans of fish croppies and black bass which were taken to Mentor, 10 cans being placed in Maple Lake and 6 cans in Twin Lake. This is the second consignment of fish for Maple Lake this fall, and it means that within a short time there is going to be as good fishing in the lakes around the valley as anywhere in the state. Mr. Fullerton also brought up 12 ring-necked pheasants which were placed in a timbered section near the Twin Lakes where the feeding is excellent and the cover fine. Game Warden Munch placed them and will keep an eye on them to see that they are protected. Any one who would kill these birds should be sent to the penitentiary, as if protected they will soon become one of the important birds of this section as they are very hardy and good breeders.

Tax Paying Time.

County Treasurer Tandberg requests THE GAZETTE to call the attention of readers to the fact the payment of the last half taxes for 1906 must be made prior to Nov. 1, at which time penalty attaches for delinquency. The penalty amounts to 10 per cent.

The tax for the first half became due on June 1st and quite a number of property owners throughout the county allowed themselves to become delinquent. By paying the tax in early October the work of the treasurer and his assistants will be considerably lightened. The last week in November is always marked by a great rush in the office of the treasurer.

For Sale Quick.

Two iron beds with springs and mattresses; 1 oak dresser; 1 good refrigerator; 1 new three-hole gasoline stove, with oven; ten-foot round extension table, oak; two good rocking chairs; one mahogany corner chair and numerous other articles. For particulars call at the GAZETTE office.

For Sale.

New Bucher & Gibbs riding gang plow, 12 inch; will sell for $45, worth $75. Plow guaranteed in every particular. WM. FINDEISEN.

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WAS A BIG SUCCESS

Market Day Was Well Attended and Everybody Had a Good Time.

Wednesday was the first Market Day of the season in Red Lake Falls and while the weather was favorable for the farmers to work and the people expected to see a slim crowd, contrary to expectations there was a big turn out of farmers and the merchants and business people were well satisfied with the results.

Owing to a misunderstanding the sport part of the program was not carried out, but aside from this everything was done to show the visitors a good time. At noon the Red Lake Falls band gave a concert, which was listened to and appreciated by all the visitors.

The various contests at the stores attracted a great deal of attention, and all day the stores were thronged with people anxious to take advantage of the many bargains offered.

The following is a list of the prize winners:

The Big Store—Geo. Luxemburger, for the greatest amount of butter and eggs, fine lamp. Hamer Laurent, prize for largest amount purchased.

H. W. Anderson—Sam Miller, for the largest ear of corn, $3 in trade. Ear of corn measured 59 and a fraction cubic inches. Several other fine exhibits were left there, but Miller's was the largest.

Groshong & Blake—Mrs George Orr and Norman Gervais tied in guessing nearest to the concealed number. Both guessed 60 and the number was 59. As to how the winner will be determined later, when the prize will be awarded.

At the First State Bank, X. Sauve guessed nearest to the number of pennies in the glass can. He guessed 525 and there 530 pennies in the glass. Mr. Sauve was given the fine mantel clock.

At the Merchants State Bank W. C. L. Demann won the prize of a $5 certificate of deposit for the nearest guess as to the amount of time deposits in the bank on that day. Mr. Demann guessed $104,050, and the correct figures were $105,882.24.

Ole Brustad, of Plummer, won the prize of a pair of shoes for the biggest bill of goods bought at Garceau & Zaiser's.

G. A. Kankel's "Flyer" washing machine for the biggest potato was won by Sam Miller, his potato weighing three pounds and seven ounces. The two next largest were those brought by Mrs. Rose, three and one fourth pounds, and Matt Steele, three pounds and three ounces. There were twenty-five contestants for the prize, and the crowd thronged this store all day.

The prize at the Hunt Hardware company was contested for by several couples, but as yet the winner is not announced.

Market Day was a success in every way and the business people will get together and keep the thing moving in good shape from now on, making these days regular affairs.

Autumn Styles in

Stationery

For polite correspondence there should be no more slighting of the tone and correctness of a lady's stationery than of her clothing, or hat, or shoes.

Styles in paper vary with the year, what was in style last year seems out of place today. Everybody likes to receive a letter on new style grade.

We have correct stationery here—correct for every one and occasion and correct in price boxes or bulk; many grades.

W. A. SCHREITER

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

Capt. John E. Pillsbury of the navy has been designated by Secretary Metcalf as a member of the general board, of which Admiral Dewey is president. He is to take the place made vacant by the assignment of Capt. J. B. Murdock to command the Rhode Island.

Gen. Frederick D. Grant has ordered all field officers in the Department of the East above the rank of captain to report in service uniform at some one of three places, on given dates, to undergo the "horsemanship test" recommended by President Roosevelt in his much-commented-upon letter of May 13 to Secretary Taft.

Personal.

James J. Javelle, manager of the Rock (Ill.) Argus, died of a complication of diseases.

Col. Charles Euker, commandant of Lee Camp soldiers' home, at Richmond, Va., is dead.

Bill Macenee, the oldest sailor in the United States navy, celebrated his 104th birthday at the United States naval home at Philadelphia.

Theodore Waldron Downs, former United States consul at Quebec and prominent in national Democratic politics, died at his home in Bridgeport, Conn.

William S. Bayly, for ten years chief clerk of the United States pension bureau, a close friend of the late President McKinley, died in Washington.

Gen. Cecil Clay, general agent of the department of justice, died suddenly in Washington. Gen. Clay was sixty-five years old and a native of Philadelphia.

T. C. Patterson, postmaster of Toronto, died of pneumonia, aged seventy-one years. For years Mr. Patterson was the editor of the Daily Mail, which he founded.

Foreign.

The Geological Society of London has just celebrated its centennial anniversary.

The estate near Tchurnigov, Russia, belonging to Princess Dolgoroukova has been pillaged and burned by armed bandits, who carried off all the valuables.

The newspapers of Lyon, France, announce that a local inventor has discovered a method of transmitting electrical energy long distances by wireless telegraphy.

The armored cruiser Edgar d'Quinet, of 16,780 tons and 30,000 indicated horsepower, giving her an estimated speed of twenty-three knots, was successfully launched at Brest.

Official figures show that France will reap bountiful harvests this year. The wheat yield will be 130,377,000 hectoliters, against 114,501,000 last year; rye will yield 20,642,000, against 17,771,000.

Over 177,000 British and Irish emigrants went to the United States and Canada during the last year, according to a London board of trade return. The total is greater than that of any year since 1887.

The strike of the dock laborers at Antwerp, which has been going on since last June, has come to an end with a sweeping victory for the Federation of Ship Owners. The men decided to return to work unconditionally.

The sultan of Turkey has ordered the exemption of the import duty on wheat. This step is in accordance with the recommendations made by a commission which has been studying the best means of supplying the capital with the necessaries of life.

The municipality of Berlin is negotiating the purchase of a huge forest in the Sprea district, east of the city, from the state forestry board. The purchase price is $10,000,000. The purpose of the acquisition is to establish a new municipal waterworks and make it the people's park.

Crimes.

Fire at Attice, N. Y., destroyed the Wesley planing mills and lumber yards and the West Avenue flour mills. Loss, $150,000.

Mose Dossett, a negro, was lynched at Pritchard Station, Ala., for an attempted assault upon Mrs. J. Breedar, a white woman, ninety years old.

Oscar Kondert, formerly cashier of the First National bank at Baton Rouge, La., is missing. United States officers are searching for him with a warrant, charging him with a defalcation of $60,000.

In a desperate fight for freedom William E. Burch of Glendale, Ohio, a federal prisoner en route to Cincinnati, in custody of Deputy Marshal Sanderson, plunged head foremost from a fast-flying train near Dayton. His neck was broken and death was instantaneous.

District Attorney Covell applied in the United States district court at Grand Rapids, Mich., for a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Private Cyrus Gillett, United States army, charged at Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., with manslaughter after being acquitted by a military court-martial.

Rev. Benjamin F. Craff, a deposed minister, was arrested in Michigan and taken to Peoria, Ill., to answer to a charge of working an alleged confidence game.

For stealing a kiss from pretty Irene Hess, aged sixteen, Earl Stratton of Odebolt, Iowa, narrowly escaped a mobbing. He was later sent up for thirty days for assault and battery.

C. Parish of Wabash, Ind., who was colonel of the One Hundred and Third volunteers in the Civil war and who was brevetted brigadier general f valiant services at the battle of Nashville, committed suicide at Cleveland.

Mrs. Al G. Bedford of Jersey City, N. J., attempted to kill her daughter and herself at a hotel in Findlay, Ohio. Both were unconscious when found, but it is expected they will recover. Jealousy is alleged to have been the motive.

Unable to overcome their grief over the death of their nineteen-year-old son a year ago, Mr. and Mrs. Meurics Remi, a middle-aged couple who were deeply devoted to each other, ended their lives together in their home in New York.

The jury in the case of Porter and Reed Jones, charged with the murder of Robert F. Adams, brought in a verdict of guilty, with a recommendation to mercy, at Eaton, Ga. Judge Lewis sentenced both boys to life imprisonment. The prisoners displayed no emotion. The murder was the result of a family feud.

In a race riot at Hartshorne, I. T., at a street fair one young white man named Johnson was killed instantly by a negro and a young negro from Ishomingo, an innocent bystander, was killed by a white man. The fight lasted for some time and it seemed that the whites were getting the best of it when a negro walked up to young Johnson, placed a revolver at his breast and shot him through the body.

Accidental Happenings.

Five men were injured, some of them seriously, by the explosion of a boiler of a thrashing machine near Roland, Minn.

James Gaston of Detroit, a sailor on the steamer George Stone, was lost overboard during Saturday's storm on Lake Superior.

Fire originating in the postoffice destroyed the business section of Russellville, Ill. Five stores and six residences are in ruins. Loss, $25,000.

Hotel Amersant, at Saranac Lake, N. Y., was burned to the ground, entailing a loss of $270,000. The hotel had just been closed for the season.

While a ball game was being played at Dalhart, Tex., the grand stand, crowded with 1,000 spectators, collapsed. Fifteen persons were injured.

The big coal pockets of the Erie railroad at Hornell headquarters of the Susquehanna division were destroyed by fire, causing a loss of about $100,000.

A boiler exploded in the conservatories of George M. Kellogg, florist, near Pleasant Hill, Mo., partially destroying the plant and causing a loss of $75,000.

The old Watson elevator at the harbor entrance at Buffalo was burned. The elevator was built in 1859 and had not been in use for several years. Loss, $75,000.

Charles Rowland was killed while driving a team at Leon, Iowa. He fell beneath the wagon, the box falling upon him as the wagon by some means was overturned.

The home of James Dossatt of Oakland City, Ind., was burned to the ground and Dossett's two-months-old child perished in the flames. Dossett and his wife were carried from the flames badly burned and died later.

Stanley Weslisk, one of the prisoners who escaped from the county jail at Chicago, was recaptured near his home on Cottage Grove avenue. Weslisk put up a desperate fight and it required several officers to take him into custody.

General News Items.

The Chicago board of education has decided to admit adults, both foreign and American born, in the Chicago high schools.

Nearly all of the religions of Europe and America are represented at the International Congress of Religious Liberals at Boston.

Bankers from all sections of the country attended the annual meeting of the American Bankers' association at Atlantic City.

All the steamship lines running from Liverpool to the United States and Canada have now announced reductions in their first and second class fares.

Ald. Johnson of Des Moines has been permanently enjoined from selling liquors contrary to law in his drug store. Johnson opened two drug stores since he became alderman.

"Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt," a dahlia named after the president's wife, is attracting attention at the fair of the American institute in New York. It is a magnificent blossom of flame and color, five inches in diameter.

The first Henry George club has been started by Former President Ullman of the storthing, who for some years has been living quietly in the country as a sheriff. He has now begun a single tax movement and has succeeded in obtaining a considerable following in many districts.

New York Masons, long housed in an old-fashioned building at Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, are to have a new eighteen-story home, which is to cost $800,000. Technically it is to be an annex to the rear of the present structure, but it will be the real Masonic hall in Manhattan.

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Herman Jeuh of Minneapolis was given the contract for the erection of the new Catholic church in Frazee for the sum of $17,675.

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A freight wreck that piled fourteen cars of grain and lumber in the ditch beside the track occurred near Balaton. The cause of the accident has not been learned.

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Entombed in the burning Malta mine at Sparta, three men met death. The bodies of two of them — Joseph Mesink and John Malien, lumbermen —were recovered.

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The population of the state reformatory at St. Cloud is the smallest in years. There are just 243 prisoners at the state institution. In September, 1906, there were 300 inmates.

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Triplets, two girls and a boy, were born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Eddy of Howard Lake. They are strong, healthy children and weigh six, six and one-half and seven pounds.

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A deal was closed at Monticello whereby the Merchants hotel, one of the landmarks of Monticello, was disposed of. The hotel will be torn down and a handsome residence erected on the site.

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Charles Stewart of Deer Creek was shot through the arm while hunting. He was in a boat and attempted to pull a loaded gun toward him, the trigger catching and sending a charge directly through his arm.

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The little daughter of John Lightfoot of Fergus Falls was terribly burned by drawing a pan of frying meat from the stove. The child reached up, upset the dish and the scalding grease poured down over her face and arms, burning them terribly.

V. Gibson of Sartell was killed in an accident while digging a sewer at St. Cloud. Gibson was at work on the lower end of the sewer work and was about six feet beneath the surface when a cave-in occurred. His skull was crushed and he was injured internally.

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About $200 was stolen from the safe of Charles Waldeck in his meat market at Montivideo. The robber entered by way of the front door and unlocked the combination of the safe. No arrests have been made, but the robbery is doubtless the work of some one familiar with the premises.

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Carleton's large freshman class of 135 members has organized, with the following officers: President, Paul E. Shepard, Minneapolis; vice president, Miss Nellie C. Paige, Dawson; secretary, Lewis L. Leighton, Minneapolis; treasurer, Levi H. Day, Clinton Falls; sergeant-at-arms, M. C. Gilman, Truman.

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About two months ago Delos Beskman, aged fifteen years, was frightfully burned with gasoline at Delano, and in order to complete his recovery skin grafting has been resorted to. Volunteers among his schoolmates were called for, and fifteen responded. Among the volunteers were several girls.

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A man attempted to go through the Moorhead house. The landlady discovered him in a room and caught him by the coat. He jumped through the window and ran. The police located him near Fifth street, where he was hiding, and found some rings in the weeds, which he had stolen and thrown there.

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A farm hand, Fred Gates, was shot during a street fight at Campbell by a colored tramp. The men had an altercation over a poker game and meeting on the street afterward renewed the dispute, and finally the negro fired, hitting Gates in the neck. The negro was caught before he had got but a few miles away.

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Delegations of firemen from a number of the smaller towns of Southern Minnesota have organized a Southern Minnesota District Tournament association. The first meeting will occur at Wells next summer, at which time companies from different towns belonging to the association will compete for prizes for efficiency in handling fire fighting apparatus.

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Loggers now are preparing for their fall and winter work, and there are already a number of camps in operation in the vicinity of Blackduck. Lumbermen predict an unusually heavy cut during the approaching season. Their only fear is the scarcity of labor and subsequent exorbitant wages which last season was almost the cause of forcing a number of big logging firms to the wall.

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The confectionery store of John Rockvan was burglarized at Red Wing. Entrance was gained by prying open the rear door. A slot machine was smashed and $25 in change was stolen. It is believed to have been the work of boys.

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Plum Valley has only one woman and one young girl within its borders to represent the feminine portion of the world's population. Bachelors are numerous, but they seem to lack the push and energy to go away from home and bring back helpmeets.

The depot at Buffalo was burned to the ground. The cause of the fire is unknown.

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A meeting of the North Central Minnesota Teachers' association will be held at Cass Lake Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 and 2.

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A man giving his name as Nordholm was arrested at Osakis on the charge of burglarizing three saloons there.

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R. W. Pierce, while working in his field near Geneva, became overheated. He has since been very ill, but there are hopes of his recovery.

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Sheriff Parr has recovered at Red Wing the team of bay horses stolen from John Keenan of Winona. The officer is now in pursuit of the thief.

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Conductor C. Beek of the Rock Island road was arrested and fined for keeping a street crossing closed at Faribault for more than five minutes

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Agog Nelson, ten years old, a son of Jacob Nelson of Moorhead, was kicked by a horse which he was leading, and a gash four inches long was cut in his head.

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Andrew Jansen of Geneva in heating a large kettle of tar in the kitchen set fire to the house, which was destroyed, with its contents. The loss is about $2,500.

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A big mass meeting of the citizens and railroad men of Breckinridge was held there Sunday night as the first step toward erecting a $15,000 Y. M. C. A. building.

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Frank Sieber, a bartender of Breckenridge, filed a bankruptcy petition in the United States court at Fergus Falls, placing his liabilities at $829.90 and giving no assets.

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While Ed Gullickson's threshing crew was engaged in threshing on M. R. Haagenson's farm near Henning sparks from the engine set fire to and destroyed the barn, granary and a quantity of hay. The loss is $500.

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At its regular meeting the village council of Northome granted a franchise to E. E. Bingham of Minneapolis to construct, maintain and operate a complete electric light system within the limits of the village of Northome for a period of thirty years.

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Mayor J. J. Neary of Northome has tendered his resignation to the village council. Personal business matters rendering him unable to give the office of mayor the attention it required were Mr. Neary's reasons for resigning. His resignation was accepted.

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B. C. Crowell and a number of other Cormorant Lake men were in Moorhead recently in conference with W. R. Tucker, who is promoting an electric line between Fargo, Moorhead and Detroit. They offer to take stock to secure right of way and to help as much as possible to get the road.

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Harris Winberg, proprietor of the Enterprise clothing store, and his clerk are under arrest at Medella for attempted arson. The clerk, it is alleged, had agreed to set fire to the premises, but at the last moment his nerve failed him and he confessed. Both were bound over to the grand jury.

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At the regular meeting of the Bemidji city council the ordinance granting to Carl C. Gowran, A. A. Carter and George W. Teltsworth the privilege of constructing and maintaining a street railway within the limits of Bemidji for a period of twenty-five years was passed by unanimous vote of the council.

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While the members of the family were absent from their home temporarily a thief entered the farm house of W. C. Moses, near Caroline station, and secured $15 in money, various articles of jewelry and a set of silver plate. The theft was committed in broad daylight. The silver plate that he carried away was an heirloom in the Moses family and was very valuable.

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James Maolner, the eight-year-old son of a farmer at Little Canada, was taken to the city hospital in St. Paul with a part of his left cheek chewed off, as the result of an attack by a dog. The wounds were sewed by the physicians, who say the boy will recover unless blood poisoning or some other complication sets in. It is not certain whether the dog was affected with rabies.

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Fred Ware, president of Ware & Griffin's bank of Clark, S. D., was instantly killed in an automobile wreck just outside the village of St. Martin, near St. Cloud. He, with his family, was on the way to the Twin Cities when his automobile became unmanageable, ran into a ditch and turned over. The machine fell on Mr. Ware, breaking his neck. None of the others were injured.

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Deputy Sheriff Stadlien arrested Cap Shinmell of Lahin, a well known old settler, on a charge of assault preferred by August Peterson of the same town. He was taken to Moorhead, pleaded guilty and was fined $13.50.

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Alola Mauritz, a tailor, was found dead in his little shop in St. Paul. Death resulted from asphyxiation, a gas jet being found turned on in the room. No one is able to give any reason for his suicide, unless possibly financial reverses may have preyed upon his mind.

GOES OUT OF LIQUOR BUSINESS

SOUTH CAROLINA, AFTER FOURTEEN YEARS ABOLISHES SYSTEM OF STATE CONTROL.

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP IS IMPRACTICABLE

NOTHING GAINED BY RADICALISM —TEMPERANCE MUST BE TAUGHT BY APPEAL TO MANHOOD.

An Associated Press dispatch from Columbia, S. C., says: "The State of South Carolina is finally out of the liquor business. On the first of last February there was in the warehouse of this city about $700,000 worth of liquors belonging to the state. When at that time the legislature determined to abolish the system a commission was appointed to close up the business and the last has just been sold. So, after fourteen years, one month and fifteen days, the 'Palmetto' brand is no more.

"This was the first experiment of government ownership in South Carolina, and the fruits have been such that it is likely to be the last for many a year. Neither municipality nor state is likely to embark upon that sea while memory of the state dispensary lives as a 'terrible warning.'

"Advocates of the system promised that the dispensary profits would eliminate state taxes. That was an unrealized dream. The thing got into politics and stayed there; and the corruption was so appalling that the strenuous personal efforts of Senator Tillman could not stem the tide of revolt."

Thus has another illogical effort to solve the liquor problem come to a logical ending.

The St. Paul Trade Journal has consistently fought on the side of temperance and moderation, not alone on the liquor question, but on the other issues of national importance with which the people are contending. Nothing was ever gained by radicalism, and this is more true of the temperance question than of any other, because so many of our people contend that absolute prohibition is an unwarrantable interference with their constitutional given personal rights. While this same issue is not nearly so finally drawn in the attacks on capital that have marked the past two years in history, still thinking men are beginning to realize that, as a people, we are drifting dangerously close to the rocks of anarchistic socialism, and the more conservative and far-seeing of our reformers are beginning, wisely, to apply the brake to the rabid onslaughts of the unthinking and radically inclined of their followers.

But to return to the temperance question, which has been brought to our minds by the action of the South Carolina legislature in wholly doing away with the state dispensary plan. In spite of the advice of advanced thinkers in the ranks of prohibition workers, who asserted at the time that "state control of the liquor question would not control," there was great and widespread rejoicing when the radical prohibition wing in South Carolina secured the enactment, fourteen years ago, of the state dispensary plan. Advocates of the idea were enthusiastic and predicted that in a short time all the states of the Union would follow in the wake of South Carolina. What were the results? In an incredibly short space of time state control of liquor got into the hands of the politicians of the state and was made a means to the end of the election of cliques, and, finally, the system became so bad that even its most enthusiastic supporters were earnestly praying for its abolition and a return to the more orderly, privately conducted saloon.

Now, then, while on this subject of prohibition, it may be well to go into the matter still further. As we previously stated, the St. Paul Trade Journal has consistently advocated temperance, but we want to warn our friends with whom we are working on this great question to beware the danger of radicalism and its reactionary effects. We cannot achieve our object with a sledgehammer, neither can we legislate away a man's determination to get a drink. More flies are caught with sugar than with vinegar. In other words if we want to see a lessening of drunkenness amongst our people we must appeal more to the man himself and less to the laws.

In this connection Henry Watterson, the famous editor of the Courier-Journal of Louisville, Ky., in an address last month at Lexington, Ky., where the state fair was being held, said, in part: "I do not care to live in a world that is too good to be genial; too ascetic to be honest; too proscriptive to be happy. I do not believe that men can be legislated into angels. The blue laws of New England—dead letters for the most part—did more to harm the people, while they lasted, than all other agencies combined. I would leave them in the cold storage, to which the execration of some and the neglect of all consigned them long ago, not embalm and import them to Kentucky, to poison the meat and drink and character of the people."

Mr. Watterson, in this same speech, declared for a reform of the liquor traffic, but warned his hearers against the rabid prohibition tactics of Beckham of Kentucky, who would bring that commonwealth under state prohibition law.

The history of our nation stands as a constant protest against the prohibition of men's rights. Out of the original twenty-three states that have from time to time adopted state prohibition it is in force now in only four states, namely, Maine, Kansas, North Dakota and Georgia. In Georgia prohibition was adopted at the last session of the legislature of that state. And it was not adopted because there was a popular demand for prohibition, but because a quick and effective method was needed to prevent the negroes of that state from securing liquor, the constitution providing that the negro should have the same rights as the white man. Our national government wisely provided for its ward, the Indian, by making it a misdemeanor to sell intoxicating liquor to him, but the negro, fully as irresponsible, was not thus safeguarded, and some of the atrocious crimes that have so greatly inflamed the South against the negro were directly traced to his unfortunate fondness for whisky. So a majority of the people of Georgia willingly threw their own rights and inclinations into the balance to save the negro from himself.

As to Maine, Kansas and North Dakota, the other states still holding fast to state prohibition, a simple glance at government statistics as set forth by the United States census bulletins of 1903, shows that the ratio of arrests per thousand of inhabitants of those states for drunkenness is greater than in states where the licensed saloon is wisely controlled by municipal government. If further proof of these facts is needed look back only to last spring and ponder upon North Dakota's unsuccessful fight against the blind piggers of that state.

Facts like these are what cause us to stop and think. We know that state prohibition does not prohibit. That back rooms, veritable dog-holes, become the haunts of young men and boys, and that the influence of these dives is a hundred times worse than that of the clean, open, licensed saloon. County local option is only a shade removed from state prohibition, because it enables one part of the county to legislate away the rights of another part.

The Trade Journal, as an advocate of temperance and the friend of those who are earnestly working in its behalf, believes that the solution of this problem is best worked out through the man himself and that the best aid to the man and to his friends in the temperance cause, is the licensed saloon, controlled by local option of the people in each community in the United States, and conducted under the just and equitable restrictions of our laws.

It is a fact that men are more and more breaking away from the habit of drinking strong, intoxicating liquors, and are drinking more of lighter, less intoxicating beverages, such as beer and wines. It is a fact that the employers of labor, of skilled and professional talent, and that the people themselves, will not tolerate drunkenness. So, in this attitude of the people and in the spread of the reign of sobriety, beginning with the man himself, we believe lies the solution that confronts the friends and advocates of temperance.—From the St. Paul Trade Journal.

Shrewd.

Two duelists were taking the early train for Fontainebleau, their place of meeting.

"A return ticket, said the first duelist to the ticket agent.

"Single for me," said the other man quietly.

"Aha," blustered the other, "you are afraid you won't come back, are you? As for me I always take a return."

"I never do," said the second man, "I always take my return half from the dead man's pocket."

Tale of a Name.

Not long ago, says a member of the bar in Mobile, Ala., a man named Richard L. Delmandinger, a native of Germany, applied to a court in the state named for permission to change his name to Richard L. Delmand.

It so happened that not long thereafter a gentleman of the name of Smith—plain John J.—made like petition to the court. After reciting a catalogue of the ills to which he was subject, owing to his unfortunately common name, Mr. Smith said in conclusion:

"And, whereas, I have noted that the honorable court has curtailed the name of Richard L. Delmandinger, and has not disposed of the 'inger,' which seems to be lying around loose, I respectfully request that the same may be added to my name."

Mr. Smith got the "inger."

In Modern Days.

"Say, Hugo, don't you get punished at home, when you're naughty?"

"Nope. Papa and mamma are both lawyers, and they can't agree on the punishment!"

The Explanation.

"That fellow," said Tete de Veau, "is always getting off the old joke about the difficulty of finding a woman's pocket."

"But you know," L'Oignon explained, smiling, "he married a rich wife."

THE STATE DAY BY DAY

News of Interest.

IN THE PATH OF THE FIRE.

Gen. Andrews Visits Scene of Hinckley Conflagration.

Gen. C. C. Andrews, state forestry commissioner, in a recent trip into a part of the territory devastated by the great Hinckley forest fire, in the upper St. Croix valley, found a very small part of the land covered with a new growth of pine of any consequence, while the land is growing in demand for farming purposes. In speaking of the trip Gen. Andrews said:

"Last week I visited the upper St. Croix valley of Minnesota, about seventy miles above Taylors Falls, being that part about east from Hinckley, and was impressed by the large size of the river so far up. The country was originally pine forest, which was cut many years ago, and most of the land was burned over in the dry season of 1894. It is now grown up to what might be called a brush forest, of which the greater part is poplar; but there are occasional bunches of valuable hardwood trees, including ash, that escaped the fire. I was noticing particularly the regrowth of pine, and I would say that not more than one-twentieth part of the area that I saw in a drive of about twenty-five miles in Pine county is well stocked with pine. The pine that I saw was almost wholly jack pine. The country is generally level or moderately undulating, but with depressions in the rivers and valleys. Lakes are not common, but streams are frequent and are said to contain trout. The land is generally free from rocks and appears to be considerably in demand for farming purposes.

POTATOES PAY BEST.

Farmers Find Tubers Bring Four Times as Much as Grain.

Farmers of Southern Minnesota, especially in Rock and Nobles counties, have discovered that potato culture holds great possibilities for this portion of the state. Until the last few years little attention was given to the growing of the tubers. During the last two years an increasing acreage has been devoted to their culture, and with highly satisfactory results. This year a large number of the farmers are marketing their crops at 45 cents per bushel, and as the average is about 300 bushels to the acre, the returns average about $135 per acre. The biggest returns received this year from an acre of small grain was $37.57 from an acre of barley—the average yield of a large field—which places the odds greatly in favor of the growing of potatoes. Late inventions have disposed of the laborious hand planting and hand picking, and puts the growing of this crop on the level with the other easily cultivated crops.

WORMS FOUND IN EGGS.

Could Do No Harm, Even If Eaten Alive, "U" Histologist Says.

The citizens of Bridgie, a small town south of Northome, as well as the farmers residing in that vicinity, are considerably wrought up over the fact that some of the farmers in that neighborhood have discovered worms in eggs laid by their hens.

E. C. Carlton of Bridgie secured one of the worms and sent it to the histological department of the University of Minnesota for identification. In reply to Mr. Carlton's letter Winfield S. Nickerson, assistant professor of histology and embryology to the group of trematodes or flukes—a group somewhat related to the tapeworm, but is harmless so far as any injury to the egg or to any one eating the eggs is concerned, although it is possible that it may have some harmful effect upon the health of the hen.

"There would be no reason to fear any harm, even if the worms themselves were eaten, cooked or uncooked and alive," Prof. Nickerson says.

NO CRIMINAL CASE.

Outlook for Lightest Term Albert Lea Has Had In Years.

The September term of the district court for Freeborn county opened at Albert Lea, with Judge Kingsley of Austin presiding. The calendar is one of the lightest in several years. Not a criminal case is listed, and so far as known there are only three cases for the grand jury.

Luther academy opened its fall term last week under the supervision of Rev. J. E. Thoen, with every indication of a prosperous year. The attendance is large and will more than double as soon as farm work is finished for the fall.

H. H. Dunn of Albert Lea has been employed as chief counsel in the case of The State vs. Rudolph Munson, charged with the murder of the Julian woman at Waseca a few days ago. Munson is but nineteen and has lived here all his life except a few months he spent at Waseca.

BARBECUE AND FAIR.

Following close upon the Martin county annual fair in Fairmont is the farmers' fair and barbecue, to be held at Sherburn on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 3, 4 and 5. It will be in the nature of a street fair. The farmers of the western portion of the county will have on exhibition products of their farms, gardens and stock, and the women will display household exhibits. The Sherburn citizens offer a liberal amount of money to be distributed in premiums.

TOTAL VALUE OF ORE LANDS.

State Tax Commission Reports Valuation at $191,052,500.

The state tax commission has completed the revision and correction of the list of iron ore properties in Minnesota, with the valuation placed on each. The state board of equalization has requested the commission to furnish it with all the data upon which these valuations were based. The valuation on the properties by the tax commission aggregates $191,052,500.

The members of the board of equalization are inclined to the opinion that this valuation is none too high and that an increase over these figures might be warranted. At any rate they would like to have the data before them upon which the valuations were based in order that they may be able to pass upon the valuations intelligently. They particularly desire a transcript of the evidence taken recently before the commission at the hearing attended by the representatives of the mine owners.

The first statement issued by the tax commission of the valuations placed on the mining properties showed the total to be $185,000,000. In checking the printed lists over, however, some typographical errors were discovered. The corrections have now been made and the aggregate valuation amounts to $191,052,500. The acreage of the mining properties is 30,977 and the tonnage upon which the valuations are based is 1,182,364,117. The statement gives the name and description of each property, with the acreage, valuation, tonnage, class and rate. The statement includes about 530 descriptions.

The commission has been at work on this valuation for several months and rushed the work along as fast as possible in order to have the figures ready for the board of equalization.

The figures given for each property are figured on the basis of 40 per cent of the estimated true value of the properties, as these valuations are those upon which the taxes will be calculated.

The resolution adopted by the board of equalization follows:

"Resolved, That the secretary of this board be requested to secure from the honorable state tax commission their findings in the matter of the reassessment of the iron ore properties, especially a copy of the evidence taken at the recent hearing had before the said commission, said information to be supplied, if practicable, by Wednesday next."

The resolution was introduced by Andrew French. The reason given by the members of the board for asking for this information and their desire to go into the matter quite fully is the understanding that when the tonnage tax bill was killed in the legislature last winter there was an understanding that the mines would agree to a valuation of $200,000,000 to $225,000,000. If the mine owners felt then that this valuation would be fair, the members think any valuation under these figures made at this time is probably too low. In order to pass upon this question they went to look over the data secured by the tax commission and to see the testimony taken at the hearing when the mine owners were represented.

BUTTER JUDGES TO CONTEST.

Competition Is Open to Experts of the Country.

Buttermakers of Minnesota have issued a challenge to the butter judges of the country to prove their competency. They have done so by announcing that when the fourteenth annual convention of the Minnesota State Butter and Cheese Makers' association is held in St. Peter, on Oct. 30 and 31 and Nov. 1, they will offer prizes for a butter-scoring contest which will be open to every butter judge, buttermaker or dealer in the United States. This is a new feature for buttermakers' conventions, and the contest will be the first of its kind ever held.

Members of the Minnesota society and of other state associations long have sought to devise a way to test the efficiency of the men who test butter. Butter scorers and judges never have been entirely free from suspicion, but competitive matches have been frowned upon because there was no standard by which to judge the judges. This obstacle has been overcome by pitting them against standards established by themselves.

Under the rules of the contest each participant will be required to score twenty-five tubs of butter and then rescore the same samples. A careful record will be kept of the markings, and in rescoring any deviation from the first set of grades will be counted against the participant. Where there is no dissimilarity between the two sets of scores the judge will be awarded a perfect grade of 100 points.

Butter exchanges at Chicago, New York and the other leading markets will be asked to have their inspectors enter the contest, and it is expected that the judges of the country will be eager to compete.

St. Paul Gets Convention.

St. Paul, Sept. 29.—The annual convention in 1908 of the National Association of Fire Insurance Agents has been secured for St. Paul, a telegram to this effect reaching the Commercial club yesterday from Norfolk, Va., where the 1907 convention is being held.

NO UNIFORM REPORTS.

Attorney General Holds That Plan of Commissioner Is Unlawful.

The attorney general has notified Insurance Commissioner J. A. Hartigan that the commissioner has no authority to require insurance companies doing business in this state to report a classification of their business in this state as well as in the entire country.

The proposed classification was opposed by most of the insurance companies, and at a meeting held at the capitol a few weeks ago a large number of insurance men were present and objected to the plan. They insisted that to require the companies to make their reports on the classification proposed would entail a vast amount of labor and expense upon the companies and that if the plan was adopted in one state others would soon follow and the result would be that the expense of furnishing the reports to each of the states would be so great as practically to put the companies out of business. They also objected to making public the record of their experience in each class of business, insisting that this information is of peculiar value to the companies, and they should not be asked to disclose it to their competitors.

At the hearing it was disclosed that each company has its own classification and that the number of classes vary greatly. These classifications the company would keep up and if they were required to report the business upon another classification it would entail a great deal of labor and expense.

The attorney general's opinion which was submitted by C. Louis Weeks ends the matter, but Mr. Hartigan is hopeful that the agitation and discussion will do some good and lead to a more uniform system of classifications.

EXTENSION REACHES BORDER.

M. & I. Railroad's Silver Spike Is Driven by Gemmell.

After ten months of strenuous railroad building, the Minnesota & International Saturday completed its line to the border. General Manager Gemmell and a party of railroad men were present at International Falls, and as Mr. Gemmell drove the silver spike that completed another steel band to the northern boundary of the state, there was great rejoicing on the part of the residents of the town and country, who were assembled in large numbers. Vent was given to the pent-up feelings of the people by the ringing of bells, blowing of whistles and loud hurrahs.

It is expected that by Oct. 10 both passenger and freight service will be installed by the road, and that date then will mean the starting of activities in this city that will make it one of the busiest towns in the northern part of the state. A spur at once will be laid to the falls in order that material can be delivered for the building of the American part of the dam which is designed to develop the great waterpower at this point. Passenger and freight depots will be rushed to completion, terminal and sidetracks laid.

The party of railroad officials and E. W. Backus, the promoter of the water power and townsite, were given a banquet at the village hall last night.

BOOSTERS MEET AT BEMIDJI.

Steenerson and State Officials Make Speeches.

The members of the state drainage board, Congressman Steenerson, State Senator Stephens, Immigration Commissioner Welch and a number of other men in "high pieces" delivered addresses at the mass meeting of north country people, which was held in the Beltrami county court house in Bemidji. For two weeks past the management of the second annual fair of the Beltrami County Agricultural association has been arranging for this meeting.

In the party were Frank A. Day, private secretary to Gov. Johnson, who represented the governor; State Auditor Iverson, James A. Larson, deputy secretary of state, representing Secretary Julius Schmahl; George A. Ralph, state drainage engineer; George Welch, commissioner of the new state immigration bureau; G. G. Harley of Duluth, Congressman Halvor Steenerson and Frank Ives of Cass Lake.

The visitors were taken to the fair grounds, which were lighted with torches and lanterns. After an inspection of the wonderful results from tickling the soil the party was taken to the court house, where a large crowd had assembled to hear the speeches.

Flash Lights.

The peek-a-boo waist is running neck and neck with the palm leaf fan.

Prospects for a good crop of corn on the cob are right at this writing.

If it was ever intended that men should wear belts to keep up their trousers, more men would have been built able to do it.

Anyway, Sunday is no day of rest for the fish.

In the long run the man with the pull loses out to the man with the push.

PLANS TO REACH POLE BY DRIFTING OVER IN PACK-ICE.

Capt. Roald Amundsen Proposes to Gain Laurels by Only Course He Believes Possible.

The "Gjoea," pronounced in Norwegian "Yona," is the vessel in which Capt. Roald Amundsen made his expedition through the Northwest passage, starting from the Atlantic side and after going along the north coast of North America emerged through Bering strait into the Pacific. The vessel is only forty-nine tons and measures seventy-two feet in length, yet she carried sufficient provisions to last her crew of seven men through three years and four months. When Amundsen came to Herschel island and found a fleet of whaling vessels frozen in, he gave them nearly 3,000 pounds of flour and some other provisions. With these articles he could have bought from the Esquimaux every fur and skin on the north coast of Alaska, but it is characteristic of the man that he preferred to help his fellow creatures.

The Gjoea was fitted with a motor propeller and carried thousands of gallons of kerosene oil. She was not specially built for this expedition, but is an old sealing vessel of the Norwegian type, thirty-five years old. Amundsen selected her because she corresponded with his limited means and with his plan of carrying a small expedition, the main object of which was to locate the north magnetic pole. He had made up his mind to spend a couple of years taking magnetic observations. He reached a small harbor excellently suited for the purpose situated on King William land some 100 miles due south of the real pole area. The following summer was warm, and open water stretched far away toward the west, making it an easy thing to gain and accomplish the sailing of the Northwest passage which for 400 years has been the dream of the explorer; yet Roald Amundsen never yielded to the temptation. The following summer when he had gained possession of the scientific facts he had been seeking he started westward; but conditions were not so favorable and it took him a whole year to make the passage, which the year previous he could undoubtedly have achieved in six weeks. The Gjoea is now resting at the Mare Island navy yard.

Amundsen's main object of the future is to reach the geographical north pole by an expedition framed upon the plan of drifting across the pole with the pack ice. Amundsen thinks this is the only way to get there, and he will start as soon as he has raised the sufficient capital.

Since his return from the Gjoea expedition Amundsen has received more distinctions and marks of honor than has ever before been bestowed upon a scientist. King Haakon of Norway gave him the Grand Cross of the St. Olaf Order. King Frederick of Denmark the gold medal for distinguished service, with the royal crown, a distinction given to few people. From Emperor William he received the Grand Cross of the German Imperial Crown Order. From the emperor of Austria the Grand Cross of the Francis Joseph Order. From the king of Italy the Grand Cross of the Italian Crown Order. From President Fallieres the Commander's Cross of the Legion of Honor, and from the King of Belgium the Cross of the Leopold Order.

By all these monarchs he has been received in private audiences, and Emperor William took particular pains to honor Amundsen by attending his lecture before the geographical society at Berlin, where the emperor appeared dressed in the uniform of a Norwegian admiral. Amundsen also was invited to audience by the Russian czar, who dispatched his own private railway car to take him from St. Petersburg to the palace of Tzarko Selo.

Amundsen has also received gold medals from the Royal Geological Society of England, the Royal Norwegian society, the Royal Danish Geographical society, the Gesellschaft für Erdkunde at Berlin, the Royal Belgian Geographical society, the Royal Geographical Society of Antwerp, the French Geological Society of Paris, the Royal Belgian Yacht club, and silver medals from the city of Paris, the city of Antwerp and from the navy of France. This last medal has not been given before to anybody but the greatest nautical investigators like Columbus, Magellan, Cabot and a few others. Several American scientific societies also have sent him medals of honor and elected him to honorary membership.

ROALD AMUNDSEN,
The famous Norwegian arctic explorer.

All these distinctions and honors with which he has been showered show that Roald Amundsen is looked upon as an explorer of the foremost type, and his exploit of circumnavigating North America from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean takes rank among the greatest geographical achievements in the world's history. But with all these marks of honor and with attention from people in the highest positions, Roald Amundsen has remained the plain and every-day citizen and democrat. He is now writing a popular book relating the adventurous voyage of the Gjoea, and after finishing this work, he will come to the United States upon the invitation of several scientific and geographical societies.

In many respects King William Land people are unlike any other known Eskimos. They are large of stature and practice polyandery, each married woman having several husbands. The cause of this rests in the fact that the big majority of children born are boys.

Amundsen tells many funny stories from his meetings with these Eskimos. They seemed surprised at nothing they saw amongst the white men, except the mystery of writing. That the captain could send a piece of paper on board of the vessel with an Eskimo messenger and receive, for instance, twenty cartridges if he so wished, puzzled them much. They made written signs on pieces of paper themselves and were equally surprised when none could make anything out of their scribblings.

The Eskimo's patience when pursuing a certain object is marvelous. He can stay for ten hours beside a hole in the ice waiting for a seal to show up.

Amundsen once gave an Eskimo hunter an iron bar ten inches long and half an inch thick. The native was going to make a harpoon head, but on second consideration he decided to split it lengthwise so as to get materials for two harpoons. All the tools he had to accomplish was an old table knife from the Gjoea, which he dented along the edge until it resembled a saw. With this outfit he started to saw the iron bar lengthwise in two pieces and after a month's incessant labor he had succeeded in so doing. From each piece he made a harpoon of a workmanship so fine that it is impossible to understand how it could have been done almost without tools. Amundsen bought one of them and paid well for it.

GRAND CROSS OF THE ITALIAN CROWN ORDER.

GRAND CROSS OF THE GERMAN CROWN ORDER.

COMMANDER'S CROSS, FRENCH LEGION OF HONOR.

GRAND CROSS OF THE NORWEGIAN ST. OLAF ORDER.

GRAND CROSS OF THE AUSTRIAN FRANZ JOSEPH ORDER.

THE BELGIAN LEOPOLD ORDER.

SUPPLIES FOR A DAY'S FISHING.

The Question as to the Proportions of Liquid and Solid Refreshment.

"Just what proportion the liquid should bear to the solid refreshment taken on a fishing trip," said an angler, "has always been and I suppose always will be a moot question.

"Men differ about this as they do about so many other things; some men want more solid and less liquid and some want less solid and more liquid.

"What makes me think about this just now is seeing two men that I met yesterday making for the waterfront to go out for a day's fishing. One of these men carried under his arm two small loaves of bread, while between them the two men carried a case containing two dozen bottles of beer.

"You see? These men evidently were among those who think that the proportion of liquid refreshment carried should be large, but then you may meet men who think just the other way, including men who go so far that way that all they would carry in the shape of liquids when they go fishing would be a jug of water.

"So men differ, and differ widely, as to this; but I would state as a matter of observation, in which I think all fishermen will agree, that the more liquids carried, the less fish caught, and the less liquids, the more fish.

Mirage on Lake Ontario.

Persons who happened to be in tall buildings this morning or on any elevation where the lake was visible, saw one of the most wonderful mirages that have been noted in this section in a long time. From the office of the chamber of commerce the mirage was plainly visible to the naked eye, the Canadian shore looming up as if it was no farther off than the northern limits of the city. By the use of field glasses the outlines of buildings along the coast could be seen, and those who witnessed the phenomena all agreed that it was the clearest mirage they had ever seen.—Rochester Union and Advertiser.

Pleasure Ahead.

Miss Ascum—That's Miss Kadley. You surely don't want to meet her?

Miss Peppery—Yes, I should be delighted.

Miss Ascum—But nobody really cares for her——

Miss Peppery—I know; I just want to be introduced to her so I can snub her the next time I meet her.

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ACCORDING to the Willmar Journal "the tariff on lumber is not only a premium on the destruction of home forests, but a premium on the destruction of homes as well."

THE Duluth Herald is correct in saying that "drainage, good roads and a settlement campaign are all that is needed to make northern Minnesota the garden spot of the northwest.

IT is hard to tell who will be the Republican candidate for governor next year, but if the Minneapolis Journal and Joel Heatwole will make their selection it will be easy to tell who will be defeated for the nomination, observes the Lamberton Star.

WHEN the corporations say that so and so isn't a safe man for president or governor or congressman, it is a prediction that the common people would make no mistake by putting him in office, says the Dawson Sentinel. When the corporations say a man isn't safe, they mean he isn't safe for them. It wouldn't be a bad idea to try some of these "unsafe" men at the very next election.

ACCORDING to Washington crop statisticians there is a promise this year of a $2,500,000 bushel corn crop in this country. Although that would make the yield less than last year the increase in price will more than offset the shortage. The price on the farms last year was 39.9 cents but this year it is believed that the price will average over 50 cents. On that basis the farm value of the crop would be $1,250,000,000 as compared with $1,166,000,000 last year. It is claimed by crop experts that despite the difference in yield the money value of the crop will be the largest in the history of the country.

Get your binder twine at Wm Fredeisen's He sells the celebrated Plymouth and Prison twine fresh from the factory and sells it at rock bottom prices.

The ashes of the meteorites caught and burned up in our atmosphere add, it is estimated, 1,000 tons weight to the earth every three years.

THE BABY.

WHERE did you come from, baby, dear?
  Out of the everywhere into the here.

Where did you get your eyes so blue?
Out of the sky as I came through.

What makes the light in them sparkle and spin?
Some of the starry spikes left in.

Where did you get that little tear?
I found it waiting when I got here.

What makes your forehead so smooth and high?
A soft hand stroked it as I went by.

What makes your cheek like a warm white rose?
Something better than any one knows.

Whence that three cornered smile of bliss?
Three angels gave me at once a kiss.

Where did you get that pearly ear?
God spoke, and it came out to hear.

Where did you get those arms and hands?
Love made itself into hooks and bands.

Feet, whence did you come, you darling things?
From the same box as the cherubs' wings.

How did they all just come to be you?
God thought about me, and so I grew.

But how did you come to us, you dear?
God thought of you, and so I am here.
—George Macdonald.

THE POLAR QUEST.

UNCONQUERABLY men venture on the quest
  And seek an ocean amplitude unsailed,
    Cold, virgin, awful. Scorning ease and rest
  And, heedless of the heroes who have failed,
They face the ice floes with a dauntless zest.

The polar quest! Life's offer to the strong!
  To pass beyond the pale, to do and dare,
Leaving a name that stirs us like a song
  And making captive some strange Otherwhere
Though grim the conquest and the labor long.

Forever courage kindles, faith moves forth
To find the mystic floodway of the north.
—Richard Burton.

OLD FOLKS AT HOME.

WAY down upon de Swanee ribber,
  Far, far away,
Dere's wha my heart is turning eber,
  Dere's wha de old folks stay.
All up and down de whole creation
  Sadly I roam,
Still longing for de old plantation
  And for de old folks at home.

All de world am sad and dreary
  Eberywhere I roam.
Oh, darkies, how my heart grows weary,
  Far from de old folks at home!

All round de little farm I wandered
  When I was young;
Den many happy days I squandered,
  Many de songs I sung.
When I was playing wid my brudder
  Happy was I.
Oh, take me to my kind old mudder;
  Dere let me live and die!

One little hut among de bushes,
  One dat I love,
Still sadly to my memory rushes,
  No matter where I rove.
When will I see de bees a-humming
  All round de comb?
When will I hear de banjo tumming
  Down in my good old home?

All de world am sad and dreary
  Eberywhere I roam.
Oh, darkies, how my heart grows weary,
  Far from de old folks at home!
—Stephen Collins Foster.

OLD SORES FED AND KEPT OPEN BY IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD

Whenever a sore refuses to heal it is because the blood is not pure and healthy, as it should be, but is infected with poisonous germs or some old blood taint which has corrupted and polluted the circulation. Those most usually afflicted with old sores are persons who have reached or passed middle life. The vitality of the blood and strength of the system have naturally begun to decline, and the poisonous germs which have accumulated because of a sluggish and inactive condition of the system, or some hereditary taint which has hitherto been held in check, now force an outlet on the face, arms, legs or other part of the body. The place grows red and angry, festers and eats into the surrounding tissue until it becomes a chronic and stubborn ulcer, fed and kept open by the impurities with which the blood is saturated. Nothing is more trying and disagreeable than a stubborn, non-healing sore. The very fact that it resists ordinary remedies and treatments is good reason for suspicion; the same germ-producing cancerous ulcers is back of every old sore, and especially is this true if the trouble is an inherited one. Washes, salves, nor indeed anything else, applied directly to the sore, can do any permanent good; neither will removing the sore with caustic plasters or the surgeon's knife make a lasting cure. If every particle of the diseased flesh were taken away another sore would come, because the trouble is in the blood, and the ***BLOOD CANNOT BE CUT AWAY.*** The cure must come by a thorough cleansing of the blood. In S. S. S. will be found a remedy for sores and ulcers of every kind. It is an unequalled blood purifier—one that goes directly into the circulation and promptly cleanses it of all poisons and taints. It gets down to the very bottom of the trouble and forces out every trace of impurity and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. changes the quality of the blood so that instead of feeding the diseased parts with impurities, it nourishes the irritated, inflamed flesh with healthy blood. Then the sore begins to heal, new flesh is formed, all pain and inflammation leaves, the place scabs over, and when S. S. S. has purified the blood the sore is permanently cured. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores. Write for our special book on sores and ulcers and any other medical advice you desire. We make no charge for the book or advice.

I was afflicted with a sore on my face of four years' standing. It was a small pimple at first but it gradually grew larger and worse in every way until I became alarmed about it and consulted several physicians. They all treated me but the sore continued to grow worse. I saw S. S. S. advertised and commenced its use and after taking it a while I was completely cured. My blood is now pure and healthy from the effect of S. S. S., and there has not been any sign of the sore since S. S. S. cured it.
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A SONG TO LYDIA.

I KNEW that you were coming back!
  Shall I tell you how?
  Today a wild bird swung and sung
  On a blossomed bough.
  Far and high his greeting rose
  'Gainst the sunrise flame,
And all the notes of all his song
  Tangled in your name.

I knew that you were coming back!
  Shall I tell you why?
Today a new rose broke in bloom
  'Neath the noon blue sky.
Rare and red it beckoned me,
  Bending as I came,
And all the sweet of all its bloom
  Only breathed your name.

I knew that you were coming back!
  This is how I knew:
Bird and rose and earth and air
  Gave me news of you.
Green leaves merry in the wood,
  Glad waves on the sea,
And all the winds of all the world
  Sang your name to me!
—Theodosia Garrison.

THE MAIDEN'S CHOICE.

GENTEEL in personage,
  Conduct and equipage;
Noble by heritage;
  Generous and free;

BRAVE, not romantic;
  Learn'd, not pedantic;
Frolic, not frantic—
  This must he be.

HONOR maintaining,
  Meanness disdaining,
Still entertaining,
  Engaging and new;

NEAT, but not finical;
  Sage, but not cynical;
Never tyrannical,
  But ever true.
—Henry Carey.

A WOMAN'S WISH.

WOULD I were lying in a field of clover,
  Of clover cool and soft, and soft and sweet,
  With dusky clouds on deep skies hanging over,
And scented silence at my head and feet.

Just for one hour to slip the leash of worry
  In eager haste from Thought's impatient neck
And watch it coursing, in its heedless hurry
  Disdaining wisdom's call or duty's beck!

Ah, it were sweet where clover clumps are meeting
  And daisies hiding, so to hide and rest;
No sound except my own heart's steady beating,
  Rocking itself to sleep within my breast.

Just to lie there, filled with the deeper breathing
  That comes of listening to a wild bird's song!
Our souls require at times this full unsheathing—
  All swords will rust if scabbard-kept too long.

And I am tired—so tired of rigid duty,
  So tired of all my tired hands find to do!
I yearn, I faint, for some of life's free beauty,
  Its loose bends with no straight string running through.

Aye, laugh, if you will, at my crude speech,
  But women sometimes die of such a greed—
Die for the small joys held beyond their reach
  And the assurance they have all they need!
—Mary Ashley Townsend.

MY BOOKS.

THEY dwell in an odor of camphor,
  They stand in a Sheraton shrine,
They are warranted "early editions,"
  These worshipful tomes of mine.

IN their creamy "Oxford vellum,"
  In their redolent "crushed levant,"
With their delicate watered linings,
  They are jewels of price, I grant.

BLIND tooled and morocco jointed,
  They have Zaehnsdorf's daintiest dress;
They are graceful, attenuate, polished,
  But they gather the dust no less.

FOR the row that I prize is yonder,
  Away on the unglazed shelves,
The bulged and bruised octavos,
  The dear and dumpy twelves—

MONTAIGNE with his sheepskin blistered,
  And Howell the worse for wear,
And the worm drilled Jesuit's Horace,
  And little old chopped Moliere,

AND the Burton I bought for a florin,
  And the Rabelais foxed and flea'd—
For the rest I have never opened,
  But these are the books I read.
—Austin Dobson.

THE IRISH PIPES.

I HEARD the piper playing,
  The piper old and blind,
  And knew its secret saying—
  The voice of the summer wind.

I heard clear waters falling,
  Lapping from stone to stone;
The wood dove crying and calling,
  Ever alone, alone!

I heard the bells of the heather
  Ring in the summer breeze,
Soft stir of fir and feather
  And quiet hum of bees.

The piper drew me yearning
  Into the dim gray lands
Where there is no returning,
  Although I wring my hands.

There to the piper's crooning
  I saw my dead again,
All in a happy nooning
  Of golden sun and rain.

You piper kind and hoary,
  Your pipes upon your knee,
If I could tell my story
  The things you piped for me,

The folk would leave their selling,
  And bid their buying go,
If I could but be telling
  The things you let me know.
—Katharine Tynan.

DOUBT.

IN love, if love be love, if love be ours,
  Faith and unfaith can ne'er be equal powers.
Unfaith in aught is want of faith in all.
  It is the little rift within the lute
  That by and by will make the music mute
And ever widening slowly silence all.
—Alfred Tennyson.

CREED AND CROWN.

A CREED is a rod,
  And a crown is of night;
But this thing is God:
  To be man with thy might,
To grow straight in the strength of thy spirit;
  And live out thy life as the light.
—Swinburne.

WHAT WE WANT is your banking business. That is our business and naturally we want your business at this bank. If years of experience, fair, square treatment, honesty, courtesy, together with excelled service and our large capital and surplus will merit your consideration—then we are entitled to your patronage.

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The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold remedy and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter's drug store, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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Mrs. Frank Jeffers spent Sunday with Crookston friends.

J. J. Paddon was a Crookston visitor over Monday night.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

James H. Cross was down from St. Hilaire over last night.

Editor Harry E. Ives was an overnight visitor here last Thursday.

The First State Bank has an interesting new ad in today's Gazette.

Judge A. P. Toupin was a business caller at St. Hilaire yesterday.

John Kehoe of Middle Riv r. was an over-Sunday guest of his parents here.

Rev. Father Ambrose visited at Thief River Falls a couple of days this week.

Hank Drapor and Gene Dempsey, two north end rustlers, spent Tuesday night in the city.

Frank Jeffers came up from Minneapolis this morning and will spend several days at home.

Rev. Father Adolph, of Thief River Falls, was an over-night guest of Rev. Ambrose Monday.

Mrs. A. G. Groshong and children are visiting relatives and friends in Grand Forks this week.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall went down to the cities Tuesday evening for a brief visit with friends.

"Butch and Clem" have a new ad in today's GAZETTE, which is timely and will bear reading twice.

Otto Kankel was up from Fertile Monday looking after business matters and visiting his son, G. A.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Plasterer Eli Lasha will go out to Brooks the last of the week, where he has several jobs of work in sight.

I want to buy a few cars of potatoes. Bring them in. Will pay all the market affords.—Theo. LaBissoniere.

Mrs L. C. Simons arrived home this morning from her ten days' visit with relatives and friends at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Zaiser and family Sundayed at the home of County Commissioner Demann in Lake Pleasant.

Joe Lachanen came over from Grand Forks and spent Sunday and Monday with his relatives and many friends here.

E. Carrier, of Crookston, spent Sunday and Monday at the home of his cousin, Cheesemaker H. Clement, of Terrebonne.

Mrs. W. A Schroitor arrived home this week from her extended visit with relatives and friends at Oshkosh, Wisconsin.

Sheriff Nelson has covered the county thoroughly the past few days summoning jurors and posting county-seat scrap notices.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Maher of Crookston and Mr. and Mrs. Nap Miller of St. Hilaire were here attending the wedding Monday.

Alcide Perrusse, who is now residing in Terrebonne, will move his family into the Sam Ailard house the first of next week.

V. M. Higinbotham drove out in the vicinity of Goose lake Tuesday, and spent a couple of days there looking after some real estate interests.

For Sale—wind mill, Aermotor make, almost new, 60 ft 4 frame tower and 12 ft wheel. See S. A. Swanson.

Farmers, don't forget that I sell the John Deere plows—gang, sulky and walking plows.—William Findeisen.

Mesdames H. E Ives and Jas. H. Cross of St. Hilaire spent last night at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Pirath.

State Librarian John E. King was up from St. Paul and spent the first three days of the week looking after his business interests here.

Court Commissioner S. T. Johnson and Attorney Perl W. Mobey, of Thief River Falls, were business visitors here over last night.

Orson Doe expects to go to Minneapolis next week to enter the Drew school of pharmacy and complete his learning in this line.

The Misses Iza Tibbetts and Clara Marchand, two of Fosston's charming school maa'ams, spent last Saturday and Sunday at their homes here.

R. H. Bourdon is home again for a few weeks. Bob has covered the valley pretty well this fall, and has disposed of a big bunch of horses in so doing.

Norman Schreiter went down to Minneapolis Monday evening, where he will spend the next few weeks visiting with friends and having a good time.

Nap and Gene Bray came over from Crookston Monday to attend the Verboncour-Leitzke nuptials and reception. They returned home the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Verboncour, Mrs. Wortenson and Miss Anna Verboncour of Grand Forks were here Monday and Tuesday to attend the Leitzke-Verboncour wedding.

Mrs Cliffe Orme left Monday evening for her home at Coleraine, after a several weeks' pleasant visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Allison, living north of town.

O. J. Asken gave an illustrated lecture at the Metropolitan opera house Monday evening. The capacity of the hall wasn't taxed to accommodate the crowd that day.

Con Myers, an employee of the Grand Forks Herald job rooms, was here Monday to attend the wedding of his friend, Johnny Verboncour. This office acknowledges a call.

Wm. McIntosh came up from Royalton Saturday and is spending this week with his family here. He has been employed by Contractor Linnihan on Soo construction work this summer.

The pain in ma's head has gone.
She's happy as can be,
Her head is right, her temper bright
Since taking Hollister's Rocky
Mountain tea at night.—A. L. Reichert.

Mrs. M. R. Hall is now comfortably settled in her new quarters in the Zaiser building across from the Big Store, and has her restaurant fixtures placed nicely to accommodate the trade.

S. L. Lewis returned home yesterday morning from a trip of a week or so, during which time he visited nearly all of the valley towns, talking life insurance for the Northwestern of Milwaukee.

When ordering flour call for the "Gold Seal" brand. If your dealer tells you to get flour "just as good" don't mind him but insist on getting something better, and order Gold Seal.—Leo Steinert.

S. A. Swanson left last evening for points in Iowa and southern Minnesota, where he will spend a week looking after business interests. Mr. Swanson expects to bring back a big bunch of landseekers.

Adolph White, of Cohasset, is visiting his wife and other relatives here this week, having arrived Monday. Mr. and Mrs. White expect to leave soon for Idaho, where they will make their future home.

August Morin returned to Crookston Monday evening to resume his work. He is engaged in repairing the Robertson Lumber company's yard at Crookston, and expects to be occupied there several days yet.

"Coffin Tacks is what cigarettes have been characterized by the Norfolk & Western Ry. Co., and that company has put up a bulletin in its General Offices against their use by employees, upon penalty of instant dismissal." The young man who invests in a Fidelity Endowment policy instead of "coffin tacks" will feel pleased with himself when he reaches middle life. Write John F. Naughtin, general agent, Minneapolis.

V. K. Knight came down from Big Fork yesterday and is spending several days with his numerous Red Lake Falls friends. V. K. looks prosperous, and reports everything o. k. with himself and family.

Billy Krueger has been having a tussle with his old-time foe, rheumatism, the past week, and at present it looks as though he would win. He has been all but confined to his bed for several days past, but is now improving again.

The only true constipation cure must begin its soothing, healing action when it enters the mouth. Hollisters Rocky Mountain Tea restores the whole system to a healthy normal condition. 35 cents Tea or tablets.—A. L. Reichert.

If taken patiently and persistent will relieve the most obstinate cases of indigestion, constipation, bad blood, bad liver no matter of how long standing. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea will do. 35 cents tea or tablets. A. L, Reichert.

Buttermaker P. L. Malvin scored 92½ points in the October contest in the six months state butter scoring competition. Mr. Malvin has made some big scores in the contest, and when the results are announced will be found close to the head of the list.

From all indications the first indoor concert by the local band organization will be a hummer, and the season will be given an auspicious start. The concert will be held at the Met. late this month, and the program promises to be one of unusual merit.

"In the month when leaves are falling, you are bidden to assemble to the feasting and the laughing." Come with sheet and pillow case. October 31st, at eight o'clock. Given by the Christian Endeavor society. Price 25 cents. Presbyterian church parlors.

Chas. Demann came up from Dundas, this state, the first of the week and is spending several days with relatives and old-time friends here. Mr. Demann formerly resided in Red Lake county, but moved t Rice county several years ago, and has prospered since he has been away.

County Attorney Germo went down to St. Paul Tuesday evening, and today is arguing before the supreme court in the case of Ritko et al, vs. John Grove. The lower court gave Ritko a judgment, but Grove appealed and the case is being heard by the supreme judges this week.

John Kotschevar and Tom Norby, two of the boys that help to make Plummer lively, drove over here Tuesday and spent the day looking after business matters. John and Tom are competitors at Plummer, but contrary to the usual rule in such cases the mantel of brotherly love covers them both.

The Junior class of the Red Lake Falls high school served dinner and lunch in the O'Brien building on Main street yesterday, and from 11 o'clock to six were kept busy feeding the hungry multitude. The young people netted $28.60 which is a nice starter for their class fund as a result of their efforts,

J. M. Logan, of Minneapolis, representing the Meek Advertising company, of Coshocton, Ohio, advertising specialists, spent yesterday in Red Lake Falls interviewing the trade. Mr. Logan is a brother-in-law of J. B. Armstrong, formerly of this city, and is acquainted with quite a number of our people, who enjoyed his visit immensely.

The Red River Valley Station Agents association will hold their regular meeting at Crookston Sunday, and Agent J. L. Tracy will go to that place Saturday evening, to participate in the gathering. Several of the Great Northern officials from St. Paul will be present, and a good program has been prepared.

Alvin Robertson, president of the Robertson Lumber company, spent yesterday in the city conferring with local agent Crompe. Mr. Robertson came over in his Franklin touring car, and was accompanied by Mrs. Robertson and their children. He had been at Fertile and drove up here early yesterday morning.

For Sale A high grade phaeton buggy with full leather top and side lamps, used only a few weeks. Also a double buggy harness with collars and hames, full nickle mounted, new: also a second hand single driving harness with collar and hames, in good condition and will sell above cheap for cash. Can be seen at Guerin's barn. tf

Thief River Press: Deputy Sheriff Robt. Lee returned from Bemidji Tuesday bringing with him a man that had left his family here without adequate support and who had failed to send any funds to his wife and two children, who have been on the town of late. He promised to see that they are cared for and to take them to Bemidji as soon as he can get a house to keep them in.

P. B. Gaass, J. C. Wilkinson, E. G. Buse, A. L. Reichert. Harry Healy and Clem Brunelle returned home Monday evening from Thief lake, where they had been since last Thursday hunting geese and ducks. The boys spent most of their time after geese, but the hunkers were scarce and they only bagged two. As a side issue they killed a hundred ducks, just to show that they shot a few shells.

H. C. Clement, owner of Terrebonne cheese factory No. 70, was a caller here Monday, and made THE GAZETTE a call. Mr. Clement had just received his returns from the cheese he had exhibited at the Minnesota State Fair, and was highly pleased at the showing made. His score was 95 points, and a check for $8.90 accompanied it, being his premium money. Mr. Clement has some good records to show in his cheese-making.

Mrs. Fred L. Farley entertained a parting of ladies last Saturday afternoon, Mrs. S. S. Haislet being the guest of honor. The guests spent the afternoon in conversation and a unique contest, in which each lady was required to draw the head of some prominent person. Afterwards they were asked to guess who the different ones were, and great amusement was afforded. Mrs. A. Mikkelson won the prize for the best drawing, and Mrs. P. B. Gaass for guessing the greatest number of what the drawings represented. An elaborate four course dinner was served at six o'clock, and the ladies pronounced Mrs. Farley a charming hostess.

The prize winners in the "best dairy cow" contest which has been held in the Minnesota Red River valley this summer has ended with C. O. Carlson of Erskine the winner, his cow, Dora, making the best record for butter fat in seven months of which a record was kept and Mr. Carlson gets the $25 prize as a result. Dora is 15 years old and is probably the oldest cow in the contest. Her average was 1½ pounds of butter fat per day, which is a remarkable record. Geo. Henderson of Halstad took second prize with his 8 years old cow, Mollie, who gave 269 pounds of butter fat in seven months. Henderson's cow also made the high average for one month, making 47 pounds during one month of the seven.

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PROPRIETARY REMEDIES VS. PHYSICIANS' PRESCRIPTIONS

Statistics Show, of the Deaths from Misuse of Drugs in Two Years, Only Three Per Cent. Were Due to Patent Medicines, According to Figures Based on Medical Certificates.

The press committee of the Proprietary Association of America will present at the next meeting of that body a report showing the number of accidental deaths caused by patent medicines in the two years ending June 30, 1907, as compared with deaths from other causes.

Almost immediately after the beginning of the latest crusade against proprietary medicines this committee was instructed to collect data. This work was done through the clipping bureaus, which furnished accounts of all deaths, exclusive of suicide, due to the misuse of medicines, drugs or poisons. The result showed that only three per cent. could be traced directly to the products made by the members of the association.

The greatest care is said to have been exercised in tabulating the figures received. Whenever the cause of death was doubtful, special investigation was made, no matter where the case might have occurred. The work of assorting and preparing the record was done in Chicago, and the original clippings and correspondence are in the possession of Ervin F. Kemp, 184 La Salle street, that city, the association's publicity agent. The report says, in part:

"A large number of accidents, resulting fatally or otherwise, were caused by the carelessness of persons who left drugs, medicines or poisons within the reach of children. A large number, also, were caused by persons going to medicine cabinets in the dark and taking down the wrong bottle. In no case reported was any medicine, 'patent' or otherwise, held responsible for injury or death except when left within the reach of children or taken or administered in gross overdose."

The committee says that it is unlikely that any cases of death from the use of patent medicine escaped the newspapers, but that it is probable that death from the causes tabulated did occur without receiving publicity. Physicians, of course, report the causes of death. The committee says that they would be the last to suppress the cause if due to the use of medicine not regularly prescribed.

A recapitulation of the committee's findings show 4,295 cases of poisoning, of which 1,753 were fatal. The greatest number of cases, 1,636, with 803 deaths, is attributed to medicines other than proprietary remedies. There are on the list 90 cases of sickness and 43 deaths due to patent medicines.

Analyzing its statistics, the committee finds 201 cases of sickness, with 143 deaths, due to strychnine tablets, which are among physicians' favorite remedies and are often left within the reach of children.

Under the head of miscellaneous prescriptions are grouped 44 cases where, the report says, it has been impossible after diligent inquiry to ascertain the name or the character of the drug or medicine which caused injury or death, beyond the fact that the medicine or drug was prescribed by a physician. Of these cases 18 were fatal. The committee says:

"Under the head of 'All Patent Medicines' are grouped all those remedies which are recognized as patent medicines and which are advertised direct to the public for internal use. Competent authorities say that at least one-half of the medicines taken in the United States are of the kind known as 'patent medicine,' and yet in two years among 80,000,000 people there have been but ninety cases (forty-three fatal) that have been reported in the newspapers from the use or misuse of these remedies."

Not in a single fully substantiated case is it ever charged that any patent medicine in recommended doses was injurious. In this connection it should be understood that in making death certificates and in reporting cases of injury to the newspapers from which these cases were secured, a physician had the final word, and in this connection is there any probability that the doctor will hide his own carelessness or neglect or that of a fellow practitioner whose support he may want at some time, and is there even a possibility that he might hide any responsibility that could be thrown at a patent medicine? Ask yourself these questions. Then when you have found the answer, consider that during all this most thorough and careful investigation covering a period of two years, in not a single established case was it shown that patent medicine in recommended doses was injurious.

The most remarkable case reported was that of an Italian laborer in New York who suffered from pains in the chest. A physician ordered a porous plaster which the patient ate, with fatal results.

Wouldn't Be Repressed.

A young advocate was engaged in his first case. He had evidently conned his argument till he knew it by heart. Before he had proceeded ten minutes with his oratorical effort the judge decided the case in his favor and had told him so. Despite this the young lawyer would not cease. It seemed that he had attained such a momentum that he could not stop. Finally the judge leaned forward, and in the politest of tones said: "Mr. Blank, notwithstanding your arguments, the court has concluded to decide this case in your favor."

THE HOLLOW TREE

By SUESSA BALDRIDGE BLAINE

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We were lovers, Marie and I. We played together on the lawn, or in the gardens where my father was at work, and sometimes we strayed away in the wood close by, and searched for ferns and wild flowers to carry back and give to Marie's mother.

On warm, pleasant days Marie's mother, Mrs. Mason, would give us a picnic, and the cook would pack a basket of goodies and we would carry it over to the wood and have our feast together under the big maple tree. We were especially fond of that old hollow tree, and many a frolic we had under its friendly shade. Sometimes we played it was a safe and brought our "banks" with their store of pennies and hid them deep down in the hollow of the tree, and often it was called the post office, and we dropped our scrawled letters in the box.

One time I was up at the big stone house and the nurse told me that I could never marry Marie, for she was a rich little lady, and her father Col. Mason, while I was poor and only the gardener's son. I ran far in the wood alone that day and threw myself down on the mossy ground, and I fear I cried, though I was past eight and almost a man.

When I went to school in the town close by, I did not see so much of my little sweetheart, for a governess came to the big stone house to teach Marie. But I used to gather a bunch of flowers and then print a letter very plain so she could read it:

"DEER MARIE:

"I LOVE YOU.

"GOOD BY RAY."

These I would mail at the post office in the hollow tree, and Marie would find them when she went out for a walk.

One day, one sad, winter's day, Mrs. Mason died. The stone house was draped in mourning. Poor little Marie, how sad she was! Soon her father sent her away to stay with her auntie and go to school, and I saw no more of my child-love.

Years passed and I, too, went away to school. My parents pinched and saved at home that I might have an education, and with what I was able to earn in vacation time, I managed to go through college.

Two openings were before me when I left college. One position would take me far away, and, perhaps, bring wealth and fame; the other would keep me home with my parents and command a fair salary. I hesitated, I confess, but I chose the latter, and became the principal of the village school.

How strange it seemed to be in my old home again, to sleep in my cozy room and enjoy the simple yet excellent fare my mother prepared.

My father was still employed at the big stone house, for Col. Mason wished the place kept exactly as it was when his wife died. So the lawn was always clipped, the walks and drives were trim and neat, and flowers bloomed in the gardens and conservatories.

In all my years of study I had not forgotten my little sweetheart, Marie, though I saw her but once after she went away to school. I often thought of the slim, bright-eyed girl of 15, and wondered if womanhood had altered her much. She was ever so happy and kind then, as we walked in the gardens and talked of old times. But she would not let me write to her, for she assured me her aunt would not allow it. "But I'll remember you just the same," she said, "and we'll meet again, some day." Had she forgotten her promise?

It was during my second year at the academy that she came home. She had been traveling with her aunt since she finished school, but the colonel was not very well and had sent for her my mother told me. How I dreaded to meet her! I did not go near the stone house when I learned she had come. My childhood dream had been very pleasant and I feared a rude awakening. What was I, to hope for Col. Mason's daughter in marriage? My parents were proud of me and the position I held, but it would seem humble to her, an heiress. My only crime was poverty.

Then pride came to my aid and I said: "She shall never vent her scorn upon me; I will leave her alone."

How pretty she looked when I met her riding with her father. She flushed and bowed. I wondered why she flushed. Weeks passed, but I steadily avoided meeting her. I saw her at church, I watched her flitting about on the grounds when I passed her home. Occasionally she came to see my mother, but that was always when I was at school.

One day as I walked home from town I met her strolling, with only her large English mastiff for company. She was very near, I could not retreat. I was obliged to meet her and answer her pleasant "Good evening."

"I think you have forgotten your old playmate," she said.

"Oh, no," I answered, "I could not forget you."

"Thank you. I know so few people here that old friends are valued."

"I have been so very busy," I explained, "that I have not had opportunity to see you since you came. Were you going somewhere?"

"Not in particular. Prince and I e out for our constitutional."

"May I come with you, then?"

"Yes, if you can spare so much of your precious time," she answered, with a mocking laugh.

After that I met her often. Sometimes I called in the evening and sang with her and talked with her father. And often we went for a walk together. I steeled my heart against her. "She is beautiful and sweet and good," I would say to myself, "but she is not for me."

My father was growing old and needed help in his work now and then. So I often went up with him and worked among the plants. She will see me, I thought. She shall not think I am ashamed of my father and his humble vocation. But it seemed to make no difference with Miss Mason. She bowed as politely, she spoke as pleasantly as ever, when she chanced to see me there at work.

After a time a new caller began coming to the mansion, a handsome, wealthy man from the town. He took Marie riding, he asked her to the opera, he paid her constant attention.

How I despised that man! Once I told my mother I thought he had an ill-bred air in spite of his wealth, and she laughed, though she discreetly said nothing. I saw she thought I was jealous, and perhaps I was. It nearly drove me wild to think she was slipping away from me.

I gave up calling on the colonel, I no longer asked Marie to allow me to accompany her on her afternoon walks, and I took to prowling around in the wood alone. One time I came to the hollow tree and paused beneath its shade. A flood of memories came to my mind, of the happy days of childhood when Marie and I had played together here, when we were lovers and had no thought of rivals, of wealth and of station. I had gathered a bunch of violets, and some impulse impelled me to put them in the hollow that had so often served as our post office long ago, before I loitered home.

"I Was Jealous of Alton."

Next time I was in the wood I went to the gnarly old maple. The violets, brown and withered, were still there. I tossed them away and put fresh ones in their place. Again and again I went to the tree, and finding my flowers faded, I threw them aside and others took their place. One evening I carried some lovely red roses with me when I went for my walk. "It is useless," I thought, as I hid them in the hollow. "She never comes here now; she has forgotten our childhood."

The academy would soon close for the summer vacation, and I determined to go away. An old college friend had written inviting me to go camping on the lakes with him. I would accept the invitation. I would not remain here to witness that man's triumph, for she loves him, no doubt.

The next evening when I went by the tree, the roses were gone. I felt my pulses throbbing wildly. Had she found them? Did she remember, after all? I strolled up to the gardens to see my father, and together we walked home to tea. On the way we met Col. Mason and his daughter returning from a drive. Marie wore a white dress, and a bunch of red roses glowed at her belt; she blushed vividly as I touched my hat.

It seemed as if I walked home on air. Hope whispered sweet words. Marie, sweet Marie. She wore my roses and she blushed when she met my searching gaze.

That night before I slept I wrote a letter, printed exactly as were my boyhood epistles. I asked no questions, I made no plea; I simply declared my love, and I posted it in the maple tree. Next night I hastened to the wood, eager and expectant. I found a bunch of for-get-me-nots and a card that read: "From Marie."

A few moments later I rang the bell at the mansion and asked for Miss Mason.

One day Marie and I were strolling in the gardens discussing appropriate places for the wedding journey. I suggested a tour of the lakes, and told her of my intention earlier in the season, of camping there with my college friend.

"I was jealous of Alton," I said, laughing. "I feared he had won my child-love from me. By the way, you encouraged that youth, Marie. How could you be so coquettish?"

She looked up with her roguish eyes and laughed.

"You were so proud and so distant," she said, "and there was no other way."

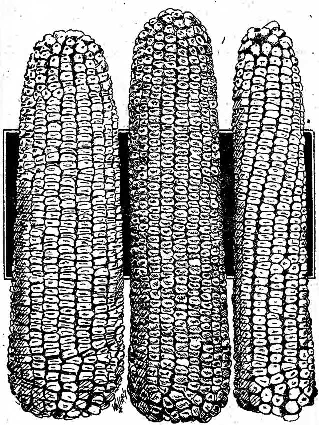
A TIMELY WORD ABOUT SEED CORN SELECTION

By C. G. Williams, Ohio Experiment Station.

One of the important things to be settled regarding the selection of seed corn is, when shall this work be done? It may seem a little out of season to call the attention of the corn growers to this matter at this time of year. Many growers do not worry much about seed corn until a week or two before planting. Some, however, are beginning to learn that there is a better way; that the rail-pen, or the middle of the corn crib is not the best place to look for seed of high quality. If seed corn be not gathered and so cared for that it is either thoroughly dried out before freezing weather arrives, or is kept where the temperature does not fall much below freezing, the vitality is likely to be greatly impaired.

For the sake of higher quality along other lines than germination, progressive growers are realizing the necessity for the fall selection of seed. Ears of corn are not always as valuable as their appearance would indicate. Excellence may be inherent or extraneous. An ear of corn which is good because of inheritance is much more to be desired than one which owes its superiority to especially favorable surroundings.

Plant Selection.—With this thought in view, this station conducted a test in 1906 in which ears selected from plants growing in the field under normal conditions of stand, and as nearly normal in other environment as it was possible to judge, were compared with other ears of the same variety and selected from the same field, but selected from the wagon, no attention being given to the stand in the latter instance. The ears selected from the wagon were superior in size and in general appearance, as might be expected.



Desirable and Undesirable Ears.

The first ear is too coarse, the second is the ideal type, while the last ear is too small.

Eight tenth-acre plots were planted from the two selections, four plots of the plant selected seed and four of the seed selected in the ordinary way. These plots yielded as follows:

PLANT VS. ORDINARY SELECTION.

Plot No.	Method of selection.	Yield per acre, Bushels.
49	Ordinary	68.64
50	Plant	76.57
51	Plant	70.56
52	Ordinary	68.53
55	Ordinary	69.07
56	Plant	71.43
57	Plant	71.43
58	Ordinary	70.82
Average of plant selection plots		72.49
Average of ordinary selection plots		69.26
Gain for plant selection		3.23

In recommending the selection of seed corn upon the plant as it is ripening in the field it should be stated that it is better not to remove the ear from the stalk until it is quite well dried out. When husking, it will be well to go through the field a few days in advance of cutting and mark in some way each plant, growing under normal conditions as regards stand and fertility, which has the appearance of being satisfactory. We have marked these plants by tying a string or strip of old cloth around the ear to attract the attention of the huskers, also by topping the plant. The latter is quicker but some confusion may result from the breaking of the dry stalks at husking. If the husking is to be done by machinery it will be necessary to gather the selected stalks together and shock separately.

When corn is left standing until ready for husking and cribbing or marketing, the seed ears may be gathered as selected some little time in advance of the main harvest.

Some characters of importance in plant and ear, which deserve careful consideration are as follows: The first of these is easily

Maturity.—The first of these is easily maturity. Many farmers are growing corn that is too late in maturing. A variety of corn, which has not acquired the habit of completing its growth before killing frosts are to be expected, is not a variety to be encouraged. A farmer who is growing such a variety should either discard it, or carefully and systematically select the earlier maturing ears for seed.

Vigor of Plant.—A second character which is well worthy of consideration is vigor. While it is freely admitted that a good ear of corn is a very good recommend for the plant which produced it, many plants produce good ears which they are unable to carry to harvest. Under vigor, leaf development and freedom from disease should be considered, also weight of ear.

Uniformity.—In order to give good results corn should be uniform as to height, habit of growth and maturity of plant; height of ear; size, shape and color of kernel.

It may not be amiss to emphasize the great desirability of uniformity as applied to color. Growers who sell the bulk of their crop, rather than feed it, will certainly find it to their advantage to avoid the mixing of varieties and colors. In districts where much of the corn is sold farmers should agree upon a variety and all grow it, thus avoiding mixing through cross-pollination.

Position of Ear.—In the selection of mother plants the position of the ear is worthy of notice. Extremes may well be avoided. Ears borne at too great a height tend to pull the plant over as maturity approaches. The high ear also makes husking in standing corn difficult. It is probable that the continuous selection of the higher ears tends to reduce the size of plant, shorten the growing season and decrease the yield. A medium height, to be determined by each grower for his own locality, is to be desired.

The seed and market condition of corn is greatly favored if the tip of the ear points downward, thus shedding water.

The Care of Seed Corn.—While it is beyond the purpose of this short circular to treat at length of the care of seed corn, a few words should be said.

Seed corn as brought in from the field has a high content of moisture. If, in the attempt to dry it out quickly artificial heat is used, with little or no attention given to ventilation, the chances are that the germ will start to grow. Artificial heat is dangerous at this stage. The important things are ventilation, a dry atmosphere and a moderate temperature. Corn suspended from a wire in a well ventilated shed, granary or dwelling house attic, in such a way that there is free circulation of air around each ear, is very favorably situated. Windows should be closed during nights and rainy days, but open the rest of the time.

If the fall be dry and hard freezing weather does not come until seed is well dried out, it will go through the winter nicely in such quarters. If the weather be damp and winter sets in early, it should have the benefit of artificial heat. A chamber or attic through which a stove pipe passes will answer; a furnace room in a dry cellar is very satisfactory. We have found long bushel boxes, about one foot wide, with one-fourth inch wire netting for sides and top, very desirable storage for corn which has first been handled as above until it is fairly dry. Such mouse-proof boxes afford much ventilation and may be stored in a dry furnace room or in a moderately warm attic with safety.

HOME-MADE REMEDY

INEXPENSIVE AND EASILY PREPARED BY ANYONE.

Is Said to Promptly Relieve Backache and Overcome Kidney Trouble and Bladder Weakness Though Harmless and Pleasant to Take.

What will appear very interesting to many people here is the article taken from a New York daily paper, giving a simple prescription, as formulated by a noted authority, who claims that he has found a positive remedy to cure almost any case of backache or kidney or bladder derangement, in the following simple prescription, if taken before the stage of Bright's disease:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and again at bedtime.

A well-known authority, when asked regarding this prescription, stated that the ingredients are all harmless, and can be obtained at a small cost from any good prescription pharmacy, or the mixture would be put up if asked to do so. He further stated that while this prescription is often prescribed in rheumatic afflictions with splendid results, he could see no reason why it would not be a splendid remedy for kidney and urinary troubles and backache, as it has a peculiar action upon the kidney structure, cleansing these most important organs and helping them to sift and filter from the blood the foul acids and waste matter which cause sickness and suffering. Those who suffer can make no mistake in giving it a trial.

War's Last Use Fled.

"War," said the truculent old general, "is a necessity. Science teaches us that we must have war in order to keep the population properly thinned down."

"Science once taught us so," the apostle of universal peace agreed, "but you must remember, general, that that was before the advent of the automobile."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: William Fraser, Sioux Falls, S. D., track-cleaner; Warren B. Madison, Minneapolis, Minn., cabinet; James Mitchell, Bonilla, S. D., spring tug for harness; George Noyes, Mandan, N. D., pneumatic tire; Alphons Olberg, Minneapolis, Minn., glass showcase; Charles B. Peteler, Minneapolis, Minn., dumping car; George J. Sogge, Hanson, N. D., transmission gearing.

Affirmation.

She—You here again?

Tramp—Yes, kind lady.

She—Well, I won't help you again. I don't believe you have done a thing all the year.

Tramp—Indeed I have, mum; I just done thirty days.

Pure Food.

The pure food law does not prohibit the sale of Cream of Tartar Baking Powders because Cream of Tartar is as pure as Alum—but it is a well known fact that a baking powder in which Alum is used instead of Cream of Tartar is less injurious. Dr. Herman Reinhold, the expert German chemist, in a recent official report concerning Baking Powders, declares that a pure Alum baking powder is better and less injurious than the so-called Cream of Tartar powders. He says that if the quantity of alum contained in a sufficient quantity of baking powder for a batch of bread or cakes for an ordinary family, be concentrated to one mouthful of food, and taken into the stomach of any one person, no matter how delicate, it could do no harm.

What He Got.

"Have you heard from your sister since she went abroad?"

"She has sent me seventeen picture post cards, but I haven't heard from her."

HIGHER CREAM PRICES.
Write us to-day for particulars and tags.
MILTON DAIRY CO., St. Paul, Minn.

When He Listens.

A man may think he knows more than a doctor, but he is apt to listen when a lawyer tells him that he needs a change of climate.

"GOLD SEAL" OVERSHOES
do not freeze stiff on the feet. If your dealer does not have them, apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

His Experience.

Singleton—Do you believe that marriage really broadens a man's mind?

Wedderly—I don't know about that—but it flattens his pocketbook, all right.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

She Wanted to Know.

He—Brains are not needed to win success in these days.

She—Is that an acknowledgment or a boast?

GET A BUSINESS EDUCATION.
Learn shorthand, bookkeeping, telegraphy
Capitol City Commercial College, St. Paul.

Airs assumed by the self-made man are mostly fresh airs.

TIRED BACKS.

The kidneys have a great work to do in keeping the blood pure. When they get out of order it causes backache, headaches, dizziness, languor and distressing urinary troubles. Keep the kidneys well and all these sufferings will be saved you. Mrs. S. A. Moore, proprietor of a restaurant at Waterville, Mo., says: "Before using Doan's Kidney Pills I suffered everything from kidney troubles for a year and a half. I had pain in the back and head, and almost continuous in the loins and felt weary all the time. A few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills brought great relief, and I kept on taking them until in a short time I was cured. I think Doan's Kidney Pills are wonderful."

For sale at all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Noah's Leisure Hours.

"Now, how do you suppose Noah spent the time in the ark during the flood?" the Sunday school teacher asked.

"Prayin'," suggested Willie.

"Fishin'," ventured Dick.

"Humph!" grunted Willie contemptuously. "'Twould be fine fishin' wid only two worms, wouldn't it?"

FURIOUS HUMOR ON CHILD.

Itching, Bleeding Sores Covered Body —Nothing Helped Her—Cuticura Cures Her in Five Days.

"After my granddaughter of about seven years had been cured of the measles, she was attacked about a fortnight later by a furious itching and painful eruption all over her body, especially the upper part of it, forming watery and bleeding sores, especially under the arms, of considerable size. She suffered a great deal and for three weeks we nursed her every night, using all the remedies we could think of. Nothing would help. We tried the Cuticura Remedies and after twenty-four hours we noted considerable improvement, and after using only one complete set of the Cuticura Remedies, in five consecutive days the little one, much to our joy, had been entirely cured, and has been well for a long time. Mrs. F. Ruefenacht, R. F. D. No. 3, Bakersfield, Cal., June 25 and July 20, 1906."

More Natural History.

"They call the lion the king of beasts," said the student.

"Yes," answered the teacher.

"Yet the book says that in actual fighting lions are often quitters."

"Well, so are some kings."

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Thoughtful of Him.

"See here," said the lady, "you told me that work would only cost me $13, and here you've sent in a bill for $14."

"Yes'm," replied the carpenter; "you see, when I came to think the thing over afterward I was afraid maybe you'd be superstitious about that 13."

"GOLD SEAL" OVERSHOES are warmest, wear longest. If your dealer does not have them, apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

A Change.

"He was utterly crushed when his wife died, wasn't he?"

"Seemed so. But he got utterly mashed on a young widow six months later."

"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA worth a dollar a lb. sold for 50c. Write Wm. McMurray, St. Paul, Minn., for free sample.

How He Knows.

Rockefeller says 'the only way to be perfectly happy is to be good to others.'"

"Somebody must have told him."

SHIP YOUR CREAM to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn. Write to-day for tags and prices.

You have no business with religion until you have some religion in your business.

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature

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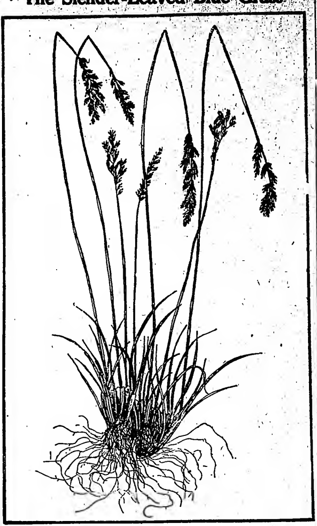
CALIFORNIA Irrigated Fruit, Alfalfa Farms. Easy payments. Special offer. New Gov't aided canal. Catalog free. Wooster, 702 Market St., San Francisco.

FORTUNES in Southern Lands. Write for free pamphlet to O. E. Wright's Advertising and Soliciting Bureau, Vicksburg, Mississippi.

The Slender-Leaved Blue Grass



The blue grasses are quite plentiful throughout the west and furnish abundant pasturage both in the meadows and on the dry foothills and high mountains. There are many different kinds, some of which are called red tops by the different ranchers. The red-top of which we read in the seed catalogues, however, is an entirely different plant and has been in cultivation in the east for a long time. The western blue grasses are closely related to the Kentucky blue grass, for which that state is widely known and the grass that is used universally for lawns. The slender-leaved blue grass, Poa tenuifolia, is held by Prof. Kennedy, of the Nevada station, to be one of the chief grazing grasses of the region and extends from the foothills to the tops of the mountains. In form of growth it may be spoken of as a bunch grass. It grows from six inches to one and a half feet high and is considered by ranchmen the most valuable bunch grass on the range.

HANDLING OF FRUIT CROP

By S. H. Fulton, United States Department of Agriculture.

The importance of handling fruit quickly is coming to be better realized. When a fruit is taken from the tree, or plant, its life processes are accelerated, and if it is to be shipped a considerable distance or is designed for holding cold storage, it should be handled with the least delay possible. Here, again, in the matter of quick handling, cold storage has been an important educating feature. Apples, delayed in transit or at the orchard break down much more quickly in storage, and in the case of bad scalding varieties, scald much worse than when stored immediately after picking. Grimes Golden apples from West Virginia, picked Sept. 16, and delayed in shipment until Oct. 1, developed 37 per cent. scald and 10 per cent. decay by Feb. 2, while the same variety, stored without delay, kept in perfect condition.

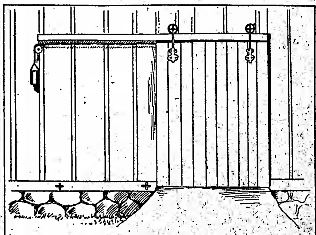
Delaware grown Kieffer pears, delayed ten days before being shipped to cold storage, continued to ripen and soften in storage and were injured at least 50 per cent. in commercial value by the delay. The effect of delay upon small fruits is very much greater. In the case of fruit designed for cold storage, a delay of 12 hours in hot weather will shorten the period of keeping by several days, while a delay of 24 hours may give time for the mold to appear, and the fruit be rendered entirely worthless for storage purposes. With small fruits particularly, the effect of decay is so disastrous that any agency which facilitates the quick and safe handling of the crop should be welcomed by the small fruit grower.

The package is a very important factor in the handling as well as in the marketing the crop. Types of packages have been evolved which conform to the nature of the fruit for which they are designed. Berries are packed in small boxes or baskets, in which the weight is so small that the delicate texture of the fruit is not injured, while large, firm fruits, like the apple and pear, adapt themselves to large packages, such as boxes and barrels designed for such usage. From the cold storage standpoint, it may be stated that fruits, which ripen quickly, like summer apples and pears, should be stored in small packages which permit a rapid lowering of the temperature.

For such fruits, the barrel is too large a package, retaining the heat and causing the fruit to ripen unduly before it can be cooled down. If the storage period is to be short an open package for such fruits may be of additional value, though not necessary if the package is small. For berries, a closed package is best, provided the fruit is dry and cool at picking time.

Give Milk a Rest.—Avoid pouring milk from one vessel to another, after it has been placed in the can or jar for the cream to "rise." Milk needs rest as well as anything else and will not yield the proper amount of cream if it does not receive that rest.

A Self-Opening Barn Door



The arrangement for opening this door consists of a half-inch rope attached to a staple driven into the upper edge of the door and passing parallel with the track beyond the boundary of the door when open. The rope passes over a small pulley and a weight is attached at the end. It is better if the weight and pulleys are fixed inside the building. By attaching the rope to the opposite side of the door a self-closing arrangement will be obtained, which will prove entirely satisfactory.

PROLIFIC GARDEN

ENGLISHMAN'S FIRST AND SUCCESSFUL ATTEMPTS IN MANITOBA—SOIL PRODUCES STRIKING RESULTS.

The Winnipeg (Canada) Free Press of a few days since contains account of the success that followed the efforts of William Knowles, an Englishman who located near Winnipeg, Manitoba. This is but one of many letters giving experiences of settlers, and should be encouraging to those who are looking about for a new home in which they may better their conditions. The following is a copy of the article referred to:

William Knowles, who cultivates some twelve acres of land just below Middlechurch ferry on east side of the Red River has probably as fine a display of horticultural products as any in Manitoba. The whole of his holding is in a high state of cultivation and literally crowded with splendid vegetable specimens, which have fortunately escaped damage by hail, although heavy storms have more than once occurred within a few miles. The potatoes are a wonderful crop, and he expects to raise 1,500 bushels from his patch of 4½ acres. A half dozen of tubers selected yesterday average more than a pound each. Adjoining the potatoes may be seen a marvelous collection of tomatoes. There are 600 plants, all growing under an enormous weight of fruit. One single stock picked yesterday contained eighteen tomatoes and weighed four pounds. This extraordinary example of marvelous growth, together with some of the potatoes were sent to the Free Press office.

The proprietor was the first in town with several specimens, including green corn. The season has been favorable for onions, and one square patch of nearly an acre is looking remarkably healthy. In addition there are good crops of cabbages, cauliflower, turnips, parsnips, carrots, pumpkins, marrows, cucumbers, celery, peas, lettuce, rhubarb, etc. The floral department has not been neglected and a charming display of all the well known blooms were shown, including a specially choice lot of asters.

Mr. Knowles, who gained most of his gardening experience in England, is loud in his praise of Manitoba soil for vegetable raising, and is gratified with the result of his first attempt at extensive horticulture.

Curiosity often hides behind the mask of sympathy.

Women Avoid Operations

MISS ROSE MOORE

When a woman suffering from female trouble is told that an operation is necessary, it, of course, frightens her.

The very thought of the hospital, the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart.

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A Definition From the Bleachers.

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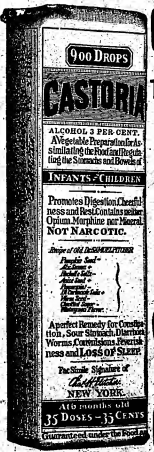

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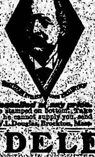

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Hourglasses In a London Church.

Nearly everybody is aware that at one time it was the custom in many churches to regulate the length of the sermon by an hourglass, which stood on the pulpit immediately fronting the preacher. Quite a number of these curious relics are preserved in various ecclesiastical edifices throughout the land, but the British and Foreign Sailors' church, situated in what was formerly Ratcliff highway, is the only one possessing four. They are in perfect preservation and are fixed all together in a framework of solid brass.—London Standard.

Egyptian Obelisks.

The obelisk in Central park, brought to this country in 1880, was set up at the entrance of the temple of the Sun at Heliopolis, Egypt, about 1831 B. C., by Thotmes III. Twenty-three years before Christ the Emperor Augustus moved the obelisk, together with its companion, now on the banks of the Thamee, London, to Alexandria, from which place it was brought to New York at the time designated above. Of Egyptian obelisks some forty-two are known, though many of these are broken or otherwise practically destroyed.—New York American.

Arabian Horses.

There is no animal history recorded that is so ancient as that connected with the Arabian horse, and there naturally has been a great deal of conjecture as to where he came from. While there is but one general breed of Arab horses, writes Homer Davenport in the Woman's Home Companion, there are many subfamilies, and of these there are five primary families called the Khamseh. As the legend runs, these have descended from five great mares which with other mares of King Solomon were drinking at a river after long hardships in war when the trumpet blew calling them back to battle. Only five responded to the call, and it was those five that founded the five great families.

The skull of a human being grows rapidly up to the age of seven years and then very slowly up to the age of twenty. After that its growth ceases.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake }

The State of Minnesota to Francesco Coradi, defendant.

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county, on the 5th day of November, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, to answer to the complaint of Wm. H. Krueger, in a civil action, wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of twenty and 50-100 dollars, ($20.50.)

Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid, judgment will be rendered against you, upon the evidence adduced by said Wm. H. Krueger, for such sum as he shall show himself entitled to.

Given under my hand this first day of October, A. D., 1907.

A. P. TOUPIN,
Justice of the Peace.

To the Legal Voters of the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a petition is on file in my office, signed by legal voters of said County to the number of Two Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Two, praying that the county seat of said county of Red Lake be changed to the city of Thief River Falls in said county, and that a special meeting of the county board will be held at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 19th day of October, A. D., 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to consider said petition at which time and place any legal voter of said county may appear, in person, or by counsel, and be heard.

Dated October 1st, A. D., 1907.

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"Well, she broke her lookin' glass, and somethin' was bound to happen."—Philadelphia Press.

To Be Sure.

Old Lady—Are you traveling for the good of your health?

Defaulting Bankrupt—Rather!—Illustrated Bits.

In the Barnyard.

Materfamilias—Great Scott! Two more mouths to feed!—Harper's Weekly.

Consolation.

Kind Hearted Motorist (to victim)—There's a doctor in that car behind.—Browning's Magazine.

A Safeguard.

First Beggar—What's that paper you've got?

Second Beggar—List of places where there's a lack of workmen.

First Beggar—You crazy? We won't go near such pieces!

Second Beggar—Chump! That's why I got it!—Fliegende Blatter.

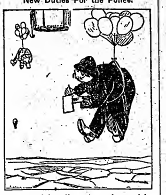
Airy Criticism!

Bill (watching the traffic below)—Risky things, them there motors.—Sketch.

Position With Marshall Oil Co.

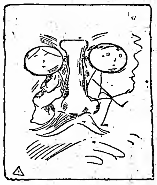
Miss Nellie Lien, who went to Fargo to take shorthand last fall, has completed her course at the Dakota Business College and has been placed by the school as stenographer for the Marshall Oil Co. of that city. The Fargo papers are full of praise of the work which this school is doing for young people who want to engage in business pursuits—about 350 of its pupils got places in business offices last year.

New Duties For the Police.



The aerial police at work—a vision of the near future.—Sketch.

Can't Always Tell.



She—I thought you said nothing would ever come between us?

He—Well, you can't tell what may happen on a pinch.—Optical Review.

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PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school a 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Knox, Pastor.

Secret Societies

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall Visitors are always welcome.—Fred Zaiser N. G. Dr. J. E. Argue, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S. James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—E. G. Buse, C. C.; P. B. Gaass, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kanfer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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NEW MAIL ROUTE

Instructions Received by Postmistress Marshall Regarding the New Route.

Postmistress Marshall has received from the department information to the effect that the new mail route out from Red Lake Falls has been authorized and service will be commenced December 2nd, 1907. Applications will be received for a carrier to cover route, one section of the territory to be served on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, and the other on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, and the salary to be $900 per annum, including horse hire. From November 1st to April 30th carrier will leave to deliver at eight o'clock in the morning, and during the balance of the year at 11:15 a. m. Patrons along the routes will secure mail boxes and be prepared for the starting of the service, and the list below will give the routes and the day of service:

MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY.

Beginning at the post office, carrier will go south to city limits, thence west to the center of east line of section 23, south to the southeast corner of section 9, east to the southeast corner of section 11, south to the southeast corner of section 14, east to the southeast corner section 17, north to the southeast corner of section 8, east to the southeast corner of section 10, north to the southeast corner of section 3, east and north to Torrebonne, retrace west to southeast corner section 4, north to southeast corner section 33, west to the southeast corner of section 32, south to the southeast corner of section 5, west to the southeast corner of section 1, north to the southeast corner of section 36, west to the center south line section 35, north to the center of south line of section 26, thence west and north to post office; length of route, 29 miles.

TUESDAY, THURSDAY, SATURDAY.

Beginning at the post office carrier will go north and east to city limits; center west line of section 23, thence south to the southeast corner section 23, east to center line section 23, south with jog, passing Terrebonne to the south line of section 2, west to the southeast corner of section 4, north to the southeast corner of section 33, west to the southeast corner of section 32, south to the southeast corner of section 17, west to the southeast corner of section 14, north to the southeast corner of section 11, east to the southeast corner of section 12, north to the southeast corner of 36, west to the center of south line of section 35, north to the center of south line of section 26, west one-half, north one-half, west one-half to city limits and north to post office; length of route, 29 miles; families served, 100.

For further information regarding the route, mail boxes or service, the patrons will apply to Postmistress E. F. Marshall.

Notice to the Public.

I have started up the Healy flour mill and am now prepared to furnish the famous "Gold Seal" fancy patent flour, and feed of all kinds on the shortest notice. Orders phoned to No. 87 will be given prompt attention. Farmers who desire to exchange wheat for flour will find it to their advantage to call on me. Will also always pay the highest cash price for wheat. Am prepared to do feed grinding every hour in the day. Give me a call.

Yours sincerely,
1-3 Leo. Steinert.

Gang Plows!!

I have for sale second-hand gang plows, Flying Dutchman, John Deere and Bradley XX-Ray. These plows are in first-class condition; will do as good work as new ones, and you can buy them for half their actual value. WM. FINDEISEN.

HIGH CHEESE SCORES.

Terrebonne Factory Gets First Place in Contest.

Altho there were only sixteen entries in the fifth month's cheese scoring contest of the state dairy and food department, the quality of the products exceeded anything entered in any previous contest.

The result of the markings show that two men are tied for first place with the high mark of 98¼. They are L. L. Stromback of Battle Lake, and H. Clement, of Terrebonne. These marks were for full cream cheese.

Other scores in this division from this section were: H. Paranteau, Brooks, 96; J. Paranteau, Red Lake Falls, 96.

George Hoefler of Pine Island, carried off the prize in the brick cheese competition, with a score of 96. His was the only entry.

The judges in this contest were F. J. Munn, of St. Paul; R. Unger, of Minneapolis, and A. W. Parkin, of Cannon Falls.

The winners of the contest in the cheese scoring will be announced at the same time that the final winners in the butter scoring contest are announced, which will be at St. Peter next month at the annual meeting of buttermakers of the state.

Proved an Alibi.

The Sunday school superintendent was reviewing the lesson. "Who led the children of Israel out of Egypt?" he asked. There was no answer.

Pointing to a little boy at the end of the seat, he demanded a little crossly: "Little boy, who led the children of Israel out of Egypt?" The little boy was ready to cry as he piped out with a quavering voice: "Please sir, it wasn't me. We just moved here last week. We're from Missouri."

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HARVEST IS GREAT

Crops in Red Lake County Are Good and Money Is Plentiful.

In the September 21st issue of the Commercial West, a trade and financial paper published at Minneapolis, J. A. Duffy, cashier of the Merchants State Bank, contributed the following regarding the outlook in Red Lake county:

"The conditions in our country are much improved over a year ago, both from a business and financial viewpoint. We have the best crop that has been raised in Red Lake county since 1901. All our cereals are much above the average crop. Wheat looks like twenty-five bushels per acre, with other grains corresponding.

"The deposits of our own bank being 30 percent better than this time last year. The total deposits of our institution now being $175,000. Our competitors being equally as good.

"Our country does not rely on grains to liquidate debts, as formerly, as we now have fifteen creameries and cheese factories within the limits of the county, paying to farmers $200,000 per annum. One creamery, namely; at St. Hilaire will pay $75,000 this year.

"Land movements have been slow, but begin to pick up. The future looks very bright for increased immigration. There is nothing in sight at present to warrant a recession of business in the near future, in fact, it is just the reverse. Collections so far have been fair, but will be good within the next sixty days. The demand for money, locally, is not urgent, except for farm loans. Merchants are finding trade much better than a year ago, and are ordering heavier, consider the prospects for future trade very bright."

Conditions show that Mr. Duffy's prediction are more than realized. Threshing is about two-thirds done, and shows a yield of wheat in many cases better than twenty-five bushels to the acre, and in almost every instance the quality is No 1.

Oats, barley and rye are turning out a big yield, while our timothy and clover crop is also heavy. Strangers are coming in every week looking for good farms for future homes and express themselves highly pleased with conditions in Red Lake county. They prove that they mean what they say by buying farms. With the advent of the numerous cheese factories and creameries there is every reason to believe that Red Lake county is entering upon an era of unprecedented prosperity.

CROP IS SMALLER

Yields of Cereals Decidedly Lower This Year Than In 1906.

According to the report of the crop division of the agricultural department just issued, the preliminary estimate of the average yield per acre of spring wheat is 13.1 bushels, which compared with 13.7 bushels as finally estimated in 1906, 14.7 in 1906, and a ten year average of 14 bushels. The total indicated production of spring wheat is about 216,067,000 bushels, compared with 242,372,966 bushels as finally estimated in 1906. The production of spring and winter wheat combined is about 626,567,000 bushels, compared with 735,260,970 bushels as finally estimated a year ago. These and other preliminary estimates of yield are subject to revision when the final estimates are made in December.

The average quality of spring wheat is 88.8 as compared with 88.5 in 1906, 89 in 1905, and 75.7 in 1905.

An average yield of oats of about 23.5 bushels per acre is indicated, as compared with 31.2 bushels finally estimated in 1906, exactly 34 bushels in 1905 and a ten-year average of 30.1 bushels. A total yield of about 731,521,000 bushels is thus indicated as compared with 954,904,522 bushels finally estimated in 1906.

The condition of corn on Oct. 1 was 78.0 as compared with 80.2 last month, 90.1 on Oct. 1, 1906, 89.2 on Oct. 1, 1905, and a ten-year average of 79.6.

The preliminary estimate of yield per acre of barley is 23.9 bushels, against 28.3 bushels as finally estimated in 1906; 26.8 bushels in 1905, and a ten-year average of 25.5 bushels. A total production of 147,192,000 is thus indicated, as compared with 178,016,484 bushels finally estimated in 1906. The average quality is 88.1, against 89.1 in 1906, 86.2 in 1905 and 88.7 in 1904.

The preliminary estimate of yield per acre of rye is 16.4 bushels, against 16.7 bushels as finally estimated in 1906; 16.5 bushels in 1905, and a ten-year average of 15.7 bushels. B total production of 31,566,000 bushels is thus indicated as compared with 35,374,833 bushels finally estimated in 1906.

The average quality is 91.6 against 94.1 in 1906; 92.6 in 1905 and 91.6 in 1904.

The average condition of potatoes on Oct. 1 was 77, as compared with 80.2 last month, 82.2 Oct. 1, 1906, 74.3 Oct. 1, 1905, and a ten-year average of 74.7.

The average condition of flax for seed at the time of harvest was 78, as compared with 87.4 in 1906, 91.5 in 1905 and 87 in 1904.

WE DOFF OUR HAT.

In assuming editorial charge of THE GAZETTE we are aware of the task before us, but we ask your earnest indulgence, hearty support and helping hand that we may safely glide over all obstacles and pull forth in unbounded success. Taking up the work where our predecessor left off, we have the acquaintances of the citizens of Red Lake Falls and vicinity to make, so hesitate not in stopping us to tell about the company entertained by you, the social gathering at the home of your neighbor, or any item of news that would be read and appreciated by a friend at a distance.

JAS. H. CROSS.

A Criminal Attack

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels, 25c at Schreiter's drug store.

RED LAKE HIT HARD

State Board of Equalization Raises Valuations Considerably.

County Auditor J. B. O'Brien has received the valuations in Red Lake county as equalized by the state board. The raises are not as radical as they were a year ago, but the state board showed no leniency at any point. The results as received are as follows:

Horses and mules, one to three years old, 10 per cent.

Stallions, at St. Hilaire, 50 per ct.

Cattle, one year old, 25 per cent; two years old, 1[illegible] per cent; cows, 15 per cent; all other cattle 40 per cent.

Sheep, 60 per cent.

Hogs, 33[illegible] per cent.

Wagons, carriages, sleighs and bicycles, [illegible]0 per cent.

Sewing machines, 70 per cent.

Watches and clocks, 200 per cent.

Melodeons and organs, 10 per ct.

Pianofortes, 50 per cent.

Household goods and wearing apparel, 80 per cent.

Office furniture, 50 per cent.

Agricultural implements, 75 per cent.

Goods and merchandise, retail merchants, 10 per cent.

Logs, lumber, lath, etc., in hands of manufacturer, Thief River Falls, 25 per cent.

Logs, lumber, lath, etc., in hands of retailer, 25 per cent.

Stock and furniture of sample rooms, saloons, eating houses, etc., 33⅓ per cent.

Manufacturers' tools, machinery: etc., Thief River Falls, 25 per cent.

Moneys of banks (whose capital is not represented by shares of stock), Red Lake Falls, 100 per cent.

Shares of bank stock (including State and National), Red Lake Falls and First State Bank of Thief River Falls, 25 per cent.

For Sale.

New Bucher & Gibbs riding gang plow, 12 inch; will sell for $45, worth $75. Plow guaranteed in every particular. WM. FINDEISEN.

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Palmer Cloaks

From the looks of things and judging from the sales we are making the Palmer cloak is again going to lead. One thing is evident, the particular people admire and buy the Palmer. There is something about the fit of them you can't see in others. Fur collared long coats $12.00 to $27.50. All cloth long coats $6.00 to $15.00.

Grocery Specials

KKK Norway herring 10c, fancy pink salmon 10c lb, 5 lb jelly 20c, 3 cans plums for 50c, macaroni 10 lb box 60c, force 10c, mince meat 9c.

Market day was a grand success. For those who couldn't come on that day, we will hold open for a week all our bargains in skirts, suits, shawls, dress goods, towels, sweaters and other things. Watch for next Market day. Remember it surely pays to trade at

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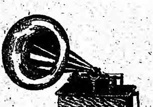

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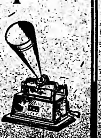

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

The new national pure food law requiring accurate labeling of food products has gone into effect and the department of justice is preparing for a campaign in enforcement of the statute.

By direction of the president William F. Duvall has been appointed to be major general in the army, vice Maj. Gen. William McCaskey, the present commander of the Department of the Dakotas.

Attorney General Bonaparte had a long conference with Assistant Attorney General Purdy, at which the investigation of the Standard Oil company was discussed and a number of other pending matters reviewed.

President Roosevelt has been presented with a handsome jeweled Japanese sword. The presentation was arranged for by Ambassador Aoki and made by Tanlemoa Hitachiyama, the champion wrestler of Japan, who is on a sightseeing tour of the United States.

A new record has been made in wireless telegraphy by the navy. The wireless telegraph station near Savannah, Ga., has picked up a message from the cruiser Pennsylvania while approaching San Francisco from Honolulu. The best previous record was made by the Washington navy yard station several months ago, when it received a message from the naval wireless station at Los Angeles, Cal.

Crimes.

Frank J. Constantine, recently convicted of the murder of Louise Gentry in Chicago, has been denied a new trial by Judge Kavanaugh, and in accordance with the verdict of the jury was sentenced to life imprisonment.

Seven more graft indictments in the capitol prosecutions were returned by the Dauphin county grand jury at Harrisburg, Pa. Every man named in the prosecutions has now been indicted and there are still twelve cases to be considered.

Adelbert Schauer, a well-to-do manufacturer of New York, who had just returned from a hunting trip in Maine, committed suicide, apparently because of the death of his pet setter dog, which he had accidentally shot during his hunting trip.

With the gas turned on Mrs. Margaret F. Bukelow, Madison, Wis., who professed to be a cousin of Senator La Follette, was found dead in her room in Washington. As there was an ugly bruise under one eye and other evidences of a possible struggle, the police suspect foul play.

Personal.

Maj. Gen. Sir John Charles Ardagh, ex-director of military intelligence at the British war office, died at Carnarvon, Wales.

M. J. Brunchorst, the Norwegian minister at Havana, has been appointed minister of public works in succession to K. D. Lehmkuhl, who has resigned.

The Ohio friends of Lieut. Gen. Corbin, retired, are urging him to accept the Republican nomination for congressman from the Sixth congressional district in that state.

The report that Prince Francis of Teck will shortly be formally engaged to the beautiful Miss Margaretta Drexel of Philadelphia has spread over London during the past few days and is being generally discussed.

Miss Mary G. Burdette, sixty-six years old, sister of Robert J. Burdette and for many years corresponding secretary of the Baptist Home Missionary society, died in Chicago at the Baptist training school. She suffered from cancer.

Mme. Anna Gould's possible engagement to Prince Helie de Sagan is being discussed by those in the inner circles of French-American society in Paris. Despite denials that they will marry, Prince de Sagan continues his attentions to the American woman.

Capt. Marcus M. Drake, one of the best known men on the Great Lakes, died at Buffalo, N. Y. When Grover Cleveland was elected governor of New York, Capt. Drake was elected by the common council to fill out his unexpired term as mayor of Buffalo.

Foreign.

The storm center in the South of France has shifted eastward to Toulon. The grape crop there has been entirely destroyed.

The epidemic of cholera which broke out in Russia early in August is spreading rapidly, and already twelve provinces are affected.

The authorities at Marseilles admit that a death from the plague occurred on board the Italian steamer Armonia, which is now in quarantine at that port, and another case of the disease had been taken to the quarantine hospital, but the health officials declare that all danger of infection is over.

A girl of seventeen was one of the fiercest resisters in a gang of bandits recently overpowered near Jojarevats, Servia. She had fled from her home to join her sweetheart, who was one of the band, and declared she fought so stoutly in order to make sure of being sent to prison with him.

Herr Woelfling, formerly Archduke Leopold Salvatore of Austria, is engaged to marry Maria Ritter, the daughter of a humble Silesian.

The entire section through which the Chinese Eastern railroad runs has been officially declared to be threatened with cholera.

A conflagration destroyed four blocks in the business section of Port Limon, entailing a loss of $60.000 and resulting in the death of several persons.

A dispatch from Stockholm says that the Swedish Yacht club has forwarded a challenge to the New York Yacht club for a series of races for the America's cup.

The Russian government has decided to dismantle the naval fortresses at Libau, Sveaborg, Usdvinsk, Kertch and Batoum, as they are not required under the reduced navy.

There have been four deaths from the plague at Oran and twelve cases are in the hospital. All of those afflicted are said to be recovering. The contagion was brought there by ships from India.

Forty-two persons, including thirty Japanese soldiers were killed or injured by the derailment of a southbound train from Seoul, Korea. The responsibility for the wreck has not been located.

Torrential rains have flooded the valley of the Canaro, near Turin. Crops have been ruined, stock drowned, bridges swept away and railroad communication interrupted. The population is in great distress.

A signed document by high officials and the commanders of the army has been presented to the shah of Persia to the effect that unless the sovereign accepts without reserve and will act according to the demands of a constitutional government they will resign in a body from the service.

Accidental Happenings.

Three men were killed and two were fatally injured by the collapse of a new building in Spickard, Mo.

John Fry and John Neer were instantly killed by the falling of a boiler under which they were working in the Big Four shops.

With a roar like that of a cannon a big meteor fell in the mountains back of Elizabethville, Pa., setting fire to the forest and frightening hundreds of people.

Hugo Coltini, aged seven, was instantly killed at Houghton, Mich., by the accidental discharge of a single-barreled shotgun, which he was carrying from one room to another.

Mrs. John Gilbert, a member of a prominent family at Grinnell, Iowa, was run down and killed at the Rock Island crossing. Death was instantaneous, the body being badly mangled.

Fire destroyed the office and salt and coal sheds of the Nye-Schneidar company at Eagle grove, Iowa. The elevator and part of the lumber yard was saved. Loss is estimated at $8,000.

While cruising on Lake Independence, at Marquette, Mich., in a yacht carrying too big a sail John Paredis and William Givens were thrown into the water when a gust of wind upset the craft. Paridis was drowned.

News reached El Paso, Tex., of another slide in the Mexican Central quarries near Victoria, in which many laborers were buried alive. Sixteen dead and eleven fatally injured have been taken out. It is known that many others are buried under the tons of earth and rock, with no hope of being rescued alive.

General News Items.

The supreme court of Illinois has decided the new primary election law unconstitutional.

J. M. Barr, director general of the Jamestown Exposition company, who recently resigned that office, finally declines to withdraw his resignation.

The Eighteenth United States Infantry started from Fort Leavenworth last week for the Philippines, where it will be stationed three years.

Minneapolis men are interested in a $1,800,000 company which has applied for incorporation for the development of a gold mining proposition in the Cook City district in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jennings Bryan recently celebrated the twenty-third anniversary of their arrival in Lincoln, Neb., by giving a dinner to neighbors and friends known as the Farmers' club.

The dairymen of Marquette, Mich., have raised the price of milk from 8 cents to 10 cents a quart. The increased price of grain and hay is given as the reason, but the formation of a trust is suspected.

An oil painting of J. Pierpont Morgan, which was recently seized by the customs authorities of New York because the financier refused to pay a $25 duty on it, has been sold at auction for $35, the purchaser being T. J. Wallece, a saloonkeeper, who will hang it in his saloon beside a stuffed monkey which he bought at a sale in the appraiser's stores.

Negro voters were excluded from participating in the Louisville Democratic primary election for governor in January. This action was taken by the Democratic state central committee, which declared the measure to be "the purpose and intent of the primary election law passed a year ago."

Rev. John Royer of Switzerland county, Ind., was tried by a committee of nineteen Methodists on charges of kissing a member of his congregation against her will and was suspended from the ministry for one year. The charges were preferred by the presiding elder of the circuit.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

The postoffice at Stacy was burglarized, the robbers securing a small amount in postage stamps.

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John B. Drahman, a well known merchant of Parham, is dead from Bright's disease. He was fifty-three years old.

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Mrs. C. A. Falk died at her home in Sherburne. Her husband and three children survive. She was a sister of Peter Olson and of Eric Olson at Dunnell.

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Swen Anderson, a farmer living a short distance south of Benson, was found dead in the hay loft of his barn. It is supposed that he died of heart disease.

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J. C. Eliel, president of the Minneapolis Drug company and one of the most prominent business men of Minneapolis, died at his home at Minnetonka Beach.

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The milkmen doing business in Faribault have decided to raise the price of their milk from 5 cents to 6 cents per quart. They also have raised the price of cream to 5 cents a pint.

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A voluntary petition of bankruptcy has been filed by M. B. Haskell, a groceryman of Faribault. His liabilities are quoted at $3,245, and assets are $5,950, of which $3,500 are exempt.

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J. J. Robertson was arrested for stealing a watch from a fellow laborer near Sabin. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was fined $45, which includes the value of the watch, which he had pawned.

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Snakes are more numerous this year in Clay and Wilkin counties than they have been at any time in the history of that section of the state. Old settlers say they never saw the reptiles equal in number and size.

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Knealy, a bartender of Duluth, reports the loss of $20 in bills. The loss occurred in a most unusual manner. He owns a poodle dog and says the animal ate the purse containing the money, leaving nothing except the brass rims.

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Two big double warehouses for the storage of potatoes and other produce are being built in the down-town district of Anoka by the Anoka starch company. They are directly north of the Lincoln mill and on the Great Northern tracks.

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The Arlington Canning Company of Arlington has quit canning on account of the heavy frosts, which killed the corn. The pack this year is about 4,600 cases, while last year this reached 7,600 cases. The shortage is due to the late corn and early frost.

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The body of an unidentified man was found on the car tracks on the Fort Snelling reservation at St. Paul. The top of the head was crushed in, one leg was broken and the other crushed, the clothing was torn and two of the man's pockets were torn and pulled inside out. No articles nor papers were found on the body.

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There is a marked spirit of optimism in the section of the country about Crookston over the harvest returns. The crop was better this year than for five years, and although the yield per acre will not be so great as in the most favored years, the price that grain is commanding is just about double what it has been at any other time.

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Albert Sullivan, one of the men employed as dock guard at Duluth during the strike, was assaulted one night recently, and while unconscious was tied to the track under an ore train with strips torn from his shirt and left there by the men who attacked him. He is now in the hospital, but has not recovered consciousness sufficiently to describe his assailants.

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Neil Williams, a trained hospital attendant, has been arrested, charged with stealing money and valuables from the pockets of overcoats left in the cloak room of the St. Barnabas hospital in Minneapolis by physicians. Williams is said to have confessed to the police and to have returned nearly $290 in cash and several sets of valuable physicians' instruments.

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The locomotive hauling the southbound passenger over the Red Lake railway, while running between Nebish and Puposky ran into three cattle that were standing on the track. The engine was derailed and went into the ditch. The engineer and fireman jumped from the locomotive. The coaches remained on the track but the passengers were severely shaken up. No one was injured.

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The Dassel Roller Mill company has been incorporated, with a capital of $20,000, and will commence the erection at once of a modern three-story flour mill. The new mill will be in operation by Jan. 1 and will be under the management of Arne Arneson of Cyrus, Minn.

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Information has been received from a reliable source that the large $300,000 sawmill at Crookston belonging to the Crookston Lumber company is to be dismantled this fall and removed to some other place more advantageous

Three wolves were shot recently near the site of the new steel plant at New Duluth, within the city limits.

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William Keyster, sixty-five years old, was found dead one mile east of Springfield, in the timber. He left home a few days before to gather grapes.

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The members of the Minnesota Milk Shippers' association held a meeting in Faribault and raised the price for milk and cream shipped to St. Paul and Minneapolis.

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Jennie Olsen, seventeen years old, was probably fatally burned in Minneapolis by the explosion of a wood alcohol lamp upon which she was about to prepare a lunch.

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The village of Brownton has completed the installing of a water works system to replace the tower-and-tank system which has been in use for the last twelve years.

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Mrs. Edward Stark, wife of Judge Edward Stark of Center City, died very suddenly while her husband was at Harris attending the funeral of his son, who died the day previous.

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Joseph Jellineck, a widely known resident of Red Wing, died at Rochester. He was fifty-one years old and for the past twenty-five years was engaged in the manufacture of cigars.

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The Willow Lawn creamery at Traverse Siding, four miles west of St. Peter, was completely destroyed by fire. The blaze is supposed to have been caused by sparks from a locomotive.

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At the junction south of Heron Lake an Omaha freight ran into a Milwaukee freight standing at the station. The Omaha engine is badly damaged and several Milwaukee cars are wrecked.

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John Bohn, engineer on a Great Northern switch engine, was scalded to death in a wreck at Sandstone. He was caught under his engine and scalded by steam from a broken gage-cock.

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August Ackerman, who was arrested by Chief of Police Malony of Moorhead on the charge of holding up Rev. I. I. Bredehlik, had a hearing before Judge Malloy and was held to the grand jury.

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Samuel Bull, fifteen years old, was mangled to death by the wheels of a freight train in the yards of the Omaha road at St. Paul. He was riding on top of the train and was knocked off when the train passed under a bridge.

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Sheriff Donahue of Mankato attached the stock of hardware and implements of Ed Foley of Vernon Center to satisfy a claim of $83 held by the Crane-Ordwey company of St. Paul. Foley disappeared two weeks ago and his present whereabouts are unknown.

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Rudolph Triplett, a freight conductor, was killed near Wendell. The caboose left the track while the train was traveling at a considerable rate of speed, and the body of the car was torn from the trucks and badly demolished. Mr. Triplett was caught between two heavy timbers and his chest was crushed, death being instantaneous.

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Mrs. Gussie Upton, an elderly resident of Moorhead, was found dead in bed in her rooms at the Northern hotel. The coroner investigated her death and decided that the cause was acute alcoholism. Morphine given during an illness to relieve pain is said to have made the woman an habitual user of the drug, ultimately wrecking her home.

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Among the exhibits at the county fair at Bemidji an exhibit of Peter Larson of winter wheat, raised in Beltrami county, was prominent. Mr. Larson sowed to wheat two and one-half acres, and when threshed he had a yield of eighteen bushels per acre of this wheat. The grain was among the best on exhibit and shows conclusively that good winter wheat can be raised there.

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G. H. Foster, auditor for Swift & Co. of South St. Paul has not been at his office since Sunday, Sept. 22, and it is claimed that his books show irregularities. The local officials are not prepared to state the amount of the discrepancy, but it has been estimated as high as $10,000. Detectives for the surety company on his bond are now trying to locate him, but so far have not succeeded.

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The fifty-second annual meeting of the General Congregational Association of Minnesota was held at New Ulm Oct. 1, 2 and 3.

Through the explosion of a gasoline stove Folger's store in the northern part of Scanlon was set on fire and burned to the ground. The building was a frame structure and in less than half an hour it was totally destroyed. Two adjoining buildings used as residences also were burned.

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W. J. Brown, a ditch contractor, was injured in a runaway accident at Donaldson, a small village near Crookston. His leg became caught when he was partly thrown from the buggy and he was dragged. He died in a Crookston hospital.

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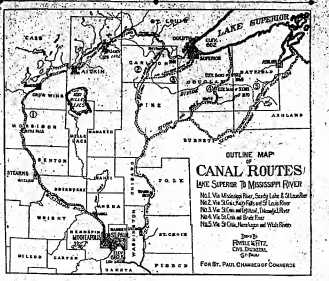
A freak in potatoes was discovered in the garden of Surveyor Jones in Roosevelt. About fifty potatoes of average size grew upon two vines, besides 150 in the earth at the roots. Mr. Jones is saving the tubers for seed and may produce a new variety.

Duluth-St. Paul Canal Routes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CANAL ROUTES
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No. 1. Via Mississippi River, Sandy Lake & St. Louis River
No. 2. Via St. Croix, Kettle Falls and St. Louis River
No. 3. Via St. Croix and Left hand, (Nemadji) River
No. 4. Via St. Croix and Brule River
No. 5. Via St. Croix, Namekagon and White Rivers
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FOR ST. PAUL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The map indicates the different routes which are possible for the proposed Duluth-St. Paul barge canal, which has been revived in connection with the proposal to deepen the channel of the Mississippi. A reconnaissance was made in 1895 by Maj. C. B. Sears of the United States corps of engineers, which covered three possible routes.

The most feasible route, the Allouez bay-Brule river-St. Croix river route, covering a distance of 210 miles with a summit level of thirty-five miles where the proposed canal would cross the land divide in the northern part of Wisconsin. The total lift, or the vertical distance through which a barge would have have to be lowered and raised, was estimated at 767 feet, which could be accomplished by twenty-four locks or hydraulic lifts. The estimated cost of construction at the time the exploration was made was $7,050,000.

The other two routes indicated in the map were hardly considered practicable. The second route proposed a canal along the line of the Nemadji river, the Kettle or Snake river and the St. Croix or Rum river. The third route was via the St. Louis river, the East Savannah river, Sandy lake to the upper Mississippi river.

In making the exploration the construction of a canal eighty feet wide at the water surface, fifty-nine feet wide at the bottom and seven feet deep was considered. These dimensions would be ample to allow a barge navigation. It was calculated that four years would be required to build the canal.

ONE END IN THIS STATE.

Green Bay & Western Files Its Annual Report.

The annual report of the Green Bay & Western Railroad company, filed with the state railroad and warehouse commission, shows that the road made a surplus of over $89,000 from operation last year. The road crosses the Mississippi river into Winona, the rest of the line being in Wisconsin.

The report shows that the gross earnings from the interstate passenger business accruing to Minnesota for the year was $1,538.97, to which is added $159.16 mail and express receipts, $1,898.96 freight receipts, making the total gross earnings from operation accruing to Minnesota $3,597.08.

The gross earnings from operation for the entire line were $643,103.64 and the operating expenses $403,094.56, making the income from operation $240,009.08. The company received $4,375 in interest on bonds owned and $21,614.70 miscellaneous income, making the total income $265,898.78.

The company paid a dividend of $30,000 on the funded debt accrued and $21,667.03 in taxes, a total of $61,667.03, leaving the net income $214,231.76. A dividend of 5 per cent on the common stock, amounting to $125,000, was paid, leaving the surplus for the year's business $89,231.76, which, added to the surplus at the beginning of the year, $177,539.88, makes a total of $266,771.63, but deductions of $76,000 were made from this amount for the year, leaving the surplus on June 30, 1907, $191,771.63.

The company has a capital of $2,500,000 and bonds of $7,600,000, a total investment of $10,100,000 for the entire line of 226 miles, or $44,889 per mile.

GOOD TALKS ON BUTTER.

Minnesota Association Will Meet at St. Peter Oct. 30, 31, and Nov. 1.

Active preparations have been begun for the fourteenth annual convention of the Minnesota State Butter and Cheese Makers' association in St. Peter on Oct. 30, 31 and Nov. 1. There is a large amount of preliminary work to be done and most of it will fall upon G. E. Lindall of Millace, vice president of the association. He has opened an office in St. Peter and will remain here until after the convention.

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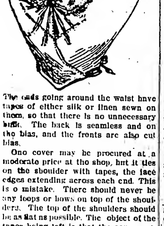

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PATENTS.

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Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Edgar L. Arnold, Alexandria, Minn., steam boiler; Carl J. Austad, Peterson, Minn., Gate/latch; William Hoppe, Freeport, Minn., hay carrier; Jacob Saari, Annandale, Minn., hinge; Joseph M. Spindler, Shakopee, Minn., vending machine; Thomas Brennan, Jr., St. Louis Park, Minn., lever; John B. Bushnell, Minneapolis, Minn., portable elevator; Clark E. Twamly, Alexandria, S. D., seed corn tester.

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A writer in Pall Mall Magazine says that a well known American warder said to him: "I have been in prisons for men and in prisons for women. Discipline in the former is child's play compared with the latter. As soon as a man realizes there is no use in resisting he gives in. But the women, even when we put them in straight-jackets, always manage to extricate at least one finger and to agitate that in a rebellious manner!"

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TRANSFORMATIONS.

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It is almost as hard for an old coffee toper to quit the use of coffee as it is for a whisky or tobacco fiend to break off, except that the coffee user can quit coffee and take up Postum without any feeling of a loss of the morning beverage, for when Postum is well boiled and served with cream, it is really better in point of flavor than most of the coffee served nowadays, and to the taste of the connoisseur it is like the flavor of fine, mild Java.

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EASILY MIXED RECIPE FOR KIDNEYS AND BLADDER.

Tells Readers How to Prepare This Home-Made Mixture to Cure the Kidneys and Bladder and Rheumatism.

Get from any prescription pharmacist the following:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Shake well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful dose after each meal and at bedtime.

The above is considered by an eminent authority, who writes in a New York daily paper, as the finest prescription ever written to relieve Backache, Kidney Trouble, Weak Bladder and all forms of Urinary difficulties. This mixture acts promptly on the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys, enabling them to filter and strain the uric acid and other waste matter from the blood which causes Rheumatism.

Some persons who suffer with the afflictions may not feel inclined to place much confidence in this simple mixture, yet those who have tried it say the results are simply surprising, the relief being effected without the slightest injury to the stomach or other organs.

Mix some and give it a trial. It certainly comes highly recommended. It is the prescription of an eminent authority, whose entire reputation, it is said, was established by it.

The Question.

"A New York woman lived to be 101 years of age, and she accounts for her longevity by saying she ate onions at every meal."

"How young did her husband die?"

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Edgar L. Arnold, Alexandria, Minn., steam boiler; Carl J. Austad, Peterson, Minn., Gate latch; William Hoppe, Freeport, Minn., hay carrier; Jacob Saari, Annandale, Minn., hinge; Joseph M. Spindler, Shakopee, Minn., vending machine; Thomas Brennan, Jr., St. Louis Park, Minn., lever; John B. Bushnell, Minneapolis, Minn., portable elevator; Clark E. Twamly, Alexandria, S. D., seed corn tester.

WOMAN'S SENSE OF HONOR.

Her Special Code for Conduct Toward Her Husband.

A writer in Pall Mall Magazine says that a well known American warden said to him: "I have been in prisons for men and in prisons for women. Discipline in the former is child's play compared with the latter. As soon as a man realizes there is no use in resisting he gives in. But the women, even when we put them in straight-jackets, always manage to extricate at least one finger and to agitate that in a rebellious manner!"

In the matter of conduct toward husbands and consideration due to the "better half" there is an especial code of honor. It has the stability that sanction by women of all countries gives it, but it does not resemble any code that a man would observe toward another man, nor which a woman would employ toward any human—except her husband. This code includes the right to search pockets, consult notebooks, open letters, read those already opened. It includes the right to confound household and personal accounts, to use on self the money intended by the master of the house for paying bills. This system is not frequently practiced, perhaps, and less frequently admitted, no doubt, yet we remember one newly married woman who announced as a little triumph: "When I buy myself something I don't like I just sell it to the house!"

The peculiar indulgence which the conjugal state seems to call for as regards the weaker sex in matters of honor more or less delicate was thus strikingly summarized by a philanthropist accustomed to all sorts and conditions of people. Among the poor whom she visited there was a woman who in a fit of rage or jealousy had killed a man. In relating to me the case the philanthropist concluded sadly: "Yes, she killed him, and he wasn't even her husband!"

TRANSFORMATIONS.

Curious Results When Coffee Drinking Is Abandoned.

It is almost as hard for an old coffee toper to quit the use of coffee as it is for a whisky or tobacco fiend to break off, except that the coffee user can quit coffee and take up Postum without any feeling of a loss of the morning beverage, for when Postum is well boiled and served with cream, it is really better in point of flavor than most of the coffee served nowadays, and to the taste of the connoisseur it is like the flavor of fine, mild Java.

A great transformation takes place in the body within ten days or two weeks after coffee is left off and Postum used, for the reason that the poison to the nerves—caffeine—has been discontinued, and in its place is taken a liquid food that contains the most powerful elements of nourishment.

It is easy to make this test and prove these statements by changing from coffee to Postum. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

INTENTIONAL DUPLICATE EXPOSURE

DEFECTIVE PAGE

WATCHES THAT STAND THE TEST

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AN exchange suggests that the Standard Oil company might start a popular contest for the best new name.

ANYWAY Mr. Rockefeller will be saved the humiliation of going down the pages of history as "Honest John."

IT is pretty late to charge George Washington with being a tax dodger. It would seem that when a person has evaded detection until 110 years after his death the statute of limitations should apply against unnecessary and unavailing notoriety.

A LOT of people will agree with the Windom Citizen in saying: "One cannot read of the political career of LaFollette, of his wonderful one-handed battle for the people's rights and constructive statesmanship against a powerful ring and the railways, against offers of bribery and graft from the U. S. senate down, without arriving at the conclusion that he ought to be president."

SINCE the passage on April 5th last of the law prohibiting any person or firm doing a banking business, which refuses to allow the state bank examiner to inspect and superintend the business, from using the name of "bank" in connection with the business there has been forty-four new banks authorized by the public examiner, of which twenty-five were conversions of former private banks. There are now 703 state banks in Minnesota.

IT would seem that the Hearst Democrats have taken a big contract to dethrone Governor Johnson as the acknowledged leader of his party. Minnesota will probably be for Bryan, but the chances are a hundred to one that the vote of Minnesota in the next national convention will be cast by Governor Johnson's friends and not his enemies. The Governor has done a great deal to make his party respectable in this state, and the Democrats will not sanction the plot to take away any of the laurels that are his by right.

JOHN A. McDERMOTT, state oil inspector, has resigned to accept a splendid position offered by a large New York mercantile firm. Upon the receipt and acceptance of Mr. McDermott's resignation, Governor Johnson announced his successor to be Hon. W. E. McEwen of Duluth, who is so well known throughout the state and especially in labor circles. Mr. McEwen is editor of a labor paper in Duluth, is a member of the council of that city and chairman of the Democratic committee of St. Louis county. The appointment is a strong one and will be favorably received.

ADDRESSING a public gathering at Hamilton, Ohio, Judge Kenesaw M. Landis gave young men—and old men, too, for that matter—something worthy of serious thought when he said: "It is easy for a man to be a good civil officer today. This talk about the courage required is what Sherman called 'poppycock,' All a man has to do is to find out what is right and then do it. If every man in office would give ten per cent of the loyalty he has to finding out what is right and the rest to simply doing it, we should realize Lincoln's ideal of a government of the people, for the people and by the people."

THERE is no longer any doubt that the world is short of wheat and other grains this year. Beerbohn, Dornbusch and Brooneball, the world's leading grain statisticians, all agree. They make the shortage anywhere from 170,000,000 to 225,000,000 bushels. In addition, the corn, oats, barley, potato, buckwheat and apple crops of the United States are short of last year's production. Germany is short in wheat, rye and potatoes. Other European countries are short. Nevertheless it is not safe to bet that prices will be as high six months hence as now. When prices get high, consumers economize, and when the people of the world feel like economizing they can almost live the ensuing year on the amount wasted during the past year. In the United States, at least, we waste as much as we need to use.

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold remedy and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter's drug store, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Get your binder twine at Wm Findeisen's. He sells the celebrated Plymouth and Prison twine fresh from the factory and sells it at rock bottom prices.

SKIN DISEASES

HUMORS IN THE BLOOD

When the blood is pure, fresh and healthy, the skin will be soft, smooth and free from blemishes, but when some acid humor takes root in the circulation its presence is manifested by a skin eruption or disease. These humors get into the blood, generally because of an inactive or sluggish condition of the members of the body whose duty it is to collect and carry off the waste and refuse matter of the system. This unhealthy matter is left to sour and ferment and soon the circulation becomes charged with the acid poison. The blood begins to throw off the humors and acids through the pores and glands of the skin, producing Eczema, Acne, Tetter, Psoriasis, Salt Rheum and skin eruptions of various kinds. Eczema appears, usually with a slight redness of the skin followed by pustules from which there flows a sticky fluid that dries and forms a crust, and the itching is intense. It is generally on the back, breast, face, arms and legs, though other parts of the body may be affected. In Tetter the skin dries, cracks and bleeds; the acid in the blood dries up the natural oils of the skin, which are intended to keep it soft and pliant, causing a dry, feverish condition and giving it a hard, leathery appearance. Acne makes its appearance on the face in the form of pimples and black heads, while Psoriasis comes in scaly patches on different parts of the body. One of the worst forms of skin trouble is Salt Rheum; its favorite point of attack is the scalp, sometimes causing baldness. Poison Oak and Ivy are also disagreeable types of skin disease. The humor producing the trouble lies dormant in the blood through the Winter to break out and torment the sufferer with the return of Spring. The best treatment for all skin diseases is S. S. S. It neutralizes the acids and removes the humors so that the skin instead of being irritated and diseased, is nourished by a supply of fresh, healthy blood. External applications of salves, washes, lotions, etc., while they soothe the itching caused by skin affections, can never cure the trouble because they do not reach the blood. S. S. S. goes down into the circulation and forces out every particle of foreign matter and restores the blood to its normal, pure condition, thereby permanently curing every form of skin affection. Book on Skin Diseases and any medical advice desired sent free to all who write. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

I suffered with Eczema for forty years and could find nothing to cure me until I tried S. S. S. I suffered intensely with the itching and burning; pustules would form from which there flowed a sticky fluid; crusts would come on the skin and when scratched off the skin was left as raw as a piece of beef. I suffered agony in the long years I was afflicted, but when I used S. S. S. I found a perfect cure. There has never been any return of the trouble.
C. H. EVANS,
Stockman, Neb.

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All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy, a part of of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc. But if you will keep the filters right you will have no troubles with your kidneys.

Mrs. Jas. Rogers, living in Thief River Falls, Minn., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and can recommend them as a reliable kidney remedy. At the time I began their use I was suffering from headache and a soreness about the kidney regions. My kidneys were much disordered, and the secretions very unnatural in appearance. I felt languid most of the time, seemed to have but little strength, was very nervous and dizzy spells were of frequent occurence. My attention was drawn to Doan's kidney pills and I procured a box. From the satisfactory results I derived from their use I feel that I can recommend them very highly."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Warren Sheaf: Owing to the clash between the state and federal courts in this state over the commodity railway rate question, it may be necessary for congress to clearly define the powers of these courts. It is the old states' right question in a new form and which in previous contests has generally been decided in favor of the general government—even if it has been necessary to resort to arms.

St. Peter Free Press: Protection is all right enough in its place, but when it feeds the trust and grinds into the pockets of the public generally it is time to modify it and put it within proper limitations. The present rates were no doubt applicable to conditions prevailing when the last tariff bill was passed. They certainly do not meet them now.

Roseau Region: King Oscar of Sweden has been thirty-five years on the throne and during the whole of that time he has ruled wisely. He is a highly learned man, speaks fluently six languages, is philanthropic and beloved by his subjects. Sweden has made remarkable progress since he ascended the throne and the credit for its advancement is largely due to his personal efforts. King Oscar enjoys the distinction of being the only ruling monarch who is respected by all civilized nations.

Sauk Centre Herald: Partisan politics simmered right down to the hard facts means simply a strife for the spoils.

Redwood Reveille: We heard a prominent Republican say the other day that if his party wanted to elect the next governor of Minnesota it would have to declare in favor of local option. This may or may not be so, but certain it is that there never was so much local option talk as there is right now.

Out of Sight.

"Out of sight, out of mind," is an old saying which applies with special force to a sore, burn or wound that's been treated with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's out of sight, out of mind and out of existence. Piles too and chilblains disappear under its healing influence. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 25c.

A Very Common Disease.

Within the last few years, it is said a disease has been spreading over America. The ailment is the commercially known as "Substitution" or the "just as good" disease When you ask for a case of golden grain [illegible] beer to be brought to your home, insist upon having the genuine as there is no other just as good. This clear sparkling beverage is refreshing and appetising, an aid to digestion and a muscle builder. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

His Dear Old Mother.

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children too are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 50 cents.

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Teas and coffee, Werks Biscuit Co. cracker, best made

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In the Local Line

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Mrs. Jos. Belair is on the sick list this week.

Thos. Glynn was over from Wylie Tuesday shopping.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simoes.

Mrs. H. E. Ives was down from St. Hilaire over Sunday.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

Knute Steen was over from Plummer yesterday on business.

Miss Leah Cyr is visiting among Crookston friends this week.

Chas. Bourdon was a south-bound passenger to Waubun Monday.

Sheriff Nelson was a south-bound passenger to Crookston last night.

S. M. Sivertson transacted business in Thief River Falls yesterday.

Mrs. Chas. Bourdon was a guest of Crookston friends the first of the week.

Eli Lasha went to Brooks today to plaster Merchant Premo's residence.

County Attorney Germo returned from his trip to the twin cities Saturday.

Leo Steinert was a passenger into the twin cities Monday evening on business bent.

Albert Hall was down from St. Hilaire over Sunday, a guest of young friends.

Our popular jeweler, H. W. Anderson, has a new advertisement in today's issue.

Mrs. St. Arnault, of Duluth, is a guest this week of friends and relatives at this point.

Geo. Bourassa, of Maxbass, North Dakota, was an over-Sunday guest at the Guerin home.

S. A. Swanson returned yesterday over the N. P. from his business trip down into Iowa.

Miss Annetta Belair has been confined to her home the past few days on account of illness.

The Dan Linnihan family has removed to the house formerly occupied by G. A. Kunkel.

The past week has been an ideal one for the farmers who have not as yet finished threshing.

Marcus Johnson was up from St. Paul the first of the week looking after business interests.

Ephrum Chatel and Dan Laurent returned home Monday from their trip to Park River, N. D.

County Attorney Germo was at Thief River Falls between trains Tuesday on legal business.

Banker L. C. Simons drove over to Brooks Tuesday on a combined business and pleasure trip.

E. J. Gareeau, who has been on the sick list the past week, is improving nicely at this writing.

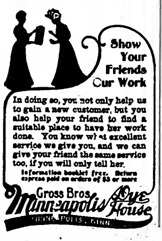
C. E. Patterson came up from Minneapolis the first of the week to look after his landed interests.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Anderson & Wander have a regular "talking machine" in their new ad this week which will interest all.

Wanted—A school girl to assist with house work. Address Mrs. F. A. Mizen, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Editor C. W. Latta, of the Plummer Pioneer, in company with John Mersteick, drove over from Plummer on Monday to look after business interests at the "hub" of Red Lake.



In doing so, you not only help us to gain a new customer, but you also help your friend to find a suitable place to have her work done. You know what excellent service we give you, and we can give your friend the same service too, if you will only tell her.

Information booklet free. Return express paid on orders of $3 or more

For Sale—wind mill, Aermotor make, almost new, 60 ft 4 frame tower and 12 ft wheel. See S. A. Swanson.

The Jas. H. Cross family have removed from St. Hilaire and taken up residence at the P. E. Pirath home.

Farmers, don't forget that I sell the John Deere plows—gang, sulky and walking plows.—William Findeisen.

J. L. Tracy was at Crookston Saturday evening to attend the meeting of the Great Northern station agents.

Theo. LaBissoaiere is at Cass Lake and other points east of here this week looking after business matters.

Father Adolph came down from Thief River Falls Monday evening to spend a few hours with Father Ambrose.

Joseph Normandin returned yesterday from Grafton, N. D., where he has been working for several weeks past.

W. T. Spillane has a new ad in today's paper calling attention to his new stock of groceries, tobacco and candies.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall returned home Saturday evening from her combined business and pleasure trip to the twin cities.

At the recent Methodist conference Rev. C. L. Wilcox was assigned to St. Hilaire and Rev. J. B. Smith to Thief River.

Mr. J. O. Savage, of the Children's Home Society of Minnesota, was in the city over Tuesday evening in the interests of the society.

Oscar Helm has accepted the position as delivery boy for Theo. LaBissoniere made vacant by the resignation of Bert LaFreniere.

H. W. Mutchan, representative for the McClellan Paper Company of Minneapolis, was calling upon the trade at this place last evening.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

O. T. Romsos, of Sarles, North Dakota, was in the city Tuesday enroute to Wylie, where he was formerly interested in a general store.

J. W. Bourdon was at Crookston over Monday evening in attendance at the initiation of several new candidates into the Masonic fraternity.

J. B. Fournier has removed with his family to our city and will take up residence in the house formerly occupied by Furniturer Wander and family.

Section Foreman John Kehoe, of the Great Northern, is having the water tank and grounds about the depot put in shape for the coming of winter.

County Treasurer Tandberg is improving as rapidly as could be expected and it is hoped may soon be able to resume duties in his official capacity.

A person should be excused for the first error of their life—that's us, if your name has not been correctly spelled this week. We all live to learn.

Miss Katherine Gray has been spending the fore part of the week with her mother at St. Hilaire, assisting with the trade in the millinery emporium.

Orson Doe departed last evening for Minneapolis where he will enter the Drew Pharmacy school, and there complete his course and graduate as a pharmacist.

Perham Enterprise: Louis Alstadt of Red Lake Falls, who is one of the men employed in drilling for ore, renewed acquaintance with Perham friends yesterday.

We have been reliably informed that Ovide Emard, our present city treasurer, will again seek the honors of the office, a fact his numerous friends will be pleased to learn.

The pain in ma's head has gone.
She's happy as can be,
Her head is right, her temper bright
Since taking Hollister's Rocky
Mountain tea at night.—A. L. Reichert.

Deputy County Treasurer Miss Ida Tandberg informs us that taxes are coming in slow these days, but that they hope to have a force sufficiently large to handle the rush when it does come.

When ordering flour call for the "Gold Seal" brand. If your dealer tells you to get flour "just as good" don't mind him but insist on getting something better, and order Gold Seal.—Leo Steinart.

The family of County Treasurer Tandberg have removed from the north side to the Sivigay house. This will give Mr. Tandberg an opportunity to be in his office a majority of the time hereafter.

Bert LaFreniere has accepted a position on the Spectator at St. Hilaire and entered upon the discharge of his new duties Monday. Bert is a capable young man and we trust will make good at his new post.

Lost—A rat terrier, last Thursday evening; white, brown head and black spot on back; about six months old; bob-tailed and had collar. Finder will receive reward by returning the dog to Fred Borchers.

G. A. Kankel has few pointers for any who may be thinking of purchasing a new heater or range. The Favorite base burner—a three flue wonder, and the Monarch malleable range are his leaders. See his new advertisement today.

The only true constipation cure must begin its soothing, healing action when it enters the mouth. Hollisters Rocky Mountain Tea restores the whole system to a healthy normal condition. 35 cents Tea or tablets.—A. L. Reichert.

S. M. Sivertson went down to Crookston Saturday evening to meet Mrs. Sivertson and Miss Helen, upon their return from an extended visit among relatives and friends in the twin cities and also some relatives in western Wisconsin.

The addition to Matt Skala's big store is now completed, and next week he will open a new line of Friend Bros. clothing, Gotzian shoes, groceries and general merchandise. Look up Matt's new "ad" and give him a call. He will treat you right.

If taken patiently and persistent will relieve the most obstinate cases of indigestion, constipation, bad blood, bad liver no matter of how long standing. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea will do. 35 cents tea or tablets. A. L. Reichert.

Little Miss Helen Ives returned Tuesday to the home of her parents in St. Hilaire after spending a fortnight with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Pirath. She was accompanied by her grandmother, who will remain at St. Hilaire for a few days.

The October term of the district court will convene on Monday, October 28; but only the court cases will be tried. The grand and petit juries are summoned for November 11, as this later date will give the farmers an opportunity to get their fall work done.

"Lincoln's Gettysburg oration contains 266 words. Only 19 of these have 2 syllables, and every word is a familiar one." Sturdy, honest, fair and square, simple and plain, are some of the virtues of a Fidelity policy. Write John F. Naughtin, General Agent, Minneapolis.

The rope drive from the water power which runs the electric light plant was out of order the first of the week and steam had to be used instead. However, the "kinks" have been taken out of the rope and everything is again running smoothly, much to the pleasure of all concerned.

County Auditor O'Brien has received notice of the October apportionment of state school funds, which shows that Red Lake county has 3,718 pupils entitled to apportionment at $2.50 per capita. This brings $9,295.00 to Red Lake county to be distributed among the districts pro rata.

Miss Edith Quist came down from Thief River Falls Monday evening and spent a couple of days a guest of her brother, Register of Deeds E. L. Quest. The young lady has been compelled to give up her labors as deputy in the office of her brother on account of failing health and will remain at home this winter.

For Sale - A high grade phaeton buggy with full leather top and side lamps, used only a few weeks. Also a double buggy harness with collars and hames, full nickle mounted, new; also a second hand single driving harness with collar and hames, in good condition and will sell above cheap for cash. Can be seen at Guerin's barn. tf

We Trust Doctors

If you are suffering from impure blood, thin blood, debility, nervousness, exhaustion, you should begin at once with Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the Sarsaparilla you have known all your life. Your doctor knows it, too. Ask him about it.

Unless there is daily action of the bowels, poisonous products are absorbed, causing headache, biliousness, nausea, dyspepsia, and thus preventing the Sarsaparilla from doing its best work. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. Act gently, all vegetable.

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THE BUSY STORE

A few "after-market-day" specials at our store.

GARCEAU & ZAISER

The potato yield this year has been par excellent and the surplus stock of the surrounding country is now being marketed at this point. Garceau & Zaiser and Theo. LaBissoniere are busy these days receiving the "spud" surplus and their shipments to points in North Dakota so far has been five car loads with still more to follow. Not so bad for an off year.

G. Lizee, a rural resident of Terrebonne, expects soon to remove to North Yakima and before taking his departure will dispose of his personal effects. He will have a sale on next Wednesday, the 23d, commencing at twelve o'clock noon, at which time will be sold all his horses, cattle, hogs, chickens, farm utensils, household goods, etc.

Indicative of what's in a person is his expression; so with a business house; when a local merchant gives a good description of his goods in advertising, or displays them attractively in his windows, he has advanced thru the primitive stages of trade and barter. You can depend that he can and will serve you well. We have to regret that all do not recognize this truth.

Our local nimrods, Frank Grady, A. P. Toupin, James Blake, Dan Latendresse and J. P. Harren returned Monday evening from their outing at Elm lake with a large bunch of game. Amongst them they had 64 chickens and four geese, besides those devoured at lunch hours and still the nimrods report a scarcity of game this fall. However, they hold the record for the county this season.

The Red Lake Falls Milling Company have been shipping out from four to six cars of flour on every train the past week, and it is expected this will be the banner month for shipments in the history of the mill. Grain has just began to move and while the receipts have not been large the reports of yield are good. This is encouraging for the country in general and Red Lake Falls has just reasons to feel proud of this milling concern.

Last Saturday noon the Red Lake Falls band serenaded Sam Haislet at the home of Attorney Grady and rendered several selections which made the welkin ring with melody. In a few brief words Mr. Haislet thanked the band boys for the favor of the call, whereupon Lee Healy responded for the band and presented their departing comrade with a handsome smoking set as a token of the high esteem in which he was held by the members of the band. They all wished for the departing host unbounded success in his new location.

Dr. N. M. Watson and Hon. Marcus Johnson were guests of Dr. Henry Grundy, mayor of Thief River Falls, yesterday. They report a royal time, which included an automobile ride and the freedom of the city. Both were given the unusual privilege of their choice of the fair Thief River maidens, and it must have been only a remembrance of the beauty and attractiveness of the local product and an innate loyalty to home industry that enabled them to resist a temptation a a l d n m placed before eligible bachelors. But, speaking seriously, Messrs. Watson and Johnson speak very highly of the royal entertainment given by Mayor Grundy and other Thief River friends.

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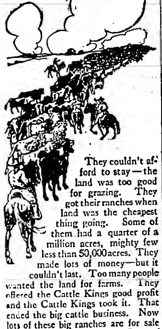
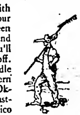


The Cattle Kings are Leaving the Texas Pan Handle

They couldn't afford to stay—the land was too good for grazing. They got their ranches when land was the cheapest thing going. Some of them had a quarter of a million acres, mighty few less than 50,000 acres. They made lots of money—but it couldn't last. Too many people wanted the land for farms. They offered the Cattle Kings good profit and the Cattle Kings took it. That ended the big cattle business. Now lots of these big ranches are for sale in small tracts, dirt cheap. Lots of them have already been sold.

It's amazing what crops the farmers get on this land—forty or fifty bushels of corn to the acre, right along; wheat 20 to 30 bushels; alfalfa 2 to 2½ tons to the acre, three cuttings a year; oats, kaffir corn, milo maize.

Size that up with what you and your neighbors have been getting on $75 and $100 land, and you'll see where you get off. The Pan Handle farmer of Northern Texas, Western Oklahoma and Eastern New Mexico has got you skinned a mile. There's only one way to get even with him—pull up stakes and go to the Pan Handle yourself. Buy a good big farm for $10 or $15 an acre and see how easy it is to get along.



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A Hebrew Proverb.

In his new book, "Three Acres and a Living," Bolton Hall quotes a Hebrew proverb: "If a man make but a mousetrap better than his fellows, though he makes his tent in the wilderness, the world will beat a path to his door."

You never will develop good in any so long as you see no good in them.

SYBIL'S CHOICE

By EBEN E. REXFORD

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Sybil Leith stopped on the old bridge, and leaned over the old railing, seemingly to watch the ripple of the waters. She saw, as one sees things in a dream, the minnows darting about in that restless fashion of theirs, and they made her think of the shuttles flying through the work in the weaving rooms at the factory, whose jar and rumble came like a discord to her, even now. How she wished she could forget the factory, and everything connected with it for awhile.

As she stood there thinking, in a spiritless kind of way, a step upon the creaking planks aroused her.

"Good morning, Dick," she said, putting out her hand.

Dick's face was aglow at sight of her. To him she was the one woman in the world.

"Good morning, Sybil," he said cheerily. "You're taking a breath of fresh air, are you. Wouldn't it be glorious to live out of doors all the time, these scorching days? It'll be like a furnace in the factory to-day, I'm thinking."

"I wonder if a person never gets out who once gets into the mills?" she asked. "I think not. It's for life or death, I don't know which. I wouldn't care much, if it wasn't for Lois."

"I don't like to hear you talk in that way," Dick said, in his grave, slow way. "There's no need of your killing yourself at the loom as you're doing. It's only for you to say yes, Sybil, and you're done with it forever. You know that there's nothing I would be gladder to hear."

She turned away from him almost angrily.

"Don't!" she said, with a little gesture of impatience. "What's the use of bringing that all up again?"

"But if you only knew how I'd set my heart on it, Sybil," Dick said gravely. "If you only knew how I'd hoped and planned—"

Leaned Over the Old Railing.

"I do know," she said, a little more tenderly, but with much bitterness in her voice yet. "I understand it all, Dick, but—there's Lois. It wouldn't be right for me to marry you, and put such a burden on you as that. No, Dick, I don't think I'd better say yes. It wouldn't be right."

They were at the factory door now, and went in together. The wheels were turning round and round in their tireless way. She hung up her hat and turned to her loom. She took up her shuttles mechanically, and set them in their grooves and started the machine. A step at her side and caused her to look up. She saw Mr. Leverson standing there, regarding her intently. He was her employer. The great factory, and the men and women in it, were his.

"You look tired out," he said in his low, even voice. "You ought to rest."

"What is that?" Sybil asked the question almost sharply.

"Pardon me," he said, understanding her. "I presume what I said sounded like an impertinence to you. Will you stop at my house on your way home to-night. I have something to say to you that cannot be said here."

"Yes, I'll stop," Sybil said. He had some instructions to give her, probably. She didn't see why he couldn't give them to her in the office, as well. But she would stop, of course. He was her employer, and it was her business to do as he said.

How cool and pleasant the path was from the street to the house that night when she stopped for her employer's "instructions."

"I have something to say to you," he said, coming nearer. "I suppose you will be surprised at it. It will be unexpected. You must not consider it as being said on the impulse of the moment, however. I am not the kind of man to do things in that way. I have pondered the matter well, and what I shall say to you is the result of deliberate thought. I suppose you have never thought of my caring for you, but I do. I have watched your face for a long time, and I have grown fond of it. Will you be my wife?"

Mr. Leverson was a gentleman, and she knew he meant what he said. It came to her in a swift flash, and she felt the truth in a dazed and muddled way. She looked about her, and saw the beautiful things which would be hers if she accepted Mr. Leverson's proposal. She felt as if she stood at the gate of Paradise, and some one asked her to come in. She had wished this beauty to be hers. It was to be had for the taking. A word, and the hateful factory life was ended forever. She could rest, rest! And Lois! The poor crippled limbs might even be made straight. Who knew? Then she thought of Dick, and her heart gave a little thrill, that was like a reaching out of hands to him. And yet he was so poor—so miserably poor! He had only his hands, she thought, swiftly. Then something seemed to cry out to her, reproachfully, that he had more—infinitely more, than she could make herself believe this man had—a great honest heart, brimful of love for her.

"I can't think now!" she cried, putting her hand to her throbbing temples. "Let me go—some other time, maybe—" and then she actually laughed. But was only conscious of a great longing to get away from the man who had offered her his hand.

Presently she found herself in the street alone. Was she dreaming? Had Ralph Leverson really asked her to be his wife, or had the fever smitten her with its mighty, merciless hand, and was this the delirium it generally brought?

She went back to her loom next day, with the wheels of thought still turning. Should she choose this one, or that one? On the one hand, rest and the beautiful things which wealth could buy. On the other a humble home and the wealth of a loving heart. Dear, patient, willing Dick! How mean and selfish she seemed to herself, for hesitating in making her decision between the man she loved, and who loved her, and the man who loved her, but whom she did not love.

"I'm going home," she said, at last, sick, dizzy, faint. "I shall go crazy if I stay here. I'm not sure but I shall, anyway."

She put on her bonnet and went out into the warm June day.

But which to choose? Which to choose? The words made themselves into a little verse, and set themselves to the monotonous hum of turning spindles.

Suddenly the clangor of the bell smote on her ears. She turned and looked down the road, wondering vaguely what the matter could be.

A wild, shrill cry of fire came to her, on the wind, and at that instant a great, black cloud of smoke broke from the upper windows of the factory. It was strange, but the first thought that came to Sybil was one of exultation. If the factory burned down, she need never go back to her hateful work again. She would be free.

Then she turned suddenly and ran back to the burning building. Perhaps there was something her tired hands could do.

She knew, before she reached it, that it could not be saved. The windows were loop-holes of fire. The eaves were wreathed with a fantastic cornice of writhing flames.

Suddenly a great cry rang out from the terror-stricken crowd. At the window of his private office upstairs she saw Leverson's frightened face. He must have been asleep, and had probably just awakened to the reality of his awful danger. She thought it was death. She could see no way of escape for him.

"I'll try to save him," some one said. It was Dick. There was something grand in the sound of his voice, it seemed to her. Then she saw him fighting his way through the flames, and the last glimpse of his face showed her how brave and determined it was in the wild tempest of fire.

She dropped on her knees and hid her face in her hands, saying over and over again, in a prayerful way: "Dear Dick, oh, God save him!" She knew then that the lover who was risking his life for another, was more to her than the lover he was risking it for could ever be. She had made her choice.

Another cry, like a gasp, from the crowd. She looked up and saw Dick at the window of Leverson's room. He had Leverson in his arms, and the man seemed to have fainted.

"Throw up a rope!" cried Dick, hoarsely. Some strong hands threw one to him. He fastened it around the unconscious man and lowered him to the ground just as the flames burst out of the windows below him, wrapping the whole factory in a mass of seething fire.

He saw the wire of one of the lightning rods, not a foot away from the window. He grasped the rod and dropped down, down into the lurid abyss. The rod blistered his hands, but he clung to it. The flames billowed about him, but he held his breath, and slipped down, down, down. A thought came to him, that he was going down forever, and then—a blank.

The first thing he remembered, after that, was a woman's face beaming over him, and a woman's tears dropping on his face, and a woman's kiss was on his scorched lips, and Sybil's voice was saying, in a broken way: "Oh, poor, dear brave Dick!" and then he thought he must have died, and this was heaven.

They told him afterwards that he was a hero. Leverson came and took his burned and bleeding hands in his, and said to him that he had saved his life, and that he would prove his gratitude in a more substantial way than spoken thanks. And he did. But Dick only thought of one thing. Sybil had chosen—and the woman he had loved, and hoped to win—was won.

FATTENING POULTRY—FOUR METHODS ARE EMPLOYED

By G. Arthur Bell, Asst. Animal Husbandman, Bureau of Animal Industry.

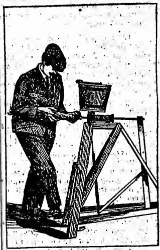
Four methods of fattening poultry are practiced in this country, viz: Pen fattening, crate fattening, machine cramming and hand cramming. The first two are probably the most common today, while the third is gaining rapidly as its results are becoming better known, and the fourth is used only where but few birds are fattened.

Pen fattening is practiced by a great many people who do not have the time and inclination to use other methods. The essentials of pen fattening are quiet, darkness, except at feeding time, and plenty of soft green feed given at regular intervals, usually three times a day. Birds may be kept in flocks of 15 or 20, but the sexes should be separated.

In crate fattening a few fowls are confined in crates and fed from a trough. A crate six feet long, and 18 or 20 inches wide is suitable and is large enough for a dozen birds. Sometimes such a crate is divided into two or three compartments, 4 to 6 birds being placed in each compartment. But little room for the birds to move about is desirable, for the less exercise the bird obtains the more readily does it fatten. The top, back, and ends of the crates should be solid if they are to be placed outdoors, but if they are to be in a building they may be built of lath or slats. These slats should be two inches apart in front, so as to permit the birds to eat from the troughs, which are hung just outside of the coop. The slats of the bottom of the coop should be about one inch apart to permit the droppings to fall through. In indoor feeding the crates should be placed in a dark room, and just before feeding enough light should be admitted to allow the birds to see to eat. They are usually fed three times a day, and are permitted to eat for half an hour at a time, when the room is again darkened and the uneaten food removed.

For the best results a machine is essential, especially for the last ten days, for otherwise the birds will not eat nearly so much as they can digest and assimilate.

Our illustration shows a cramming machine in operation at one of the large poultry establishments in New York state. A reservoir under which is placed a small force pump operated by means of a lever worked by the foot is placed on a tripod. A tube is fixed to one end of the pump, through which the feed passes when the lever rod is lowered. This tube is of rubber or metal. If rubber, it may have a metal point. Metal tubes are more easily kept clean. The feed is placed in the reservoir, and is made into the consistency of thick cream. There are several ways of holding the bird, but the following will be found simple: grip the bird firmly either between the right elbow and side of the body, as shown in the illustration or between the left elbow and the body, whichever is the more convenient. The head is grasped in the left hand, the first finger being placed in the mouth to keep it open. The tube is placed in the mouth and the bird is drawn on until the end of the tube reaches the crop, the neck being elongated as much as possible. The lever bar is gently lowered by the foot and the food is thus forced into the crop. One hand is kept on the crop and as soon as it is sufficiently full the foot is removed from the lever and the bird is gently removed. The operator soon learns to know when the crop is full. No stated amount that should be fed to an individual can be given, for the quantity varies with the size of the crop. Great care should be taken in preparing the feed to see that there are no lumps, for the tube is small and easily becomes blocked.



A Cramming Machine.

Hand cramming is a good system where but few fowls are being fattened, but would be found rather laborious where many are fattened. The feed is made into boluses, or balls, which should be about two inches long and one-half inch in diameter. A large number of these are prepared before commencing to feed. The operator sits on a stool or box, firmly grips the fowl between his knees, and elongates the neck, holding the head in a similar manner to that described in using the cramming machine. He then dips a bolus in skim milk or water and forces it into the [illegible] throat with his fingers. The neck above the bolus is then gripped with the thumb and first finger, which are run downward along the neck, forcing the bolus into the crop. It will probably take from 14 to 18 of these boluses to fill the crop, depending on its capacity. Some feeders practice this method in connection with crate fattening. The attendant, after feeding in the crates, feels the crop of each bird, and any not having a sufficiently filled crop are crammed in the manner described.

Fattening birds should always receive soft feed. As they have no exercise they require a feed that can be quickly and easily digested. The following mixture is fed at the New York establishment referred to under the description of cramming machine: 100 pounds finely ground barley, 100 pounds finely ground corn, 100 pounds finely ground oats (with hulls sifted out), to which mixture is added 10 per cent of beef scraps. Buttermilk or skim milk is used for mixing, the former being preferred. A little salt is sometimes added. The birds are fed twice a day at intervals of twelve hours, and are crammed for about three weeks. It is important that the intervals between the feedings should be as nearly equal as possible.

Another ration may be made as follows: 100 pounds ground oats, 100 pounds ground corn, 50 pounds flour, 4 pounds tallow.

BEST WAYS OF HANDLING MILK

By George P. Grout, North Dakota Agricultural College.

For many years past, dairy authorities have held that milk and cream would not absorb bad odors from surrounding atmosphere after milking until cooled to a temperature equal to or below that of the surrounding atmosphere and it was further believed that milk gave off animal odors when warmer than the air and absorbed others when colder. For this reason dairymen in general did not hasten to remove milk from the barn until convenient, and often left it there until cooled nearly to the temperature of the surrounding atmosphere. Late investigations on milk absorption have disproved these facts, and it is now held that warm milk will take on bad odors just as quickly as the cold milk. It is very obvious, therefore, that the milk should not remain long in the barn. The quicker it can be gotten out of the barn the better if good results and a high price for the butter is expected. Besides absorbing bad odors, many of the changes which take place in milk and its products are caused by the growth of tiny bacteria or plant life which multiply very rapidly under favorable conditions. If the best results are to be expected, the milk should be kept as free from all forms of filth and dirt as possible as filth and dirt contain millions of the tiny forms which may grow and spoil your milk and cream.

The farmer or producer should use all possible precaution to keep out all forms and trust to the butter maker to put in the proper kind to produce the desired flavor. It is just as necessary that the butter maker have full control of the cream as it is that the housewife have full charge of the bread making. The housewife uses yeast to sour her bread and the butter maker uses a starter to sour his cream. Either would sour without these, but the housewife knows very well that she would make a poor quality of bread without yeast. The butter maker knows he can make only a poor quality of butter without good culture, but I have often heard the question raised as to the importance of keeping cream sweet until delivered to the factory. The producer should strive to prevent unfavorable bacteria from gaining entrance into the cream, then keep it cold and deliver the product in a sweet condition for the butter maker to handle. The result will please the producer, as it will mean a high quality of butter and a good-sized monthly cream check.

Composition of Milk.—Milk varies widely in composition, depending upon the breed and individuality of the cow, stage of lactation and weather conditions. Food, as a rule, has little effect in permanently changing the proportions of the several ingredients. One hundred pounds of milk of good average quality should contain about the following amounts of the different constituents: Water, 87; fat, 4; albuminoids, casein, 3; albumin, .50; milk sugar, 4.80; ash, .70; total, 100. The total solids include all of the ingredients excepting the water.

Storage of Eggs.—Keep the eggs stored in a clean room till ready to take them to market. Egg shells are porous and it is known that they will absorb odors. The absorption may not be sufficient to make the eggs taste, but it will be enough to start the eggs to spoiling.

Care of Cow Before Calving.—Don't let the cow run out in the cold right up to the time of calving. She should be kept in a comfortable, well-bedded stall at least ten days before dropping her calf.

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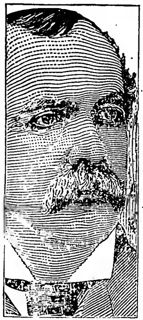
UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM SOUTH CAROLINA PRAISES PE-RU-NA.



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Hon. M. C. Butler, U. S. Senator from South Carolina for two terms, in a letter from Washington, D. C., writes to the Peruna Medicine Co., as follows:

"I can recommend Peruna for dyspepsia and stomach trouble. I have been using your medicine for a short period and I feel very much relieved. It is indeed a wonderful medicine, besides a good tonic."

CATARRH of the stomach is the correct name for most cases of dyspepsia. Only an internal catarrh remedy, such as Peruna, is available.

Peruna Tablets can now be procured.

His Reason.

"So you are in favor of government ownership?"

"Emphatically," answered the discontented citizen.

"I suppose you have studied the subject thoroughly?"

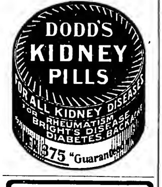
"No, I can't say I have. But I fancy it is something the railways wouldn't like."

GET A BUSINESS EDUCATION.
Learn shorthand, bookkeeping, telegraphy Capitol City Commercial College, St. Paul.

Many a man is kept busy trying to avoid doing foolish things he would really like to do.

"GOLD SEAL" OVERSHOES
are warmest, wear longest. If your dealer does not have them, apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

The game of life is a good deal like gambling—no one seems to win in the long run.



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lengthens the life of the wagon—saves horsepower, time and temper. Best lubricant in the world—contains powdered mica which forms a smooth, hard coating on axle, and reduces friction.

If you want your outfit to *last* and earn money while it lasts—grease the axles with Mica Axle Grease.

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Pain Paint Return this with 50 one-cent stamps and I will mail you a Dollar of Wolcott's Pain Paint powders with full directions to make sixty 50-cent bottles. Pain Paint stops pain instantly; removes Headache, Toothache, Neuralgia, in one minute; cools faster than ice; burns will not blister. A spoonful taken four times a day kills Dyspepsia. Sold 40 years by agents. R. L. WOLCOTT, Wolcott Building, New York.

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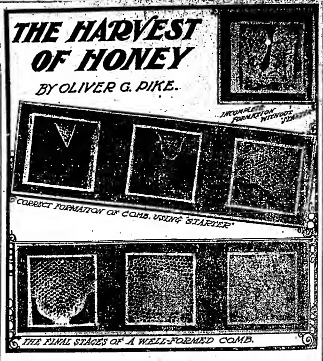
THE HARVEST OF HONEY

BY OLIVER G. PIKE.



CORRECT FORMATION OF COMB, USING "STARTER"

THE FINAL STAGES OF A WELL-FORMED COMB.

The pleasures of bee keeping are many and the profits are good. A well-known naturalist has stated that without bees 100,000 varieties of flowers would disappear from the face of the earth. This is a startling statement, but who will venture to contradict it! Few people realize what a vast amount of needful work the bee does in fertilizing the blossoms of nature. The nectar secreted at the base of the flower is a necessary bait for the worker bee. In trying to reach it, the bee has to push past that part of the flower containing the pollen grains; this dust adheres to the bee's body, and when the insect settles on the next flower, particles of the dust mixes with that in its blossom, and so the flowers are fertilized.

Let us go to the hive and watch the gathering of this great harvest. A vast population is here, all one turmoil of hurry and bustle, thousands dashing out into the bright summer air, thousands more returning, pushing past the hive sentries in one long unending stream. If we follow this ingoing army we shall see something of how the honey is stored. For many days past the worker bees have been busy constructing cells, and every available space in the hive has been occupied by the builders of the city to construct golden vats in which to store the harvest of liquid sunshine. The bee likes to store the honey on top of the brood chamber, and the bee-keeper, knowing this, places a crate containing twenty-one little boxes, or sections as they are called. A small piece of wax is placed on top of each as a guide or "starter" for the bees to work upon. This wax has the imprint of cells stamped on it, and the worker bees soon commence to draw these cells out and add to them. When first placed in the hive the box has the appearance shown in the illustration. As work proceeds the cells are enlarged and more wax is added. About twelve hours later the wax is increased to such an extent that the side walls are reached. The masons of the city do not rest day or night, and the result is that the cells quickly grow, and by the time they reach the base of the box honey has been stored in some of the completed cells. The whole is soon filled, and the illustration shows the cells completed and some of them filled with honey and sealed over. The illustration also shows the completed section, which is a familiar sight in grocers' shops. If no starter or wax guide had been placed in the section, the bees would have constructed a rough ungainly box of honey, as shown in the upper right hand corner of the illustration. The reason why the bee-keeper is able to get his bees to fill these boxes with just one pound of honey is because the bee will go on increasing the depth of its cell to several inches or until an obstruction is found, then, when it reaches this obstruction, it just leaves what is called a bee-space between the obstruction and the end of the cell, that is, it provides room for the bees to walk about between the sealed section and the obstruction. Therefore, by placing these sections in rows in the hive, and by having a thin metal sheet between the rows, the bees just fill the boxes and then seal the honey in.

Now let us watch the bees which are returning from the fields. They go straight to the upper part of the hive, and some will instantly give all the honey they have to the young bees which have not yet been outside the hive, and these take the honey to the cells. Others will go direct to the cells, and then, placing their head in, we see them slowly moving their long tongue round the base of the cell. As we watch we see a bright liquid slowly forming at the tip of the tongue, and when a tiny drop of honey has been deposited, this indefatigable worker turns and goes straight back to the open fields, where the flowers and the songs of countless birds, the buzz of the insects' wings and the sunshine make the music of the summer day. The nectar as found in the flower is a very different thing from the honey as we know it. When taken by the bee it is sucked up with its tongue, then it undergoes a chemical change inside the bee's body, and then it comes back through the tongue and is placed in the cells. A minute drop of formic acid from the bee's sting is sometimes added before sealing the cell over, which acts as a preservative. Honey is a wonderful gift of nature. It stands almost alone as a pure, natural sweet in itself. It has, also great medicinal qualities. By the constant use of honey the entire organism is benefited in a high degree. It stimulates the appetite, aids digestion and at the same time is far better than drugs for regulating the system. Honey should not be considered simply as a luxury; it should be used in every household as a necessary article of diet. There is no danger incurred in keeping bees in gardens. They do not sting unless molested or frightened; they do not fly about the garden and become a nuisance. No one need hesitate about keeping bees, however small the space at their disposal, while the great advantage of having a good supply of honey from your own bees will compensate for any small inconvenience which such benefactors may cause.

BUTTERMILK FROM SKIM-MILK

By Prof. O. F. Hunziker of Purdue (Ind.) University.

Allow the skimmilk to sour and curdle, either by adding good starter or by letting it sour naturally, at a temperature of about 70 degrees F. When the curdling has reached the stage where the milk begins to whey off, put it into a churn (any kind of a churn will do for this) and add about one-fourth to one-third of its bulk of buttermilk to it. Even smaller amounts of buttermilk will answer the purpose.

Now churn the mixture until the curd in the skimmilk is completely broken up. The churning should be continued until all the lumps have entirely disappeared and the mixture has become homogeneous. This is usually accomplished in from ten to 15 minutes. The contents of the churn are now ready for consumption. This preparation is by far superior to buttermilk made in the ordinary way. It has more body, is smooth and velvety, and has a mild, rich and agreeable buttermilk flavor, which is highly relished by the consumer. Upon standing, the curd does not separate out and whey off as rapidly as is the case with the ordinary buttermilk.

Keep Out the Dirt.—Cows may differ in the quality of milk they give, looking at it from a butter fat standpoint, but there is no reason why it should not be pure.

Uncommon Feeds.—The professional poultry raiser feeds many kinds of feeds to his poultry, but the ordinary farmer does not. What is a common feed in the poultry house of the fancier is an uncommon feed in the poultry house of the farmer. There is not the slightest reason to doubt that a large range of feeds will give better results than one or two kinds of feed. Among the feeds that are somewhat unusual on the farms are the following: Chopped clover or alfalfa. This feed may be steamed if desired, but will be eaten by the poultry without steaming. It gives bulk and is rich in nitrogen; oil meal is nutritious and is rich in nitrogen; sun flower seeds are rich in oil as well as some of the other desirable ingredients, and more of them should be grown.

Feed Raw Linseed.—Never give boiled linseed oil to any kind of farm animals. Some claim it is poisonous, at least, it is known that it is not attended with good results when given to an animal. Raw linseed oil is needed to loosen the bowels and the farmer should be sure that he has the raw product before it is given to an animal.

Dip Now.—Do not forget to dip the animals during the busy season if you are provided with a dipping tank. Insects, mites and parasites multiply more rapidly at this time of the year than any other and if they are to be held in check, the preventive measures should not be overlooked now.

A Nuisance.—A horse that is too smart is a nuisance.

BEAUTY OF MEXICAN INDIANS.

Their Fine Eyes and Features and Intelligent Expression.

The beauty of Indian women is one of the charms of Mexico.

In the capital, where the Indian has degenerated by contact with the whites, by extreme poverty and menial service, it is less to be remarked than in the smaller towns and in the country.

But the beautiful faces one takes in memory away from Mexico are those of Indian women. Fine eyes are universal and, what one hardly expects, fine features, according to Caucasian standards; broad brows, straight noses, well formed mouths and chins full but not gross or heavy. The expression is very generally intelligent and often one is struck, both in Indian men and women, with the nobility and refinement of the countenance.

One frequently sees types among the peons that seem to belong to some highly civilized ancient casts, an Egyptian priest of royal blood, a Roman centurion, an Aztec emperor. The women are gently lovely where they are beautiful, and the men at their best in carriage, in manners and in countenance are strikingly like the very advanced product of civilization.

In the North the "noble red man" has chiefly been found in our poetry and romance. At their highest they possessed only the savage virtues. Here in mid-Mexico, even after four centuries of subjection, the Indian is plainly of better make, of higher ethnic development, of infinitely greater possibilities. It is a far cry from the Apache to the Aztec.

Chinese Girls in American Colleges.

Chinese women who have been educated in America will receive a distinguished recruit when Miss May Liang Cheng, the only daughter of Sir Chentung Liang-Cheng, the Chinese minister to the United States, returns to her native land.

Miss Cheng is a particularly bright young woman and has attracted much attention in Washington. It is announced that the piquant little Celestial maiden will be educated in Barnard college, although it is said Wells college, Aurora, N. Y., is a possible candidate for the honor of instilling the ideas of Western civilization in the pretty Miss Liang's head. Wells college is the alma mater of Li Hung Cheng's granddaughter, Miss Li, now Mrs. Bien.

Miss Cheng is under sweet sixteen, and dresses in Oriental style, as becomes the daughter of the Chinese representative to this country. She She speaks English and has shown marked ability in music.

His Profession.

A passing stranger was attracted by frightful screams coming from a little house not far from the road. Hurriedly tying his horse, he ran to the house and found out that a little boy had swallowed a quarter, and his mother, not knowing what to do, had become frantic.

The stranger caught the little fellow by the heels, holding him up, gave him a few shakes, whereupon the quarter soon dropped to the floor.

"Well, mister," said the grateful mother, "you cert'n'ly knowed how to get it out. Air you a doctor?"

"No, madame," replied the stranger, "I'm a collector of internal revenue."

What Did She Mean?

Mrs. Armitage had a negro servant who continually prated of a certain Mrs. Reed for whom she formerly worked. Weary of hearing Mrs. Reed quoted so often, the mistress asked one day:

"Well, Samantha, what kind of work did you do at Mrs. Reed's anyway?"

"Well, honey, I cooked foh huh, I did, an' I cleened for huh, an' I swep' foh huh, en' I washed huh Pussonal appea'ence."

The Origin of Pall Mall.

Few, perhaps, know that Pall Mall derived its name from an old "Pall-maille" court which stood on the site three hundred years ago. This game was simply a slightly different form of croquet, and appears to have gone completely out of fashion in the eighteenth century. Who revived it and how it came by its modern name is not known.

Baby's Excuse for Laughing.

Friend—I am afraid your husband has a very bad cold; he's continually sneezing. It's quite painful to hear him. Why don't you ask a doctor to see him?

Matron—Well, I'm waiting just a few days because it amuses baby so to see his father sneeze.

Relic of Bonaparte.

An interesting relic of Napoleon Bonaparte has been placed in the Nottingham Castle museum. It consists of a lock of hair of the emperor which was cut off about an hour after his death.

Blind Preacher of Wales.

One of the most eloquent preachers in Wales is the Rev. J. Paulston Jones. He has been blind since he was two years old, but graduated with high honors at the University of Glasgow.

Highest Salaried Woman.

The highest salaried woman in the government service is Miss Estelle Reel, inspector of Indian schools. She receives $3,000 a year and expenses.

Convenient.

"The automobile has shortened every road marvelously."

"Yes, especially the road to Hereafter!"

Perfect Womanhood

The greatest menace to woman's permanent happiness in life is the suffering that comes from some derangement of the feminine organs.

Many thousands of women have realized this too late to save their health, barely in time to save their lives.

To be a successful wife, to retain the love and admiration of her husband, should be a woman's constant study.

If a woman finds that her energies are flagging, that she gets easily tired, dark shadows appear under her eyes, she has backache, headache, bearing-down sensations, nervousness, irregularities or the "blues," she should start at once to build up her system by a tonic with specific powers, such as

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

the great woman's remedy for woman's ills, made only of roots and herbs.

It cures Female Complaints, such as Dragging Sensations, Weak Back, Falling and Displacements, Inflammation and Ulceration, and all Organic Diseases, and is invaluable in the Change of Life. It dissolves and Expels Tumors at an early stage. Subdues Faintness, Nervous Prostration, Exhaustion, and strengthens and tones the Stomach. Cures Headache, General Debility, Indigestion, and invigorates the whole female system. It is an excellent remedy for derangements of the Kidneys in either sex.

On the Last Day.

Gabriel—I've blown my trumpet three times and nobody pays any attention to it.

Israel—That's strange.

Gabriel—Isn't it? People just make a hasty jump for the curbstone and then look to see which way the motor car went.

Would Be Happy.

Old Mr. Bullion—And you are sure, my dear, that as my wife you will be happy?

Miss Youngthing—Oh, perfectly. I think it's simply heavenly to pay for things by check!

Long Winded.

"It takes you a pretty long while to shave yourself, doesn't it?"

"Not so very long; I can shave myself quicker than my old barber could."

"I don't believe it."

"It's a fact; you see, he stammers terribly."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

All Excellent Reasons.

"Come in and have a drink with me."

"Can't, I tell you. In the first place, I'm the president of the Anti-alcoholic league; then, I haven't time to take a single drink to-day! and finally, I had my third glass just a quarter of an hour ago!"

"GOLD SEAL" OIL CLOTHING.
Best made. If your dealer does not have the "Gold Seal" apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

He Envied Him.

Sandford — Did you ever see a man who can stand as much liquor as Jagmann?

Merton—No. Some men are born lucky.

GUNS, TRAPS, DECOYS, ETC.
Lowest prices. Write for free catalog No. 1
N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Most men find it easier to take two steps backward than to take one forward.

Brother Dickey's Texts.

I verily believe ef dey wuz ter put a price on salvation some er dese rich mens would say it wuz too high.

A clear conscience is de best umbrellier efter all in cloudy weather.

It's true dat a good man is lonesome in dis worl', kaze de angels is too fur off ter keep him company.

De good Lawd will provide, but I reckon he don't like ter see a man loafin' roun', waitin' on de provision.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Seeking an Easy Education.

"Most men learn only in the school of experience."

"Yes, and some of them want to take that course by mail."

A DELICIOUS THING.
Canada Sap on a nice plate of hot cakes. "Ask the man" at the grocery store.

A Drop From Kentucky.

Some of us are made on the order of billboards—a fleshy front with a vacant lot behind.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

Lots of people who talk of their lives as blue are only color blind; they either are green or yellow.

It now is perfectly safe to prove your charity by giving away your wornout winter's clothes.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup.
For children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

No man is more blind than he who pronounces the world bad after looking in his own heart.

You never will burn a hole in sin by concentrating your piety on Sunday.

Folks who sing off the key always sing above the choir.

"OUCH"
OH, MY BACK
IT IS WONDERFUL HOW QUICKLY THE PAIN AND STIFFNESS GO WHEN YOU USE
ST. JACOBS OIL
THIS WELL-TRIED, OLD-TIME REMEDY FILLS THE BILL
25c.—*ALL DRUGGISTS*,—50c.
CONQUERS PAIN

FAST COLOR EYELETS USED EXCLUSIVELY

W. L. DOUGLAS
$3.00 & $3.50 SHOES BEST IN THE WORLD
SHOES FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY, AT ALL PRICES.

$25,000 Reward *To any one who can prove W. L. Douglas does not make & sell more Men's $3 & $3.50 shoes than any other manufacturer.*

THE REASON W. L. Douglas shoes are worn by more people in all walks of life than any other make, is because of their excellent style, easy-fitting, and superior wearing qualities. The selection of the leathers and other materials for each part of the shoe, and every detail of the making is looked after by the most complete organization of superintendents, foremen and skilled shoemakers, who receive the highest wages paid in the shoe industry, and whose workmanship cannot be excelled.

If I could take you into my large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made, you would then understand why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer and are of greater value than any other make.

My $4.00 and $5.00 Gilt Edge Shoes cannot be equalled at any price.

CAUTION! The genuine have W. L. Douglas name and price stamped on bottom. Take No Substitute. Ask your dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you, send direct to factory. Shoes sent everywhere by mail. Catalog free. W. L. Douglas, Brockton, Mass.

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Consumption is less deadly than it used to be.

Certain relief and usually complete recovery will result from the following treatment:

Hope, rest, fresh air, and—*Scott's Emulsion.*

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND $1.00.

New Store and New Goods

Matt Skala wishes to announce that the big addition to his store is now completed, and he will open for inspection next week a large, new stock of

Friend Bros. Clothing

Gotzian Shoes, Groeries, Etc. Etc.

If you want to buy anything in the general merchandise line this is the place, and now is the time, while the stock is fresh and complete.

MATT SKALA

North Side Red Lake Falls

MASCOT

"A PURE FLOUR"

Sweet, Pure and Wholesome

"IT'S ALL THE WHEAT That's fit to Eat"

Always Uniform Absolutely Pure

HIGINBOTHAM

—HAS—

Several Improved FARM FOR RENT.

SEE HIM

Don't You Like This Town

You live here, your business interests are here, you home is here. If you smoke out-of-town made cigars it indicates that you are not spending your money in your home town. You are patronizing some stranger out in New York. That same New York man has no interest for your city except to get your money. Now isn't this true? One way of patronizing home industries is to insist on getting

'B. B.' and 'I Lead' Cigars

THE BRUNELLES

HOW TO MIX THIS

Directions to Prepare Simple Yet Remarkable Home Mixture.

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the readers of a large New York daily paper the following valuable yet simple and harmless prescription which any one can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce: Compound Kargon, one ounce: Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost and being of vegetable extraction, are harmless.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days it is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism, The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose until permanent results are obtained and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called rhematism cures. patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results. and the above will no doubt be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores in this neighborhood elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately or the druggists here will mix the prescription for our readers if asked to.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED TO DATE

Wheat, No. 1 Hard	$ 1 02
" No. 1 Northern	1 01½
" No. 2 Northern	98½
" No. 3 Northern	94½
" No. 4 Northern	86½
" Rejected	80½
Flax, No. 1	1 14
" No. 2	1 11
N. G. Flax	1.06
Barley, No. 4	81
" No. 5	75
" Seed	71
Oats, No. 3 White	43
" No. 4 White	41
" No. 3	39
Flour, Patent	3 30
" Straight	2 20
Shorts	24 00
Bran	23 00
Butter	22
Creamery Butter	30
Eggs	20

S'MORE LOCAL.

Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson returned Monday evening from Thompson, N. D., whither he went after one Peter Mellen, charged with rape at Thief River Falls. On Tuesday the young man was taken to the up-river city for trial and the same will come up for hearing Saturday. In the meantime we may learn of a wedding wherein Miss Lena Lappegaard, of Norden township, and Peter Mellen, of New Solem, Marshall county, were the contracting parties—then the trial will be dismissed.

Word received from Spokane, Wash., report the P. O. Floan family in good health and enjoying the western country at its best. Mr. Floan has embarked in the general mercantile business and is being favored with a splendid patronage and has only the highest of praise for the place. Immigration to Spokane this fall has been exceedingly large and none who have entered the borders to this great western city have occasion to wish themselves elsewhere. With flowers in bloom, the trees aglow with their bounteous shade, one would hardly think of the country as other than a paradise.

A little shooting affray took place at Thief River Falls Tuesday evening, and the attention of the county authorities was called hence. It seems that Attorney Michelet had a "paper" to serve upon one Henry Gorke, whereupon the latter drew a revolver and fired, but just as he pulled the trigger Deputy Sheriff Robert Lee happened upon the scene and struck the man's arm, which threw the ball wild. We have not learned the result of the case, but it would seem that Thief River Falls is desirous of sending a large delegation of "criminals" down to the county seat during the next term of court.

Sam S. Haislet, who has been local editor of THE GAZETTE for the past seven months, left last Saturday for Lincoln, Neb., where he will assume charge of a job printing establishment owned by his brother-in-law, C. C. Spaulding. Sam has been connected with the Red Lake Falls newspapers for six years past, and is recognized as one of the best printers and local writers in this part of the state. The Red Lake Falls people will wish him every possible success in his new venture. Mrs. Haislet and the children go to Lewiston, Montana, where they will visit the Dautremonte for several months before the family goes to housekeeping at Lincoln.

For Sale.

Second-hand Southwick hay press in first class working order; capacity fifteen tons per day; price $50, worth $150. Come quick.

WM. FINDEISEN.

School Fund Is Short.

The state board of investment at a meeting at the capitol Monday approved loans aggregating $36,200, of which $25,000 is for a drainage ditch loan to Redwood county. The others are school loans.

While the loans to school districts aggregated $11,200, there is only about $6,000 at hand with which to make the loans. The school fund, from which the loans are made, will soon be considerably increased however, and the school loans will then be cared for first. State Treasurer C. C. Dinehart stated Monday that the board has approved loans to the extent of about $200,000, and while the funds are not immediately available for the loans, the money is continually coming in and the loans will be made in order in which they were approved, the school loans being taken of first.

The school loans approved Monday were as follows: Hubbard county, $400; Freeborn, $300; Red Lake, $400; Redwood, $2200; Marshall, $600; Becker, $1800: Stearns, $1000; Meeker, $1000; Crow Wing, $600.

Mankato Commercial College is the only actual business training school in the northwest. Send for catalog.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated December 26th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, January 12th, 1905, at 3:10 o'clock p. m., in Book 33 of Mortgages, on Page 631-632 whereby Peder A. Lybeck and Thore Lybeck, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard,) mortgagees, the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24) and the north half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) all in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof. $15.90, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.73, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, thirty-eight dollars and sixty-three cents, ($38.63.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, November 30th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
George W. Wishard.

H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated October 13th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, October 19th, 1904, at 1:40 o'clock p. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 439-440, whereby Jens L. Bolstad and Helene J. Bolstad, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the northeast quarter (ne¼) of section twenty-one (21) in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part hereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $31.80, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.04, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, fifty-three dollars and eighty-four cents, ($53.84.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, November 30th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.
By Thos C. Day
George W. Wishard.

H. C. Gilbert, Attorney.
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
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STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake

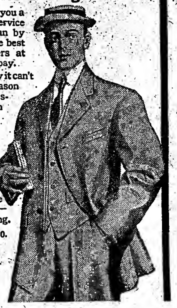
The State of Minnesota to Francesco Coradi, defendant.

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before the undersigned, one of the Justices of the Peace in and for said county, on the 5th day of November, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at my office, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, to answer to the complaint of Wm. H. Krueger, in a civil action, wherein the plaintiff claims the sum of twenty and 50-100 dollars, ($20.50.)

Should you fail to appear at the time and place aforesaid, judgment will be rendered against you, upon the evidence adduced by said Wm. H. Krueger, for such sum as he shall show himself entitled to.

Given under my hand this first day of October, A. D., 1907.

A. P. TOUPIN,
Justice of the Peace.



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Ask to See the "Longworth" →

A style far in advance of the common procession—Distinctive—Stylish—Perfectly Tailored—Better Fitting—Shape Retaining.

All Sizes 30 to 38. Prices $15 to $30.

The Big Store

Theo. LaBissoniere, Prop.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Vanity is thinking about yourself what nobody else does.

Sometimes a woman is really a blonde when she appears to be.

It's scandal not when it's known, but when it is talked about.

A man can keep quiet about his religion, but he's got to yell about his politics.

It makes a girl furious to have a man hug her unless he has no right to.

Creamery Increases Values.

Middle River Pioneer: A patron of the Middle River creamery recently informed us that he was so well pleased with the returns from his cows that he would not sell his firm for less than $25 per acre, whereas before the creamery started he was offering it for about $18. This is a hopeful sign! When farmers get so generally awakened to the possibilities of the country that they all express this sentiment and ask for their land what it is really worth actual homesteaders will come in greater numbers than they have in the past, when every man was discouraged and offered his land at a ridiculously low price.

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Churches.

ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8 and 10 a. m.—Very Rev. E. Fayolle, pastor.

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8. and 10 a. m.—Rev. Father Ambrose, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school a 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. KNOX, Pastor.

Secret Societies

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall Visitors are always welcome.—Fred Zaiser N. G. Dr. J. E. Argue, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S. James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—E. G. Buse, C. C.; P. B. Gaass, K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kanfer, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN—Meets every Wednesday at M. W. A. hall.

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GOOD MUSIC FEST

The Red Lake Falls Concert Band to give Concert October 30th

The band boys are making great preparations for their next concert to be given in the opera house next Wednesday evening, October 30th. Prof. Maxwell hopes to make this, their first indoor concert this year, the crowning event of the season and the boys are putting hard licks at practice. All lovers of good music and the public in general should attend these concerts and thus show their appreciation of the boys efforts by giving them good financial support. The price of admission is only twenty-five cents, so let all who can attend the concert next Wednesday evening. Following is the program:

PART I.

1 March................Crumling
"87th Regiment"
2 Overture..............Thomas
"Raymond"
3 Euphonium Solo......Hartmann
"Longing for Home"
Jos. Harren
4 Selection...........DeKoven
"Robin Hood"
5 Waltz.................Codina
"As a Dream"

PART II.

6 Grand Fantasie.........Gounod
"Faust"
7 Song........................
8 Medley.............Laurendeau
"War Songs of the Boys in Blue"
9 Spanish Serenade.....Yradier
"La Paloma"
10 Patrol.................Dalbey
"Blue and Grey"

Gang Plows!!

I have for sale second-hand gang plows, Flying Dutchman, John Deere and Bradley XX-Ray. These plows are in first-class condition; will do as good work as new ones, and you can buy them for half their actual value. WM. FINDEISEN.

Pay Your Debts Now.

Here is some good advice from the Fergus Falls Journal. It is easier to pay debts this year than last, because commodities of all kinds are high, and a dollar is easier to get. Many people could profit by the Journal's admonition:

This is a great time for paying debts, if those who are in debt would but realize and improve it. Many debts in this county were contracted at a time when it took three bushels of barley, five bushels of oats or two bushels of wheat to pay a dollar. The same ratio holds true in almost every other commodity or service. It takes but half as much of everything raised on a ferm to pay a dollar as it did five years ego. This then is a time to take advantage of the high price of everything to get square with the world. It is the very time to run in debt for everything you buy costs very much more than usual and if you pay your debts later when prices have dropped it will make it doubly hard. This advice won't influence anyone to pay a debt or stop him from buying lightning rods and other good selling articles at boom prices. People always run in debt in good times for they think it will be easy to pay and then they have to pay off in hard times.

Notice to the Public.

I have started up the Healy flour mill and am now prepared to furnish the famous "Gold Seal" fancy patent flour, and feed of all kinds on the shortest notice. Orders phoned to No. 87 will be given prompt attention. Farmers who desire to exchange wheat for flour will find it to their advantage to call on me. Will also always pay the highest cash price for wheat. Am prepared to do feed grinding every hour in the day. Give me a call.

Yours sincerely,
1-3 Leo. Steinert.

A Criminal Attack

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels, 25c at Schreiter's drug store.

COURT TO CONVENE

The October Term of the District Court to Convene October 28th

The October term of the district court for Red Lake county will convene next Monday with Judge Wm. Watts presiding. The court calendar contains ten cases held over from the last term and thirty-five new ones, besides four of a criminal nature. Only the court cases will be tried at this time, while the jury will not be summoned for duty until November 11th, thus giving the farmers ample time to complete their fall work ere being called upon to attend court. The criminal cases on the docket are: State vs R. B. Hamilton, indecent assault; State vs H. B. Blackey, accepting a bribe; State vs E. H. Ackerman, giving a bribe to an executive officer, and State vs E. H. Draper.

Reservation Crops Big.

Sunbeam: Peter Hedeen, of Kratka raised over eighteen hundred bushels of No. 1 wheat this year, besides several hundred bushels of oats and barley. Take this in connection with the Deer Park farmers cream checks and it would lead one to believe that this was a good farming country. There has been no threshing done in Highlanding township yet, but the large number of stacks will certainly yield a large amount of grain.

For Sale.

New Bucher & Gibbs riding geng plow, 12 inch; will sell for $45, worth $75. Plow guaranteed in every particular. WM. FINDEISEN.

Farmers, don't forget that I sell the John Deere plows—gang, sulky end walking plows.—William Findeisen.

MINNESOTA IS RICH

Passes Billion Dollar Mark in Valuation of Taxable Property.

According to the tax lists for 1907 Minnesota is a "billion doller state" for the first time in its history.

Last year the reel estate assessment of Minnesota was $753,585,000. The tax commission has added $121,000,000 in one lump, on the essessment of the iron mining properties. New essessments of real estate, for tracts added to the tax rolls and for improvements, add another three or four millions to the total, bringing the reel estate valuation up to $878,000,000 in round numbers. Personal property wes increased about $5,000,000 this year, and without deducting the exemptions will reach $199,000,000, bringing the totel for taxable property in the state to $1,068,000,000. Even deducting the exemptions the figure will be at least $50,000,000 in excess of a billion dollers.

To those who know the real wealth and resources of the state, a billion dollar veluation seems ridiculously small. In the first plece, it is a well known fact that property of all kinds even when disclosed is assessed at less than half its true cesh value. The ratio varies greatly, but on real estete 40 per cent is agreed to be liberal, and the average over the state is not much over a third of actual value. The figures also fail to reach many millions of intengible value, such as the cepitalized earning power of manufecturing and mercantile concerns, and the individual holdings of securities of every kind. As to this last item, it is no doubt true that outside holdings of Minnesota stocks and bonds are heavier than the amounts of outside securities owned in Minnesota, but the aggregate value of corporation holdings in Minnesota is certainly part of the wealth of the state.

It must not be forgotten, too, that the taxable valuation omits corporations that pay a gross earnings tax to the state treasury. The railroads of the state certified last year a cost of $341,000,000, to say nothing of the value to the stockholders. Other corporations to be figured in are the express, telephone and freight line companies. Unsold state lands of great potential value, are also to be accounted for.

A billion dollar valuation for Minnesota should be multiplied by three to give the true value of property listed. No doubt a full valuation of all property in the state would leave four billions behind. That would give our 2,000,000 people an average holding of $2,000 in property, per capita. Yet the economic possibilities of Minnesota have only begun to be realized.

Johnson's Friends on Guard.

Albert Lea Standard: Minnesota, in the next democratic national convention, will be for Bryan as long as he will permit the use of his name. Next, although he honestly and earnestly would not be president if he knew he could be, it ought to be and will be for John A. Johnson. It follows, that only trustworthy friends of Gov. Johnson, as well as of Bryan, should be on the delegation.

His Dear Old Mother

"My dear old mother, who is now eighty three years old, thrives on Electric Bitters," writes W. B. Brunson, of Dublin, Ga. "She has taken them for about two years and enjoys an excellent appetite, feels strong and sleeps well." That's the way Electric Bitters affect the aged, and the same happy results follow in all cases of female weakness and general debility. Weak, puny children too, are greatly strengthened by them. Guaranteed also for stomach, liver and kidney troubles, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 50 cents.

Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold remedy and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter's drug store, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Facing a Crisis.

Albert Lea Standard: Some of the best weekly papers of the state are seriously considering the advisability, if not actual necessity, of raising their subscription rates to $2 a year. The increased price of paper and other printers' supplies, wages and the many other expenses are absorbing the profits and even making it doubtful whether the larger papers can be published without a loss. In any event, the wise would better be forewarned. Now is the time to subscribe, to pay back dues and a year in advance and thus be well provided for an[illegible] happy accordingly.

Reflections of a Bache[illegible]

New York Press: The [illegible]ay not to understand women is [illegible]ry to.

The reason a man likes to go fishing is his family doesn't like to go with him.

Postmen can tell there's nothing in women's letters by their being so thick.

A woman thinks her husband is smart to be able to tell what makes the furnace smoke though he can't stop it.

If a man could play the piano and know how to make a living in spite of it this would be a much more cheerful world.

The Reason of Exports.

A generally accepted idea is that a nation imports a certain class of goods for the reason that the foreign countries make a better article; but in many cases the exports and imports are nearly equal. No importation of foreign manufacture can equal the home brews; especially is this true of golden grain belt beer. It is a pure, refreshing beverage, highly favored for table use. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

For Sale.

Second-hand Southwick hay press in first class working order; capacity fifteen tons per day; price $50, worth $150. Come quick. WM. FINDEISEN.

ALLIGATOR TEARS

Were Shed by the Up-River Enthusiasts on Our Streets last Saturday.

Last Saturday being the day set for the meeting of the county board to take action on the county seat removal petition, a large number of Thief River Falls citizens came down w[illegible] a few "ha has" up their coat [illegible]ves, thinking to use them in [illegible]ase the board did not meet as they had failed to do upon a couple other occasions—the same object the view. However, at the hour set for the meeting they were surprised to find every member of the board in his place and then these same "ha has" corkscrewed themselves around into sickly grins, for it was certain then the board would vote to have the county seat removed to Thief River Falls and they—the citizens from the up-river town—could take the court house and county officials back with them and then in the evening the populace join in a grand and glorious jollification. Stilled in quietude a rat was heard crossing the alley a block away, and then one by one the attendance in the commissioners' chambers filed out through the door and winded their way up town. You ask, "What happened?" 'Twas only a vision came over the meeting and three members of the board voted to show cause before Judge Watts at Crookston. This will throw the case into court and it is hard to say just when the same will come up for trial, while in the meantime the county officials will continue to do business at the same old stand and Red Lake Falls will go down into the history of 1908 as the "hub" of the shire of Red Lake.

Out of Sight.

"Out of sight, out of mind." is an old saying which applies with special force to a sore, burn or wound that's been treated with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's out of sight, out of mind and out of existence. Piles too and chilblains disappear under its healing influence. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 25c.

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A Man of the World A Scholar and a Thinker Has Said:

It is idle to discount the part that dress plays in shaping a man's career. Arrayed in an ill fitting suit of poor material, a man may be at heart a gentleman of the highest type but the world will misjudge him. It is so easy to dress well now-a-days at a small cost that a man is duty bound to give himself all the advantage to be gained by being correctly dressed.

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We have a big line of patterns.

Can't we demonstrate to you that you would look attractive in one of our suits.

Overcoats

100 to select from at from.......... $5 to $100 for the finest Fur lined coats.

Gordon sheep skin lined Corduroy coats are the best made. Longer, higher collars, jean sleeve linings, auto clasps, knit wristlets, better corduroy and they don't cost more to you than cheaper made coats, $5.00 up. 200 coats to select from.

Shoes

Fully prepared for the fall business. Brown 14 in high tops, heavy soled for

$3.75

Others ask $5.50 for the same shoe. Laborers want to see our shoes.

Closing Out Skirt Sale

All past season's skirts your choice at

$2.98

worth up to $12.

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The long winter evenings will soon be here again and you will be looking for something to pass the time away. You will never find anything more amusing than an

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Red Lake Falls Gazette

JOHN E. KING, Publisher.

RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

The president has directed the appointment of Col. Charles S. Smith, ordnance department, to be brigadier general on the retirement of Gen. Godfrey.

Ambassador Leishman has informed the state department that he has bought the first and only American embassy property in Europe. It is a magnificent place, overlooking the Bosporus and cost less than $150,000.

Personal.

Julius M. Reiser, aged sixty-seven, said to be the pioneer manufacturer of glass mirrors in the United States, is dead.

Alexander M. Fox, the oldest director of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, died at his home in Philadelphia, aged eighty-three years.

C. A. Wilson, sixty-eight years old, capitalist and influential citizen of Sussex, N. J., died suddenly in Sioux City, Iowa. He had banking interests in Iowa and South Dakota.

Rev. George Boardman Taylor, for thirty-five years president of the Baptist mission in Italy, is dead. Dr. Taylor, who was chaplain to Gen. Stonewall Jackson in the Civil war, was the first pastor of the Franklin Square church at Baltimore. He founded several churches and schools in Italy.

Crimes.

Austin Griffith shot and killed his wife at the breakfast table at Key West, and then committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid.

Policeman Anton Eschman was shot and killed at Cincinnati by Peter Garrity. Garrity, it is said, was intoxicated and shot the policeman apparently without provocation. Garrity was arrested.

With their eleven-year-old daughter as a witness, Albert Fiedler of Baltimore fired five bullets into the body of his wife, killing her instantly, and then killed himself. The couple had been living apart.

Thirty-three Italians were arrested at Brownsville, Pa., by members of the Pennsylvania State constabulary in an endeavor to break up an alleged blackmailing society. The arrests follow the receipt of threatening letters by a number of merchants.

Harry K. Thaw's second trial for the killing of Stanford White will begin Dec. 2. This agreement was reached between District Attorney Jerome, Martin W. Littleton, counsel for Thaw, and Justice Dowling of the supreme court. Mr. Littleton wanted the date fixed for Nov. 1, but Mr. Jerome opposed this and offered the date which was selected.

Beaten into insensibility and bound hand and foot across the railroad tracks in the Pennsylvania yards at Cleveland, Samuel Hamilton Shaw of Port Huron, Mich., a sailor, narrowly escaped being ground to death by a freight train. Shaw was robbed by three men. After knocking him senseless they bound him tight to the track. He was discovered by the engineer of the train, who barely managed to stop a few feet from the prostrate man.

Foreign.

Lord Brompton, who was Sir Francis Hawkins, is dead in London. He was born in 1817.

The appointment of Mgr. Del la Chisa, substitute papal secretary of state, as papal nuncio at Madrid, has been canceled.

The Russian authorities have ordered the confiscation of Count Tolstoi's book entitled, "A Comparative Study of the Gospels."

The cholera outbreak is getting alarming in proportions in Tokio. Nineteen new cases have been reported recently.

The Union of the True Russian People is organizing a deputation which will wait on the czar Oct. 30 and petition him to withdraw his manifesto of Oct. 30, 1905, granting a constitution to Russia.

The Spanish government has notified the government of France that Spain consents to the measures proposed to prevent the landing of contraband goods in Morocco, especially arms and ammunition.

Accidental Happenings.

Fire destroyed the Collins & Burgie stove works at Morengo, Ill. Loss, $100,000; insurance, $35,000.

By the accidental discharge of a target rifle in the hands of her son, three years old, Mrs. Milton Pond was killed at Trenton, Mo.

Three thousand persons, mostly women, some carrying babies, attempted to crowd into a 10-cent store that had just opened in Kansas City. A semi-panic resulted. A dozen women fainted; a baby was trampled upon, but not seriously hurt and three women were injured.

An explosion of gas occurred in Mine No. 7 of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Railway company at Pratt City, Ala., and a cave-in of the roof followed. Four miners, including the bank boss, were caught behind the cave-in and are believed to be dead.

Nine lives were lost at the Foggs colliery, near Bolton, Eng., when a rope slipped off a pulley and precipitated an elevator cage to the bottom of a deep shaft.

Thomas J. Dupress, a member of the firm of Broadnax & Co., jewelers of Memphis, while riding a motorcycle collided with a street car, sustaining injuries which resulted in his death.

Thomas Bertram, twenty years old, of Altoona, Pa., received injuries during a football game that caused his death. His death, it is said, will result in prosecutions against those who played Sunday football.

James Jackson, a coal miner, and his sixteen-year-old daughter, were killed at Bridgeport, Ohio, when a spark from the pipe smoked by Joseph Barbusi set off a keg of powder in his home and demolished the house.

Stanley Gerrity and J. F. Fortney, employes of a construction company at Gary, Ind., were killed and three workmen seriously injured when a passenger train ran into a group of men who were about to board a local train at Gary.

A passenger train on the Atlantic Coast line ran into an open switch and collided with an engine at South Rocky Mount, N. C. The engineer of the passenger train was instantly killed and a postal clerk was slightly injured.

General News Items.

Samuel Barb has been arrested at Fort William, Ont., by Sergt. Watkin on a charge of forgery. The alleged crime was committed in Duluth.

Three prisoners escaped from the county jail at Cincinnati. They dug their way through an inner wall with pieces of iron broken from their beds.

The carpenters employed in the construction of the Bell Telephone building at Great Falls, Mont., have gone on strike once more, and the work on the building is stopped.

Frederick Boehmann, a wealthy German, was sentenced to fourteen years in the penitentiary for the murder last Decoration day of Henry Mathias, a saloonkeeper at Chicago.

Oct. 20 has been set by the management of the Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern as the date on which regular service will be started on the recently completed electric lines.

Levi Jones and William Carpenter are dying in a hospital at Pittsburg from injuries received in a duel with a knife and an ice pick as weapons. The fight was prompted, it is said, by jealousy.

The jury in the Rowland murder trial at Raleigh, N. C., returned a verdict of acquittal. Dr. and Mrs. David Rowland were charged with poisoning the woman's former husband, Charles R. Strange.

William Burns, a negro desperado who shot Policeman August Barter at Cumberland, Md., inflicting wounds from which the officer died, was taken from jail by a mob at an early hour and shot to death.

With the assistance of seven powerful tugs the battleship Kentucky, which stranded off Lambert's Point, Va., while endeavoring to avoid a possible collision with vessels lying at anchor in the stream, waiting to take coal, has been floated.

Freight tonnage passing through the Soo canals, according to the September report, was over 8,500,000, making the season's tonnage to date over 40,000,000. Less than 10,000,000 more is needed to exceed the record of last season. The year will break last year's record by several millions.

The output of automobiles for 1908 is expected to be 55,000 cars, as against 45,000 made this year. These figures, which are said to be a conservative estimate, have been announced by the management of the American Motor Car Manufacturers' association.

Judges Grosscup, Baker and Seaman, in the United States circuit court of appeals, in an opinion overruled the petition of the Chicago & Alton Railway company for a rehearing on its appeal from the $50,000 fine imposed by Judge K. M. Landis a little more than a year ago for rebating.

It is authoritatively stated at the state department that there is no foundation for the report that Robert Bacon, first assistant secretary of state, is to succeed Ambassador Tower at Berlin, and it is added that no word has yet been received from Mr. Tower indicating his intention to retire from the office.

But for the investigation of the child's father and the timely arrival of officers, Henry Johnson, a negro, who it is alleged assaulted the three-year-old daughter of Leonard Broadway, would probably have been lynched at Memphis by a posse of neighbors, who captured him after a two-mile chase.

Grand Master John J. Hanrahan of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers has issued a call for a meeting of the general chairmen of the joint protective boards of all the railroads east of Chicago to meet in Buffalo. The purpose of the meeting is to establish a standard rate of pay and uniform operating and working rules for the various railroads in the territory embracing all the lines east of Chicago.

Sir Thomas Lipton has decided to build the new Fife-designed cutter to compete in the British regattas in 1908. It is intended that the cutter shall eclipse the White Heather II., the present champion of the British yachts.

A gang of convicts who were being escorted to Tobolsk, Siberia, from Tyumen, Eastern Siberia, attacked their guards and wounded six of them. The guards fired on the convicts, twenty-two of whom were killed. Eleven of the prisoners escaped with rifles which they had wrested from the members of the escort.

RETIRED PASTOR AND WIFE CELEBRATE THEIR JUBILEE

REV. AND MRS. GEORGE HOERGER.

The fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Rev. and Mrs. George Hoerger was celebrated at the German M. E. church at Faribault. A large number of the members of the congregation and numerous friends were present.

Rev. and Mrs. Hoerger are both natives of Germany. Mr. Hoerger was born on March 22, 1835, at Sontheim, Wuertenberg, and came to this country in 1855. Mrs. Hoerger, whose maiden name was Agatha Soutter, was born on May 1, 1841, at Friedenstadt, Wuertenberg, and came to America in 1853.

After coming West they both located at Aurora, Ill., where they met and were married in October, 1857. Mr. Hoerger was then in the shoe business. In 1866 he entered the Northwestern conference of the German M. E. church.

During his ministerial work he supplied the following places: Winona, 1866-1867; St. Charles, 1867-1868; Blooming Grove, 1868-1870; Cannon River, 1870-1872; Red Wing, 1872-1875; Rochester, 1875-1877; Winona, 1877-1880; La Crosse, Wis., 1880-1882.

Mr. Hoerger's health failed while he was stationed at La Crosse, and he was obliged to give up his work and went to Faribault to make his home. In the fall of 1885 he again resumed his labors in the church and located at Mankato, where he remained until 1888, and Owatonna, 1888-1890, after which he again gave up his chosen work and removed to Faribault, where he and his wife have since resided.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoerger have four children living; Edward Hoerger, Faribault; William Hoerger, who at present is in New York; Miss Sarah Hoerger, Faribault; Benjamin Hoerger, who is an instructor at Oberlin college, Oberlin, Ohio. They also have five grandchildren.

STATE GETS MORE LAND.

The state auditor has received from the interior department at Washington its approval of indemnity land selections in the Duluth land district, amounting to 38,624.41 acres.

The tracts selected are in St. Louis, Lake, Cook, Itasca and Koochiching counties. They are to be patented to the state to make up for school sections on the Red Lake Indian Reservation, and also for school sections that fell short of the 640 acres because of lakes.

The land is largely timbered and in time the stumpage will be sold. Mr. Iverson hopes, however, that iron ore will be located on some of the places.

He has made as many selections as possible along the general direction of ore finds, picking out a number of stray forties that have been left from timber and stone selections.

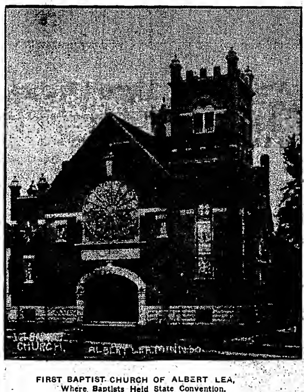
Capt. John L. Wells, formerly American consul at Madagascar and associate editor of the Yonkers Standard, died at his home in Yonkers.

SEARCHING FOR THE FLAG.

F. A. Carlson, president of the Association of the Civil War Veterans of the Third Minnesota, is in search of a flag which has been lost for several years.

After the regiment was mustered out of service in 1855, the national emblem was presented to the City of Red Wing in appreciation of the reception accorded them upon the old soldiers' return from the battle field. The flag was first presented to W. W. Phelps in 1865, who at that time was mayor of the city, L. A. Hancock making the presentation speech. E. W. Hawkins made a tin box and in it the flag was placed, which was for some years kept in the Masonic hall. Five years later, when Decoration day exercises were held, Old Glory was last seen floating from the breeze over the door of Christ Episcopal church.

It is believed that the flag can be traced and shown at the annual reunion of the Third Minnesota, which will be held at Red Wing next summer.



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF ALBERT LEA,
Where Baptists Held State Convention.

LE GRAND POWERS BETTER.

Recovers From Typhoid and Will Be at Work in Ten Days.

Washington, Oct. 17.—L. G. Powers of the census bureau has recovered from his ten weeks' attack of typhoid fever and will be strong enough to return to his desk in about ten days. He came down town yesterday for the first time since his recovery, and his friends remarked that he was looking much better than they had expected would be the case.

USE BEARS IN DASH TO POLE.

Capt. Raold Amundson Having Four Trained for Trip in 1910.

New York Oct. 17. — Capt Raold Amundson, the arctic explorer, who arrived yesterday on the steamship Oscar II., said he will make an attempt to reach the north pole in 1910. He announced that he is having four big polar bears trained to haul sleds by an expert in Hamburg and intends to use them in the Far North.

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Fire of unknown origin damaged the stock and building of the Klondike saloon at Marshall to the extent of $1,000.

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S. S. Ball, a widower and veteran of the Civil war, committed suicide at Delano by shooting himself in the head.

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George Churchill, employed by the Duluth & Iron Range railway, was run over and killed by a train at Adams Mine station, near Eveleth.

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Oscar Johnson, a St. Paul young man, was stabbed in the arm during a fight at a dance held at Chisago City, and was severely wounded.

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The dedication of the remodeled Church of Opdahls congregation took place at Florence last week. A large number of people from other towns were present.

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During a quarrel at Benson over cattle Timothy Murphy, it is alleged, shot Patrick Cheney through the stomach. It is thought that his chances for recovery are slight.

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Maria Lawson, seven years old, and Clarence McCluskey, aged six, were run over by a loaded wagon on the street at Worthington and both are in a critical condition.

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Martin Thomas of Le Sueur, a married man, was bound over to the grand jury under $500 bonds on a charge preferred by Mary Stressinger, who is less than sixteen years old.

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Work on the Northwestern Interurban railway, it is expected, will begin at Moorhead soon. President Thomas P. Robb and a corps of surveyors are coming to start operations.

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John Meyers, an employe of the Great Northern Power company, while assisting in the repair of some machinery at the plant in Duluth, touched a live wire and fell over dead.

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An election was held at Crookston to vote on a proposed bond issue. Twenty thousand dollars is needed to build a new school building. The bonds carried by a close majority.

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Harold, the three-year-old son of Ed Cullen of Brainerd, drank several ounces of a patent cholera remedy. Four doctors worked several hours to bring him to. He is out of danger now.

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The postoffice at Marine Mills, near Stillwater, was burglarized. Postmaster J. A. Sjararund also occupied the building as a harness shop. Only a small amount in stamps and cash was secured.

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The townsite board of the village of White Earth has completed the survey and platting of the new agency village, as provided by the last congress, and lots will soon be placed on the market.

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Gus H. Beaulieu, accompanied by Chief Meyzsuzkeigeshig Shedy and William Potter, left White Earth for Washington a few days ago to interview the officials of the Indian department.

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L. P. Harrington, who has held the office of county superintendent of schools of McLeod county for eighteen years, has resigned to accept the principalship of the agricultural school at Crookston.

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Sheriff Louis Gonyee says that the criminal work of Polk county has decreased one-half in the last two years, and that the country is freer of undesirable characters than it has been for many years.

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An agricultural fair was held at Harmony by the children of the public schools at the school house. A large and fine exhibit of fruit, vegetables and flowers was shown. The profits will be used for decorating the rooms of the school building.

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Fire swept the Mercantile restaurant in Minneapolis about 5 o'clock one morning last week, endangering the lives of patrons of the place and burning P. A. Hertford, night cashier, who delayed escaping from the burning building until he could rescue the cash drawer. Loss, $5,000.

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John Kasperick had a narrow escape from death at his home in Sauk Rapids, when his residence was completely destroyed by fire. He was sleeping when the fire broke out. If help had arrived five minutes later Mr. Kasparick would have been smothered. After two hours' hard work he was resuscitated.

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Gilbert Berg and Ole Chase, homesteaders from near Cederland, pleaded guilty at Roseau to violations of the game laws and each was fined $50. Berg and Chase were caught in the act of cutting up two moose.

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The Moorhead board of education has fixed the tax levy for school purposes for next year at $23,000, a little more than last year's taxes. With the school tax fixed, it is estimated that the tax rate for the year will be 38 mills, an increase of 10 mills over last year's tax rate.

Rev. P. A. Schwarz has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Windom and has accepted a call from Red Lake Falls.

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The Soo-Winnipeg flyer was delayed eleven hours by a freight wreck at Carlos. Three cars containing stock were smashed, killing some stock and permitting the remainder to escape.

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Maurice O'Conner died at Stewartville of heart failure. He was eighty-five years old and had lived in Olmsted county about fifty years. His widow and five sons and daughters survive him.

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Jack Weirel, a tailor who has been employed in Pipestone for some time past, was accidentally killed by the discharge of his gun while out hunting near Lake Benton Sunday with a couple of friends.

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Christian Sorenson reports to the Tyler police that he was held up while walking down the railroad tracks near here and was relieved of his watch and fired upon by his assailant as he (Sorenson) fled down the track to escape.

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S. H. Brownlee, proprietor of a drug store in Minneapolis, lighted a match to find a gas leak in a cigar lighter, an explosion followed which wrecked the lighter and damaged the interior of the store. Brownlee and a clerk were injured.

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The Big Stone county fair was pronounced by many who visited it to be the best and most artistic display of grains, vegetables, fruits and art work that has been exhibited at any of the county fairs in this part of the country. The fruit exhibit was exceptionally good.

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The best yield of oats reported in the western part of the state this year was secured by A. L. Pearson in the town of Erhard. Mr. Pearson secured an average yield of a little over 56 bushels to the acre, which, at 43 cents per bushel, the present local price, gives him a gross return of $24 to the acre.

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President Farnham, Vice President Chossman and Chief Engineer Thomas are at North Branch looking over the grading work at Stacey and Sunrise on the new Twin City and Lake Superior Electric Arrow line. The officers report that grading is completed in all except a few spots between the Twin Cities and Sunrise.

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"Tony" Miller, a character about town at Le Sueur, was found by the trainmen of a train on the Omaha lying nearly submerged in a pool of water near a trestle, from which he had apparently been knocked by a passing train. He was taken to the depot and a physician called, and he seems to have some chances of recovery.

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A convention of creamery inspectors of the national and state dairy and food departments of Iowa, Missouri Kansas, Nebraska, South and North Dakota, Wisconsin, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois and Minnesota will be held in Albert Lea on Nov. 5 and 6. The meeting will be important from the standpoint of the buttermaker and creamery man.

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Asserting that the United States Steel corporation and Sheriff Bates entered into a conspiracy to deputize guards in the recent strike who were not responsible persons, John Mozar of Chisholm has brough suit for $5,000 against both the sheriff and the company. Mozar had his hat shot off during the strike while driving along the street.

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John Edwards is dead from injuries sustained while attempting to ride an "outlaw" horse owned by one of the local liverymen at Marshall. The animal had successfully resisted all efforts to master him, and Edwards, who had quite a reputation for horsemanship, made the attempt, but was thrown, striking on his head, sustaining injuries which resulted fatally.

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Simultaneously with a vote to bond the village for $1,500 with which to build a new school building, the village of La Crescent has decided not to pay the contractor several hundred dollars alleged to be due upon a remodeled building, and as a result suit has been started against the village. The action is another step in the school troubles which have racked the village board for several years.

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It has been officially announced that hereafter there will be no more annuity or other payments made by the government in the Mille Lacs regions, and all Indians living in the locality and entitled to money or other benefits, members of the White Earth reservation, will have to go to the reservation agency at White Earth to receive and receipt for their per capita shares that are now or may hereafter be due them.

Leaps to Death From Bridge.

St. Paul, Oct. 15.—The body of Nelson W. Clerk of St. Anthony Park was found under the Marshall avenue bridge at 10 o'clock Saturday. The neck, arms and legs were broken, and it is thought that Mr. Clark leaped from the bridge while temporarily deranged from insomnia.

—Regular train service has been established by the Minneapolis & St. Louis railway. Work of constructing the passenger and freight depots has been started.

IN THE SCANDINAVIAN NORTH

Gleanings of Important News of Norway, Sweden and Denmark, with Occasional Comments.

By MARTIN W. ODLAND.

NORWAY.

A new company that will operate a celluloso factory at Lillehammer has just been organized with a capital stock of 750,000 crowns.

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R. D. Luhmkuhl, minister of public works, has resigned, and M. J. Brunchorst, formerly minister to Havana, has been appointed as his successor.

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The Hotel Scandinavia and five other large buildings of Trondhjem were burned to the ground Oct. 3. The loss is estimated at $100,000, but fortunately no lives were sacrificed to the fire fiend.

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Though the works of some of Norway's authors are widely read, the almanac far outstrips them all in popularity, as is shown by the fact that no less than 400,000 copies were distributed last year.

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The West Telemarken Labor society recently held its annual meeting and elected Lars Bjaadal of Fyresdal, as chairman, and O. S. Lie of Kvitseid, vice chairman. About 250 delegates were in attendance.

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Konow, the Lutheran minister whose resignation was demanded by the ministerial conference last summer because of his heretical preaching, still retains his call. In a future issue I shall discuss this celebrated case at some length.

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The company that has been operating iron mines in South Sydvanger, has made a loan of 12,000,000 crowns from the Nordeutsche Bank of Hamburg and the Discount Bank of Berlin, and has increased its capital stock to 10,000,000 crowns, the former capital stock being 5,000,000 crowns. The company took this action in order to be able to operate its mines on a larger scale. It is estimated that in 1910 the output will be from 900,000 to 1,000,000 tons of ore, containing 65 per cent of iron of excellent quality.

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The coming of Capt. Roald Amundsen, the famous arctic explorer, to make a lecturing tour of America, is being hailed with delight by the Norwegians of the United States. He will land in New York the latter part of October, and will appear in most of the leading cities of the country, as well as in smaller cities, where Scandinavian-Americans are numerous. That his tour will be a brilliant success, there can be no doubt. Like so many of his countrymen—Dr. Nansen, for instance—he is a master of the English language, so that he can appear to advantage before an American audience. He is not only an explorer, but also a scholar, who has carried on extensive research work along scientific lines.

His discovery of the Northwest passage is so far his greatest achievement, but there are those who believe that he will win still greater renown by reaching the North pole. Capt. Amundson is a great admirer of Dr. Nansen, and will adopt his method of reaching the pole, namely, by drifting across it on an ice floe.

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The story of his finding of the Northwest passage Capt. Amundson has recently told in his new book, which is full of thrilling interest.

His expedition brought back remarkable collections of different kinds from the regions through which it passed. For the first time in history relics were found of the Sir John Franklin vessels, the Erebus and Terror. An old Eskimo had in his possession three metal bolts and two cooking vessels made from the copper plating off the bottom of two ships which he said had come when he was a small boy. The ships had been deserted by the crews and had finally been crushed by the ice and sunk to the bottom, but before this had happened the Eskimos had helped themselves to anything that they considered useful. The captain traded with him, giving in return an old saw and a hatchet, and these remarkable relics are now installed together with all the other things from the Gjoa expedition at the University of Kristiania. The old Eskimo disappeared during the night and nevermore showed up during Amundsen's long stay, evidently fearing that the captain might regret his bargain. The British museum has already offered $5,000 for the articles, but they will remain in Norway.

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SWEDEN.

The following have been elected members of the riksdag from Oestergotland: J. Juhlin, H. Fleming, C. Jentzen.

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A hospital for the insane is to be erected at Helsingborg at a cost of 150,000 crowns.

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The government is contemplating the appointment of a committee to consider the question of strengthening the coast defenses of the country, as has been popularly demanded.

A woman who recently died at the advanced age of ninety confessed on her deathbed that she took the life of two children of her own and two others entrusted to her care while she was a girl.

Christina Nilsson, the great singer of thirty years ago, whose serious illness was announced in these columns some time ago, is still alive, but hopes of her recovery are not entertained by her physicians.

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G. Andersson of Oerebro has donated 50,000 crowns toward the support of charitable institutions of his native county, thus commemorating the twenty-fifth anniversary of his activity as a man of affairs in that county. In addition Mr. Andersson has contributed 5,000 crowns to his native church and 1,500 crowns to the Oerebro high school.

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The strike adjuster appointed by the state has been at Skane trying to settle the agricultural strike that has been raging there since early in the summer. He was not successful and the end of the strike is not in sight. A cruel thing about this strike has been the suffering that innocent, helpless animals have been made to endure. Hundreds of cows have not been milked for days at a time and have bellowed with pain, their udders bursting with milk.

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The Royal Yacht Club of Stockholm, of which King Oscar is honorary admiral, is not going to let Sir Thomas Lipton get all the glory there is in trying to lift the America's cup, for it has decided to issue a challenge to the New York Yacht club for a speed trail. Two wealthy Swedish capitalists, William Olsson and Gosta Kyhlberger, have contributed the princely sum of $135,000 toward the construction and equipment of a yacht, and the best boat builders in Sweden have been engaged to do the work. A dispatch from New York says that there is no doubt but that the New York Yacht club will accept the challenge. The challengers at Stockholm prefer that the length of the competing yachts be limited to 70 feet.

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The national society organized last spring for the purpose of checking the emigration to America has addressed a circular letter to the landsthing, that recently convened, asking that it be provided with the funds necessary to carry on a vigorous campaign. The plan of the society is to organize local societies for checking emigration in the various cities of Sweden, to keep a close watch on the labor market and find employment in Sweden for men out of employment or get advantageous change of employment for those already occupied, who show signs of discontent. It is also proposed to keep a sharp eye on the emigration agents and representatives of American land companies, that are trying by all sorts of means to lure the young Swedish men across the Atlantic to make their fortune in the New World. It is still further proposed by the society that the government exercise greater vigilance to prevent the young men from leaving before they have served the requisite term in the army. But it would seem that this is a mistake, as one reason why so many young men are leaving is to escape military service, and it would seem best for the government to ease up on this military business.

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DENMARK.

The Danish firm of shipbuilders that built for the czar the yacht "Standart," which was recently wrecked and sunk off Finland, has received a telegram from the czar in which he compliments the firm for the skill of workmanship shown in the construction of the vessel.

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A recent dispatch from Copenhagen says: "Within the last fourteen days two of the members of the upper house, or landsthing, nominated by the crown, have been rejected. One was a lawyer convicted of usury and the other a minister charged with misconduct. This has badly shaken the position of the cabinet, and even the government papers are offended at the recklessness of the ministers."

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A few months since a German, named Niesigh, was arrested at Hvidoere, where he was employed, on the charge of being an anarchist, who had come to Hvidoere to assassinate the empress dowager of Russia and Queen Alexandra of England, who were sojourning at the summer palace there. He was sent to Germany and given to understand that he would fare ill should he dare to return to Denmark. On Oct. 4, however, the police of Copenhagen got word that Niesigh was on the way to the capital and arrested him as he arrived at the station. It is believed that he was on the way back to Hvidoere.

Tender-Hearted Girl.

Miss Koy—Do you know, that horrid Mr. Hansom insisted upon kissing me last night.

Miss Ascum — Why didn't you scream?

Miss Koy—I didn't want to scare the poor fellow.

Oysters R In.

Walter—Yes, sir, we can give you an oyster stew. Oysters are in season now.

Guest—Well, see that a few of them are in the stew.

DEFIES THREE KINGS TO WED WOMAN OF CHOICE

Prince George of Greece Will Marry Marie Bonaparte, Richest Princess of Europe.

The storied romances of days of old when knighthood flowered, and love overcame all obstacles to win its desires, are paralleled in the happy termination of the loves of Princess Letitia Marie Bonaparte, descendant of the mighty Corsican, and Prince George of Greece.

The pair are to be wedded in the near future, and fifteen millions that are the dower of the young women, will put them far beyond the danger of any financial retaliation on the part of those who have been so obstinately opposing the match.

Seldom indeed has any couple been compelled to overcome opposition as determined as confronted this pair when first their romance led them into the dream of becoming husband and wife.

Three kings of Europe put themselves on record as bitterly opposing the match.

King Edward of England, because of family ties, entered his protest; King Victor Emmanuel of Italy impressed on his ministers to go to the very limit of their powers to thwart the couple, and finally King George of Greece, father of the Romeo in this twentieth century romance, expostulated vigorously with his son.

None of these kingly foes of Cupid could urge anything which in the United States would be thought a sufficient reason for excluding the young lady from marriage with royalty.

True, her mother, the Princess Eleanor, who died at the child's birth, twenty-five years ago, was of plebian origin, but to make up for that, on her father's side she comes direct from the stock of the men who a century ago was master of the continent, and made and unmade kings at will. Moreover, her father, Prince Roland, has more than blood to recommend him, for he is a noted savant, whose discoveries in the field of scientific research have won him many honors.

PRINCE GEORGE OF GREECE,
Who defied three kings in choosing a wife.

PRINCESS MARIE BONAPARTE,
Fiancee of Prince George of Greece.

Then, much ado was made about the fortune of the princess, who in her own right, has more wealth than any princess of Europe. This money, unfortunately for her piece of mind, comes to her from her grandfather, M. Blanc, who founded the gambling place of Monte Carlo, and there made such huge sums that he died immensely wealthy.

It was mainly because of the taint on the fortune that King Edward tried to dissuade King George of Greece from permitting the match, and perhaps there also lingered in the king of the Britons some vestige of the traditional hatred for the stock of the ruler, who finally at Waterloo ended his mighty career a British prisoner.

The Princess Marie and Prince George are said to have met in Rome. She is an ardent lover of the arts, and was studying paintings in the famous city of the seven hills when she met the son of the ruler of Greece.

Until she fell in love with Prince George the affections of Princess Marie had been centered on her father, whom she worships.

He is the son of Prince Pierre, and grandson of Lucien Bonaparte, Prince of Canino, and elder brother of Napoleon I.

When Prince Roland visited the United States in 1893, he was welcomed by the foremost men of science in the new world. He went to the territories for anthropological investigation.

Prior to her romance with Prince George there has only been one occasion when with any show of authenticity the princess was reported engaged.

Then it was said that she would wed the Count de Treden.

The Tredens were and are one of the oldest families of the Breton aristocracy, and the Faubourg St. Germain marvelled at the good luck of the princess in getting a husband of such blood.

The gossips were not content at attacking the Princess Marie because of her descent on the maternal side from the gambler, who, expelled from Germany, founded Monte Carlo. They also reviewed an old scandal that the wife of Prince Pierre, the father of Prince Roland, Marie's father, was Justine Rufin, wife of a journeyman plumber, whose marriage to Prince Pierre had always been disputed during her life.

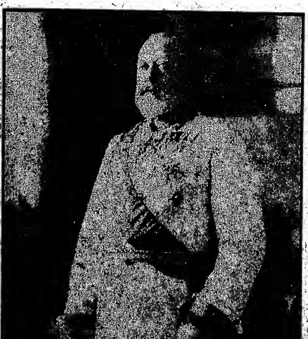
They pointed out that the name of the alleged wife of Prince Pierre was excluded from the Almanac de Gotha, while she lived, and that during the same period Prince Pierre was entered as a bachelor. Thus they tried to prove that Prince Roland and his daughter were only by courtesy entitled to the great name they bore.

Neither the prince nor his daughter made any reply, and one day the Faubourg was astonished to hear that Marie had thrown over her distinguished suitor, Prince Tredern. Then it developed that she had learned that in advance of the marriage he was spending her fortune, and had already pledged much of it.

This demonstration that she was being married alone for her wealth so angered the princess that she cast aside the darling of the Faubourg, and gave an exhibition of true woman's pride and spirit that silenced her critics.

All that could be adduced of this kind of gossip was used to dissuade Prince George from marrying Marie, but he had the courage of his convictions.

The world is indeed progressing when even kings and statesmen cannot make princes marry as they wish.



KING EDWARD OF ENGLAND,
Who opposed the prince's matrimonial plans.

Listen to any woman five minutes and you will hear her say that she is "too particular" to do this or that.

FLOWERS IN PLENTY

PROVIDED BY THE GOVERNMENT FOR THE PRESIDENT.

Extensive Greenhouses Attached to the White House Are Taxed to Their Capacity to Provide the Blooms Required.

Some extensive and very important improvements are planned for that unique government institution known as the president's hothouses, says Waldon Fawcett in the New Orleans Picayune. New buildings are to replace several of the old greenhouses that are now too small to accommodate their required quota of posies, and incidentally it is proposed to make this gardener's domain serve as a sort of floral setting for a private pier that has been designed as a special landing for the president's yachts.

This latter statement may for the moment mystify persons who have not been in Washington since Theodore Roosevelt assumed the presidency and who remember conditions at the White House as they were in the old days when the conservatories were located directly adjoining the executive mansion. However, the reconstruction of the presidential mansion as planned several years ago made it necessary to remove the conservatories from the old site, and now these flower palaces, vastly enlarged in order to meet the demands of more extensive entertaining at the White House, are located some distance south of the White House, almost on the banks of the Potomac river.

Present conditions, therefore, make something of a contrast to those of years gone by when mistresses of the White House could step direct from the drawing room to the floral bower, but for all that the greenhouses are now fully a quarter of a mile from the White House, the president and Mrs. Roosevelt make frequent visits, as do also their children, to the floral establishment maintained for their especial benefit. Often the first lady of the land will personally select the clusters of blooms that she sends to her personal friends. Just here it may be noted that, for all that the public has heard little on the subject, the floral prerogatives of the president have gradually grown in scope, until nowadays they constitute one of his most important perquisites. The total flower trade of many a small city might be supplied from the floral harvest of the White House conservatories. Foremost among the demands upon the flower shop which Uncle Sam maintains for his best-paid servant is that for cut flowers for the ornamentation of the various rooms at the White house and the presidential office building. This does not mean, as might be supposed, merely the supplying of the thousands of blooms required for decorative purposes on the occasion of every reception or dinner at the White House. That would be responsibility enough for the average florist, but the president's flower growers must in addition perform a similar service, on a smaller scale, every day in the year. Every morning huge clusters of beautiful flowers are placed in almost all the different rooms at the White House and on the desks of the president and his secretaries at the office building. Even when the family is absent the floral offerings are in place, just the same.

However, the greatest drain upon this floral fountain head is found in the tremendous quantities of flowers which are generously given away. President and Mrs. Roosevelt have used flowers as gifts to an extent not followed by any previous occupants of the White House. To many of their relatives and personal friends they send such sweet-scented tokens almost daily, and many a sickroom has been brightened and many a wedding decoration enhanced, thanks to the generosity of the occupants of the White House.

Perhaps the best idea of the productiveness of this special flower mart may be formed by a peep into the rosehouses, upon which heavy demands are made almost constantly. The most spectacular part of the display is to be seen in the great glass structure given over exclusively to the always preeminent American beauty roses. Here the visitor can look down a long, narrow aisle, lined on either side by close-grown rose bushes rising to a height of 10 or 12 feet. There are thousands upon thousands of plants in this one house, and 1,500 bushes are to be found in an adjoining building devoted to the popular bridesmaid and Golden Gate roses. Other roses, such as the Killarney and Kaiserin, are also extensively cultivated in these gardens under glass. Carnations rank next to roses in the output of the White House conservatories, and it is nothing unusual for the president's gardeners to have 3,000 or 4,000 carnations in full bloom at one time.

President's Clipping Bureau.

In the White House there is a clerk who has also quite a peculiar occupation for a government clerk. He is the official clipper and scrap book paster of the president. As is well known, the president, as well as his predecessors, has everything concerning himself or his policies clipped from the leading papers and pasted in a scrap book. These are sometimes left in the archives of the White House, and there are no end of these bulky volumes now filed away in the attic or cellar of the White House. It has been suggested that in view of the wide newspaper notoriety the president is receiving these days the official paster must be working over time.

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THE SCHEME WILL FAIL.

The scheme of a few of Governor Johnson's enemies in the democratic party have been attempting to undermine him by planning control of the next state convention and selecting delegates from among the men who engineered the ill-fated Hearst boom three years ago. These gentlemen are attempting to make it appear that Governor Johnson and the state administration is antagonistic to Bryan—a conclusion wholly unwarranted. The governor has repeatedly said that he is not a candidate, and that he believes Minnesota democrats are and ought to be for Bryan.

However, the governor's friends do not approve of the suggestion that the delegation to the national convention should be made up of men antagonistic to or lukewarm in support of his administration, and insist that only the friends of Governor Johnson should be selected. Along this line the Albert Lea Standard, edited by H. G. Day, long a personal friend of Mr. Bryan, gives this advice:

"A few of our estimable and intense democratic compatriots, who with us have stood guard and fought on the picket lines for radical reform, for Bryan and the principles he fearlessly and best represents, seem recently to have been affrighted by a nightmare, or a self-imbued apprehension, that something is going wrong or that something sinister is going to happen if they do not rally to the rescue and adopt measures to prevent it. To this end they have held a meeting and assumed, it appears, to plan to control the situation, if not to acquire domination of the party or its action for either their laudable or personal purposes. We scarcely believe that any one will presume to impeach our fealty to our principles or to Mr. Bryan, but we distinctly disagree with the course which our friends are pursuing, and regret it. For we deem it altogether untimely, unnecessary and uncalled for. It tends to create factionism and antagonism where there is utterly no just reason for it, and it will be a fiasco because the democracy of the state is overwhelmingly, and even more, will be indignantly opposed to such a movement."

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THE "busted" beef trust and the "busted" paper trust are still busy raising prices. Maybe we'd better not "bust" any more of the trusts. It seems to make them mad.

THE postmaster editors of the Second district seem to be unanimously in favor of Taft for president and McCleary for congress This is another evidence of the truth of the biblical story of the ox and his master's crib.

THE Blue Earth Post has reached the conclusion that "between the 'findings' of Judge Lochren and the 'rulings' of the state board of health, the people of Minnesota have the strenuous features of existence brought forcibly to the front.

J. M. HANNAFORD, second vice-president of the Northern Pacific railroad company is quoted by the Duluth Herald as saying that he has so far failed to observe any bad effects that have resulted to the railroads from the action of the state legislators and the laws passed by congress.

MINNESOTA OPINIONS.

North Branch Review: There is an old adage about keeping your nose out of other people's business, but people don't seem to be finding any fault with Mr. Kellogg for the impertinence he shows in prying into the Standard Oil's business.

Hibbing Tribune: The Big Fork Compass is for sale and we would be tempted to buy if we could buy with it the ability to write those Variations of the Needle,

St. Peter Herald: Great is irrigation. That fostered by Harriman and his kind produces four shares of stock where only one drew dividends before.

Paynesville Press: If Col. Bryan does not hurry up and get a half-Nelson on the food trust, it is likely that his next dollar dinner will consist of a glass of water and a few well chosen words.

Two Harbors Iron Trade Journal: Living is pretty high now—almost touches the ceiling—but fifty years ago the prices climbed on top of the roof. On Dec. 11, 1856, for instance, flour was selling at $10 a barrel: pork $80 a barrel, and butter 50 cents a pound right here in Minnesota. The comparison may make us feel a little better but those who buy can not help hoping that we have reached the limit.

Minnesota Mascot: Governor Johnson has given it out that he is not a candidate for the presidency. This may not prevent the democrats from nominating him, however, as they will no doubt have to press someone into service to make the customary "run." Bryan has made the sacrifice twice and it is really not the square thing to make him give up any more of his "best years" to this thankless and fruitless struggle. Pass it along.

St. Peter Free Press: A table of automobile fatalities has been recently published, which reveals a startling state of reckless driving and is deserving of serious consideration by the authorities. The number of persons killed in automobile accidents in 1906 is reported to be 209, injured 865. This is a frightful record. And still the number of accidents appears to be increasing. The question is, what is the public going to do about it?

Thief River Falls Press: Governor Johnson says he is not presidential timber. The democrats, or for that matter the republicans either, might go farther and fare worse.

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO.

Their Unceasing Work Keeps Us Strong and healthy.

All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys filter the blood. They work night and day. When healthy they remove about 500 grains of impure matter daily, when unhealthy, a part of of this impure matter is left in the blood. This brings on many diseases and symptoms—pain in the back, headache, nervousness, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gout gravel, disorders of the eyesight and hearing, dizziness, irregular heart, debility, drowsiness, dropsy, deposits in the urine, etc. But if you will keep the filters right you will have no troubles with your kidneys.

Mrs. Jas. Rogers, living in Thief River Falls, Minn., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and can recommend them as a reliable kidney remedy. At the time I began their use I was suffering from headache and a soreness about the kidney regions. My kidneys were much disordered, and the secretions very unnatural in appearance. I felt languid most of the time, seemed to have but little strength, was very nervous and dizzy spells were of frequent occurrence. My attention was drawn to Doan's kidney pills and I procured a box. From the satisfactory results I derived from their use I feel that I can recommend them very highly."

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Every part of the body is dependent on the blood for nourishment and strength. When this life stream is flowing through the system in a state of purity and richness we are assured of perfect and uninterrupted health; because pure blood is nature's safe-guard against disease. When, however, the body is fed on weak, impure or polluted blood, the system is deprived of its strength, disease germs collect, and the trouble is manifested in various ways. Pustular eruptions, pimples, rashes and the different skin affections show that the blood is in a feverish and diseased condition as a result of too much acid or the presence of some irritating humor. Sores and Ulcers are the result of morbid, unhealthy matter in the blood, and Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., are all deep-seated blood disorders that will continue to grow worse as long as the poison remains. These impurities and poisons find their way into the blood in various ways. Often a sluggish, inactive condition of the system, and torpid state of the avenues of bodily waste, leaves the refuse and waste matters to sour and form uric and other acids, which are taken up by the blood and distributed throughout the circulation. Coming in contact with contagious diseases is another cause for the poisoning of the blood; we also breathe the germs and microbes of Malaria into our lungs, and when these get into the blood in sufficient quantity it becomes a carrier of disease instead of health. Some are so unfortunate as to inherit bad blood, perhaps the dregs of some old constitutional disease of ancestors is handed down to them and they are constantly annoyed and troubled with it. Bad blood is the source of all disease, and until this vital fluid is cleansed and purified the body is sure to suffer in some way. For blood troubles of any character S. S. S. is the best remedy ever discovered. It goes down into the circulation and removes any and all poisons, supplies the healthful properties it needs, and completely and permanently cures blood diseases of every kind. The action of S. S. S. is so thorough that hereditary taints are removed and weak, diseased blood made strong and healthy so that disease cannot remain. It cures Rheumatism, Catarrh, Scrofula, Sores and Ulcers, Skin Diseases, Contagious Blood Poison, etc., and does not leave the slightest trace of the trouble for future outbreaks. The whole volume of blood is renewed and cleansed after a course of S. S. S. It is also nature's greatest tonic, made entirely of roots, herbs and barks, and is absolutely harmless to any part of the system. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores. Book on the blood and any medical advice free to all who write.

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Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council, held at the city hall, October 17, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called.

Alderman all present except Brady.

Minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

George Cyr, hauling lumber ...	$ 2 25
Simon Paul Jr. hauling lumber..	1 25
Thief River Falls Lumber Co, for lumber..........	43 24
Julius Keuhl, street work........	10 50
Julius Keuhl, street work.... ...	16 50
John Deforge, street work.......	19 80
Red Lake Falls Gazette, printing	18 50
Red Lake Falls Electric LightCo street light September, '07...	111 30

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Borchers, president.

Approved this 23rd day of October, A. D, 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.
Attest: A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

BRAY.

Everybody is now busy plowing as nearly all the threshing is now done.

Ed Crown drove to St. Hilaire last Monday.

A. E. Anderson transacted business at Wylie Monday.

The geese have been very numerous around here this fall and quite a few of them have been shot. Chas. Englund added to his laurels as a nimrod Thursday morning by killing two "Canadian honkers" with one charge of shot.

Emil and Elmer Olson of Warren, visited with friends and relatives in Bray last Friday.

Christ Peisnn was at St. Hilaire Friday

Oscar Swanson and N. K. Anderson transacted business at Red Lake Falls Thursday.

BROOKS.

Threshing is going on nicely these days and wheat goes all the way from 18 to 32 bushels to the acre, flax as high as 15 bushels to the acre and oats as high as 50 bushels to the acre,

John B. Herbert gathered about 450 bushels of potatoes from ten bushels of seed planted. He had some potatoes that tipped the scales at four pounds.

Inspector Haas was here last Friday and inspected the post office and rural route No. 1. He found everything in first-class shape.

State Dairy Inspector Winkjer was here last Friday looking after business in his line.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Simons stopped at Brooks a fews days last week.

Mrs. Moses Ducharme visited with her daughter, Mrs. Thomas Boisvert, and other relatives for a few days last week.

Peter Boucher killed a big wolf close to his home on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Odelair Bosseneau are the proud parents of a boy who arrived at their home last Friday.

Miss Mary Lambert entertained a number of friends on her tenth birthday last Thursday afternoon. The little folks enjoyed themselves to their hearts' fullest extent.

WHAT WE WANT

is your banking business. That is our business and naturally we want your business at this bank. If years of experience, fair, square treatment, honesty, courtesy, together with excelled service and our large capital and surplus will merit your consideration—then we are entitled to your patronage.

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In the Local Line

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District court convenes next Monday.

Sidney Belair is home from North Dakota.

Hard coal stove for sale. Mrs. M. V. Hall.

Next Thursday night is Hallowe'en, so beware!

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

John Sayard returned the first of the week from Canada.

For Sale:—A few cords dry wood. Apply to Dan J. Doran. 1wk

Band concert at the opera house next Wednesday evening.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

Ernie Toupin attended a public sale at St. Hilaire Monday.

Father Fayolle was a Thief River Falls visitor the first of the week.

Sheriff Nelson made a business trip to Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Val. Koshiol, of St. Cloud, is a guest this week at the J. P. Harren home.

Great preparations are being made for the Catholic fair to be held next month.

F. E. Hunt returned from St. Paul Tuesday morning over the Northern Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Bouchea, of Lambert, were in the city Tuesday shopping.

The several threshing outfits in this locality are running long hours these days.

Pat Kelley went over to Kay West Tuesday for a few days' visit at the home of a son.

Druggist W. A. Schrieter made a business trip to Fergus Falls Tuesday evening.

Wm. Recker, the land man from St. Paul, was the guest of Ed L. Healy yesterday.

George Cyr was at St. Hilaire the fore part of the week on a hay purchasing expedition.

Jos. Skarud has removed with his family to the house just vacated by Frank Jeffers' family.

For Rent:—House on Bottineau avenue, next to Ernest Buse's. Enquire of Ernest Buse.

Mrs. N. Pouliot returned home Monday morning from her visit among St. Paul friends.

Mrs. Nap Miller and children were down from St. Hilaire over Sunday, guests among relatives.

"Lets us Together wa Dutchmen Stick on," is the catch-line in Brunelle Bros.' ad in today's paper.

J. W. True, representing the Mankato Free Press company, was calling on his customers Friday.

Mrs. Frank Jeffers and the children departed Monday evening for their new home in Crookston.

Mrs. John Verboneour came up from Crookston yesterday morning for a brief visit among friends.

Ernest Seeger drove down from St. Hilaire Sunday morning and spent the day under the parental roof.

For Sale—wind mill, Aermotor make, almost new, 60 ft4 frame tower and 12 ft wheel. See S. A. Swanson.

Abner Fletcher, who is attending the University at Grand Forks, spent Sunday with the home folks at this place.

Miss Rosa Harren and mother expect to depart the first of next week on an extended visit among relatives and friends in Spokane, Wash.

I. M. Mayhew has just received a fine new slide trombone, of the Bessone make. The horn is one of the best to be had and we expect soon to hear some excellent music coming from the vicinity of J. P. Harren's shoe shop.

Levi Miller and wife left Monday evening for Couer d'Alene, Idaho, whither they expect to spend the winter.

Bert LaFreniere and Clare Jones came down from St Hilaire Tuesday evening to be in attendance at band practice.

S. M. Sivertson was at St. Vincent the latter part of last week in the interests of the Red Lake Falls Milling company.

Mrs. Addie Mercier has disposed of her residence property to Lucien Hhilion, and expects soon to remove to Calgary, Sask.

Mrs. L. A. Nelson and the children returned home Tuesday evening from a brief visit among friends at Thief River Falls.

A basket social will be given in the school house of District 94, two and one-half miles north of Wylie, on November 1st.

Probate Judge Terrant last Saturday united in marriage John Majers and Miss Caroline Habedunk, both of Thief River Falls.

Most of our citizens are preparing for winter by filling their cellars with vegetables, and the like, and banking up their houses.

A lightning change artist—the individual who takes down his screens and puts up his storm doors and windows under the same moon.

Early yesterday morning Justice S. A. Swanson united in marriage Ole A. Haidahl and Miss Ingeborg Traaen, both of the town of Kratka.

E. L. Norton was up from Minneapolis the latter part of last week, a guest of H. H. Zaizer. The jolly pair drove over to Plummer Friday on business.

Leo Schultz and wife and Miss Tillie Spilker departed Tuesday afternoon on an extended visit among relatives and friends in Spokane, Washington.

Get your binder twine at Wm. Findeisen's. He sells the celebrated Plymouth and Prison twine fresh from the factory and sells it at rock bottom prices.

Miss Clara Berg, who teaches a rural school out south of town, has removed with her father to the O T. Tandberg residence on the north side for the winter.

Mrs. J. F. Tracy returned home last week from her extended visit at the home of her parents at Lake City, and also among relatives and friends in the twin cities.

Miss Minnie Wolford left last evening for her home in Galena, Illinois, after having enjoyed a very pleasant visit of seven weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Drier.

The Joe Patnode family departed Monday evening for their new home at Couer d'Alene, Idaho. They have the best wishes of many friends for a happy future in their far western home.

Geo. Tonning, formerly a teacher in our public schools, but now principal of the schools at Fertile, was in the city between trains last Saturday shaking hands with numerous friends.

The pain in ma's head has gone.
She's happy as can be,
Her head is right, her temper bright
Since taking Hollister's Rocky
Mountain tea at night.—A. L. Reichert.

On Sunday at Terrebonne was solemnized the marriage of Homer Laurent and Miss Alice Quesnell. THE GAZETTE joins with numerous friends in extending congratulations and best wishes.

When ordering flour call for the "Gold Seal" brand. If your dealer tells you to get flour "just as good" don't mind him but insist on getting something better, and order Gold Seal.—Leo Steinert.

William Lingelbeck, of Oelwein, Iowa, has purchased a quarter in Section 27. Norden township, and writes to have THE GAZETTE sent to his address in order to keep posted on Red Lake county affairs.

Joe Lachance came over from the Forks the first of the week and will visit for several days among numerous friends here before taking leave for North Yakima, Wash , where he expects to spend the winter.

Lost—A rat terrier, last Thursday evening; white, brown head and black spot on back; about six months old; bob-tailed and had collar. Finder will receive reward by returning the dog to Fred Borchers.

The only true constipation cure must begin its soothing, healing action when it enters the mouth. Hollisters Rocky Mountain Tea restores the whole system to a healthy normal condition. 35 cents Tea or tablets.—A. L. Reichert.

Would it not be well for the "city dads" to have the rocks removed from the river at the watering place before the river freezes over. This should be done before some driver has a serious accident.

Our high school boys are organizing a foot ball team to meet the Fertile aggregation on their own gridiron November 2nd. Practice is the order of the day and the local team is putting in long hours and much hard work.

Theo LaBissoniere is home from his trip abroad and is slaughtering a few lines at the Big Store, among which might be mentioned ladies' cloaks and men's suits and overcoats. For particulars look up his new ad in today's paper.

If taken patiently and persistent will relieve the most obstinate cases of indigestion, constipation, bad blood, and liver no matter of how long standing. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea will do. 35 cents tea or tablets. A. L, Reichert.

We understand that Prof. H. G. Maxwell has been secured to give instructions in music in the public schools, much to the delight of all pupils. It is expected concerts and recitals will be given occasionally during the winter to help defray expenses.

"In the month when the leaves are falling, you are bidden to assemble to the feasting and the laughing." Come with sheet and pillow case, October 31st, at eight o'clock. Given by the Christian Endeavor society, at Presbyterian church parlors. Price 25 cents.

T. J. Feeley came up from St. Paul the first of the week and is a guest, so to speak, of Register of Deeds E L. Quist. Mr. Feely is here in the interests of the state tax commission, striking a comparison between the actual value and assessed value of Red Lake county lands.

The concert given at the opera house last Saturday evening by the Tenaesseean Jubilee Singers was fairly well patronized and a pronounced success. so far as the colored people were concerned. Then on Sunday evening they sang again for an additional contribution.

The hobo auto which strayed into town some weeks ago and took board at Guerin's livery barn is still a guest at this popular hotel de hote, regardless of the trouble it has inaugurated. The laws of Minnesota says a "man" must pay his board before removing his trunk.

Norman Schreiter returned from the twin cities Tuesday morning, after having witnessed the foot ball game Sunday between the Nebraska and Minnesota teams. He reports the game listless and one-sided but for a couple of instances, when the visitors really did do things.

John Fredericksoa, who for several weeks past has been running a threshing outfit up in Marshall county, passed through the city Tuesday while enroute to his home in Starbuck, Polk county, stopping for a few hours' visit at the home of his cousin, Mrs. C. W. Johnson.

Joe Belair returned Monday noon from his threshing expedition out into North Dakota, and says he is now ready to cry sales for any who may desire his services. As an auctioneer Joe Belair is well known throughout this section of the state and his success has been unlimited.

S. P. Desmarais and family departed last Friday evening for their home in North Yakima, Wash., after having spent the last three months visiting among relatives and friends in Montreal. Canada, and also in this vicinity. The Gazette joins numerous friends in wishing for them bon voyage.

"Nick" Helm, the popular brush artist of Red Lake Falls, has been improving the looks of things round the Gazette office the past week. The front of the building has been neatly repainted, while kalsomine has been added on the interior. Drop in and see us in our "new clothes."

For Sale A high grade phaeton buggy with full leather top and side lamps, used only a few weeks. Also a double buggy harness with collars and hames, full nickle mounted, new: also a second hand single driving harness with collar and hames, in good condition and will sell above cheap for cash. Can be seen at Guerin's barn. tf

Dressed in his hunting suit L. L. Smith, the genial electrician for the electric light plant, boarded the train at this point Monday morning ticketed to Greenbush. near which place he has relatives who delight to wade swamps in the search of game birds, and they expect to enjoy a few days hunting.

Frank Jeffers removed with his family the first of the week to Crookston, out of which place he will travel this winter. Numerous Red Lake Falls friends wish for Frank unbounded success in his new position, while the removal of this estimable family from our midst will be deeply regretted by all.

We want a correspondent in every city, village and neighborhood in the county who will furnish us the news of their locality each week. It is our wish to make THE GAZETTE the news exponent for Red Lake county, hence our desire for the news from your locality. We will recompense you for the trouble.

Joel G. Winkjer, state dairy inspector for northwestern Minnesota with headquarters at Crookston, has been appointed by the national government assistant dairyman in connection with the bureau of animel industry. His territory comprises the middle west, and northern Minnesota will lose him as a citizen.

You will be conferring a favor upon the "office devil" by handing in your notices and copy for a change of ad as early in the week as possible, as we desire to establish an hour for going to press each week. We want our readers to know just when to expect their paper, and then get their paper at that time.

Mrs. Bessie Lawton departed last Saturday evening for her home in Providence, R. I. after having spent very pleasantly the past three months a guest at the home of her brother, F. E. Hunt. Mr. Hunt accompanied his sister upon her journey as far as St. Paul and then took a farewell leaving. While in the cities our genial hardware merchant will purchase a large invoice of new goods for the holiday trade at their hardware emporium.

Windom Reporter: Last Sunday after the morning services in the Presbyterian church there was a congregational meeting, when Professor Williams was chosen chairman and T. A. Perking, secretary. Mr. Schwarz tendered his resignation, which was accepted. and Mr. French was chosen delegate to the Presbytery at Mankato. We believe Mr. Schwarz will remain in Windom most of the month and fill the pulpit, but at the end of that time he will locate at Red Lake Falls, where he may have a chance to reform John King.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED TO DATE

Wheat,	No. 1 Hard	$ 90
"	No. 1 Northern	89½
"	No. 2 Northern	86½
"	No. 3 Northern	82½
"	No. 4 Northern	74½
"	Rejected	68½
Flax,	No. 1	1 01
"	No. 2	98
N. G. Flax		93
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MAIN STREET OPPOSITE BRICK BLOCK

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JACK'S TRAINING

By ROSE TERRY COOKE

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Mr. Brown was a very good man—"awfully good," little Polly Peabody said. Perhaps he was. He was reasonable as a treatise on logic, and calm as a Quaker; strictly honest, even-tempered and perfectly well. All he needed was better eyesight.

Not that his eyes were weak. Those clear, blue, serene eyes never flinched from any shine of sun or gas. It was moral eyesight that failed him. He never could see beyond his own shadow.

"Why does Jones get so excited over his business matters?" Mr. Brown would inquire, with mild surprise. "I never do. He really should be more tranquil." Or, "Why is Robinson disturbed by his political defeat? I do not allow the inevitable to disturb my sleep and wear on my system."

No. Good as Mr. Brown was, he lacked clarity. He never could see why all the rest of the world could not be as well-balanced as he was, and he blamed the world because it was not.

Why he should fall in love with little Polly Peabody was a problem nobody could solve; but then that kind of problem is always difficult. Polly was a gay, rosy school girl, with brown curly hair flying all about her head, dimples of the wickedest sort in either cheek, laughing brown eyes, and as much mischief as would have furnished two monkeys, a parrot and a kitten. But she had a clear head and plenty of penetration, and she was the pet of all the school.

Polly liked him very much, he sent her such lovely bouquets, so nicely arranged. He disapproved of candy, being a reader of "horrid chemical books," as Polly called them; but he brought her candied fruits, French chocolate and rare foreign sweetmeats, some of which, I regret to say, she ordered into the kitchen at once, because they lasted like spiced rhubarb!

The end of it all was, however, that they were married in early September and went off on the orthodox wedding tour.

Perhaps it was not all perfect bliss—wedding tours are not always. Jack would hump his shoulder uneasily when Polly wanted to rest her head there. He did not think it was proper at all. Then she curled down on his elbow, and he could not be quite brutal enough to withdraw it from the beautiful little head, the soft cheek, the sleepy eyes, that nestled under his wing so confidingly.

But though she would eat all kinds of things at hotels, and would not be sick, as he prophesied, and ran a race round the park before breakfast with two little cousins they met there, Mr. Brown bore it pretty well; better than Polly did when Aunt Schuyler, a fashionable female with a dash of strong-mindedness about her, that failed dreadfully for want of the aceful mind, said to her one fine morning:

"I quite like your Mr. Brown, Paulina. He appears to be a man of superior intellect, but he reserves himself too much. His cerebration is too occult."

Here Polly giggled and madame glared at her.

"It is evidently your mission, my dear, to develop this inner life; to exhibit the soul which now withdraws itself in solitude. Yes, even you have a mission."

"Stuff!" laughed the profane Polly. "I never want to have a mission. I don't believe in missions, Aunt Nancy." Mrs. Schuyler's name was Annetje, and she was Dutch from before the flood. "I shall darn his stockings if the holes aren't too big, and I shall brighten up this poky old house, you may be sure; but as for Jack, he'll do as he is."

Mrs. Schuyler sighed as Polly rushed down the piazza to meet Jack, glowing with affection and indignation, and sweeping the dusty floor with a vast besom of muslin ruffles like the tail of a white peacock.

Alas! how little Polly knew that Mr. Brown was at the moment thinking it was his mission to educate her into his own ways and manners. I think she would have boxed his ears then and there could she have read that orderly brain. But they went home as ignorant of each other as people usually are after a six months' acquaintance, and began their mutual life.

Polly was certainly bewitching. It was hard for John to find fault with her, and it was a long while before she saw flaws in her "dear old Jack." But at last he mustered courage. Polly was a sensitive creature and came down one rainy autumn morning all cuddled up in a big, soft shawl, with her nose quite blue.

"O Pussy, do get out of my way!" she snapped at the kitten as she stumbled over it. She did not like the coffee at all, and then the cream jug slipped out of her hand and flooded the sugar bowl, and she set it down with a bang on the waiter.

"What ails you, my dear?" calmly inquired Mr. Brown. "Are you ill today?"

"Oh, it's this nasty weather! An east wind always makes me as cross as two sticks, Jack. I can't help it—ugh!"

"It is not worth while to be a weather-cock, Paulina. Be reasonable, my dear. I never allow the weather to affect me."

It did not occur to him that he was not a tingling bundle of sensitive nerves and delicate organs like the little woman before him. John Brown's fair skin was thick, his muscles firm, his circulation vigorous. How could weather affect him?

But on this string he played to Polly week after week, and yet she would not dance; she was weary of the tune, and her quick brain came to her rescue. One snowy day when John returned to dinner, an odd bundle on the seat of the bay-window attracted his eye. There seemed to be flannel and fur together.

"Paulina, what in the world is this?" he asked of the demure little creature who sat by the fire warming her wee feet on the fender.

"That's only the thermometer, dear. It will keep going down and down this cold day. I'm trying to improve it. It is so absurd to be affected by the weather. I thought I would put things round it, but it don't seem to mind them much. It's so unreasonable!" And here she heaved a deep sigh, so evidently ordered for the occasion that Mr. Brown bit his lip as he turned away to the table.

If he said nothing, perhaps, like the famous speechless parrot, he kept up a terrible thinking, for Polly heard no more about her "unreasonable sensitiveness," but suddenly became the possessor of certain fur-lined slippers, the softest of white India shawls for home wear, and sealskin furs that swallowed up her fairy figure in their downy darkness, till winter vexed the days in vain as far as Polly was concerned.

But the education went on in other ways. If physical nature could no more be changed than the mercury in the thermometer, certainly that bright mind could shape itself to rules, that wayward, witching nature subdue itself to dignity and calmness. Foolish man! But was he the first of his kind? or will he be the last?

"Paulina, What Is That For?"

Polly was not plastic; no more is the rose tree when you try to make an oak of it. Some plants die in the training; others burst the straps and assert themselves. She was by no means one of the dying kind. She fully understood at length what her husband was about, and laughed in her sleeve.

One day a friend of Mr. Brown's brought him a flourishing young ivy from Kenilworth castle. It affords room for the statistical mind to inquire the area of that castle and the extent of its ivies, when we consider how many are transplanted from that one locality. But Mr. Brown had an unusual taste for plants, and was gratified by the remembrance.

The ivy grew well in the east bay window, and had already thrown its graceful length half way up the sash, when Mr. Brown found it one fine morning tied with full 20 strings to a straight, wooden rod, its shining leaves strapped to stiff paper spills at right angles with the stem, the whole thing looking ungainly and tortured enough.

Polly sat at the table, carefully pouring out the tea, as innocent in aspect as any lamb.

"Paulina, what is that for?" And Mr. Brown pointed a severe finger at the ivy.

"Oh, I thought I'd train it into a bush, it would be so much easier to take care of!"

"Train it into a bush! You can't do it. Whoever heard of making a vine into a shrub?"

"Why, Jack, I thought you liked to make things the way you want them if it isn't their nature."

A sort of lightning flash went through Jack's brain at this demure little speech. He seemed to see Polly prim, and proper, as he recalled his maiden aunts and his grandmother. He turned cold at the idea, and then he colored to his fair hair.

"Polly!" said he, with an inexpressible accent of conviction and contrition, holding out his arms.

"Jackey," cried Polly, half-laughing and half-sobbing, "can't you like me the way I grew?"

"Like you!" The exclamation was immediately smothered.

When Mrs. Cortlend Schuyler passed through Boston two years after, and saw John Brown lying on the parlor floor with a curly, crowing baby astride of his manly breast, and Paulina on a cushion beside him trying to show the aforesaid infant how to pull its father's whiskers, that estimable woman shook her head and sighed.

"Paulina," said she severely, "have you fulfilled your mission?"

"No, ma'am," replied Polly, "not that one."

WOLVES SAVED MAN'S LIFE

HOISTED INTENDED VICTIM INTO BRANCHES OF A TALL TREE.

Remarkable Experience of a Pennsylvania Man Who Was Surrounded by Wolves and How Escaped at the Sacrifice of His Dog.

Erasmus Hultwale of Dumber bought a dog last week at Claytown, ten miles from here, and on asking the owner for a rope with which to lead the animal home received the reply that there was no rope on the place.

On investigation this proved to be almost, but not quite, true, for, although there was no short rope, a long, new clothes line presented itself and was taken down and one end tied to the dog, Erasmus promising to see that the line was returned in time for the next Monday's wash.

Erasmus was much vexed at being compelled to walk off through the woods on his homeward way holding a large and inconvenient coil of rope in his hands, but there was no help for it, and he made the best of it.

The way was long, and ere half the journey was finished night overtook him, and it was quite dark beneath the trees, the only light coming from the moon, which, half full, filtered a dim gleam through the sheltering branches.

Soon, to the alarm of the traveler, he heard an ominous howl not far away, and this was answered from another direction, and in a few moments still other savage calls came down the wind, and before he had fully realized his danger he was nearly surrounded by wolves, which had gathered together to make a meal of him unless he could find some way of escaping them.

There were no trees that he could climb, and, as he had no weapon, he ran for his life, the dog, itself terribly frightened, doing him valiant service by running ahead and pulling vigorously at the rope. On sped the frightened man, straining every nerve to reach some place of safety, but the savage and treacherous animals, gaining courage as their numbers increased, pressed ever nearer and nearer, threatening soon to end the race and the runner's life.

At last he could run no more, and, stopping beneath the spreading branches of a huge elm, and, placing his back against the stem of the tree, he drew from his pocket his clasp-knife and resolved to sell his life as dearly as might be.

Round him raged the savage wolves, coming ever nearer and nearer, and, as they pressed about him, he cast his eyes up to the branches above, hoping that there might be one low enough so that he could reach it by leaping.

Vain hope! There was none nearer than twelve feet above the ground.

Suddenly he bethought him of the rope in his hands, and, dashing at the wolves with a loud yell, he frightened them back a few feet and then, whirling the coil around his head, he cast it successfully over the limb nearest to him and as the end fell to the ground again he seized both strands in his hands and tried to climb up. All in vain! He could not raise himself a foot.

In his excitement and despair he momentarily forgot the wolves, and as soon as his eye ceased to daunt them several of them sprang forward at the same time that he leaped into the air and, directing their attention to the shivering and whimpering dog, they seized upon it and drew it away from the tree, and then, aided by a dozen others that sprang forward to partake of the feast, they dragged their victim with them, fighting and snarling as they snapped and tore at its form.

Their combined strength was thus fastened upon the dog, and, as they drew him from the tree the end of of the rope, which was tied to him, was also drawn along, and as the other end began to mount into the air the delighted Erasmus seized hold of it and was thus drawn swiftly aloft by the wolves till he reached the branch, upon which he then perched and was safe, although the ravening wolves, their appetites merely sharpened by the tidbit of the dog, remained beneath the tree all the long hours of the night and till morning light drove them away.

A Scab Workman.

An Irishman was walking down Washington street, in Seattle, when he paused before a book store. The proprietor had put up some signs advertising his bargains, and one of them read like this:

"Dickin's Works Here for $4 all Week."

"The divvil he does," said Pat in deep disgust. "The dirty scab!"

In Vacation Time.

"I engaged the rooms for my vacation," he said, "because the landlady wrote me that they overlooked a superb garden of 200 acres, richly adorned with statuary, where I was at liberty to promenade."

"Well?" he inquired.

"It was a cemetery," he said, bitterly.

Covered All Right.

Judge—You say the prisoner was in a wagon to make his escape when you arrested him?

Constable—Yes, your honor.

Judge—Was it a covered wagon?

Constable—Yes, your honor. It was covered by my revolver.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Albert S. Dehler, Minneapolis, Minn., gravity conveyor; Gottlieb W. Froelich, St. Paul, Minn., washing machine stand; Frederick Hartje, St. Thomas, N. D., automobile sleigh; John J. Lee, Minneapolis, Minn., soap holder and grater; William C. Mielke, Parker's Prairie, Minn., automobile sleigh; Knute G. Rudy, Northfield, Minn., penholder.

His Opportunity.

"He is a regular chatterbox."

"Only during his vacation."

"His vacation? Why, he is at his office every day."

"I know, but his wife is away."

Reliable Grain Buyers.

We wish to call our readers' attention to the advertisement of the Geo. C. Harper Company of Minneapolis. They are the leading grain buyers of the Northwest and have been established at Minneapolis for the past 25 years; are members of the Minneapolis and Duluth exchanges; can say they are a reliable firm to deal with. Write them for quotations, etc.

SPAIN'S CANNY RAILROADS.

Visitors Have to Pay for a Ticket Merely to Go on the Platform.

In Spain the railroads do not lose a chance to make a little profit, even in the case of the non-travelers. When you see somebody off in that country you must pay for the privilege.

The railroads all sell billetes de anten, which are good for the platform only. These cost generally five centimos, equivalent to a cent in American money.

Just why this is done it is hard to see, because persons entering a train cannot very well avoid the conductor, who is always making trips to inspect the carriages. If a person attempted to steal a ride in a carriage he would have a small chance of getting away with it. If caught he would have to pay a penalty of just twice the fare between the point where he was discovered and the point where tickets last were inspected.

Origin of Cards.

The origin of cards lies far back in the hidden antiquity of Asia, no record so far having been found to unravel the source. It was from the distant Orient that cards, along with chess, were first introduced into Southern Europe, Spain and Italy, especially. The earliest of these cards have been lost, unfortunately, and no record of them preserved. But in no way were they even a suggestion of our present-day cards.

Not a Sure Thing.

Two "gemmen" ob "cullah" were coming up City Hall alley yesterday afternoon. They wore togs that for local color had anything the rainbow attempted beaten a dozen furlongs.

"Know wat Jim's gwine and done?" asked one.

"No, wat 'tis?" responded the other.

"He's g'wan bought a razzer."

"Dat hain't so worse" said his friend. "A razzer's handy sometimes."

"Yah," answered the other in tones of deep contempt, "but dis yere fool Jim g'wan bought a safety razzer."

Tender-Hearted Girl.

Miss Koy—Do you know, that horrid Mr. Hansom insisted upon kissing me last night.

Miss Ascum — Why didn't you scream?

Miss Koy—I didn't want to scare the poor fellow.

Oysters R In.

Waiter—Yes, sir, we can give you an oyster stew. Oysters are in season now.

Guest—Well, see that a few of them are in the stew.

"GOLD SEAL" OIL CLOTHING.

Best made. If your dealer does not have the "Gold Seal" apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

His Word Not Good.

John and Jim agreed to settle a difference by fighting it out. It was understood that whoever wanted to quit should cry "'nough!" John had Jim down and was hammering him soundly when Jim cried "'nough!" But John paid no attention to his cry and kept on pounding him. Again and again Jim called out "'nough!" But John paid no heed and kept busy with his fists. A boy standing near asked:

"Why don't you let the feller up? He's yelled ''nough!'"

"But he's such a liar you can't believe him."

Metals and Metaphors.

"It is most amazing," said a metallurgist, "how the world relies on metals for its metaphors and similies. Thus an orator is silver tongued or golden-mouthed. An explorer is bronzed by African suns. A resolute chap has an iron will. A sluggard moves with leaden feet. An ostrich has a copper-lined stomach. A millionaire has tin. A swindler is as slippery as quicksilver. A borrower has brass."

New Answers to Questions.

Customer—Will that wear well?

Tailor—No; not particularly. It's a rather poorly made cloth and won't make up any too well, either. The fit is likely to be poor, too, and our prices are exorbitant. Draper & Co., at No. 117, are showing a splendid line of suitings and their prices are quite low.—Puck.

TEN YEARS OF PAIN.

Unable to Do Even Housework Because of Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Margaret Emmerich, of Clinton St., Napoleon, O., says: "For fifteen years I was a great sufferer from kidney troubles. My back pained me terribly. Every turn or move caused sharp, shooting pains. My eyesight was poor, dark spots appeared before me, and I had dizzy spells. For ten years I could not do housework, and for two years did not get out of the house. The Kidney secretions were irregular, and doctors were not helping me. Doan's Kidney Pills brought me quick relief, and finally cured me. They saved my life."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Millburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Merely Preliminary.

"I foolishly promised my wife a new silk gown this fall," said Subbubs, "and it's cost me nearly $5 already."

"For material?" asked Naybor.

"Oh, no, that's what she's spent in carfare looking up samples."

WATCHING THE AUTOMOBILE.

Owner and Chaffeur Have Anxious Moments While in a Restaurant.

The man who drove up to the restaurant in an automobile brought his chaffeur in with him to eat. They stood around for several minutes, while the waiters posed at tables all about.

"I want a seat from which I can watch my car," said the owner, when the head waiter approached to find out why the hesitation. "You know that there have been so many cases recently of cars being stolen from in front of restaurants and hotels that I do not want to take any chances."

They got their seats all right within easy range of the automobile, one of the American made machines of the $2,500 type. It is safe to say that the worry incidental to that meal caused a not inconsiderable amount of indigestion. Either master or man had an eye on the automobile throughout the entire meal.

Alcohol From Beets.

Kansas is to have a large share in the manufacture of denatured alcohol in wholesale quantities in a few years, the material for its manufacture being the waste products from the beet sugar refineries. The tops of the beets and the portion of the upper part usually cut off and discarded are to be used in the manufacture of alcohol, and capitalists are interested in the erection of refineries at Garden City.

"BOO-HOO"

Shouts a Spanked Baby.

A Doctor of Divinity, now Editor of a well-known Religious paper, has written regarding the controversy between Collier's Weekly and the Religious Press of the Country and others, including ourselves. Also regarding suits for libel brought by Collier's against us for commenting upon its methods.

These are his sentiments, with some very emphatic words left out.

"The religious Press owes you a debt of gratitude for your courage in showing up Collier's Weekly as the "Yell-Oh Man." Would you care to use the inclosed article on the "Boo Hoo Baby" as the "Yell-Oh Man's successor?"

"A contemporary remarks that Collier's has finally run against a solid hickory "Post" and been damaged in its own estimation to the tune of $750,000.00."

"Here is a publication which has, in utmost disregard of the facts, spread broadcast damaging statements about the Religious Press and others and has suffered those false statements to go uncontradicted until, not satisfied after finding the Religious Press too quiet, and peaceful, to resent the insults, it makes the mistake of wandering into fresh field and butts its rattled head against this Post and all the World laughs. Even Christians smile, as the Post suddenly turns and gives it back a dose of its own medicine."

"It is a mistake to say all the World laughs. No cheery laugh comes from Collier's, but it cries and boo hoos like a spanked baby and wants $750,000.00 to soothe its tender, lacerated feelings."

"Thank Heaven it has at last struck a man with "back bone" enough to call a spade a "spade" and who believes in telling the whole truth without fear or favor."

Perhaps Collier's with its "utmost disregard for the facts," may say no such letter exists. Nevertheless it is on file in our office and is only one of a mass of letters and other data, newspaper comments, etc., denouncing the "yellow" methods of Collier's. This volume is so large that a man could not well go thru it under half a day's steady work. The letters come from various parts of America.

Usually a private controversy is not interesting to the public, but this is a public controversy.

Collier's has been using the "yellow" methods to attract attention to itself, but, jumping in the air, cracking heels together and yelling "Look at me" wouldn't suffice, so it started out on a "Holier Than Thou" attack on the Religious Press and on medicine.

We leave it to the public now, as we did when we first resented Collier's attacks, to say whether, in a craving for sensation and circulation, its attacks do not amount to a systematic mercenary hounding. We likewise leave it to the public to say whether Collier's, by its own policy and methods, has not made itself more ridiculous than any comment of ours could make it.

Does Collier's expect to regain any self-inflicted loss of prestige by demonstrating thru suits for damages, that it can be more artful in evading liability for libels than the humble but resentful victims of its defamation, or does it hope for starting a campaign of libel suits to silence the popular indignation, reproach and resentment which it has aroused.

Collier's can not dodge this public controversy by private law suits. It can not postpone the public judgment against it. That great jury, the Public, will hardly blame us for not waiting until we get a petit jury in a court room, before denouncing this prodigal detractor of institutions founded and fostered either by individuals or by the public, itself.

No announcements during our entire business career were ever made claiming "medicinal effects" for either Postum or Grape-Nuts. Medicinal effects are results obtained from the use of medicines.

Thousands of visitors go thru our entire works each month and see for themselves that Grape-Nuts contains absolutely nothing but wheat, barley and a little salt; Postum absolutely nothing but wheat and about ten per cent of New Orleans Molasses. The art of preparing these simple elements in a scientific manner to obtain the best food value and flavor, required some work and experience to acquire.

Now, when any publication goes far enough out of its way to attack us because our advertising is "medical," it simply offers a remarkable exhibition of ignorance or worse.

We do claim physiological or bodily results of favorable character following the adoption of our suggestions regarding the discontinuance of coffee and foods which may not be keeping the individual in good health. We have no advice to offer the perfectly healthful person. His or her health is evidence in itself that the beverages and foods used exactly fit that person. Therefore, why change?

But to the man or woman who is ailing, we have something to say as a result of an unusually wide experience in food and the result of proper feeding.

In the palpably ignorant attack on us in Collier's, appeared this statement,—"One widely circulated paragraph labors to induce the impression that Grape-Nuts will obviate the necessity of an operation in appendicitis. This is lying, and potentially deadly lying."

In reply to this exhibition of—well let the reader name it, the Postum Co. says:

It be understood that appendicitis results from long continued disturbance in the intestines, caused primarily by undigested starchy food, such as white bread, potatoes, rice, partly cooked cereals and such.

Starchy food is not digested in the upper stomach but passes on into the duodenum, or lower stomach and intestines, where, in a healthy individual, the transformation of the starch into a form of sugar is completed and then the food absorbed by the blood.

But if the powers of digestion are weakened, a part of the starchy food will lie in the warmth and moisture of the body and decay, generating gases and irritating the mucous surfaces until under such conditions the whole lower part of the alimentary canal, including the colon and the appendix, becomes involved. Disease sets up and at times takes the form known as appendicitis.

When the symptoms of the trouble make their appearance, would it not be good, practical, common sense, to discontinue the starchy food which is causing the trouble and take a food in which the starch has been transformed into a form of sugar in the process of manufacture?

This is identically the same form of sugar found in the human body after starch has been perfectly digested.

Now, human food is made up very largely of starch and is required by the body for energy and warmth. Naturally, therefore, its use should be continued, if possible, and for the reasons given above it is made possible in the manufacture of Grape-Nuts.

In connection with this change of food to bring relief from physical disturbances, we have suggested washing out the intestines to get rid of the immediate cause of the disturbance.

Naturally, there are cases where the disease has lain dormant and the abuse continued too long, until apparently only the knife will avail. But it is a well-established fact among the best physicians who are acquainted with the details above recited, that preventative measures are far and away the best.

Are we to be condemned for suggesting a way to prevent disease by following natural methods and for perfecting a food that contains no "medicine" and produces no "medicinal effects" but which has guided literally thousands of persons from sickness to health? We have received during the years past upwards of 25,000 letters from people who have been either helped or made entirely well by following our suggestions, and they are simple.

If coffee disagrees and causes any of the ailments common to some coffee users quit it and take on Postum.

If white bread, potatoes, rice and other starch foods make trouble, quit and use Grape-Nuts food which is largely predigested, and will digest, nourish and strengthen, when other forms of food do not. It's just plain old common sense.

"There's a Reason" for Postum and Grape-Nuts.

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.

BABY WASTED TO SKELETON.

In Torments with Terrible Sores on Face and Body—Tore at Flesh —Cured by Cuticura.

"My little son, when about a year and a half old began to have sores come out on his face. They began to come on his arms, then on other parts of his body, and then one came on his chest, worse than the others. At the end of about a year and a half of suffering he grew so bad I had to tie his hands in cloths at night to keep him from scratching the sores and tearing the flesh. He got to be a mere skeleton and was hardly able to walk. I sent to the drug store and got a cake of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment, and at the end of about two months the sores were all well. He has never had any sores of any kind since, and only for the Cuticura Remedies my precious child would have died from these terrible sores. I used only one cake of Soap and about three boxes of Ointment. Mrs. Egbert Sheldon, R. F. D. No. 1, Woodville, Conn., April 22, 1905."

A Terrible Possibility.

Little Lucy came home from school crying piteously. It was some time before the family could learn the cause of her trouble, but finally the sobbing grew less violent, and she wailed out:

"Teacher says—if I don't get my spelling lesson—she's going to make an example of me, and—she puts examples on the blackboard, and if she puts me there, I'm afraid the scholars will rub me ou—t!"

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The New Club Member.

He had lately been elected to the club—inadvertently—and his unpopularity was immediate. One day he caught a member of the committee.

"Look here," he said, "I've been insulted in this club. A man offered me a thousand dollars if I would resign my membership. I must do something. Now, what would you advise me to do?" "I advise you to hang on a few days. You'll get a better price."

An Explanation.

"Why is it that it is so easy to gather an inquisitive crowd in the street? Is it because people haven't anything else to do?"

"No; it is because they'd rather not do it."

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

MILLIONS OF OPIUM SMOKERS.

China Frightened at Her Own Demoralization as a Result.

The casual observer may think that the opium traffic—smuggling opium, smoking opium, and eating opium—is a minor trade, and indulged in by only a few reckless habitues who want to be wafted to other worlds. This is not so. The stamina and the character of the entire Chinese race have already been so sapped by this drug that the resulting demoralization has frightened even the degraded victims of the habit. To-day China, drugged, debauched, frightened at her own desperate condition, is grappling with the vice that has her by the throat. No such heroic effort at moral reform has ever before been made by a human government. And the Christians who debauched her are looking on, skeptically, questioning China's "sincerity." At Tien-tsin, where the Chinese officials had closed all the opium dens in the native city, Mr. Merwin found the dens in the foreign concessions licensed for revenue by the foreign consuls, running wide open. In vain the Chinese officials protested that this laxity completely nullified the effort of their own prohibition. The consuls could not see their way clear to give up the revenue. Truly, it is an extraordinary story.

The most conservative official estimate of the opium-smoking population in China is 100,000,000—only 16,000,000 more than the entire population of the United States. Many officials place the number at 150,000,000.—Success Magazine.

RHEUMATISM RECIPE

PREPARE SIMPLE HOME-MADE MIXTURE YOURSELF.

Buy the Ingredients from Any Druggist in Your Town and Shake Them in a Bottle to Mix This.

A well-known authority on Rheumatism gives the readers of a large New York daily paper the following valuable, yet simple and harmless prescription, which any one can easily prepare at home:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Mix by shaking well in a bottle, and take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

He states that the ingredients can be obtained from any good prescription pharmacy at small cost, and, being a vegetable extraction, are harmless to take.

This pleasant mixture, if taken regularly for a few days, is said to overcome almost any case of Rheumatism. The pain and swelling, if any, diminishes with each dose, until permanent results are obtained, and without injuring the stomach. While there are many so-called Rheumatism remedies, patent medicines, etc., some of which do give relief, few really give permanent results, and the above will, no doubt, be greatly appreciated by many sufferers here at this time.

Inquiry at the drug stores of even the small towns elicits the information that these drugs are harmless and can be bought separately, or the druggists will mix the prescription if asked to.

Suiting Him Exactly.

Host—Why on earth did you put poor Jenkins between two such chatterboxes at the table?

Hostess—Why, dear, you know he is so fond of tongue sandwiches.

"GOLD SEAL" IS THE ONLY SEAL on Overshoes and Oil Clothing that indicates best made. If your dealer does not have goods bearing this brand apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

Compelled to Go Home.

"The saloons that were in the habit of remaining open all night will now close at midnight."

"Guess I'll have to get a latchkey, then."

A DELICIOUS THING.
Canada Sap on a nice plate of hot cakes. "Ask the man" at the grocery store.

Laying Down the Law.

"Jack, I'm going away."

"Going away, Madge?"

"Yes, going away. But before I go I have something to say to you."

"Something to say to me, little wife!"

"Yes, something to say to you. Don't send me any poker stories in lieu of the weekly remittance. That'll be about all."

It's no use trying to drive folks to heaven when your feet are making tracks the other way.

CONTROLLING THE COLORADO.

How the Southern Pacific Company Repaired a Break.

Mr. Harriman promptly took command of the forces of man against nature. With feverish energy, the Southern Pacific company's laborers set to work to repair the Lower Mexican Heading break. Twenty-four hours at a stretch they worked. Every freight car for miles around was pressed into service, hurried to the scene, and pushed back and forth, dumping loads of rock and gravel into the stream. Passenger trains even were held up time and again, while engineers borrowed their locomotives for help in the struggle.

In fifteen days from the time that the work was begun, the break had been closed and the Colorado hurled back into its proper channel. Seventy-seven thousand cubic yards of rock, gravel and clay had man expended in the fight. With this he had patched up a break which the steady onslaught of the river had opened to a width of 1,100 feet in the soft earth banks. The fight was won.

Day by day swarms of workmen are making the great dam stronger and higher. One hundred and forty thousand cubic yards of material, 80,000 of which will be solid rock, will be used to withstand future onslaughts of the river. The great wall, when completed, will be sixty-five feet high, ten feet of which will be above the level of the water. And the Colorado, as it laps this unyielding barrier, must realize that its destructive wanderings are over for all time.

"Boo Hoo"

Shouts the Spanked Baby

The "Colic" of "Collier's" treated by a Doctor of Divinity.

Look for the "Boo Hoo" article in this paper.

"There's a Reason"

SACRIFICE BOY IN RUSSIA

AMAZING STORY OF FANATICISM WHICH IS BEING INVESTIGATED BY POLICE.

"Saint" Grows Jealous of Child's Popularity and Induces Peasants to Agree to the Sacrifice of the Boy—Revolting Ceremony.

An amazing story of fanaticism has come from the village of Susoyeff, in Southern Russia.

A peasant named Michelloff had an exceedingly clever little boy, who became famous in the village as a prodigy, and was admired, almost as a miraculous being.

In the same locality there lived a rich and "religious" peasant called the "Saint," who was believed to be a prophet.

This "Saint" grew jealous of the child's popularity and began to spread rumors that should he be allowed to grow up he would become the antichrist and bring untold woe upon the peasants.

On July 30 the "prophet" called a meeting of the thirty richest peasants in the district, to whom he explained that if the boy was killed they would be made happy and prosperous and the village would become the capital of the country.

It was agreed to sacrifice the child. Two days later the "Saint" gave orders to the men, took an ikon in his hand and distributed lighted candles among his followers.

He headed the procession to the child's home at 11 o'clock at night, and demanded that the parents should hand the boy over, as he wanted to pray with him.

The "prophet" washed the youngster, saying prayers meanwhile, and then choked him by placing his foot on his neck, in front of the parents.

Subsequently he ordered the awe-stricken father to help him tear the child to pieces, and as the men refused the body was mutilated with a hatchet.

The remains were put into a basket, which was fixed to the tail of a white mare.

The "Saint" mounted the horse and declared that it was the will of God that the body should be buried at a spot where the horse should voluntarily stop.

The horse was started, and the peasants, still burning their candles, followed.

At a certain point the animal halted and the remains were buried with the hatchet and the basket.

The police, hearing of the occurrence, arrested twenty-eight men, including the "Saint," and all are now awaiting trial.

HOT WEATHTR.

Africa Takes the Cake for Intense, Condensed Torridity.

They were sitting in the hotel office talking about the heat, three of them, and a citizen chanced to overhear the conversation. The first man said: "You'll admit that if there is one thing that gets hotter than another during a spell of this kind of weather it's the sand on a sea beach?"

"Yes," replied the others. "Well," said the speaker, "I was at a beach in the southern part of the country recently when the sand was so hot that when I walked across it with a pair of heavy shoes on, it blistered the soles of my feet."

"I can easily believe that," said the second man, "because I know of a beach in Lower California where they can give a clambake in ten minutes' notice. Instead of having to build a fire and let it burn for three or four hours to get the stones hot, they simply brush the sand off any of the rocks on the beach and they're ready for the bake!"

"That's not bad for this country," said the third man, "but if you fellows want to see or feel real heat you should travel. Now I was on the west coast of Africa last year, arriving there just as the hot season had commenced, and nobody could walk on the sand even then. But the white traders told me it was nothing to what it would be later on. I was going into the interior and didn't think much about it, but after I had been up-country for three months all through the hot season, I came back to the coast and what do you think I found? Why, gentlemen, the heat was so intense that for two miles that beach was glass, shining glass! The sand had been melted!"

The Feminine Fever.

Bacon—Hear about my wife?

Egbert—What now?

Bacon—You know she's always writing people for samples?

Egbert—Yes.

Bacon—Well, she read in the paper the other day that the average valuation of the paper money printed daily by Uncle Sam totals over $3,000,000. And she wrote on to Washington for them to please send her a sample.

Insatiable Woman.

Husband (to his wife)—No, my dear, I can't take you out again this evening. You have been in the court all day and have heard a man condemned to death. That is quite enough distraction for one day.

Somewhat.

"As a poet, however, he was somewhat in advance of his age."

"Indeed?"

"Yes, he tried to convert his house into a museum before he had starved to death in it."

BACKACHE AND DESPONDENCY

MISS LENA NAGEL

Are both symptoms of organic derangement, and nature's warning to women of a trouble which will sooner or later declare itself.

How often do we hear women say, "It seems as though my back would break." Yet they continue to drag along and suffer with aches in the small of the back, pain low down in the side, dragging sensations, nervousness and no ambition.

They do not realize that the back is the main-spring of women's organism and quickly indicates by aching a diseased condition of the feminine organs or kidneys, and that aches and pains will continue until the cause is removed.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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Miss Lena Nagel, of 117 Morgan St., Buffalo, N. Y., writes:—"I was completely worn out and on the verge of nervous prostration. My back ached all the time. I had dreadful periods of pain, was subject to fits of crying and extreme nervousness, and was always weak and tired. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound completely cured me."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound cures Female Complaints, such as Backache, Falling and Displacements, and all Organic Diseases. Dissolves and expels Tumors at an early stage. It strengthens and tones the Stomach. Cures Headache and Indigestion and invigorates the whole feminine system.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. Her advice is free.

A Passing Thought.

A polite little girl was dining one day with her grandmother. Everything at the table was usually dainty and unexceptionable, but on this particular occasion the little girl found a hair in her fish.

"Grandmamma," she said, sweetly, "what kind of fish is this?"

"Halibut, my dear."

"Oh," replied the child, "I thought perhaps it was mermaid."

SHIP YOUR CREAM
to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn. Write to-day for tags and prices.

Identified.

A certain nobleman, well known to society, while one day strolling round his stables, came across his coachman's little boy on a seat, playing with his toys. After talking to the youngster a short time he said:

"Well, my little man, do you know who I am?" "Oh, yes," replied the boy; "you're the man who rides in my father's carriage!"

"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA
worth a dollar a lb. sold for 50c. Write Wm. McMurray, St. Paul, Minn., for free sample.

An Honest Reply.

"Could you assist me, sir?" said the beggar, to a soldierly looking citizen. "I'm an ex-army man."

"Discharged?" inquired the citizen.

"Oh, no, sir," replied the beggar, vigorously, "I quit."

"GOLD SEAL" OVERSHOES
do not freeze stiff on the feet. If your dealer does not have them, apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

On the Bench.

Evelyn—Only think! Maud got her new bathing suit wet through the very first time she wore it!

Myrtle—Mercy! You don't mean to say she went into the water?

Evelyn—The idea! Of course not. A drenching shower came up all of a sudden.

GET A BUSINESS EDUCATION.
Learn shorthand, bookkeeping, telegraphy
Capitol City Commercial College, St. Paul.

If you are a fountain of the water of life you will not need to do any gushing.

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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Impossible Conditions.

"If I subscribe money to help you dash to the pole, you must promise one thing."

"What is that?"

"That after your rescue you won't make a dash for the lecture platform."

"You are entirely out of touch with the true spirit of exploration," replied the dasher, haughtily, and turned away.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
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Wise men cultivate the art of taking things easy.

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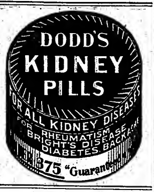
It is mighty little a baby gets without crying for it.



Circumstantial Evidence.

The crushed tragedian smiled sadly as he dodged with agility scarcely to be expected from one of his ripe genius; the various tributes of nature's mature production which were making a great hit with him.

"From the way antique eggs are coming this way," he muttered, "I imagine that a most foul conspiracy is being hatched against me!"

Thousands of people who belong to literary and art clubs should really belong in night school, where spelling and writing are taught. Not one person in ten can write an intelligible and intelligent letter.

Spare the Rod.

"When the manufacturer harnesses a stream," remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "the sportsman stops whipping it."

Every time a girl falls in love she wonders if it will take.

It is easy to get into crooked ways when you test all things by the dollar sign.

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You must wear MAYER HONORBILT SHOES, to appreciate their superiority over other makes. They have the style and wearing qualities, and feel right from the first; wear long and well, and look good to the last.

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are made with great care, of the highest grade material, by skilled workmen. They are honest through and through. You get style, quality and comfort in buying MAYER HONORBILT SHOES.

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For Steel and Wood Frames, $25 and up. Write us before you buy. We save you money. Also Pumps and Wind Mills.
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New and Liberal Homestead Regulations in

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New Districts Now Opened for Settlement

Some of the choicest lands in the grain growing belts of Saskatchewan and Alberta have recently been opened for settlement under the Revised Homestead Regulations of Canada. Thousands of homesteads of 160 acres each are now available. The new regulations make it possible for entry to be made by proxy, the opportunity that many in the United States have been waiting for. Any member of a family may make entry for any other member of the family, who may be entitled to make entry for himself or herself. Entry may now be made before the Agent or Sub-Agent of the District by proxy, (on certain conditions) by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

"Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the North-West Provinces, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less."

The fee in each case will be $10.00. Churches, schools and markets convenient. Healthy climate, splendid crops and good laws. Grain-growing and cattle raising principal industries.

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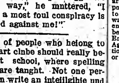

THE REASON W. L. Douglas shoes are worn by more people in all walks of life than any other make, is because of their excellent style, easy-fitting, and superior wearing qualities. The selection of the leathers and other materials for each part of the shoe, and every detail of the making is looked after by the most complete organization of superintendents, foremen and skilled shoemakers, who receive the highest wages paid in the shoe industry, and whose workmanship cannot be excelled. If I could take you into my large factories at Brockton, Mass., and show you how carefully W. L. Douglas shoes are made, you would then understand why they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer and are of greater value than any other make. My $4.00 and $5.00 Gilt Edge Shoes cannot be equalled at any price.

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The effect of *Scott's Emulsion* on thin, pale children is magical.

It makes them plump, rosy, active, happy.

It contains Cod Liver Oil, Hypophosphites and Glycerine, to make fat, blood and bone, and so put together that it is easily digested by little folk.

ALL DRUGGISTS; 50c. AND $1.00.

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Matt Skala wishes to announce that the big addition to his store is now completed, and he will open for inspection next week a large, new stock of

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If you want to buy anything in the general merchandise line this is the place, and now is the time, while the stock is fresh and complete.

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"A PURE FLOUR"

Sweet, Pure and Wholesome

"IT'S ALL THE WHEAT That's fit to Eat"

Always Uniform Absolutely Pure

HIGINBOTHAM

—HAS—

Several Improved FARM FOR RENT.

SEE HIM

"LetusTogetherweDutchmenSticken"

In other words stick to your home town and smoke home made cigars. Remember

'B. B.' and 'I Lead' Cigars

are as good as they make 'em.

THE BRUNELLES

WOULD SAVE THIS

Put It in Some Safe Place For It May Come in Handy Some Day.

Here is a simple homemade mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement in a New York daily paper that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side frequent desire to urinate, especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe try it:

Fluid extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces, Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known druggist here in town is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure Rheumatism by forcing the kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric and foul decomposed waste matter, which cause these afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of J. A. Jones to have certain lands set out of the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Your petitioner, J. A. Jones, respectfully represents to this Court:

I.

That she is the owner in fee of the following tract or parcel of land, to-wit: The north-east quarter and Government lots six, eleven and twelve, except railroad right of way, in section fourteen, township 151, north, range 44, west of the 5th Principal Meridian. That said tracts of land are located within the unplatted portion of the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state. That said tracts extend to the boundary of said city and may be detached from said city without unreasonably affecting the symmetry of the settled portion of said city. That said lands contain more than forty acres and that the same is used exclusively for agricultural purposes,

II.

That the city of Red Lake Falls is a municipal corporation, duly incorporated and existing under Chapter 8, Laws of 1895, and that said city contains less than 10,000 population.

III.

That this petition is made for the purpose of securing a decree of this court detaching said lands from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Wherefore, Your petitioner prays:

First: That this court by its order fix a time and place for a hearing upon this petition.

Second: For a decree of this court detaching the lands above described from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

J. A. JONES,
Owner.

Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for petitioner.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

On reading and filing the above and foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1907, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day the court will grant a hearing upon said petition.

Dated October 14th, 1907.

WILLIAM WATTS,
District Judge.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of Mathias Skala to have certain lands set out of the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Your petitioner, M. Skala, respectfully represents to this court:

I

That he is the owner in fee of the following tracts or parcels of land, to wit: The northwest quarter of section fifteen and the north half of section sixteen, township 151, north, range 44, west of the 5th P. M. That said tracts of land are located within the unplatted portion of the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state. That said tracts extend to the boundary of said city and may be detached without unreasonably affecting the symmetry of the settled portion of said city. That said lands contain more than forty acres and that the same is used exclusively for agricultural purposes.

II.

That the city of Red Lake Falls is a municipal corporation, duly incorporated and existing under Chapter 8, Laws of 1895, and that said city contains less than 10,000 population.

III.

That this petition is made for the purpose of securing a decree of this court detaching said lands from said city of Red Lake Falls.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays:

1st: That this Court by its order fix a time and place for a hearing upon this petition.

2nd. For a decree of this court detaching the lands above described from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

MATHIAS SKALA.
Owner.

Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for petitioner,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

On reading and filing the above and foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that at the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1907, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day the court will grant a hearing upon said petition.

Dated October 14th, 1907.

WILLIAM WATTS,
District Judge.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of L. E. Jones to have certain lands set out of the corporate limits of the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Your petitioner L. E. Jones respectfully represents to this court:

I

That he is the owner in fee of the following tracts or parcels of land, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter and lot five in section fourteen township one hundred and fifty-one, north, range forty-four west of the Fifth Principal Meridian. That said lands are located within the unplatted portion of the city of Red Lake Falls, in Red Lake county, state of Minnesota. That they extend to the boundaries of said city and may be detached from said city without unreasonably affecting the symmetry of the settled or other portion, of said city. That said lands contain more than forty acres and that the same is used exclusively for agricultural purposes.

II

That the city of Red Lake Falls, is a municipal corporation, duly incorporated and existing under Chapter 8 Laws of 1895, and that said city contains less than ten thousand population.

III

That this petition is made for the purpose of securing a decree from this court detaching said lands from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Wherefore your petitioner prays:

1st. That this court by its order fix a time and place for a hearing upon this petition.

2nd. For a decree of this court detaching the lands above described from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota,

L. E. JONES,
Owner.

Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for petitioner,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

On reading and filing the above and foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1907, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day the court will grant a hearing upon said petition.

Dated October 14th, 1907.

WILLIAM WATTS,
District Judge.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of forty-eight and 40-100 dollars with interest on said amount since the 20th day of February, A. D., 1907, at the rate of 5½ per cent per annum since that date.

And whereas, the terms and conditions of mortgage hereinafter described provides that if default shall be made in the payment of said sum of money, or the interest, or any part thereof at the time and in the manner in said mortgage specified, the said mortgagee, his heirs, executors and assigns are authorized to declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage immediately due and payable;

And whereas the assignees of said mortgagee have declared the whole amount secured by said mortgage due and payable prior to the time of giving this notice.

That there is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice on said mortgage hereinafter described the sum of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Andrew O. Letvig, as administrator of the estate of Mary Jane Letvig, deceased, mortgagor, to Andrew A. Olson, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1904 with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of February, 1904, at 4:00 o'clock p. m., in book 14 of mortgages, on pages 251-253.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Andrew A. Olson to Sabille Garceau and Geo. F. Hennings by a written assignment bearing date the 11th day of October, 1907, and recorded in the office of said Register of deeds on the 18th day of October 1907, at 2.30 o'clock P. M. in Book 15 of mortgages at Page 410; and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter of section numbered twenty five (25), in township numbered one hundred fifty two (152) North of Range forty five (45) West of the 5th P. M in the state of Minnesota less the Railway Right-away and other lands of said quarter sold during the life time of said Mary Jane Letvig, leaving a balance in said above described premises of 124 and 71-100 acres, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State on the 7th day of December, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, with interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of forclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated October 23d, 1907,

SABILLE GARCEAU,
GEO. F. HENNINGS.
Assignees of Mortgagee.

F. A. GRADY,
Attorney for Assignees of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated December 26th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, January 12th, 1905, at 3:10 o'clock p. m., in Book 33 of Mortgages, on Page 631-632 whereby Peder A. Lybeck and Thore Lybeck, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard.) mortgagees, the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24) and the north half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) all in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40), in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $15.90, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.73, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, thirty-eight dollars and sixty-three cents, ($38.63.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
George W. Wishard.

H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated October 13th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, October 19th, 1904, at 1:40 o'clock p. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 439-440, whereby Jens L. Bolstad and Helene J. Bolstad, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the northeast quarter (ne¼) of section twenty-one (21) in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $31.80, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.04, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, fifty-three dollars and eighty-four cents. ($53.84.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

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THE MONEY SCARE

Has Alarmed Many But the Situation in Red Lake Falls is Good.

The people in general throughout the northern states have become alarmed at the results of the fight between the bulls and bears of Wall street, and just cause have they for such alarm. When our thoughts return to the panic of 1893, when everybody was clucking out their deposits in the banks and hiding the same away under the edge of the carpet, in the stoves, and various other places, we are not to be blamed for protecting our own interests. Few banks are strong enough to withstand such a run as was experienced by many of the banks that year, and none are going to permit of a run. The country has been prosperous and there is plenty of money with which to do business, but the lambs have been fleeced by the bulls of Wall street for the last time, and matters in New York are unsteady and will doubtless remain so for a week or ten days. That the people of this locality might understand the situation Banker L. C. Simons went down to Minneapolis Sunday afternoon to consult with their correspondents and on Tuesday evening he met with a large number of our business men and stated the situation as it appeared to him. There is no panic—only a bull fight which will end in a few days—and if the depositors have faith in the bank officials there need be no worry, but in order to protect themselves from a draw the banks have refused to pay large checks as it is impossible for them to get money from their correspondents at present. Just how long the "strike" will continue is hard to say, but in the meantime we will continue to do business by checks and no one here will need to feel any alarm. In one way checks are the only system of doing business, for then the customer always has his receipt and in the end would profit by the change, as soon then there would be no book accounts and everybody would pay as they go.

ELECTION TUESDAY

The City Election to be Held next Tuesday a Tame Affair for Us.

Next Tuesday, November 5th, is the date for the election of our city officers, and for once the occasion will be a tame one. In the first ward there are two candidates for alderman, with only one to be elected, and yet it seems there will be no fight even there. The ticket as listed is as follows:

For Mayor—J. A. Duffy.
City Treasurer—Ovide Emard.
Aldermen at Large—T. A. Crompe, and H. Heooemuth.
Alderman, 1st Ward—Joseph Renick and J. J. Pndden.
Alderman, 2d Ward—Fred Borchers
Alderman, 3d Ward—Simon Paul.
Justices of the Peace—S. A. Swanson and A. P. Toupin.

Sugar as a Food

Some interesting experiments with reference to the nutritive value of foods containing sugar were recently made at the instance of the war office at Berlin. It is a fact well known to Alpine tourists that on difficult climbing excursions an increased desire is felt for sweets and sweetened foods. The well known food value of golden grain belt beer makes it a favorite in home circles and especially recommended as a tonic and aid to digestion. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

DOINGS IN COURT

A Few Cases Argued before Judge Wm. Watts and Trial Dates Set.

District court convened Monday with Judge Watts presiding. Several cases were considered and the calendar was made up with eighteen court cases and seventeen cases to be tried by jury. The court adjourned Tuesday to November 11th.

Among the cases passed upon was the famous "auto case." The Judge pronounced the papers served by Sheriff Nelson upon Liveryman Dan Guerin as being legal and ordered sheriff to get the auto forthwith. Replevin papers were issued by Attorney Grndy and the auto is still a boarder at Guerin's livery. Seems like the owner would "cough up" like a man instead playing the baby act, for no person should be allowed to jump a board bill, even though the price is steep for post hay.

In the case of O. A. Aubol vs. the St. Hilnire Lumber company, which was tried by jury last spring and a judgement found for plaintiff, motion for new trial was granted and the attorneys given to November 4th to file briefs.

Citizenship papers were granted to Frend Lafrenieee, of this place, and first papers to Andrew Anderson, of Thief River Falls.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Hope is a very valuable asset till you try to cash it in.

Then there's the fool who gets photographed playing the piano.

A woman likes to have her husband get wet feet so she can worry about it.

What a woman carries on a trip she calls a luggage if it's a paper parcel.

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Closing Out
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All past season's skirts your choice at

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THE DAIRY FARMER

Gets Immediate and Better Returns than Others, and has Many Advantages.

A great advantage in dairy farming is the fact that a sure and constant income can be relied upon. It is an important matter in farming, as in other business, to be able to rely with certainty on a regular income. Though in its business there may be variations from different causes of just what the income may be, yet with the cows it is sure to be something, every month. Milk, cream butter or cheese are cash products whenever or wherever sold. Consumers are always in want of these products and always will be so there is always a ready market that can never fail. The dairy farmer can rely on this with a certainty that will never fail him.

Another feature of great importance is that the returns from the products of the cow are not only certain but they come often. She furnished her milk today and whatever the form it is turned into, in a months time the cash is returned for it.

This is to a man of limited means a great advantage. In the production of crops for sale the returns come in but once a year for the reason that the land produces but a single crop each year. In the growing of stock no money is returned till the stock is sold In the production of fruit the trees must first be grown and then but a single crop a year can be realized. In comparison therefore with any of these farm products from which the income is received the receipts from the cow carry a great advantage.

The advantages of dairy farming are manifest in every neighborhood and on every farm where it is a leading business. The farmer always has some money ready. His buildings are kept in good condition the year around. His bills are kept paid up and his credit is good. All this is possible for the reason that he has always money coming in surely and regulary from his dairy.

There is no other line of farm business that is so sure and so reliable, year after year as a well managed herd of cows. This fact is stamped on every farm where the business is carried on.

In speaking of the favorable opening held out to the farmers through the dairy business in the New York Produce Review in a recent issue it gives the following endorsement:

"We do not know any industry that offers a well-trained young man or an older man, better immediate returns for his labors and a brighter future, than is offered today by the dairy industry. This is an endorsement which any farmer may accept with confidence. It is borne out in the success of dairymen in our own midst.—Maine Farmer.

Out of Sight.

"Out of sight, out of mind." is an old saying which applies with special force to a sore, burn or wound that's been treated with Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's out of sight, out of mind and out of existence. Piles too and chilblains disappear under its healing influence. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 25c.

Short Weight Packages.

Short weight packages are the biggest fraud on the public in the food line today," says E. K. Slater, state dairy and food commissioner. Mr. Slater is preparing a bulletin on short weights. He says, "the trouble is that in the keen competition as to prices, manufacturers are cutting down the contents of packages.. In this state the law does not require them to state the net weight on packages except in the case of spices, baking powder and extracts. The so-called five-pound jars of butter, are not labeled five pounds, but the purchaser pays for five pounds, and the jar usually contains not over 4 1-2 pounds. If the price is 36 cents, they are really paying 40 cent for butter. Packages supposed to contain a pound of staple household articles rarely weigh a net pound. Adulteration is pretty well controlled now, and labels show now whether you are buying a pure food or one adulterated. The person who buys knows what he is getting but he is deceived right along as to weights, and the shortweight evil is getting worse. In North Dakota the law requires the net weight to be stated on all packages and I believe that this is the only sensible way to protect the public. The Minnesota law ought to be amended to read that way."

SCHOOLS GET AID

The Apportionment Rate for the County is $2.50 Per Capita.

The state apportionment for the schools of Red Lake county has been received by County Auditor J. B. O'Brien and is $9,295, which at the ratio of $2.50 per pupil gives us a school census of 3,719. The Red Lake Falls schools will receive $1,057.50, Thief River Falls schools $2,405, and the St. Hileire graded school $590.

Lambert Farmers Prosperous.

The editor of the McIntosh Times recently spent several days in Lambert township, and gives his impressions of conditions in this part of Red Lake county as follows:

"Ye editor returned Sunday from Lambert, where he spent a couple of days looking after threshing operations and noting conditions. He was royally entertained on the trip and was agreeably surprised at the returns the fields there are yielding and the general prosperous condition of the farming community, the latter largely the result of their cheese factory checks, which have been yielding them a comfortable revenue for several years back. Aside from stock, oats and flax are the principal crops raised in that section and the yields this year have been good, oats running from 20 to 50 bushels per acre and flax averaging about 12 bushels, which, price considered, makes a very profitable yield. Timothy and clover are being very generally introduced and are thriving well, and with the latter firmly established a prosperous future for the community is assured and a rise in values imperative."

Notice to the Public.

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CREAMERY REPORT

The Report of Red Lake Falls Creamery for September Very Favorable.

The Red Lake Falls creamery has been doing a nice business even though the season for buttermaking has practically passed. The total amount paid patrons for the month of September was $3,131.70; the price paid for butterfat being twenty-eight cents. The following is a list of the patrons receiving checks of forty dollars and over:

I Beril	$ 117 37
F. Beho	94 91
D. Patnode	94 57
A. Bisson	92 06
C. Amoit	83 05
Jeff Porter	79 96
A. Currier	69 27
Paul Cyr	64 18
L. Ducharme	59 78
A. Emard	58 48
Sam Miller	57 67
F. Grenier	53 27
M. Kees	52 65
Aug. Anderson	52 01
L. Jahnke	51 55
Swan Akenson	50 84
Wm. Schaper	49 94
Mat Waldorf	49 65
Christ Gedde	45 27
A. Longtin	44 68
F. Hovold	43 89
E. Columbus	43 75
E. Bjergo	43 47
Pierre Emard	43 02
Ed Enright	41 27
C. Petnode	41 27
C. Nelson	4e 07
A. Fontaine	40 60

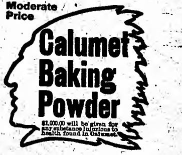
Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drouth are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Earl Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold remedy and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter's drug store, 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED TO DATE

Wheat,	No. 1 Hard	$ 90
"	No. 1 Northern	89½
"	No. 2 Northern	86½
"	No. 3 Northern	80½
"	No. 4 Northern	72½
"	Rejected	66½
Flax,	No. 1	1 02
"	No. 2	99
N. G. Flax		94
Barley,	No. 4	67
"	No. 5	61
"	Seed	57
Oats,	No. 3 White	29
"	No. 4 White	27
"	No. 3	25
Flour,	Patent	3 10
"	Straight	3 00
Shorts		24 00
Bran		23 00



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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Washington.

A new rural mail route out of Frankford, Spink county, S. D., is ordered to begin Dec. 16, to serve eighty-five families; out of Ross, Ward county, N. D., to serve 106 families; out of Wheelock, Williams county, to serve 107 families.

Confounded with a statement by Henry A. Castle, former auditor of the postoffice department, that the government for a long time had lost an average of $1,000 daily through error and fraud in the money order system, the congressional commission which is inquiring into postal methods, has gone far enough to decide that important reforms are necessary in the conduct of the service.

Application for a writ of mandamus was made to the supreme court of the United States directing the court to issue a writ of error in the case of Thomas B. Clement of Faribault, Minn., who has been convicted and sentenced to eight years' imprisonment at Stillwater for misappropriation of bank funds. Application for a writ of certiorari in this case had previously been denied.

People Talked About.

Campbell Slemp, member of congress from the Ninth district of Virginia, died at Big Stone Gap, Va., of engine doctoris.

Rev. Ephraim Hall Emery Jameson, for sixteen years district secretary of the American Baptist Missionary society for Michigan and Ohio, died at his home in Detroit, aged seventy-two years.

Henri Rochefort, the well known French journalist, at the age of seventy-seven, severed his connection with the Intransigeant, which he founded in 1880, and assumed the editorship of the Patrie.

Rev. Edward Everett Hale has retired as president of the American Antiquarian society, and Waldo Lincoln of Worcester, Mass., was elected to the office. Dr. Hale has completed sixty years membership in the society.

From Other Shores.

The slump in the price of copper has closed a large number of mines in the southern portion of the republic of Mexico.

Mail advices from Batavia report the ambuscade and the massacre of two companies of Dutch troops by natives in Celebes. Not one escaped.

The priests of the department of Finistere, France, having generally refused to quit their presbyteries, which reverted to the communes under the church and state separation law, are now being expelled by the aid of the gendarmes.

The imperial Chinese troops detached from the Yangtse Kiang valley cantonments since the anti-missionary outbreaks at Nan Kang Sian, have driven the so-called Boxers into the mountains on the borders of Kwang Tung. In an engagement at Chung Yi the troops killed seventy insurgents.

A correspondent of the Tageblatt at Emden telegraphs that, according to a dispatch received from Borkum, a spying yacht with English naval officers on board has been captured by two Wilhelmshaven torpedo boats. The officers are suspected of having taken soundings and made photographs in forbidden waters.

Although the general strike has been officially called off at Milan, the labor situation in other parts of Italy is disquieting. It is understood that the decision taken by the leaders at Milan was the result of a promise on the part of Signor Giolitti, the premier and minister of the interior, that the government would punish the carbineers who fired on the strikers, if the investigation being made proves that they were not justified in shooting into the mob.

Casualty.

Five men were drowned by the overturning of a scow in the Illinois and Michigan canal near Joliet, Ill.

Francis Hays, three years old, fell into a water tank on the farm of his grandmother near Waterloo, Iowa, and was drowned.

One man was killed and three others fatally injured in a boiler explosion at the sawmill of Jacob Markle, near Punxsutawney, Pa.

Matthew Glovoski, five years old, and his sister Lucy, eleven years old, were run over and killed by a Lake Shore train at Loraine, Ohio.

While trying to cross the Cumberland river a short distance below Nashville, Tenn., in a skiff T. J. Warmack and his two sons were drowned.

Assistant Secretary of State Robert L. Bacon figured in a heroic rescue on the Charles river, when he jumped from the Harvard launch Varitsa and swam to the rescue of two boys who had capsized in a canoe. He saved the life of one. The second boy was rescued by J. S. Reed, a student of Harvard, who followed Bacon into the water.

One man was killed and the steel steamer John W. Moore was sunk in a collision between the Moore and Queen City in the Detroit river, just above the Lime Kilns crossing.

John Klinehart, who lives north of Nashua, Iowa, was impaled on a pitchfork, one of the tines penetrating his intestines.

Six people were killed and fifteen injured in a collision between a northbound Southern railway passenger train and a freight train at Budd, N. C., near Greensboro.

Ernst Neidert, nineteen, son of Chris Neidert, a wealthy retired farmer of State Center, Iowa, was instantly killed by being struck by a North-Western fast passenger train.

Fifteen or more persons were injured, several of them seriously, when on a south side elevated train which crashed into the rear of a South side elevated train at State and Van Buren streets, Chicago.

Arthur Onweiler was killed in an automobile accident at Morenci, Mich. Mr. Onweiler had purchased a new automobile and was taking his first ride in it. His wife and two children were in the machine with him.

While saving a trunk from the second story of his burning dwelling H. Medd, a Watertown, Iowa, laborer, was badly burned about the hands, arms and face. Mr. Medd risked his life to save his valuables.

The magazine of the Petrolea Torpedo company, near Petrolea, Ont., exploded with terrific force. Residences within a radius of a mile of the magazine were more or less damaged. No one was in the building at the time.

One man was killed, six persons were dangerously and probably twenty-five others slightly hurt when an Elberon avenue car jumped the track and went over a twenty-five-foot embankment at Mount Hope, in the western end of Cincinnati.

Twenty-five persons, the majority of them seriously, but none, it is believed, fatally, were injured in a trolley collision on the Buffalo & Lake Erie Traction company line at Erie, Pa. All the passengers had miraculous escape from death.

Crimes and Criminals.

Mrs. Bertha Lund, who strangled her three children three weeks ago at Buffalo, N. Y., has been committed to the hospital for the insane.

Four men and three women, one of the former a government mail carrier, were ambushed and killed east of Hermosillo, in the lower Sonora country, by Yaqui Indians.

The Bank of Wharton, Ohio, was looted by cracksmen who, it is said, secured a large sum of money. Several stores were also robbed. Bloodhounds are on the trail of the robbers.

Matt Gandy, a young white farmer, is dead, and his brother, O. D. Grady, is seriously wounded as a result of a shooting affray which occurred in front of their home at Hoil's creek, Ala.

The trial of William Stout of Vinton, Iowa, on the charge of murder in the first degree had a sudden termination, when by mutual consent the charge was made manslaughter and the prisoner pleaded guilty.

During a pistol duel at Peoria, Ill., with a burglar who had robbed a residence of several thousand dollars' worth of diamonds, Ed Barrett, a policeman, was shot and killed. The man who fired the shot escaped.

A man giving the names of Ford and Wilson has been arrested at Miles City on suspicion of being the person wanted at Belle Fourche, S. D., for the forging of a $250 check.

Jacob Dittinger, aged fifty-nine years, of New York, committed suicide in an unusual manner. Placing a stick of dynamite in his mouth and holding it in his right hand, Dettinger exploded the dynamite, blowing his head off and shattering t hsband that held the explosive.

Dollar Bay, four miles north of Houghton, was the scene of a volume of housebreaking one night last week. The Donlan hotel, the leading one of the town, and four private residences were broken into, but so far as can be ascertained no plunder was secured in any case. At one house the burglar took off two storm windows before he could effect an entrance, to the house, only to be discovered by the inmates.

Domestic.

Equal suffragists of Iowa will soon ally themselves with the Labor party and do their best to further its cause. This was the sentiment prevalent at the state convention of suffragists held at Des Moines last week.

The installation of a regular trans-Atlantic wireless service was accomplished by William Marconi and his assistants at Glace Bay, N. F., last week. Mr. Marconi stated that more than 5,000 words had been transmitted between the station and Port Morien and the Irish station.

The first railroad ever built in Lower California will be in operation in a few days, and will come under the jurisdiction of E. E. Calvin, general manager of the Southern Pacific. This line was built by E. H. Harriman, and is known as the Inter-California railway, and runs southward from Calexico as far as Poradones, 37 1-2 miles.

Miss Helen Gould formally opened the new railroad branch of the Young Men's Christian association at Eugenie and Tom streets, St. Louis, in the name of her father, Jay Gould. The fact that she declared it opened in her dead father's name came as a great surprise to those present. Miss Gould was the guest of honor at a banquet.

Dispatches from the center and South of France confirm the worst reports of destruction caused by the floods. Great distress has resulted. Railroad traffic is disorganized. Fortunately the storm center is now going seaward.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Peter Peterson, sixteen years old, was accidentally shot and killed while hunting near Limestone.

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Mrs. Henry Temple was struck by an extra while on the track at Kiester and instantly killed. Her back was broken.

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The body of an unknown man, a suicide, was discovered hanging to the limb of a tree in the woods near Embarrass.

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Jack Nsual of Pipestone, who has been hunting near Lake Benton, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun.

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Frank Farrell, fifty years old, employed on the farm of A. B. Swenson of Welch, committed suicide by severing an artery.

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Burglars entered the bank at Corell, blew the safe open and secured about $2,000. The building was badly shattered. No clue to the robbers.

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The Jewel Hardware company's store at Albert Lea was badly damaged by fire as the result of an explosion in the basement of the store.

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Potato pickers are in great demand around Barnesville this fall. The potato crop is a bumper this year and prices paid are $2.50 a day and board.

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While playing about the kitchen a three-year-old son of Frank Lutz of Nicollet fell into a tub of boiling water and was terribly and perhaps fatally burned.

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Miss Susan McEwen, sixty-seven years old, who has been living on her farm near Sauk Rapids with a cat as her sole companion, has been declared insane.

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The farmers in the vicinity of Barnesville this year are all receiving good prices for their hay. It seems that the hay grown this year is a better variety than any year previous.

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Poisoned by carbolic acid, Charles Schwartz, a farmer of Le Sueur county, died last week. Mr. Schwartz took a swallow of the acid by mistake, he supposing that the bottle contained brandy.

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Attempting to alight from a train while it was in motion, William O'Connor of Ozark was hit by the mail crane at that place and knocked under the wheels. His injuries proved fatal.

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The plant of the American Hoist and Derrick company at St. Paul was damaged by fire to the extent of about $7,000. One fireman was seriously injured. Three hundred men are thrown out of employment.

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The two-and-a-half-year-old son of Fred Miller of Sauk Rapids accidentally drank a tumblerful of kerosene, and had it not been for heroic work on the part of a physician would have died from the effects.

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While Aloysius Froeing and Thomas Gollogly of Graceville were out hunting in a boat trying to pick up a bird which they had shot the gun was discharged, the charge entering the Froeing boy's body just to the right of the heart. Death was almost instant.

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Theodore Pinault, who is employed at the Watab mill, near Sauk Rapids, fell from a platform ten feet from the ground, and striking on his head, his skull was fractured and he suffered other injuries. He regained consciousness and it is thought that he will live.

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The dockmen of the Duluth, Missabe & Northern road will enjoy an advance of wages Nov. 1, in accordance with a promise which was made them by the company before the strike of last summer. The advance is 25 cents a day for both day and night work.

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The continued rapid development of the iron lands in the western section of the Mesaba range is bringing many solicitations for options on private property in that vicinity, and some holders have taken advantage of these opportunities to get some substantial benefits without letting go of their titles.

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George Paine, a Soo brakeman, attempted to jump from a moving train to throw a switch a short distance from Wendell station, near Fergus Falls, and his foot caught so that he fell forward with terrific force. His head struck on something as he went down and his skull was split open. Bruises on his body indicate that he was dragged along on the ties.

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Mrs. Kate Yeoger of St. Cloud has settled with the Great Northern for $2,000 for the death of her husband and her daughter, who were killed by being struck by the Great Northern flyer in St. Cloud last March.

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The Riverside block at Dawson, Lac qui Parle county, was destroyed by fire. The building was practically new and was built at a cost of $35,000. The stock of the Hamlum, Thorndrud & Grimsrud company, valued at $40,000, was ruined. Buildings and stock insured.

The vote on the water works proposition taken at Belle Plaine resulted 168 in favor of the water works and 55 against it.

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Olando Sabina was caught in the elevator of the Griffin Wheel works in St. Paul and died instantly from a broken neck.

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Calvin Abbott, an old soldier residing in Alexandria, was discovered dead on the tracks of the Great Northern road.

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According to a new city directory just completed at Fergus Falls the population of that city is now 7,487, a gain of about 200 since 1905.

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The city fathers of Windom have screwed the lid down a little tighter by prohibiting dice shaking for cigars in the drug stores and restaurants.

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Matt Pasivio, who formerly lived on the John Lamb farm, near Moorhead, but who now resides near Sabin, was seriously injured in a runaway accident.

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At the national corn exposition at Chicago Faribault county received three prizes—second, fourth and fifth—for the best ten ears of yellow corn raised in the state.

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Mrs. Minnie Wolcott, who was staying with a sister in St. Paul, died at St. Joseph's hospital as the result of sulphuric acid poisoning. She was suffering from nervous trouble.

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The necessity of men on the farms to assist in finishing up the threshing and doing other important work is so great that $3 and $4 a day is being offered in the vicinity of Moorhead.

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George F. Birch, a locomotive engineer, was killed and his fireman, Frank Goepeter, was fatally hurt in a wreck on the Missabe road at the Missabe ore dock approach in Duluth.

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Carl Pein was found dead in his room at St. Paul from gas poisoning. Acting Coroner Maloney investigated the case and it is his opinion that the man died accidentally from asphyxiation.

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Regular train service has been established by the Minnesota & International railway at International Falls. Work of constructing the passenger and freight depots has been started.

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John Holmstrand, an engine watchman in the employ of the Northern Pacific roundhouse, was crushed to death while in the act of coupling two engines near the coal docks, in the West end, Duluth.

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Two young boys named Henderson, aged twelve and fourteen years, were caught in the store belonging to H. Schochet at Faribault. The lads had long been suspected of petty stealing, but could not be caught.

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The trial of Harry Weinberg of Madelia, on the charge of attempted arson, resulted in acquittal. Weinberg was accused of having plotted to set fire to his clothing and dry goods store at Madelia, Sept. 21.

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Henry W. Jarman, a negro who was indicted by the grand jury pleaded guilty in the district court at Red Wing to the charge of grand larceny in the second degree and was sentenced to one year in the state prison.

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Gen. William Booth, founder and commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, addressed an audience of 3,000 people at the Auditorium in Minneapolis last week. Gen. Booth told of the work done by his organization and was given a cordial reception.

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The workmen making the excavation for the Northern Pacific reservoir east of Dilworth, found a large quantity of mica which is of very fine quality and which, if in paying quantities, will be the best mineral find in this section.

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The body of Nelson W. Clark of St. Anthony Park was found under the Marshall avenue bridge at St. Paul. The neck, arms and legs were broken, and it is thought that Mr. Clark leaped from the bridge while temporarily deranged from insomnia.

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Farmers in the vicinity of Castle Rock have organized a farmers' elevator company. Directors elected were: M. N. Holt, F. C. Pryor, I. N. Gill, B. K. Ouebye, G. H. Wood, A. J. Laeby and E. P. Rub. Application for incorporation papers has been filed.

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Barney Conway, the brewery wagon driver who killed Mike Hahar at Duluth on Labor day by a blow of his fist and who was convicted of manslaughter in the second degree, is again a free man. Under the law there is an alternative of a prison sentence for a term of years or a fine of $1,000. The judge imposed the fine and the amount was paid into court and Conway was freed.

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When passenger train No. 504 on the Chicago & North-Western railroad pulled into the station at Winona recently, Henry Neiland of Dana county, Wisconsin, was found hanging by his suspenders, which had been attached to pipes in the toilet room of the coach.

Auto Turns Turtle.

Monessen, Pa., Special.—An automobile owned and driven by M. E. Riggs of Charleroi, Pa., overturned here and injured its six occupants, one being perhaps fatally injured.

STATE MEET AT FERGUS FALLS.

Charities and Corrections Program Is Announced.

The sixteenth Minnesota state conference of Charities and Corrections is to be held in Fergus Falls Saturday, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, Nov. 9, 10, 11 and 12. The convention will begin Saturday evening. An outline program, prepared by Miss Eleanor Hanson, the state secretary, is as follows:

Saturday Evening—An address of welcome by a representative of Fergus Falls and a reply by Dr. C. A. Rogers, superintendent state school for feeble minded, Faribault; President's address, Mr. A. J. Eckstain, chairman board of county commissioners, Brown county. Gov. Johnson hopes to be present.

Sunday Morning — Conference speakers to talk in different churches on subjects relating to charitable and correctional work; the conference sermon by Rev. R. M. West of St. Paul.

Sunday Afternoon—A meeting of the county officials' section, presided over by Chairman A. O. Cowles, county commission, Olmstad county; Mr. W. S. McCormick, city controller, Duluth, will read a paper, "Opportunity," and Miss Charlotta Knudson, county superintendent of schools, Otter Tail county, one upon "The Relations of the County Board to County Schools."

The Sunday evening meeting will be somewhat in the nature of a joint meeting of all the churches. Miss Julia C. Lathrop of Chicago, member state board of charities of Illinois, will deliver an illustrated lecture upon "Family Care of the Insane."

Monday afternoon will be devoted to a consideration of "An Education Which Will Tend More to Lessen Pauperism and Crime."

Monday afternoon's program will be in charge of the county officials.

Monday evening an address will be delivered by Dr. Gray, professor of political economy, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

Tuesday afternoon will be given to a study of "The Duties of the Public to the Insane."

Tuesday afternoon a visit will be paid to the hospital for the insane, and either before or after, probably in the hospital assembly room, the subject of "Inebriety," will be considered by Dr. Haldor Snave, nerve specialist, St. Paul, and Dr. A. S. Adams of Rochester. "Volunteer Relief Societies in Smaller Cities," will be considered by Mrs. C. G. Higbee, St. Paul, president State Federation of Woman's Clubs, Miss Kate S. Linder, Mankato and others. Dr. W. J. Morelay, superintendent sanitarium for consumptives, Walker, Minn., is planning to attend and speak.

IMPROVE THE MINNESOTA.

Federal appropriations for the work of making the Minnesota river a navigable stream and state appropriations to be devoted to the prevention of periodical floods were projects earnestly urged by delegates attending the river improvement convention held in Mankato last week.

Harmony and unity of purpose were shown and the meeting formed a permanent organization, to be known as the Minnesota River Improvement association, whose officers and laid plans that are expected to result ultimately in the desired improvement of the river.

The number of persons in attendance was about fifty, nearly half of whom were Commercial club members from Mankato. The latter took no part in the discussions, except Senator S. D. Works.

Most of the counties in the Minnesota valley were represented by the others present, among whom were Congressmen W. S. Hammond of St. James, A. J. Volstead of Granite Falls and C. R. Davis of St. Peter and State Senators Frank Clague of Lamberton, V. B. Saward of Marshall, H. F. Weis of Le Sueur, A. A. Poehiar of Henderson, Charles A. Johnson of St. Peter and J. A. Coller of Shakopee.

The committee recommended as permanent officers the following:

President, H. F. Weis; vice president, A. J. Eckstain; secretary, J. Coller; treasurer, B. F. Pay, Mankato.

The officers and the following county representatives were constituted an executive committee:

Big Stone county, Ray Farrington; Chippewa, C. A. Foeness; Redwood, H. A. Baldwin; Renville, Fred Orth; Nicollet, Fred Fritchie; Sibley, A. A. Poebler; Le Sueur, M. W. Grimes; Scott, W. H. Weisbeler; Carver, George E. Dutoit; Yellow Medicine, E. H. Sorlean; Blue Earth, W. L. Hixon; Dakota, A. Shaller.

The report was adopted.

Senator Works said that the matter of financing the organization had been left to the executive committee. The convention then adjourned.

Teachers to Gather.

The North Capital Minnesota Teachers' association will meet at Cass Lake Oct. 31 and Nov. 1 and 2. An interesting program has been prepared and prominent educators from all sections of the state will be present to lecture and discuss subjects of interest.

Three Laborers Killed

Versailles, Ohio, Oct. 23. — A Big Four train struck a handcar on which were nineteen Greek laborers, killing three and injuring five of the others.

Willing to Oblige.

Pyker—I say, old man, lend me a half dollar, will you?

Hyker—Sorry, but I've only got 30 cents.

Pyker—Well, let me have that, you may owe me the balance.

BACK YARD STUDIES.

Even Prof. von Joggleby Beguiled by the Hazy Days of September.

"By nature," said Prof. von Joggleby, "I am industrious, a plodder; I would even say, if I might drop for once into homelier phrase, a plugger.

"I like to work. I long ago discovered that there is no real joy to be found in life except in work. All other pursuits, ambition, pleasure, fame, are vain and likely to be filled with disappointment; and idleness I abhor.

"In work only can we find freedom from care, in work alone do we find complete and abiding satisfaction and the deep and pervading joy that springs from accomplishment. But I find that even I have days when I can't work, when figures cease to charm, and even the most intricate problems have no attraction for me, days when I can't concentrate my mind upon the work before me, but must perforce sit back and look out upon and enjoy the trees and the grass in the back yard in view from my study window, and dream of the things beyond; and such a day is this, the ripe, mellow, hazy day in late September, when even nature, its summer's work done, seems to have taken a day off for idle luxury.

"On such a day, I confess, figures have no charm for me, nor can even the most intricate problems attract—all work is vanity; I want to get out where the yellow sunshine comes down on wood and hill and valley."

For Air Generation.

Fused sodium peroxide, electrically prepared, is the chemical agent in a process of air regeneration that has been recommended for such purposes as submarine boats, etc. In contact with water, pure oxygen is given off, caustic soda being formed.

The soda absorbs the carbonic acid, coating the peroxide with a crust of carbonate, which is removed by shaking the chemical in a wire ust or gauze cylinder.

It is found that 6 3-4 ounces of the peroxide give the seven gallons of oxygen required by one man per hour, and that twenty pounds should sustain nine men in a submarine of 2,700 cubic feet capacity for nine hours before the carbonic acid in the air breathed would increase to a troublesome quantity.

Women Manufacturers.

Manager Toyowaka of the Japanese Mitsui Bishi bank says that women make most of the goods exported from Japan. Male workmen versed in mathematical and mechanical knowledge are becoming experts in new branches of industry, such as shipbuilding and ironworking, in which they display the greatest patience. In the tea, silk weaving and light industries female labor is invariably required.

Statue to Sheridan.

A movement for the erection of a bronze statue of Gen. Philip Sheridan has been started by the Irish Fellowship Club of Chicago. The work will be by Charles J. Mulligan, a well known Chicago sculptor, and will be of heroic proportions. The statue will be erected at the head of Sheridan road, and will look out upon the famous drive named for the cavalry commander.

Electric Train in Alsace.

Consul J. I. Brittain of Kehl advises that a new electric railway has just been opened for traffic from the Alsatian town of Munster to the Schlacht, the summit of the mountains dividing Germany and France. This six and seven-tenths miles line was built at a cost of $235,000, and connects the Schlucht with a similar line extending to Gerardmer, France.

Rash Girl.

"Really," said Edith, "I don't care what sort of a husband I get."

"Why, Edith," exclaimed her mother, "I'm surprised at you."

"No," continued the dear girl, "so long as he's rich and handsome and kind to me I don't care, so there, now!"

Temperance Champion's Son.

William Livesay of Preston, the son of Joseph Livesay, the famous founder of teetotalism in England, has just celebrated his ninety-second birthday. Mr. Livesay is in good health and as stanch a temperance champion as was his celebrated father.

Story of St. Gaudens.

They are reviving the old stories of St. Gaudens. One tells of a party of Americans in Lucerne who were recalling the great works of the sculptor and had to be prompted by their waiter, who knew of the Farragut monument, which they had all forgotten.

For Shorter Skirts.

Princess Ludwig Ferdinand of Bavaria has formed a league to promote the wearing of shorter skirts. The kaisarin and other prominent women are said to be in entire sympathy with the movement.

Must Come to Him.

Jay Gould, the tennis champion, has determined that he will not go to England again, and that contestants must hereafter come here to play.

Commission for Westinghouse.

George Westinghouse has been commissioned by Western railroads to produce a motor car for passenger traffic on suburban and branch lines.

Two Immigrants Per Minute.

Each minute during the past year two immigrants landed on American shores.

VIVIAN'S AWAKENING

By EDGAR FAWCETT

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His family were what one could safely call very plain people. They lived in a little house, rather far to the westward, and in a street that cut through the heart of Harlem. His father had married rather late in life, and his mother likewise; so that now, when their youngest child, Vivian, was a full-fledged young man, they both had the air and look of elderly persons.

But to glance at their beloved Vivian always gave them a gladsome and youthful thrill. Mr. Firth was one of those many mortals who strive sturdily yet end by partial failure. Now past 50, he was still a clerk. But his employers, who were prosperous and prominent New York bankers, trusted him implicitly, and gave him a salary about half as large as his keen and shrewd services deserved. Still, they had blandly promised Firth that "some day" they would "make an opening" for his son, and this airy sort of agreement had filled their listener with hopeful cheer.

"Only," one of them had said, "it seems a little — er — extravagant, doesn't it, for you to send him to college like this for four years?"

Firth thought it "extravagant," too, but he rejoiced in his power to bestow on the dear boy collegiate training. Afterward there would be the "position" at Bainbridge Brothers.

Vivian had two elder sisters, Ann and Jane, very nearly of an age, who worshiped him.

And Vivian? He took their homage quite for granted, as he did that of his parents. He had, indeed, always taken for granted all the family affection showered upon him. He was amiable to his relatives, but passively so. The smoke of their incense kept constantly ascending to his nostrils, and he sniffed it with the sweetest of smiles. But he sniffed it quite as a matter of course.

At a convivial meeting of his fellow-classmates, during his sophomore year, Vivian sang a song—one of the pretty, current ballads of the day.

"By Jove," said Stuyvesant Harrowe, clapping him cordially on the shoulder, when the song was ended, "you can sing about as well as you can play football, and that's putting it rather strong, considering how you helped our side of the game out last Saturday."

Vivian blushed a little and his brown eyes sparkled. Stuyvesant Harrowe was one of the aristocrats of the college, petted and flattered for his parents' wealth and place—and perhaps for popular personal reasons as well.

Till then Vivian had been a nobody at college. But soon, as the chosen "chum" of Harrowe, he became a member of the most select secret fraternity and counted his friends by the dozens. Harrowe presented him to his family, who beamed on him with great politeness. Ethel Harrowe was Stuyvesant's only grown-up sister, a tall, blonde girl, with light azure eyes.

Ethel Harrowe was very gracious to him, and bade her parents, who lovingly obeyed her least caprice, regard him as a genius of song. He became, as it were, the girl's protege.

By dint of straining and pinching in certain household ways, and of an individual self-denial practiced with furtive gladness by each of his idolizing relatives, Vivian was enabled to begin lessons under the same teacher who had lured the silvery do-re-mi-fas from Ethel Harrowe's blooming lips.

Signor Boldini now taught him free of charge. He had made friends with the Italian, as he made friends with nearly everybody with whom he came in contact. Meanwhile the professor had grown privately yet sadly amused by his pupil's enormous self-reliance.

"I somehow suspect, Signor Boldini," said Ethel to him one day, "that you have now no real belief in Vivian Firth's voice."

"You must not even fancy it!" was the first shocked response.

But soon, by adroit questionings, Ethel drew from her teacher this confession:

"It has disappointed me. He sings with admirable style; he has acquired a delightful grace and finish. But, frankly, I can teach him nothing more. It would be like overloading with embroidery some flimsy fabric. His voice is all charm and sweetness and captivation. But it has no depth, no volume. I see now what I totally missed seeing before. He can sing for the drawing room only."

"And with such charm!" sighed Ethel. Then, in accents of reminding sarcasticness she pursued: "But he has made up his mind to sing in public."

"I know—I know. At Steinway hall. I shall be there; three or four of our best musical artists will lend him their aid. His legion of admirers will purchase seats. He will make two thousand dollars, very likely. But ah, Miss Ethel—afterward!"

"You prophesy failure, then?"

"Wait and see."

A few weeks later the concert occurred. Steinway hall was packed with all the patricians and plutocrats, all the grandees and potentates.

Never was failure more absolute. Even poor Ann and Jane felt it and clutched one another's hands. His mother turned white and gnawed her lips. To everybody the disillusion was terrible. The plaudits, when he retired, were worse than hisses, for they were the fictitious encouragements of disappointed and compassionating friends.

Next day the newspapers teemed with irony and contempt. On the afternoon of this day he entered the familiar apartments where Ethel Harrowe had so often welcomed him.

"I wanted to write you," she said, giving him her hand, "but I thought you might come;" then tears made tender those blue eyes that could be so haughty when they willed. "I—I'm very sorry! You have suffered terribly; I can see it in your face."

"I have been terribly shocked," he answered, and something in his tones gave her a start of surprise. "The awakening had to come, and better it should come swift and sharp, like this."

"The awakening?"

"Not so much to the knowledge that I am only a parlor tenor, only a spoiled young musical coxcomb—"

"No, no! You must not say that. It isn't true, and I can't bear to hear it."

"But there's been another awakening," he went on. "I mean to the realization of my horrid selfishness. There are my mother and my father and my two sisters—how have I behaved to them for five or six years past? Like an egotistic simpleton. Worse—like an ungrateful wretch! They would all four have died for me; I kept living on with an indifference to their devotion that was dastardly!"

"And so," Ethel said, after a little pause, "it has all affected you in this fashion?"

"Not wholly;" he paused, then added with precipitation: "For I wanted fame as a great singer. I wanted it chiefly because I love you, and knew that if I asked you to be my wife when I had grown renowned, there might be a far stronger chance of your saying 'yes'!"

In the silence that ensued Ethel first drooped her eyes, then raised them. Her cheeks burned with an unwonted rose as she said:

"There would have been no chance at all if you had won 'fame as a great singer'! Not that I would have refused from any silly reasons of caste, snobbery, prejudice against the stage as a profession and all that. There's enough of the independent 'new woman' in me to render such objections null. But your very celebrity would have been my bane—my jealous bane—I confess it. No, I prefer you as you are—as an artistic failure, if you please to admit yourself one, as a plain, uncrowned, undecorated, unmedaled individual like myself," and here she stopped dead short, crimsoning.

Certain of Just What She Had More Than "Hinted."

"Ethel!" he cried, hurrying up to her, "you don't—you can't even hint—"

But in another minute he was certain of just what she indeed had more than "hinted."

Their wedding was an entirely conventional one and very handsome and festal likewise. And though Ethel's parents grumbled and growled not a little at the engagement her brother Stuyvesant proved Vivian's loyal friend, and overruled every shadow of family opposition—which, by the way, Ethel herself would have coolly overruled like a true tyrannical American daughter, without her brother's generous and genial aid.

And the Firths—heaven bless them!—were in transports of happiness. For joys, like troubles, in battalions come, and soon after the announcement of Vivian's betrothal, Messrs. Bainbridge Brothers perceived that John Firth's long and valued services were worthy of more substantial reward, and actually offered him a partnership in their respected firm at a low yet appreciable profit.

"Still," said Firth to his wife and daughters, "Vivian's just told me that he soon intends to take that clerkship if they'll give it to him."

Ann tossed her head. "He must have been dreaming!"

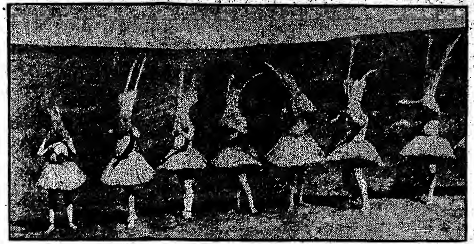
"He couldn't have meant it!" exclaimed Jane.

"Why, of course not!" bristled their mother.

But Vivian had meant it.

"Let us see if I'm not made of better stuff," he said, one day at home, "than to play idle pensioner on my future wife's income. In a sense not lyric or dramatic or romantic—in a sense prosaic and rather commonplace, perhaps—but always, I hope, in a sense high-minded and honorable and ungrasping, I should like to make my 'voice'—your Vivian's voice, that you have so foolishly, so fondly, so undeservedly belauded—heard hereafter!"

REALLY TU-TU! KAFFIR GENEES



IS THE BALLET SKIRT BARBARIC? NATIVES AT A COMING-OF-AGE DANCE IN ZULULAND.

The resemblance between the straw dress of the Kaffirs here shown and the tu-tu (that is, the short-skirted dress) of the premiere danseuse is obvious. The dancers whitewash themselves. On such occasions as the one illustrated much native beer is drunk.

THE OPPOSITION SULTAN IN MOROCCO: MULAI HAFID.

Mulai Hafid, the half-brother of the reigning sultan, was proclaimed in Morocco on Aug. 16. His cause is making progress in the south. He has removed obnoxious taxes, released prisoners, and has invited Abdel Aziz to abdicate. He was also proclaimed in Mazagan, and he instructed the people of that town to send him all their available arms and ammunition. This the French authorities have prevented.

MISS LILIAN SMITH, WHO SWAM FROM RICHMOND TO BLACKFRIARS IN 4 HOURS, 16 MINUTES, 39 SECONDS.

The great swim between Richmond and Blackfriars was won by Jarvis in 3 hours 24 minutes, 6 1-4 seconds. Dooms of Holland, was second in 3 hours 37 minutes 49 2-5 seconds; Maas of Belgium, third, in 3 hours, 39 minutes, 47 seconds. The greatest interest was, of course, centered in Jarvis; but Miss Lilian Smith, the only representative of the fair sex in the race, ran him very close in the popular estimation. To the disappointment, but scarcely to the surprise of many, Miss Smith was not in the first string, but her performance was exceedingly creditable; she finished fourteenth, with twenty of her male rivals behind her. She is eighteen, is captain of the Tottenham Swimming club, and swam 4 1-2 hours with Wolffe during his recent cross-channel attempt.—Photograph by the Tropical Press.

MOST CRUEL OF CUTS

"Sir 'Enery's" Wife Wanted Her Boys to "See a Real Hamlet."

A group of actors were comparing notes as to what, in their experience, had been the cruelest cut ever administered to an actor with regard to one of his own performances. Finally, after several stories had been told, an old English actor, who had been quietly listening to the other men's stories, said: "I know this story is true because I happen to have been one of the very few persons who saw the letter. When Edwin Booth played his famous engagement in London I was a member of his company. Mr. Booth and Henry Irving became fast friends. Quite apart from the professional suppers and banquets which were given in Booth's honor, he and Irving used to have long chats in their dressing rooms after the performances. One night Booth, who was playing a shorter bill, dropped in at Irving's theater and sat in the English actor's dressing room while he was dressing for the street, and shortly after Booth arrived Irving's valet came in with a note which he handed to his master, saying: "Mrs. Irving sent this up, sir.'

"Without glancing at the address Irving tore open the note and read it; then, with one of those grim saturnine smiles which often illumined his face when something had occurred which hurt and yet amused him, he turned to Booth and said: 'Huh! My dear Booth, a thousand pardons. I see that this note from my wife has miscarried. It's intended for you.' He passed the note to Booth without another word, and while he read it Irving, keeping the tail of his eye on the American, stood in front of the mirror arranging his tie.

"The note from Mrs. Irving ran as follows:

"My Dear Mr. Edwin Booth: Might a mere woman ask a very great favor of you? Might I ask you to send me three stalls for next Tuesday night? My two sons, Lawrence and Henry, are at home from school just now, and before you leave England I am most anxious that they should see a real Hamlet."

THE TASMANIAN ABORIGINE

Last of the Race—Discovery That Was Made Too Late.

The visitor to Tasmania can have an experience that is novel—he can call on the last of the native race of the land. She is Trucaninni, and she holds receptions in a glass case in the National museum. There is only the skeleton left, but judging from that she was a well organized little body of about four feet.

The Tasmanian aborigine was a clean sort of person, moving every day so as not to have the dirt or ashes of yesterday in his camp. The mode was uncut hair for men, shaven heads for women. Both wore at times a necklace, and also on occasions tied a strip of fur around the calves of their legs. They seemed to get along very well with this, even though the winters were cold.

Then came the white man with his gun and his modesty. Between the gun and the blank blanket and some other clothes and the permanent shelter there was only one left in the seventies, and she—Trucaninni—died at about the age of seventy years in 1876, and her bones, well articulated and polished, stand in state to-day.

When this race had disappeared the "paleozoic fellows" discovered that these Tasmanian aborigines were probably the world's only specimens of the people of the stockage. But the discovery came too late. The folk who had mixed up with them were not of the calibre to give the world a very good, to say nothing of reliable, record of the inner characteristics of this extra primitive people, or their traditional account of how black as the ace of spades, they got marooned on this isolated island. Their principal record left is that they did not worry—a fact from which it may be reasoned that bald heads and gray hairs were probably not known in the days when slabs of granite were legal tender.

When a man tries to unlock his front door with a fountain pen at 2 a. m. there's another brain storm brewing.

COLORED PEOPLE IN CAPITAL

Nearly 100,000 of the Race Are Living in the City.

More colored people live in Washington than in any other city, 95,000 of the total population of 330,000 being African. Many Washington colored people are among the most advanced of their race, and Washington is the only city where there is a distinct Afro-American society which applies the standards of American morals and manners to its own conduct. While the colored people are represented on the school board, have places of honor and profit under the District government and enjoy equality before the law, the presence of such large numbers of the race is partly responsible for Washington's peculiar government, for not all Washington colored people are of the better class. Many of them are ignorant and shiftless, and the criminal records of the district show this lower class in an unfavorable light. The last annual report showed that of the total number of births among the colored population of the city, more than 26 per cent. were illegitimate. It would be practically impossible to persuade congress, as at present constituted, to give the District of Columbia suffrage on the South Carolina plan and thus eliminate the colored vote. If universal manhood suffrage was granted, the national capital would be ruled by the colored people, and there is no party or faction in congress, however small, which is willing that such a condition of affairs should be brought about. This condition deters agitation for the suffrage.—N. O. Times-Democrat.

Didn't Want New Money.

Merchants of the far west are suspicious of brand-new paper money, according to a compositor employed at the government printing office at Washington. When he received his money for leave and back pay it was delivered to him just as it was received from the treasury by the paymaster.

"When I planned to spend my vacation 'with the folks' in my home state west of Old Big Muddy I thought to surprise them by having only brand-new money," he said in telling the story, "and consequently was careful not to fold it. After I had been about the little town for a few hours I felt of my chin and concluded to get a shave. The barber did not know me, and when I took a bright new dollar out of my bill book he took it gingerly and turned it over and over. 'This all you got?' he asked. I was amused at his greenness, and said there were more where that came from, and took the whole flat 'bundle' out of my pocket and told him to take his choice. 'Where did you come from, man?' he asked, and to save time I had to tell him I was from Washington and worked for Uncle Sam.

"For three days it was the same story wherever I went. Merchants were so used to ragged and dirty bills that resembled dish rags that they looked with suspicion on brand-new money that had never been folded. In the end I went to a bank and explained the situation and asked to have the new bills exchanged for the kind the natives were used to. And even the cashier did not like the proposition one bit. It was some time before I could convince him, with the aid of several letters I happened to have in my pocket, that I was not a green goods artist with nerve enough to try the game on a country bank. Never again will I try to act as if the government turned out money for my especial benefit."

"Hot and Then Some."

An employe of the agricultural department has received a letter from his home in Alabama, and which contains the information that the heat there is something tremendous and that hens are laying hard-boiled eggs. The writer states that no stoves have been used for cooking for several days, the people using the hot stones which are scattered throughout the town.

"Back in 1896," relates a former editor of a weekly paper in Georgia, but now employed in the pension office, "we had an awful hot spell in my state. Fact is, a great many of our people thought the last day was close to hand, and so strong was this belief that hundreds of my subscribers who never had paid a cent came to town and forked over every red they owed. If it had not been for that hot spell I do not suppose I ever would have collected for the best weekly in Georgia.

"When the scare was over and the weather moderated I quietly sold my paper and pulled out. I thought it a deuced good time to stay even. Hot weather that can make a delinquent subscriber square up with the printer is hot some and a little more."

Could Provide for Many.

Secretary Taft, the hugest statesman of his time, took a yellow car in Washington to go to the capitol. He nearly filled the seat, but at Thirteenth street and Pennsylvania avenue a small boy got on and timidly sat down beside the gigantic secretary.

The small boy wore what was obviously a suit of clothes made over for him from his father's clothes. He was rather proud of it, too, for after riding a block or two he said to the secretary: "My mamma made me this suit out of one of papa's."

"Indeed!" said the secretary; "I think it is a very pretty suit."

The small boy looked the big secretary over. "Say, mister," he said, after the survey was completed, "how many of your little boys had to wear your clothes?"—Saturday Evening Post.

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THE Spirit Lake, Iowa, Beacon says: "Governor Johnson, of Minnesota, declares he would ra ther have Bryan in the field than be a candidate himself. Republicans readily join him in this preference.

THE pretty daughter of a Swift county farmer offered four kisses to the farm hand who could do the most work in two days, and, according to the Montevideo Leader, before night three men had been prostrated by the heat.

HERE's one of Sam Jone's trite sayings: "I've seen a man and a dog go into a saloon, and in an hour the man would get beastly drunk and stagger out like a hog, while the dog would come out and walk away like a gentleman."

GOVERNOR FOLK has contributed a new sentence sermon that will appeal to every man who has made a careful study of economic conditions. Here it is: "It is hardly practicable to suppress the trusts with one hand while the other is feeding them with the milk of protection."

THE many friends of Hon. L. A. Rosing, of the state board of control will be glad to learn of his rapid and permanent return to health and vigor. Some weeks ago genuine alarm was felt over his condition. Mr. Rosing is one of the big and brainy men of Minnesota, and we trust he may be spared many years of helpfullness to the state.

THE state university people are preparing for another raid on the treasury. Not content with getting several millions at the hand of the last legislation for new buildings and an enlarged campus, they are now talking of asking for another million to buy several more blocks of land. The taxpayer will soon enquire whether they are not paying too much for their whistle.

THE Detroit Record pays the state board of equalization this deserved compliment: "The assessment of the iron ore properties in Minnesota has finally been agreed upon and it will remain at the figures established by the tax commission, approximately $191,000,000. This is an increase of fully 150 per cent over the figures of last year and was only reached after a very heated discussion by the state board of equalization members. If the state officials keep on insisting upon an equalization of taxes the first thing we know everybody who owns property will be forced to pay an equitable amount of the sum total. This would be a dreadful misfortune—to some people."

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Deer River News: About as good an advertisement as the north part of the state could have for the development of its land happened last week when four of the high up state officials interested in immigration and development bought for themselves several hundred acres of hog land in the vicinity of the Hartley Island hog farm near Floodwood. The board can truly say it has faith in what it preaches henceforth.

Floodwood Broadaxe: There has been entirely too much talk about the "swamp lands of Northern Minnesota." and the impression has gone out that this part of the state was nothing but one great swamp—this is not true—with the lands cleared and good roads. there will not be 10 per cent of this land that could be called swamp in any sense. Help us get settlers, assist us in making roads, and we will show you that the investment will pay a dividend.

Fairmont Sentinel: The republicans of New York city have joined fortunes with their erstwhile hated enemy, William R. Hearst, to overthrow Tammany The purpose may be praiseworthy but speaking of politics making strange bed fellows! Isn't this the limit?

Hallock News: Citizens of Minnesota have cause to feel proud over the splendid showing of its school fund. It now has the largest of any state in the union and has reached the enormous sum of $22,075,185. There are still nearly a million acres of school land unsold and besides this, the income to this sum from the enormous holdings in the iron properties in the northern part of the state will swell the fund still more in the years to come.

Hallock Enterprise: The nearest any republican leader has come to proposing tariff reform is Secretary Taft, and he does not want to meddle with the tariff until all republicans are united for revision. When such unity prevails the present generation will lie where no tariff will bother them unless St. Peter has formed a trust in palms and angels wings.

Thief River Falls Press: To run for office and be abused, or stay out and let the other fellow get what is coming to him, is the question that is agitating the mind of the would-be official,

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This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and systems the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only rheumatism but also other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not active and healthy, should not hesitate to make up this mixture as it is certain to do much good, and may save you much misery and suffering after a while.

Our home druggist say they will either supply the ingredients or mix the prescription ready to take if our readers ask them,

Minnesota Men Dredge for Gold

A New Crop of Millionaires

The Director of the United States Mint says: "The high tide in the output of gold is coming through the gold dredge."

(From St. Paul Pioneer Press).

It is no longer necessary to mine gold—at great expense to sink shafts and drive tunnels into mountains looking for gold ore, which, even if found, may not be of sufficient quantity or richness to pay for mining it.

For ages the rains and glaciers have been wearing away our mountains, including their rich gold-bearing rocks, and depositing the gold in the valleys below. This is still going on. Therefore the beds of all the old streams and present rivers in our rich Western mineral belt contain untold wealth; the accumulation of ages. These treasure houses of free gold are now being despoiled of their wealth by dredges. The taking of the gold out of them by a dredge is as simple as the recovery of wheat by a threshing machine. As a dredge will handle about 3,000 cubic yards a day at a cost of about 5 cents a yard, its advent opened up new, large and very profitable fields for investment. Ground averaging only 8 cents a yard yields handsome returns—far greater profits than are obtained from most of what are known as successful mines.

About 100 dredges are now at work in the West, principally in California, making a new crop of millionaires though dredging ground averaging only 15 cents a yard. Their employment is being extended as fast as they can be built and in the near future the rich bottoms of the Colorado and other rivers will be yielding up to man their golden treasures, as the Sacramento and Feather rivers in California are already doing.

Before beginning operations the character and richness of the ground are thoroughly acertained by sinking holes in it; hence it is known before beginning the dredging just what the ground averages Therefore, knowing the quantity of ground to be dredged, its average value per cubic yard and the average cost per cubic yard of taking out the gold, the profits can be accurately estimated in advance, as Uncle Sam buys the gold every day in the year and always pays the same price for it. This is not true of copper or any other metal.

It is for these reasons that dredging owing to its simplicity, cheapness of operation and certainty of profits, appeals to the conservative investor. It has none of the elements of speculation and uncertainty incident to mining. Dredging is so profitable that no one ever hears of the failure of a gold dredging company their stock is never quoted on the market, as its owners do not care to sell; it it is now well recognized as one of the safest and most profitable investments and will probably, in the next few years add more to the world's wealth and make more new multi-millionaires than any other honest, legitimate and conservative business.

As only a very small part of the available dredging ground has yet been dredged, is is no wonder that the director of the United States mint in his annual report says: "The high tide in the output of gold is coming through the gold dredge. If these dredges continue to work the world will not only be saturated with gold, but will be nauseated with it."

It is rumored that some Minnesota men intend soon to dredge some very rich ground which they have recently acquired on one [illegible] the Western rivers.

A Criminal Attack

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H. H. Zaiser transacted business in Plummer yesterday.

Mrs Fred Westphal spent Sunday with Crookston friends.

Mrs. C. L. Gray was down from St. Hilaire over Sunday.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

P. S. Mitchel was over from Plummer Saturday on business.

Theo. LaBissoniere was in Crookston yesterday on business.

The H. F. Ives family were over-Sunday guests in the city.

Father Ambrose was a Crookston visitor the first of the week.

Mrs. P. E. Pirath returned Friday from her visit to St. Hilaire.

Joe Belair, the auctioneer, was at Ada last Friday on business.

Editor C. W. Latta was over from Plummer Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Balland is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. B. Fournier.

The C. E Peterson family have removed to the Morrissette cottage.

W. A. Schreiter made a business trip to Thief River Falls Monday.

Mrs. August Morin was the guest of Crookston friends over Sunday.

Att'y A. A. Miller was up from Crookston between trains Monday.

C. E. Naplim drove in from Polk Centre Friday on a shopping tour.

Dr. Wilkinson made an over-land business trip to Crookston Monday.

County Auditor J. B. O'Brien has a new hard coal heater in his office.

Lucian Philion has moved into his new cottage on Champagne avenue.

The S. L. Lewis family have taken up residence in the Paradis block.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas, Egan returned home Tuesday noon from their visit to Fargo.

E. L. Healy was in Grant county the latter part of last week on land business.

The Jos. Skarud family are enjoying a visit this week from his sister from Ada.

Mrs. Theo LaBissoniere is spending a few days the guest of friends in Crookston.

"Nick" Helm and son are at Lewisville this week kalsomining the Catholic church.

Register of Deeds E. L. Quist was a busines promulgator at Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Zaiser and baby have been spending several days among friends at Crookston.

Miss Gunhild Grovan left Monday evening for Wahpeton, N. D , on a visit among friends.

Prof. E. M. Sathre, of the Crookston College, was in the city a short time Tuesday morning.

Ernest Seeger, who has been working in the St. Hilaire creamery the past year, is at home now.

Gemard Lindquist, of Polk Centre, transacted business at the county seat last Thursday.

Matt Skala is in the twin cities this week buying new goods for his mammoth north side store.

Harry Garceau came up from his studies at Carlton College and spent Sunday with the home folks.

We will accept checks on any bank in Red Lake Falls for goods bought at our store.—W. T. Spillano.

Two cars of nice soft coal just received by A. L. Roy, the drayman. Give him a call when in need.

Mrs. John Schultz, of Verona, N. D., is spending a few days at the home of Buttermaker Mulvin.

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C. H. Martz and E. M. Hoff drove down from St. Hilaire Monday and transacted business at the "hub."

Mesdames Phil. Zeh and Jos. Laag of Thief River Falls, are guests this week at the home of Judge Tarrant.

See Mr. John Arthur as Fabio in Marie Corelli's "Vendetta" at the opera house next Mondny evening.

For Sale—wind mill, Aermotor make, almost new, 60 ft 4 frame tower and 12 ft wheel. See S. A. Swanson.

The president has proclaimed the 28th of November "turkey day," and the turkeys are in search of higher roosts.

Banker M. O. Sortedahl was down in Otter Tail county the latter part of last week looking after landed interests.

Banker L. C. Simons drove over to Plummer Sunday and took the Soo into the cities, whither he went on business.

Miss Agnes Schafer came up from Crookston the first of the week to be in attendance at the Seeger-Schaper wedding.

Mrs. Addie Mercier left Monday evening for a brief visit at St. Paul ere taking up permanent residence at Calgary, Sask.

Miss Amelia Berget, stenographer for the Bank of Red Lake Falls, was the guest of Crookston friends over Monday evening.

Miss Alvina Lizotte left Tuesday evening over the Northern Pacific for North Yakima, Wash., where she will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricket drove over from Grand Forks in their automobile Tuesday for a brief visit with their Red Lake Falls friends.

The G. Lizee family departed Tuesday evening for their new home in North Yakima, Wash., and with them go the best wishes of a host of friends.

Miss Della Gervais returned Monday evening to her home in Crookston after a pleasant month's stay at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. L, Brunelle.

Hjalmer Johnson, of Wylie, was a visitor at the "county hub" last Thursday, paying his taxes and doing some business with the probate court.

Get your binder twine at Wm Findeisen's. He sells the celebrated Plymouth and Prison twine fresh from the factory and sells it at rock bottom prices.

The St. Hilaire creamery report for September was a hummer. Upwards of $7,000 were paid to patrons, with thirty receiving checks of fifty dollars and over.

Dame rumor has it that Fred Seeger and Miss Selm Scharper were united in the holy honds of matsimony yesterday, but we have been unable to learn particulars.

Edde Meyer will have a public sale of his stock and household goods, at his residence just west of the high school building, on Saturday, November 2nd, at one o'clock.

The pain in ma's head has gone,
She's happy as can be,
Her head is right, her temper bright
Since taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea at night.—A. L. Reichert.

Mrs. Sophia Benoit will offer for sale at her home two miles west of Dorothy, on Thursday, November 7th, at twelve o'clock. all of her live stock, farm machinery and household goods.

Don't fail to attend the play "Vendetta" at the opera house next Monday evening. It promists to be one of the best plays ever staged in the city and no theatre-goer can well afford to miss it.

When ordering flour call for the "Gold Seal" brand. If your dealer tells you to get flour "just as good" don't mind him but insist on getting something better, and order Gold Seal.—Leo Steinert.

Probate Judge Tarrant acted as "best man" yesterday and pronounced the words that united as man and wife William J. Hall, of Minneapolis, and Miss Jennie Harnisoat of Thief River Falls.

Grand Rapids Independent; Wm. Erb and I. Lemieux, of Red Lake Falls, were here Thursday looking for a location for a pool room. They looked over Colerain and Bovey and returned home in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Francois LaBissonjere departed last evening for their new home in North Yakima, Wash. They have the best wishes of numerous friends for health and happiness in their new western home.

The only true constipation cure must begin its soothing, healing action when it enters the mouth. Hollisters Rocky Mountain Tea restores the whole system to a healthy normal condition. 35 cents Tea or tablets.—A. L. Reichert.

The advertised letters remaining in the post office at this place for the week ending October 26th, are Jeo Bexl, Coavte Corvteson, Dan'l B. Henderson, Karl Olson Kneppe, M. F. McManus, Louis Myrick, Theo Olson, Made Adelaide Benoit.

If taken patiently and persistent will relieve the most obstinate cases of indigestion, constipation, bad blood, bad liver no matter of how long standing. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea will do. 35 cents tea or tablets. A. L, Reichert.

"In the month when the leaves are falling, you are bidden to assemble to the feasting end the laughing." Come with sheet and pillow case, October 31st, at eight o'clock. Given by the Christian Endeavor society, at Presbyterian church parlors. Price 25 cents.

Dan Latandresse left Monday for his claim in Roseau county, thru which he learned a railroad survey was being made. His interests will be carefully guarded, and the company will hear from him if the survey proves damaging to his claim.

The report of the condition of the Merchants State Bank at the close of business Oct. 28th is one of which the bank officials may well feel proud. The business has increased wonderfully during the past year and it will interest you to look over the report in another column.

Each year the dairy business in the Red River valley is becoming more lucrative and now assumes proportions that will soon rival any branch of farm industry. Farmers are forced to acknowledge that the old bosse can lift her own weight in raising a mortgage from the farm.

On Monday, November 4th, at his home in Lake Pleasant township near Badger creek, Michel Quesnell will offer for sale at public auction all of his live stock, farm utensils, grain, wood and household goods. Mr. Quesnell expects to remove to North Yakima, and all his property will be sold.

A birthday party was given Medase Clement at his home in Terrebonne last Saturday evening, and a large number of friends participated in the joyous occasion. The host was the recipient of a handsome cutter and lap robe. and among the guests present was a Mr. Coyear, a cousin from Crookston.

Some much needed repairs have been made on the Clearwater bridge the past week, and we are informed the law prohibiting teams driving faster than a walk over the bridge will be rigidly inforced in the future. A ten-dollar example would be a lesson to several teamsters who frequently drive over the bridge on a trot.

The Houston brothers, who last week bought a farm over near Wylie thru the Sortedahl Land and Loan Company, have moved here from Herman and taken possession of their new home. They will milk twenty-seven cows this winter, so it will be seen that they are dairymen and we wish for their success in our midst.

H. G. Maxwell contemplates organizing a junior band, he having already secured fifteen volunteers. The boys will meet at the city hall next Monday evening between seven and eight o'clock for the purpose of perfecting the organization and it is hoped many new recruits will be present and join the junior band.

Bemidji Pioneer: James E. Ford ex-county auditor of Red Lake county and who is now on the staff of state examiner, is in the city today. Mr. Ford's particular work is to examine township, village, and school district officers' books and reports. He leaves this evening for Big Falls and expects to be in Koochiching county for several days.

Octave Lefeivre, of Plummer, was transacting business at the "hub" on Monday, and this office was favored with a pleasant call. Mr. Lefeivre had just finished threshing and his yield was over 2,000 bushels, which combined with a monthly creamery check of from $90 to $100 makes farming in the north country profitable.

For the Children

To succeed these days you must have plenty of grit, courage, strength. How is it with the children? Are they thin, pale, delicate? Do not forget Ayer's Sarsaparilla. You know it makes the blood pure and rich, and builds up the general health in every way.

The children cannot possibly have good health unless the bowels are in proper condition. Correct any constipation by giving small laxative doses of Ayer's Pills. All vegetable, sugar-coated.

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Brick Block *Red Lake Falls*

Marriage licenses were issued by Clerk C. W. Johnson this week as follows: Carl O. Elg, of the Town of Star, to Eva Shosten, of Highlanding; Fred Seeger, of Gervais. to Selma Schaper; Jos. Lachance, of Grand Forks, to Lea Delorme, of Lake Pleasant township; James W. Brock, of Winnipeg, to Pearl Demaries, of this city.

A telephone from Bemidji, Minn., to the Minneapolis Journal says that State Senator S. D. Works of Mankato, has brought to this country two cars of sheep which he will let out to farmers on shares. Senator Works has noted the results of experimenting with sheep in clearing cut-over lands of small brush and timber. It is a well known fact that sheep clear the land better than any other animal.

Don't fail to attend the foot ball game at this place Saturday afternoon between the Fertile high school team and the lads of this place. The line-up of the locals is W. Garceau, le; Mickelson, lt; Marshall, lg; Gjerberg. c; Buse, rg; Zaiser, rt; Findisen, re; T. Garceau, qb; Richards, fh; Toupin, lh; Brunelle, rb. Our lads are practicing daily and expect to have the scalps of the Fertile fellows dangling from their belts after the game Saturday evening.

The band concert last evening was well attended and a pronounced success in every particular. The boys put forth their best efforts and their work is deserving of much praise as well as good financial support. The baritone solo, "Longing for Home," by Joseph P. Harren is worthy of especial praise from the way he rendered the difficult selection, and considering the comparatively brief time he has been playing that instrument.

At St. Joseph's church yesterday morning was solemnized the marriage of James W. Brock and Miss Pearl Demaries, Father Fayolle conducting the ceremony. The groom is a barber at Winnipeg, while the bride is one of our most charming young ladies. The happy young couple took the train last evening for Vancouver on their wedding trip ere going to housekeeping in Winnipeg. They have the best wishes of all friends in their voyage down life's rugged pathway, and may success crown their every effort.

On Tuesday at the Catholic church in Gentilly the ceremony which united together as man and wife Jos. Lachance and Miss Lea Delorme was performed by Father Thilien. A large number of friends were present to witness the solemn but happy event, and the congratulations and best wishes of all were showered upon the happy young couple. The contracting parties are both well and favorably known in this city, and in their departure for their new home in North Yakima, Wash., the Gazette joins with numerous friends in wishing for them unbounded success and much joy and happiness.

Report of the condition of the

Merchants State Bank

of Red Lake Falls, at close of business on the 28th day of October, 1907:

Liabilities		Resources	
Capital	$ 15000 00	Loans & Discounts	$140651 75
Surplus	3000 00	Banking house, furniture & fixtures	6129 04
Undivided profits, net	4554 47	Other real estate	3496 70
Deposits	162062 61	Checks and drafts in transit	1368 04
		Cash on hand and in banks	32971 55
Total	$184617 08	Total	$184617 08

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RECIPE FOR SIMPLE HOME-MADE KIDNEY CURE.

Inexpensive Mixture of Harmless Vegetable Ingredients Said to Overcome Kidney and Bladder Trouble Promptly.

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement in a New York daily newspaper, that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the recipe; try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

A well-known physician is authority that these ingredients are all harmless and easily mixed at home by shaking well in a bottle. This mixture has a peculiar healing and soothing effect upon the entire Kidney and Urinary structure, and often overcomes the worst forms of Rheumatism in just a little while. This mixture is said to remove all blood disorders and cure the Rheumatism by forcing the Kidneys to filter and strain from the blood and system all uric acid and foul, decomposed waste matter, which cause these afflictions. Try it if you aren't well. Save the prescription.

A Warm Bath.

A young man went into a restaurant and ordered roast beef, coffee and rolls. In a few minutes a trim little waitress tripped up with the order. As she turned to leave the young man discovered that the meat was about as cold as a refrigerator.

"I don't care for cold beef," he said. "I should like to have it hot."

The young woman took the plate, and, going to the dumb waiter shaft, shouted down: "Hortense, I want this meat hot; pour some warm gravy on it."

Giving Him a Pointer.

"Once upon a time, when I was selling lightning rods," began the man whom we all sized up as a returned missionary from China, "I came across a farmer who had quit the plow for a shady fence corner and was thoroughly out with agriculture. He didn't want anything in my line except advice.

"'Stranger,' says he, 'hard work and me don't agree. I want to strike something easy. I'm thinking of letting it be known that I have struck natural gas on the farm and selling out for a big price.'

"'But have you?' I asked.

"'No, but I could fool 'em.'

"I told him that he couldn't work no such racket—that he would have to show the gas before anyone would buy, and he then said:

"'Wouldn't it be the same with coal?'

"'I might pretend I had an iron mine in that hill.'

"'You'd have to show the ore.'

"He suggested two or three other impossible schemes on which I had to throw cold water, and finally, in desperation, he said:

"'Stranger, if you've got any brains in your head give me a pinter on how to git along without work.'

"'Have you any daughters?'

"'Four of 'em b'gosh!'

"'Has each one got a beau?'

"'Two or three apiece.'

"'Then let them bring suits for breach of promise and the money will come rolling in faster than you can count it. It's a sure thing with a jury, and any lawyer will take the case on shares. That's why I am in the lightning rod business—because I have no daughters.'

"'Shake!' says the man, holding out his paw. 'You are smarter'n chain lightning, and I'm a fool. That's the way—of course it is, and if you come back this way this week you'll hear that my gals have got four breach of promise suits on hand and are lookin' for more!'"

OLD SOAKERS

Get Saturated with Caffeine.

When a person has used coffee for a number of years and gradually declined in health, it is time the coffee should be left off in order to see whether or not it has been the cause of the trouble.

A lady in Huntsville, Ala., says she used coffee for about 40 years, and for the past 20 years has had severe stomach trouble. "I have been treated by many physicians but all in vain. Everything failed to give relief. Was prostrated for some time, and came near dying. When I recovered sufficiently to partake of food and drink I tried coffee again and it soured on my stomach.

"I finally concluded that coffee was the cause of my trouble and stopped using it. I tried tea in its place and then milk, but neither agreed with me; then I commenced using Postum, had it properly made and it was very pleasing to the taste.

"I have now used it four months, and my health is so greatly improved that I can eat almost anything I want and can sleep well, whereas, before, I suffered for years with insomnia.

"I have found the cause of my troubles and a way to get rid of them. You can depend upon it, I appreciate Postum." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

The Results of a Wager

By MABEL BALDWIN BEARDSLEY

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The lost boat had come in, the train was rapidly filling up, and Bess looked sadly out of the window at the hurrying passengers.

"You look serious," remarked some one, and Tom Stickney settled himself beside her.

"Have you any objections?" asked Bess, for she was decidedly cross.

"What is the matter?" persisted Tom.

"I want to go to Washington," answered Bess, rather dolefully.

"Why don't you go?" asked Tom, though he knew how little she could afford it.

Had Bess not been cross, her tone and look would have been reproachful as she answered:

"Don't be silly! You know I would if I could—"

"'But if I couldn't, how could I?'" finished Tom, provokingly. "Oh! you will get there some time, Bess. Take it in on your wedding tour."

"And proclaim myself to the world a bride? Never! All the silly couples think they must trot off to Washington or Niagara."

"I bet you will go to one or the other, yourself!"

"Not if I stay single forever and ever. Just now, wedding trips are far from my mind. My soul is harrowed with grief because I cannot join this jolly party. Just listen," and Bess opened the letter which all this time she had held in her hand:

"'Dear Bess: I write in haste to tell you that a party of us are going to take advantage of the Teachers' Holiday Excursion to Washington from this place. Remembering how often you have expressed a wish to visit your mother's old home, I have set my heart upon having you for my chum. Though the others in the party are strangers to you, they are jolly, easy to know, and as nice a set as you could find; and I assure you a pleasant time.

"'Your first impression, I know, will be that you cannot go, but I shall wait until the very last moment possible, hoping that some kind fate will smile upon me, by opening the way for you. The tickets for the round trip, including board for three days at a first-class hotel, are only twelve-fifty. Your name needs to be in by the twenty-second. That will give you over a month in which to decide, so do let it be "yes." Yours hastily,

"'JENNIE.'

"Now, isn't that tempting? And to think that there isn't the ghost of a chance for me."

Bess looked so very disconsolate that Tom wished with all his heart that he had the right to comfort her in his own way. But, though in spite of much sparring, they had been friends always, at any attempt on his part to assume the role of lover, this little "rose among thorns" made use of her natural defenses. As he expressed it, she "always kept a fellow at arm's length." Tom had loved her long, and without undue conceit felt assured that she cared for him more than she would own. This stormy little piece of contrariness would have to be taken by strategy. But he knew that Washington had long been her Mecca, and realized that this was indeed a great trial. So he was very sympathetic as he said:

"I wish I could help you out. I would willingly loan—"

"I beg to be excused!" exclaimed Bess quickly, feeling that she would rather be beholden to anyone in the world than to this old friend, and wondering why. "I don't ask help of anybody."

"I know you don't," replied Tom, a little nettled, the lover lost for the moment in the man. "I don't believe you want to go to Washington. You wouldn't go if you had the chance—the best chance in the world. You are just so contrary!"

A little red spot burned in each cheek as Bess looked at the young man astonished. Spar they did, but she never had known him to be so absolutely rude as this, so downright quarrelsome.

"Well—why, how rude you are! There is an empty seat. Perhaps you would better take it!"

"This seat is very comfortable," replied Tom coolly, seeing that for once he had the advantage. "But I believe you are playing a part. You do not want to go to Washington at all, and I will wager that if before the twenty-second, a good opportunity presents itself, you will back out. In fact, I know you will. I know you so well."

The decision, the provoking coolness with which he made this declaration, exasperated Bess, and she replied hotly:

"I accept your wager! If a way is opened for me to go without borrowing or accepting charity, I will go. Make your own terms, Mr. Stickney," and Bess grew very dignified.

A sudden rash idea, a sudden merry twinkle of his eyes, and Tom leaned down and whispered:

"If I win, you are to marry me!"

With all his attempts at love-making, Tom never before had gotten so far as this, and he was delighted to see the hot color sweep over her face and neck, as she hesitated a moment in great confusion, and then said quickly:

"That's not fair!"

"My only terms, though. If your word is good for anything you will accept."

Then she lifted her head proudly, said, "I accept," and took up the book in her lap. Not another word said she.

P—— was reached at last. Bess hurried from the train and tried to make her way out of Tom's sight. But he kept steadily by her side as she rushed up the street, only saying as they reached her home:

"If a good chance to go to Washington offers itself, please do not accept. I am anxious to win that wager. It may be selfish, but men are proverbially so, you know."

Not a word said she, but Tom smiled all the way up the street.

Bessie was receiving a fair salary as typewriter in a New York office. She had no parents, and her few relatives were in moderate circumstances only. The luxury of this trip was not to be considered, even if her employers would give her the three days. For out of her salary came board and other expenses, both for herself and a younger sister, who was preparing to teach for her own support. This left nothing for jolly trips to the capital and the like.

Tom went his way in quite a self-congratulatory mood. In one short and unexpected moment he had made a sudden spring toward the ambition of his life. He knew that Bess' word was as good as gold—that she would "play fair." His only fear was that no opportunity would come to her, and he began to rack his brains for some way in which he might catch my Lady Disdainful.

Then one evening Tom called on her.

"Do you still want to go to Washington?" were his first words.

"Certainly. Why?"

"Because I know of a chance for you. Miss this train and I will tell you while we walk. Will you?"

"Yes, it is still early."

"To be as brief as possible: At the office they are in a great flurry. Tracy, their main dependence, is laid up for some time to come, and an important piece of business which he was to see to will have to go to the wall unless some one can take his place. So they are going to send me."

"But There is Your Word for It!"

"What has that to do—"

"The business is at Washington, and I am to go next week."

"Well!" Bess' face began to flush, but she would not see. Tom continued rapidly:

"The business will take a day or two, if not three. They pay all expenses of course, which will not be small. Except that they will make a big bit of money by the transaction, the trip would be very expensive. So, when I suggested the excursion at reduced rates which goes from N—— next week as being a great saving and so forth, and so forth, they were so pleased at the interest your humble servant displayed in their affairs, that Rindell, Senior, said: 'Well, my boy, if you can make the trip at so low a figure as that, take your mother or sister along and get what enjoyment you can out of it. You have worked hard this year, and we know you will do this job to our advantage.' With that the fine fellow made out a liberal check, telling me not to be afraid of it."

Again Tom paused and looked at Bess, but not a word said she.

"Well?" This time Tom said it.

"I am neither mother nor sister."

"But you may be 'wife.'"

"Suppose I do not care to be?"

"But there is your word for it! Marry me—then your trip will be neither a gift nor a loan, but your right, for 'with all my worldly goods I thee endow,' you know. Come, Bess," and Tom's tone grew lower, "I have waited so long, and loved you so dearly. We are poor and have no one to say 'yea or nay.' We can be quietly married on Monday—you to go immediately to Jennie's and enjoy your trip in your own way. I will not intrude upon you at all. Maggie will soon be teaching—until then I will gladly do for her what you are now doing."

Of course Bess rebelled. She fought hard to overcome each one of Tom's arguments, but in vain. She had given her word, and finally she was convinced that this was a bona fide "chance," such as she had promised to accept or lose her wager.

"So now," said Tom, when he saw that she really was convinced that this offer came under the conditions of the wager, "if you will not marry me and go to Washington, I win the wager, and you will have to marry me anyhow. So you see I have you fast, my darling," and Tom looked as though he would like to hold her fast in another way, had he dared.

"I never go back on my word," said she, after a moment, "so I accept your offer. That means my trip for me, and the loss of the wager for you;" then an irresistible laugh broke from her. "I cannot help it—to think of how you have gotten the best of me," and with one of her sudden impulses, she reached up and kissed him.

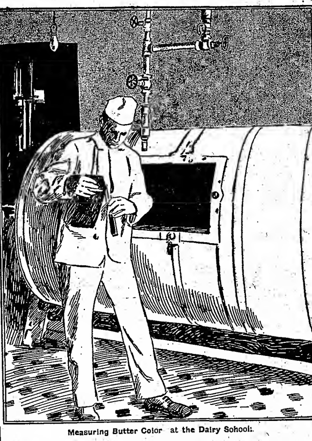
And he was satisfied.

ANILINE AND ANATTO BUTTER COLORS IN BUTTER MAKING

Experiments to Determine Relative Merits Conducted by Wisconsin Agricultural College.

A uniform color is one of the desired qualities of commercial butter. The natural color of milk fat from which butter is made varies considerably during different seasons of the year. Some of the causes of these variations are the feed, the breed, and the period of lactation of the cows giving the milk. Butter made when cows are on full pasture feed is of a deeper yellow color than when the cows are given dry feed in the stable. The milk of fresh cows often makes a more highly colored butter than that of strippers and the characteristic yellow color of the butter of Guernsey cows is well known to most dairymen.

All these factors influence the natural color of butter fat to such an extent that a collection of samples of butter from different herds of cows may show as many shades of yellow as there are packages of butter. Some markets prefer a more highly-colored butter than others, but all demand that the particular standard preferred shall be a uniform color. These peculiarities of the markets and of the cows have led to a nearly universal custom of adding artificial coloring matter to butter in order to satisfy the demands of the trade.



Measuring Butter Color at the Dairy School.

The addition of coloring matter to butter is therefore, not a deception, but is the result of a desire to cater to the popular demand for a uniform yellow color in butter at all seasons of the year.

The following food inspection decision No. 51 illustrates the attitude of the government authorities towards the coloring of butter at this time.

"The coloring of butter is specifically permitted in the law of August 2, 1886 (24 Stat., 209), and the coloring of cheese in the law of June 6, 1896 (29 Stat., 253). It is held by the department that the food and drugs act does not repeal the provisions of the acts referred to above and the addition of harmless color to these substances may be practiced as therein provided and that the presence of coloring matter specifically recognized by acts of congress as a constituent is not required to be declared on the label."

JAMES WILSON,
Secretary of Agriculture.
Washington, D. C., January 18, 1907.

The pure food law, which went into effect January 1, 1907, does not forbid the coloring of butter, but it prohibits interstate commerce in any article of food, "if it contains any added poisonous ingredient which may render such article injurious to health." The regulations made for the enforcement of the law provide that the secretary of agriculture shall determine the names of such substances as shall be permitted or inhibited and until investigations have been made and reported by the secretary of agriculture regarding the brands of butter color now on the market, it is evident that their use as formerly may be continued.

The brands of butter color now on the market may be divided into two general classes.

1. Those made from anatto seed by the use of some oil as a solvent, commonly called vegetable colors.

2. The aniline or coal-tar color, sometimes called mineral colors.

Up to within a year or two, aniline butter colors have been more extensively used than vegetable colors. There seems to be some uncertainty in the popular mind whether or not aniline butter color is harmless as used in the manufacture of butter. On account of this doubt, which with some amounts to prejudice against the use of coal-tar coloring matter in any article of food, manufacturers of butter color have of late made an effort to meet this demand for vegetable or anatto butter color.

The dairy department of the Wisconsin Agricultural college has just completed experiments, under the direction of E. H. Farrington and Martin Meyers, to determine the relative merits of the two coloring materials, a summary of the observations being as follows:

First, some of the brands of vegetable butter color now on the market are weaker than the aniline butter colors. Nearly twice as much vegetable color was needed in some cases to produce the same shade of color in butter as was given by the aniline color.

Second, when the change was made from vegetable to aniline butter color, some 15 years ago, butter makers were so accustomed to the weaker anatto color that they added too much of the stronger aniline color. This had a tendency to gradually accustom the consumer to a more highly colored butter than formerly had been made.

The natural color of June butter is a sufficiently high color and when only enough vegetable color is added to produce this shade there will be no danger of using so much as to impart a butter color flavor to the butter.

Third, the vegetable colors now on the market impart a rather greenish-yellow shade to the butter. This is quite different from the bright or reddish-yellow given to the butter by the aniline colors.

Fourth, some brands of vegetable color contain a decided flavor imparted to them by the oil used in making the color. This flavor may be distinctly noticed in the butter when large quantities of such brands of color are used.

Fifth, a great improvement in the strength and flavor of certain brands of vegetable butter color was noticed during the year these experiments were conducted, which suggests that the vegetable butter colors may eventually be improved so as to compare favorably with the aniline butter colors.

Sixth, when butter was held in cold storage at five degrees below zero, no difference was noticed in the uniformity or the depth of color in the lots of butter to which aniline and vegetable coloring was added. Over 50 tubs of butter were held in storage for different lengths of time, some of them being taken out when the butter was nearly a year old. Neither the vegetable nor the aniline colored butter showed any indication of fading or changing color while in storage.

Seventh, butter can be satisfactorily colored with a vegetable color.

Breaking Down Sage Brush.—For preparing new land for the plow, some sort of implement is often needed to remove the sagebrush. For this purpose a common railroad rail is often used, with a team hitched to each end and the rail dragged sideways across the land, breaking down the brush. This may be followed by a heavy rake, which gathers up the loosened brush into piles or windrows for burning.—Carl S. Scofield.

Leg Weakness.—Leg weakness is generally noticed about the time the fall rains set in. For this reason it is charged to wet weather. The cause, however, is forcing and too much rich feed. The trouble can only be prevented by feeding more moderately from now until the bird is ready for market. Feeds rich in nitrogen, such as wheat, bran, clover, meal and meat should be given instead of a pure ration of corn.

FIVE MONTHS IN HOSPITAL

Discharged Because Doctors Could Not Cure.

Levi P. Brockway, S. Second Ave., Anoka, Minn., says: "After lying for five months in a hospital I was discharged as incurable, and given only six months to live. My heart was affected, I had smothering spells, and sometimes fell unconscious. I got so I couldn't use my arms, my eyesight was impaired and the kidney secretions were badly disordered. I was completely worn out and discouraged when I began using Doan's Kidney Pills, but they went right to the cause of the trouble and did their work well. I have been feeling well ever since."

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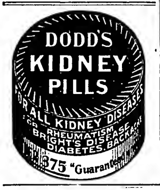

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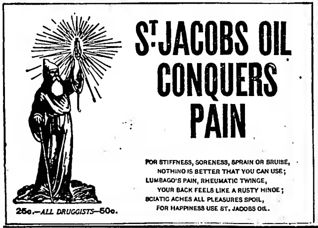
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RULERS OF CAPITAL

HOW DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA IS GOVERNED.

City Under the Direct Control of Congress—Was Incorporated in 1802 with a Population of Only 3,000.

The city of Washington was not incorporated until 1802, at which time its population was only about 3,000. The government then was entirely different from the present form.

Its charter provided for a mayor to be appointed annually by the president, and for a city council of 12 members, to be selected by the white male inhabitants who had paid taxes the previous year.

The corporation had authority to levy taxes, provide police, health and building regulations, to maintain and repair streets and to do other things usually done by municipal corporations.

In 1812 a slight change was made, the mayor being selected by the qualified voters. This act also gave enlarged powers to the corporation. It is interesting to note that prior to 1812, neither the mayor nor the members of the council received any pay for their services.

Slight changes were again made in 1820, from which date until 1871, when the charter was revoked and a new form of municipal government was established, the mayor was elected by the vote of the qualified electors. The board of aldermen and common council elected by the taxpayers continued to legislate for the city.

Considerable diplomacy had to be used in securing the land necessary for the city. Nineteen of the proprietors, in consideration of the great benefit they expected to derive from having the federal city laid off upon their land, finally agreed to convey all their land to the president or the commissioners appointed by him under these conditions:

First—They were to receive no compensation for the land taken for streets, the title to which should be in the United States.

Second—The president was authorized to retain as many squares as he thought necessary for public improvement or other public uses, for which land they should receive $66 2-3 an acre.

Third—The balance was to be laid out in lots, one half to go to the United States, the other half to the owners of the land.

The money received from the sale of lots belonging to the United States was to be used in paying for the land taken for public use and in erecting public buildings. Other land was obtained by condemnation.

The changes made in 1871 provided a municipal government for the entire district. The executive officer was a governor, appointed by the president, for a term of four years. The legislative body was an assembly composed of a council and a house of delegates, the members of the former being appointed by the president, the members of the latter elected by the qualified voters.

The district was allowed a delegate in the house of representatives, who was also elected by the qualified voters, and who was a member of the committee on the District of Columbia of the house of representatives. There were several boards provided, the principal one being the board of public works, composed of the governor and four other persons, which had authority to make building regulations, build bridges and sewers and to perform other similar duties.

In the District of Columbia all real and personal property, except the property of the United States and the District, property of foreign governments used for legation purposes, church property, property used for educational property and farm land are taxed at the rate of one and one-half per cent. Land used for farming purposes is taxed at one per cent. The law provides that to the extent congress shall approve the estimates made by the commissioners it shall appropriate one-half thereof from the revenues of the District of Columbia and one-half from the treasury of the United States, so that the general government pays one-half, the other half being raised by taxation.

The district has no delegate in congress as the territories have. The commissioners appear before the committee of the house and the committee of the senate on the District of Columbia to urge the legislation they think necessary, and before the appropriation committee to explain the financial needs of the district.

The schools are under a board of education appointed by the judges of the supreme court of the district, and consisting of nine members, three of whom must be women. There are 12 medical inspectors for the schools, working under the health officer of the district.

The judiciary of the District of Columbia consists of a court of appeals, which is composed of a chief justice and two associate justices; a supreme court, composed of a chief justice and five associate justices; a police court of two judges; justices of the peace and several United States commissioners. All of these judges and justices of the peace are appointed by the president. The judges are confirmed by the senate, and hold office during good behavior. The justices of the peace are appointed for a term of four years.—Ohio Magazine.

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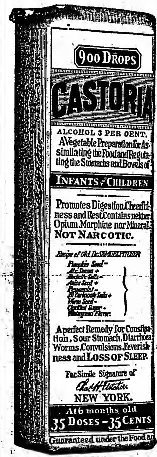
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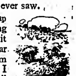
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PROCEEDINGS

Of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, October 19, 1907.

In accordance with an alternative writ of mandamus issued on an order of Hon. William Watts, one of the judges of the District Court of the Fourteenth Judicial District, on October 1st, 1907, and pursuant to a call of the County Auditor of Red Lake county, Minnesota, the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, met at the office of the County Auditor at the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, at ten o'clock a. m.

Commissioners present—Lindquist, Pigeon, Demann, Shaw and Aubol.

Commissioners absent—None.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Demann, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Pigeon:

WHEREAS, Upon the application of one T. P. Hamre, the district court of this county has issued its alternative writ of mandamus commanding this board to meet at a time which has been specified by the County Auditor of Red Lake county, to-wit—October 19th, 1907, and consider the county seat removal petition filed in the said county auditor's office June 11th, 1907, and in default of such meeting and action, to show cause before the court why they should not act in the premises; and

WHEREAS, A prior petition to remove the county was duly filed in said county auditor's office April 11th, 1905, containing the requisite number of signatures of legal voters, and no legal action has yet been had by the board upon said last mentioned petition, and the voters of the county have demanded that this board act thereon, and this board is informed and believes that said petition should be disposed of before any action should be taken on any other, and

WHEREAS, This board is informed that the requisite steps for giving notice of the present meeting to the electors of the county have not been fully taken, and for these and other good and sufficient reasons the board believes it has no jurisdiction to act upon the petition filed June 11, 1907, as aforesaid; therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That this board make its return and answer to the alternative writ at Crookston, and show cause to the court by way of defence to the action why they should not meet and consider the petition described in the writ, and set forth in the answer all proper and legitimate reasons therefore, and to that end.

BE IT RESOLVED, That Chas. E. Boughton, an attorney at law residing at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, be and he is hereby employed, appointed and named as the sole attorney to represent this board and its members in prosecuting the defence in said action relative to said writ, and to take such steps therein as shall be deemed necessary; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this board adjourn sine die, without further action in said matter.

Commissioners voting aye—Demann, Pigeon and Lindquist.

Commissioners voting nay:—Shaw and Aubol.

Motion carried.

CHAS. A. LINDQUIST, Chairman
Board of County Comm'r.

Attest: JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
County Auditor and
Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, October 19, 1907.

Pursuant to law the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county, Minnesota, met in the office of the county auditor in the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, at eleven o'clock a. m.

All members present.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Shaw and duly seconded by Commissioner Demann:

RESOLVED, That the highway beginning on the east bank of Thief River between Sections 34 and 23 and running due east to the county line be and the same is hereby declared a state highway.

Motion carried unanimously.

On motion duly carried a day of hearing was set for the hearing of the petition of A. D. Brown and others for a new school district on the 18th day of November, A. D. 1907.

On motion carried the board adjourned sine die.

CHAS. A. LINDQUIST, Chairman
Board of County Comm'r.

Attest. JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
County Auditor and
Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated December 26th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, January 12th, 1905, at 3:10 o'clock p. m., in Book 33 of Mortgages, on Page 631-632 whereby Peder A. Lybeck and Thore Lybeck, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard.) mortgagees, the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24) and the north half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) all in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $15.90, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.73, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, thirty-eight dollars and sixty-three cents, ($38.63.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
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H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated October 13th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, October 19th, 1904, at 1:40 o'clock p. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 439-440, whereby Jens L. Bolstad and Helene J. Bolstad, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the northeast quarter (ne¼) of section twenty-one (21) in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $31.80, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.04, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, fifty-three dollars and eighty-four cents, ($53.84.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.
By Thos C. Day
George W. Wishard.

H. C. Gilbert, Attorney,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

ESTATE OF PEHR BENGTSON

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Pehr Bengtson, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to John Bengtson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Hjalmer Johnson being duly filed in this court, representing that Pehr Bengtson, then a resident of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, died on the 15th day of September, 1907, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Hjalmer Johnson.

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the probate court rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the honorable N. W. Tarrant, judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 26th day of October, 1907.

(Court Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Judge.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake.

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of J. A. Jones to have certain lands set out of the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Your petitioner, J. A. Jones, respectfully represents to this Court:

I.

That she is the owner in fee of the following tract or parcel of land, to-wit: The north-east quarter and Government lots six, eleven and twelve, except railroad right of way, in section fourteen, township 151, north, range 44, west of the 5th Principal Meridian. That said tracts of land are located within the unplatted portion of the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state. That said tracts extend to the boundary of said city and may be detached from said city without unreasonably affecting the symmetry of the settled portion of said city. That said lands contain more than forty acres and that the same is used exclusively for agricultural purposes.

II.

That the city of Red Lake Falls is a municipal corporation, duly incorporated and existing under Chapter 8, Laws of 1895, and that said city contains less than 10,000 population.

III.

That this petition is made for the purpose of securing a decree of this court detaching said lands from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Wherefore, Your petitioner prays:

First: That this court by its order fix a time and place for a hearing upon this petition.

Second: For a decree of this court detaching the lands above described from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

J. A. JONES,
Owner.

Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for petitioner.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

On reading and filing the above and foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that at the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1907, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day the court will grant a hearing upon said petition.

Dated October 14th, 1907.

WILLIAM WATTS,
District Judge.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake.

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of L. E. Jones to have certain lands set out of the corporate limits of the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Your petitioner L. E. Jones respectfully represents to this court:

I

That he is the owner in fee of the following tracts or parcels of land, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the northwest quarter and lot five in section fourteen township one hundred and fifty-one, north, range forty-four west of the Fifth Principal Meridian. That said lands are located within the unplatted portion of the city of Red Lake Falls, in Red Lake county, state of Minnesota. That they extend to the boundaries of said city and may be detached from said city without unreasonably affecting the symmetry of the settled or other portion, of said city. That said lands contain more than forty acres and that the same is used exclusively for agricultural purposes.

II

That the city of Red Lake Falls, is a municipal corporation, duly incorporated and existing under Chapter 8 Laws of 1895, and that said city contains less than ten thousand population.

III

That this petition is made for the purpose of securing a decree from this court detaching said lands from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Wherefore your petitioner prays:

1st. That this court by its order fix a time and place for a hearing upon this petition.

2nd. For a decree of this court detaching the lands above described from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

L. E. JONES,
Owner.

Germo & Farley.
Attorneys for petitioner,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

On reading and filing the above and foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that at the court house in the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1907, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day the court will grant a hearing upon said petition.

Dated October 14th, 1907.

WILLIAM WATTS,
District Judge.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake.

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of Mathias Skala to have certain lands set out of the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

Your petitioner, M. Skala, respectfully represents to this court:

I

That he is the owner in fee of the following tracts or parcels of land, to-wit: The northwest quarter of section fifteen and the north half of section sixteen, township 151, north, range 44, west of the 5th P. M. That said tracts of land are located within the unplatted portion of the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state. That said tracts extend to the boundary of said city and may be detached without unreasonably affecting the symmetry of the settled portion of said city. That said lands contain more than forty acres and that the same is used exclusively for agricultural purposes.

II.

That the city of Red Lake Falls is a municipal corporation, duly incorporated and existing under Chapter 8, Laws of 1895, and that said city contains less than 10,000 population.

III.

That this petition is made for the purpose of securing a decree of this court detaching said lands from said city of Red Lake Falls.

Wherefore, your petitioner prays:

1st: That this Court by its order fix a time and place for a hearing upon this petition.

2nd. For a decree of this court detaching the lands above described from the city of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

MATHIAS SKALA.
Owner.

Germo & Farley,
Attorneys for petitioner,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

On reading and filing the above and foregoing petition it is hereby ordered that at the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, Red Lake county, State of Minnesota, on Tuesday, the 19th day of November, 1907, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day the court will grant a hearing upon said petition.

Dated October 14th, 1907.

WILLIAM WATTS.
District Judge.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by L. L. Zenor, a single man, mortgagor, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Ulfthuizen, The Netherlands mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of February, A. D., 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 35 of mortgages on page 332 and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice; and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Forty-three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The east half of the east half of section twenty-seven (27) in township one hundred fifty (150) north of range forty-three (43) west of 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey one hundred sixty (160) acres, be the same more or less in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock a. m., on that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of one thousand three hundred forty three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and seventy five ($75.00) dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated October 27th, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche
Hypotheekbank—(The Netherlands
American Mortgage Bank).
Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgage,
Warren, Minnesota.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of forty-eight and 40-100 dollars with interest on said amount since the 20th day of February, A. D., 1907, at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum since that date.

And whereas, the terms and conditions of mortgage hereinafter describes provides that if default shall be made in the payment of said sum of money, or the interest, or any part thereof at the time and in the manner in said mortgage specified, the said mortgagee, his heirs, executors and assigns are authorized to declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage immediately due and payable;

And whereas the assignees of said mortgagee have declared the whole amount secured by said mortgage due and payable prior to the time of giving this notice.

That there is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice on said mortgage hereinafter described the sum of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Andrew O. Letvig, as administrator of the estate of Mary Jane Letvig, deceased, mortgagor, to Andrew A. Olson, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1904 with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of February, 1904, at 4:00 o'clock p. m., in book 14 of mortgages, on pages 251-253.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Andrew A. Olson to Sabille Garceau and Geo. F. Hennings by a written assignment bearing date the 11th day of October, 1907, and recorded in the office of said Register of deeds on the 18th day of October 1907, at 2.30 o'clock P. M. in Book 15 of mortgages at Page 410; and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter of section numbered twenty five (25), in township numbered one hundred fifty two, (152) North of Range forty five (45) West of the 5th P. M., in the state of Minnesota less the Railway Right-away and other lands of said quarter sold during the life time of said Mary Jane Letvig, leaving a balance in said above described premises of 124 and 71-100 acres, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State on the 7th day of December, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, with interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of forclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated October 23d, 1907,

SABILLE GARCEAU,
GEO. F. HENNINGS,
Assignees of Mortgagee.

P. A. GRADY,
Attorney for Assignees of Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1907.

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MARKET DAY SOON

Our Merchants have Decided to Hold Another Market Day this Fall.

There is a prevailing feeling among our merchants that ere the chilly blasts of winter are upon us for a long siege of four or five months another market day should be held, and it is more than probable that the same will be "pulled off" during Catholic fair week. The fair is to be held the 18th, 19th and 20th of this month and any of these days would be favorable as a market day. Differing from previous occasions it is hoped to make this the crowning event of them all. Besides giving prizes for the various products raised on the farm, the largest load of grain marketed during the day, and other like events, it is hoped an action sale of stock, implements, etc., may be of interest to many, and any farmer having a horse or cow, a wagon or plow, to dispose of and not enough stuff to pay to hold a sale of his own will be welcome to bring in his "wares" and list them with the large array of other material. Next week we will give the date as designated as Market day and also a list of the prizes and more information regarding the auction sale.

Commend Departing Minister.

Windom Citizen; At the conclusion of the regular services at the Presbyterian church last Sunday morning the congregation was asked to remain a few minutes longer when J. F. French arose and read a fine letter of regret on the part of the congregation, as to the resignation of the pastor, Rev. Schwarz, at the same time commending him to the people in his new field.

Crookston Journal: Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz jr. was received as a member of the Presbytery by letter from the Mankato Presbytery and accepted a call to the Red Lake Falls church and arrangements were made for his installation which will occur Tuesday evening Nov. 26 at which Rev. W. S. Ward will preside and preach the sermon. Rev. F. J. Barackman will deliver the charge to the pastor and Rev. R. N. Adams, D. D. will deliver the charge to the people.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: When a man gambles and wins he calls it good judgment; when he loses, bad luck.

A woman would be sure to forgive a burglar if he stopped on the way out to kiss the baby.

When the people are losing money in a panic, everybody else thinks how smart he was not to have any to lose.

Some girls have the peculiar kind of modesty that makes them blush to think of the way they were dressed when they were born.

Nearly all the fun a woman gets out of shopping is going back the next day to exchange some of the things she bought and return most of them.

Deer Season Opens the 10th.

Altho the opening of the moose and deer season is still a week off many of the local hunters who have been giving their attention to ducks, prairie chickens and partridges are now preparing to go out after moose and deer. The season opens on Nov. 10, and moose may be killed only during the following five days. Each hunter is entitled to kill only one antlered moose, which cannot under any circumstances, be shipped out of the state. Residents of the state may kill two deer and nonresidents may kill only one.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

THE CATHOLIC FAIR

November 18th, 19th and 20th, the Bazaar Dates for St. Joseph's Church.

Father Fayolle was interviewed the other day regarding the fair to be given at St. Joseph's church on the 18th, 19th and 20th inst., and he informed us that from the preparations being made the affair would be one of the largest and most successful in the history of the organization, and it would be an occasion when everybody would be cheerfully welcomed. The church will be artistically decorated for the occasion, thus adding pleasantry to the affair and giving inspiration to those attending to join in the festivities and contests. Supper will be served at the church each evening during the fair and the community at large are most cordially invited to attend and join in the various contests.

Tuesday's Returns.

The election Tuesday was not very exciting, there being but one ticket in the field. It was just the sanction of the citizens for the return of our present able officials. However, a little excitement prevailed in the first ward where two candidates opposed each other. They were J. J. Padden and Joseph Remick, and the latter won by two votes. This will give the council one new member, with the following as the officials:

Mayor—J. A. Duffy.
Treasurer—Ovide Emard.
Alderman-at-Large—T. A. Crompe.
Alderman-at-Large—H. Hennemuth.
Alderman, 1st Ward—Jos. Remick.
Alderman, 2d Ward—Fred Borchers
Alderman, 3d Ward—Simon Paul.
Justice of the Peace—S. A. Swanson
Justice of the Peace—A. P. Toupin.

THE PARCELS POST

We Welcome the Rural Free Delivery of Malls, but Parcels Post Nay.

We heartily endorse the establishment of rural free deliveries thruout the country, and are highly pleased to know that by the middle of next month the first mail route out from Red Lake Falls will be a realized incident. But as to the parcels post we cannot see where it will benefit either the farmer or country merchant, but instead will place the mail order houses in closer touch with the rural citizens than heretofore. Under the pretense that it will benefit the farmers Postmaster General Von Meyer will recommend to Congress next spring the establishment of a parcels post regulating the service now in use and favoring a uniform rate. For instance, a person can now send a package weighing four pounds from Red Lake Falls to New York City for sixty-four cents, whereas, if the package was addressed to some foreign country in the international parcel convention it would be carried for forty-eight cents.

In his address before the New England Postmasters convention at Boston last month Postmaster General Meyer said:

"I propose to recommend to Congress the establishment of a parcel post on rural routes which will meet the objections of the small store keepers and retailers. This will be a boon to our rural population, and to the storekeeper, as the latter can receive his orders by mail or telephone and dispatch the desired merchandise by the rural carrier. The farmer will be saved from hitching up his horse and losing the time he needs for planting or harvesting his crops, and it will enable the storekeeper to increase his sales and meet the requirements of modern trade. If my recommendations are adopted, it will cost twelve cents a pound for the mail order house to send parcels to the rural delivery patron from any city post office, while for delivery from the distributing office of the rural route, or if mailed by a patron of any rural route for delivery to a patron on the same route, or at the distributing post office of said route, the charge will be but five cents for the first pound and two cents for each additional pound up to eleven pounds, or twenty-five cents for a package weighing eleven pounds."

This may sound fair and just to a person high up in a tree top, but why recommend the passage of such a law (to benefit only the poor farmer) when the carriers on the rural routes now are allowed to do such errands for a mere pittance as "pin money." On the face of it the parcels post is solely for the benefit of the large mail order houses and we favor reform along other lines in our postal service, at least until the deficiency now existing has been overcome. The parcels post is an open door to the army of control. Thru this door will pour the hordes of orders, city bound, bringing back another horde of purchases—by mail. In commenting on the parcels post recommendation Byron Williams, editor of the Western Publisher of Chicago, says:

"The parcels post is poison to the rural merchant and the rural publisher! If the law is passed these two business men might as well close out and quit while the bridges are still unburned. The passage of the parcels post law will be the crowning victory in the mail order war against the country merchant and the country town! It will centralize millions of purchases and put up thousands of 'To Let' signs all over this verdant and productive United States."

Further light on the subject may be had by reading the following from the Chicago Journal:

"Friends of Postmaster General Von Meyer's parcels post idea have encountered the argument that such a scheme would ruin country shopkeepers, depopulate the country and over-crowd the already congested cities, and they do not know what to do about it.

After long consideration, they have concluded that the only thing left to them is to take the bull by the horns and assert that, of all persons in this country who will be benefitted by the parcels post, 'the country shopkeeper is the one who will profit most.

How can that be? Well, it will enable him to get small quantities of supplies to meet the emergencies at a much less rate than he formerly was charged by express companies. 'In the nature of things,' these persons go on to say, 'the country shopkeeper cannot carry a large stock because he has such a variety in his store. A parcels post system which would enable him within a day or two to renew his stock of needles, thread, soap and candy at a nominal rate, for transportation charges, would add immensely to the value of his store.'

This is an argument that may appeal to Mr. Von Meyer; but we do not think it will have much force with country shopkeepers. When big mail order houses in the large cities have been doing business for a short time with the aid of a government parcels post, the average country shopkeeper will not have occasion to renew his order for needles or candy. He will be out of business, and such things as thread and soap will not interest him.

Postmaster General Von Meyer should devote his talents to more important matters than establishing a parcels post, that would be a great injury to the country and which no thoughtful citizen really wants. One of these things is the annual deficit of the post office department, which is run at a tremendous loss every year. Let him first put the postal service on a paying basis. It will be time enough then to talk of adding new branches to postal work."

Notice to the Public.

I have started up the Healy flour mill and am now prepared to furnish the famous "Gold Seal" fancy patent flour, and feed of all kinds on the shortest notice. Orders phoned to No. 87 will be given prompt attention. Farmers who desire to exchange wheat for flour will find it to their advantage to call on me. Will also always pay the highest cash price for wheat. Am prepared to do feed grinding every hour in the day. Give me a call.

Yours sincerely,
1-3 Leo. Steinert.

Live Stock Show.

The first annual live stock show of the Northwestern Live Stock association will be held at the stock yards, South St. Paul, November 19th to 22nd inclusive. This show promises to make a splendid start in the development of a great annual exhibition worthy to stand as an exponent of the vast industry of producing and fattening live stock.

Foot Ball. Nit!

The foot ball game last Saturday afternoon between the Fertile high school team and our lads failed to materialize. Word was received to the effect the team was crippled and the boys couldn't come. 'Twas well, for had the contest been pulled off there wouldn't have been enough left of the Fertile aggregation to pay to box up and express home.

Grand Forks College.

The second half of the fall term at the Grand Forks College begins on Monday, November 11th. A large number of students intend to enroll then. New classes in the common branches will be organized. Come in on Monday and be ready for the classes Tuesday morning. Students may enter at any time. Write B.K. Savre, Grand Forks, N. Dak., for illustrated catalogue. ad-1w

RURAL FREE ROUTE

Some Interesting Pointers from Postmaster General Von Meyer.

The history of the rural delivery is an interesting one, and should be understood by our people, for the reason that there is a feeling prevalent in many parts of the country that this service is an extravagance and an unnecessary drain upon the Department. However, let us look at the results accomplished in the last ten years: The first rural route was established in the fall of 1896. Fifteen thousand dollars were expended during that fiscal year, the postal deficit being eleven and one-half million dollars. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 1907, the expenditures for rural delivery were twenty-seven million dollars, and the estimated postal deficit showed a decrease, as compared with 1897, of about four and one-half million dollars, the total being about seven million dollars. This is an undoubted evidence, to my mind, that while the expense incurred in connection with rural delivery is enormous, yet it has increased the receipts, and the benefits to our people can not be measured in dollars and cents. The isolation which existed in many parts of the country has been overcome; the people are in daily communication with their friends in the rest of the world, the daily papers and magazines come to the door of every farmhouse on the rural routes, and enlightment and information are being spread broadcast throughout the land. Medical men have said that already the establishment of the rural service is having its effect upon the mentality of our country patrons, and that because of it insanity is on the decrease.

A Good Medicine.!

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Grocery Specials

Broken crackers 4c, apples $2 bushel, preserved raspberries and blackberries in heavy syrup 19c can, pine apple chunks 15c can, 17 lbs sugar for $1.00, Carol tomatoes, the old reliable 12½c, seeded raisins 12 1-2c, dry peas 3 1-2c, beans 3 1-2c, Bismarck dill pickles 10c qt., imported 3K herring, the finest, 10c, Columbia river salmon trout 10c. soda crackers 6c lb by box, Altura coffee 25c, the best 25c drinker in town; 35c tea for 25c, Japan uncolored.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

President Roosevelt has issued orders to suspend action in the matter of cutting down the historic trees in the botanic grounds in Washington to make a site for the Grant statue until he has time to investigate.

Porto Rico is endeavoring to secure representation in the national guard of the United States, and to that end the commissioner of the interior of that island has asked the war department what aid will be given in organizing a regiment in Porto Rico.

The report of the inland waterways commission will follow closely the outlines of President Roosevelt's speech at Memphis, it is said. The members of the commission will assemble again about Nov. 25 in Washington to go over the draft of the report to the president.

President Roosevelt has returned to the White House from his Southern trip. The president took no pains to conceal his delight at getting home and was markedly cordial in his greeting to those who had gathered in the train shed to meet him. The president expressed himself as thoroughly pleased with his trip.

Telegraphic advices received at the public health and marine hospital service from Dr. White, the medical officer of that service at Seattle, Wash., indicate that a fully developed case of the bubonic plague, and which proved fatal, has made its appearance in the Chinese quarters of that city.

Personal.

James W. Westcott, brother of Mrs. Katherine Tingley and a widely known and wealthy gambler, died of diabetes at his home in New York.

Albert A. Wilson, formerly United States marshal for the District of Columbia and a close friend of Former President Cleveland, is dead of diabetes.

John Temple Graves, editor of the Atlanta Georgian and News, has accepted the chief editorship of the New York American. Col. Graves will assume his new position about Nov. 15.

A courtship dating from an amateur theatrical performance last winter culminated in Washington in the wedding of Miss Catherine Ridgley, daughter of the controller of the currency, to Phelps Brown, son of the late Sevellon A. Brown, who was chief clerk of the department of state.

Crimes.

William C. Cummings, a laborer aged seventy years, was held up and robbed of 17 cents at Waterloo, Iowa, it is alleged, by two Italian tramps.

Angered by the frequency of his wife's visits to a dentist prompted C. E. Burch of Chicago to kill his wife and then turn his revolver upon himself. Both are dead.

Mrs. Bertha Niederpruden committed suicide by throwing herself in front of a trolley car at Detroit. Her body was wound up in the gear of the car and dismembered.

Following a quarrel over a transfer slip on a Polk street car at San Francisco, Charles Moss was shot and instantly killed and two other passengers wounded by the conductor.

Crazed with drink and jealousy, William Rainey, a young grocer of Brunswick, Ga., shot and mortally wounded his wife. He then placed the revolver to his head and fired, dying instantly.

Engaged in a fistic encounter at Marquette, Mich., with a playmate aged fourteen, Edmund Leroux, seventeen years old, suddenly fell to the ground and expired. The quarrel originated in a dispute at a football game. An inquest will be held.

Amasaa Campbell, the millionaire lumberman from Antigo, Wis., slayer of Dr. Harris, is in the hospital at the county jail in Chicago with a broken leg. Campbell received his injuries in a fight with his cellmate in murderers' row. According to a story told by his attorney, Campbell, who is a most exemplary prisoner, was attacked by his cellmate because of some slight affront.

Accidental Happenings.

W. C. Albrecht, twenty years old, died in Chicago from injuries received during a football game.

A five-story building at 226 Lake street, Chicago, was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at $200,000.

Five men were drowned at Katalla, in Alaska, according to information brought by the British steamship Saratoga.

Two miners are known to have been killed and at least three injured in an explosion at the Kimberly mines two miles east of Nelsonville, Ohio. The mine employes about 150 miners, but it is not known just how many were in the mines at the time of the explosion.

Four persons were killed, ten are in the hospital and more than a score were more or less injured in a head-on collision of two Sherman Heights street cars, near the city limits of Chattanooga. Confusion of signals is said to have been the cause of the accident.

Four men were drowned in the Illinois river, six miles below Hardin, Mo., by the overturning of a gasoline launch.

One trainman was killed and ten other persons were injured in a head-on collision between suburban trains near Grand avenue, Chicago.

An automobile owned and driven by M. E. Riggs of Charleroi, Pa., overturned and injured its six occupants, one being perhaps fatally injured.

Struck on the head by a descending skip, Thomas Pascoe, a miner and bandsman, was instantly killed at Cleveland Lake mine, Ishpeming, Mich.

A passenger train crashed into a street car at Cincinnati, killing one woman and seriously injuring three other persons, one of whom will probably die.

The sawmill of the Kern Manufacturing Company at Bay City, Mich., was destroyed by fire and William B. Lapham, a lumber inspector, was burned to death.

Ezra Williams, a well known resident of Waverly, Iowa, aged seventy-seven years, was almost killed in a runaway near his home. It is feared that he may not recover.

Three persons killed and thirty-seven more or less injured, one of them probably fatally, is the result of a collision at Rudd, N. C., between a Southern railway passenger train and a freight train.

Foreign.

The railroad service throughout Italy has been restored. The Socialists voted against a general strike.

A sailing boat capsized in the roadsted at Ulesborg, Sweden. Twenty-one out of twenty-four persons aboard were drowned.

A violent hurricane raged over the province of Finmark, Norway, for several days last week. Many fishing boats are missing and up to the present time seven lives have been lost.

The giant steamer that English shipbuilders are to construct for the Hamburg-American line will be named Europa. She will be of 48,000 tons, as against the 32,500 of the Lusitania.

The Brussels Soir says that King Leopold has refused to accept the decision of the parliamentary commission requiring the submission to parliament of all facts concerning the Congo loans.

The Spanish minister of the interior has received reports of the appalling destruction wrought by a renewal of the floods in the provinces of Spain. In some places the water has risen thirty-five feet.

A dispatch from Moji reports the Japanese freight steamer Kokwo Maru went ashore in a storm off Rishma and is a complete wreck. The crew was rescued in lifeboats. The loss on the ship and cargo is $700,000.

The Hungarian government is negotiating for the purchase of extensive estates owned by Count Pejacsevich and other aristocrats in order to divide them into small farms for the peasantry. The object is to restrict immigration to the United States.

There was a great demonstration at Manila one day last week in honor of Secretary Taft, the occasion being a banquet arranged by a committee composed of members of the Manila assembly. A silver loving cup of native make was presented to the secretary.

Thomas J. O'Brien, American ambassador to Japan, has been invited by the emperor to take luncheon with him on Nov. 13. This is a special mark of favor, as its purpose is to emphasize the desire for friendly relations between Japan and the United States.

King Alfonso had a narrow escape from serious accident near Fanresa, Spain. In his automobile the king was going over a temporary bridge when the light structure collapsed under the weight of his car, which was precipitated into the water. His majesty escaped with a wetting.

General News Items.

No additional cases of bubonic plague have been reported at San Francisco since Oct 16, and six more patients have been discharged as cured since the 14th.

The sixth annual reunion of the Confederate veterans in Montana, one at Spokane and three or four others on the Pacific coast, and the total membership is close to 300.

When Mrs. Jonathan Culp of Oregon, Mo., received a telephone message saying his daughter, Mrs. Silas Allen, had been killed from a shock from an electric light wire he dropped dead.

Death has claimed Fardinando Calerinello of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., 103 years old; the cause, old age. His wife died last spring, aged 102, said to have been the oldest woman in the United States.

Former Police Commissioner Regan of San Francisco has begun action for $100,000 damages against the S. S. McClure company and for a like sum against the San Francisco News company for defamation of character.

As a result of a series of experiments at the United State geological survey fuel testing plant at the Jamestown exposition to determine the relative value of certain fuel products, it has been found that it takes one and a half gallons of denatured alcohol to produce as much power as a gallon of gasoline, although alcohol costs about twice as much as gasoline.

Miss Rose L. Fritz, champion typewriter, made a new record in New York when she wrote from dictation an average of ninety-seven words a minute for thirty minutes while blindfolded.

PIONEER LEGISLATOR AND WIFE CELEBRATE SIXTIETH ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moir of Eldora, Iowa, pioneer residents of Hardin county, will celebrate their sixtieth wedding anniversary to-day.

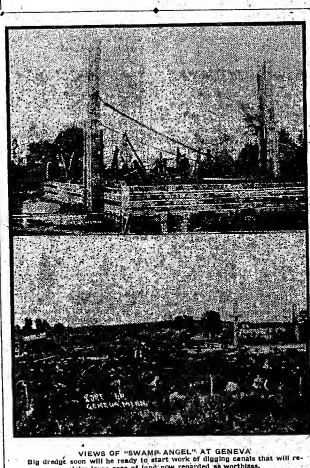
Mr. Moir, who is eighty-three years old, was born in Bamptshire, Scotland, and came to this country with his parents when he was six years old. Mrs. Moir, whose maiden name was Olive Jane Ball, was born at Stanstead, Can., May 28, 1831, and resided there until after her marriage, when she and her husband went to Ohio and later to Indiana, where Mr. Moir was naturalized in 1854 at Plymouth. He took up the study of law and in 1856 was admitted to the bar in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Moir taught the first graded school in Plymouth in 1855-6. In 1856 Mr. Moir purchased land in Hardin county, Iowa, and the spring of that year the couple journeyed overland to Iowa, it requiring more than three weeks to make the trip. Mr. Moir is the dean of the Hardin county bar, having been in the practice of law in that county in the fall of 1856. Mr. Moir is a charter member of the Odd Fellows' lodge at Eldora.

In 1861 and 1863 Mr. Moir represented his county in the state legislature. When the state industrial school for boys was located at Eldora Mr. Moir was made a member of the board of trustees of the institution, and served in that capacity until the trustees were succeeded by the present board of control. Mr. Moir has served several terms as mayor of his home town and has been a member of the county insane commission since its organization. He was one of the pioneer opera house managers, and for years managed the old Porter & Moir hall, presenting many of the stars of the eighties.

Two children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Moir—Marcus W. Moir, former county treasurer, and George J. Moir. They have five grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

MAMMOTH DREDGE IS LAUNCHED FOR WORK ON DRAINAGE DITCH



VIEWS OF "SWAMP ANGEL" AT GENEVA

Big dredge soon will be ready to start work of digging canals that will reclaim large area of land now regarded as worthless.

Geneva, Minn., Special.—The mammoth dredge that will do the main part of the work in digging the Geneva-Riceland ditch has been launched and is having the heavy machinery placed in position, so that it will be ready for work in less than a month. This huge engine, weighing nine tons, was drawn from Ellendale by a large threshing engine. The dredge is 100 by 40 feet. It has a displacement of 375 tons. When finished it will weigh 100 tons. The sides are six inches thick. Eighteen cars were required to bring the machinery and material used on its construction from Ohio. They were shipped to Ellendale and drawn from there across the country, a distance of twelve miles. The boom, seventy-one feet in length and weighing five tons, required two cars. The big dipper has a capacity of two and a half cubic yards of dirt. The dipper and dipper handle weigh nearly twelve tons.

It is expected that work can be carried on the greater part of the winter, providing the ground is not frozen more than a foot in depth. The greatest difficulty to be encountered is the ice, which will prevent the dredge from moving forward. One small dredge already is at work near the head of the ditch at Geneva lake. According to the contract, the ditch must be completed by Dec. 1, 1909. The main ditch will be seventeen miles in length and the lateral ditches, eleven in number, will be sixteen miles in length. The last four miles of the ditch will follow Turtle creek, which empties into the Cedar river near Austin. About 70,000 acres of very fertile land will be drained, the cost of which work will be about $200,000. The farmers whose lands will be benefited have been assessed not to exceed $10 an acre, and that for land that at the present time is entirely worthless. The good land is taxed as low as $1 an acre. The land, when drained, will be worth $50 an acre.

The large dredge, which has been christened the Swamp Angel, is at present 1,200 feet from Mud lake, where it will begin work. A force of twenty men will be required to run the dredge, with day and night shifts, working twenty-two out of twenty-four hours. The dredge is equipped with electric lights and telephone connections. To the dredge will be attached a stern-wheel barge to carry coal, which has to be hauled from Clark's Grove and Ellendale. Houseboats, one for eating and the other for lodging, are moored near the shore.

STATE CONTRACT LET.

Bid on Cottage at Hastings Is Approved by Board.

C. Ash & Co. of Hastings has been awarded the contract by the state board of control for building the men's cottage at the Hastings asylum for the insane. Their bid was $42,800. The appropriation, which must cover all extras, is $50,000.

Two other contracts were to have been let, but all bids were rejected as too high. They were on a new wing at the Rochester hospital and a farm cottage dining room for the school for the feeble minded at Faribault.

SHORT RIDE IS COSTLY.

Man Falls Under Car Wheels and Loses Arm and Leg.

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 31.—While alighting from the side ladder of a box car as the train drew up at the water tank last evening, Carl Smith, a former switchman, fell beneath the wheels and one arm and one leg were ground off. Smith had boarded the train to save himself a walk of several blocks to his home and lost his footing in getting off the train. [illegible]

HONOR FIRST SETTLER.

The funeral of the late Rev. Joseph W. Hancock, Red Wing's first settler and Minnesota's pioneer missionary, was held Monday. The business houses and public offices were closed during the funeral hour. A large number of citizens paid their last tribute to the honored dead. The services were held at the Presbyterian church, which was organized by him in 1854, when he was pastor. Rev. C. D. Darling conducted the services, assisted by Rev. E. H. Moore, of St. Paul. Interment was made in Oakwood cemetery.

FOR NEW TROLLEY LINE.

Promoters of Moorhead-Detroit Enterprise Incorporate.

Articles have been filed with the secretary of state by the Northwestern Interurban Railway company of New Jersey. This is the corporation organized to connect Fargo and Moorhead with the summer resort at Detroit Lake by trolley. Its capital stock is $1,500,000 and headquarters will be at Moorhead. The incorporators are [illegible]

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Great preparations are being made for the big dairy meeting to be held in Little Falls on Nov. 5.

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The Southwestern Minnesota Poultry association will hold its first annual bird show on Dec. 16, 17 and 18, in Windom.

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Homer Meekins, aged eighteen years, who has been one of the guards at the ore docks at Two Harbors since Aug. 14, committed suicide.

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The flour and sawmill at Rockford owned by the G. W. Florida company was destroyed by fire. The loss is estimated at from $8,000 to $10,000.

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Two sons of C. R. Hill of Granada lassoed a steer and in some manner Jay, the younger boy, was thrown to the ground and his collar bone broken.

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The head of the Moorhead fire department for the coming year will be N. B. Bemley; assistant chief, Peter Swanson; secretary, J. B. Erickson; treasurer, Ole Hilde.

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Seman Svensen, a pioneer resident of Popple, while on his way home from Bagley with his team, fell from his wagon and sustained injuries which caused his death.

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William Clark was arrested at Winona and taken to Red Wing to face a charge of larceny. He pleaded guilty and will be sentenced by Judge Williston in the district court.

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While cleaning a rifle at his home in New Sweden, Christ Peterson, aged twenty years, shot himself accidentally. The bullet entered his right knee and inflicted a bad wound.

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Rev. P. Roy of Long Prairie has been assigned to St. George's parish at Ivanhoe, and commenced his service as pastor last week. He is the first resident pastor of the parish.

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Messrs. Leavitt and Ringdahl of the state board of control recently inspected sites offered by Little Falls and Royalton for an inebriates' hospital. They were met by the joint committees of Little Falls and Royalton. After examining the sites they left for Wadena.

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The organization of an anti-chicken thief association is being agitated at Triumph. It is estimated that more than $1,000 worth of poultry has been stolen in Martin county this fall, which probably is a greater sum than the value of the horses stolen in the county in the last ten years.

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The prairie fire that was started near Barnesville Saturday afternoon has been checked. The number of stacks of hay consumed already counted sum up to 140. The buildings on the old Charley Erickson farm were also consumed. About 10,000 tons of hay were destroyed.

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Thomas Broderick, a baggageman on the North-Western railway, was seriously injured while unloading a cash register from the baggage car at Cambria. While thus engaged he lost his balance and fell from the car door to the platform, striking on his head and causing concussion of the brain.

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Robert Anderson, thirty-five years old, employed by the Two Harbors Ice company, was drowned in Lake Superior. He and two other workmen were delivering ice to the steamer Ishpeming. Anderson, who was in a small boat, slipped and fell headforemost out of the boat into the water.

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Prairie fire swept over the southwest portion of Lac qui Parle county last week. Thousands of tons of hay were destroyed, as well as corn that was in the fields. One case is reported where the entire farm buildings and contents were destroyed. The fire had a run of seven or eight miles from southwest to northeast.

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George Kroner has been arrested at Winona by Sheriff Parr and has confessed to having sold jewelry stolen from Cohen's jewelry store in Minneapolis recently by James Moran and Jack Cline, who are now being held at La Crosse, having been arrested there through Sheriff Parr. The two rings recovered are valued at $1,500.

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Burglars raided Lake Crystal and got away with considerable plunder. At the Thomas Jones Hardware store they took razors, knives and some money. At Frank Barclatt's jewelry store they took watch cases, movements and some money. John Williams lost several pairs of shoes and money. They visited two saloons and made off with whisky, cigars and money.

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The new Assumption church of Morris dedicated on Sunday by Bishop Trobec of St. Cloud, assisted by a large number of priests. Archbishop Ireland of St. Paul preached the dedicatory sermon.

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A bull team consisting of forty bulls, with a half mile cable rope running through a tackle block, is being used in the vicinity of St. James in making ditches. The animals drag an immense plow that cuts a furrow four feet wide and two or three feet deep.

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A commercial club has been organized in Arlington to look after the grain market.

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A pumpkin was grown near Hendrum that weighed 107 pounds. The monster is on exhibition in an Ada land office.

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Rev. Dr. Smith of Pipestone, while at Albert Lee attending the Baptist state convention, dropped dead while in a restaurant.

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Nine stacks of grain were burned on the Robinson farm near Verdi, having been set afire by sparks from a passing locomotive.

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During a football game at Bagley between the Fosston and Bagley teams Anton Alm, son of Rev. Alm of Fosston, had his leg broken.

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The potato crop in the Red river valley this year is the biggest that has been raised for many years, but despite this fact the price is steady at 50 cents per bushel.

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Peter McKay, a prominent harness dealer of Harmony, died from blood poisoning following a pedal operation for bone tuberculosis. A widow and three children survive him.

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Edward Hanley, seventeen years old, of Stillwater, was accidentally shot while hunting with some companions. The bullet entered his thigh and there are fears of blood poisoning.

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Nick Weigert and C. H. Peterson of Watab, while driving home from St. Cloud were struck by a Northern Pacific freight train. Weigert was fatally injured. Peterson was slightly hurt.

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Mrs. P. Mulcahy of Barnesville met with an accident that might have cost her her life but for the timely arrival of physicians. She stepped off a chair with so much force that she broke a blood vessel.

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Henry Reider was badly injured at the Northern Pacific depot at St. Cloud while loading a polishing rig on a wagon. In some way he lost his grip and the rig fell on his left leg, breaking it, and he was otherwise injured. He was taken to the hospital, and will be laid up for some time.

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Two desperate hunting accidents are reported from the iron ranges, one man, John Filta, timberman at the New York Steel company's mines at Biwabik, having been killed, and August Skarratz of Ely probably fatally wounded. Both accidents are due to the carelessness of others.

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O. Hokenson, a farmer who resides north of Moorhead, was in town recently and reported that his wheat went twenty-two and twenty-six bushels in two different fields this year, and that the entire crop graded No. 1 hard. He had also three acres of potatoes and dug 200 bushels.

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Mrs. Huldah L. Hammer, aged eighty-three years, died at Spring Valley after a brief illness. She was married to Hon. E. D. Hammer fifty-four years ago, and went to Fillmore county in 1856, settling at Pilot Mound. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Alice J. Petty of Portland, Or., and O. E. Hammer of Stewartville, Minn.

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John H. Wolter closed a deal for the sale of 4,080 acres of land located in Polaskey township, Morrison county, to a St. Paul real estate firm. The consideration was not given out, but it is said it will reach several thousand dollars. The property is in farm lands along the Soo line, and has increased 30 per cent in value during the last few months.

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One Sauk Rapids elevator paid out $3,518 for ten loads of clover seed, all marketed by Benton county farmers. The price was $8 per bushel. Matt Fleigle received a check for $548 for 68 1-2 bushels, which he raised on seven acres of land. A few years ago he purchased this land for $5 an acre. He raised enough hay from it by the first crop to pay for the land.

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An insane man about twenty years old was found stark naked in a barn in Grand Meadow. His clothes were with him, but he refused to put them on until forced to do so by an officer. He has not been shaved for many months and seemed half starved. He said he had been in Minneapolis, but that his home was in Knox county, Neb. He was taken to Austin.

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Directors of the Willow Lawn Creamery company have awarded a contract for the construction of a new creamery at Traverse Station to replace the plant destroyed by fire a few weeks ago. The structure is to be of solid brick and will be 40x25 feet in size. Machinery of the most modern type has been ordered, and the creamery will be one of the best in Nicollet county.

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The new Swedish Baptist college, or the Bethel academy, was dedicated at St. Paul by Rev. Magnus Larson of the First Swedish Baptist church of St. Paul. The new academy has been instituted by the Swedish Baptists of America.

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Ole Hanson was killed in a thrilling manner. He worked at the Missabe docks at Duluth, and while going from one dock pocket to another slipped on [illegible] sixty feet through one pocket into the hold of the steamer [illegible]

State News of Interest

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Maas of Le Sueur recently celebrated their golden wedding.

Fifty years ago Christian Maas, then a stalwart young emigrant from Hanover, twenty-four years old, was married at Traverse des Sioux to Miss Henrietta Eggers, also an emigrant from Hanover. Through the sunshine and storms of half a century this couple have lived together in happiness and prosperity, sharing the joys and trials of life, and are to-day hale and hearty. There have been born to them sixteen children, nine daughters and seven sons, but of these only eight, two daughters and six sons, now are living.

Mr. and Mrs. Maas have just moved into a commodious residence in Le Sueur and look forward to many happy years, blessed with the love of their children and grandchildren, and enjoying the comforts of their well-directed industry in the past.

EDUCATORS TO CONFER.

State Superintendent Olsen and Prof. James Will Address Convention.

The Northwestern Minnesota Educational association will convene in Crookston on Nov. 14 and 15 for their annual meeting, and it is expected that there will be more than a thousand visitors in the city at that time to attend its sessions. In conjunction with this annual meeting County Superintendent Thomas Casey also has called a convention of the school officers in Polk county. As there are 612 school officers in the county and most of them are expected to attend, they alone will make a good sized convention.

The annual conference of school officers was an innovation for Northern Minnesota inaugurated last year by Supt. Casey, and already it has been productive of a great deal of good. It brings the officers of the little country schools of the interior into direct touch with the best educational thought of the day, and Polk county's rural schools soon will be on a much higher plane than the average.

Among those who will be in Crookston and who will address the assembled school officers, as well as the educators of the Northwest Minnesota Educational association, will be Supt. J. H. Hayes of Thief River Falls, president of the association; Supt. E. E. McIntire of Crookston, President Northrop of the state university, State Superintendent Olsen, Assistant State Superintendent Schulz, George B. Aiton, inspector of state high schools; S. A. Challman, inspector of state graded schools; Supt. Denfeld of Duluth, President Weld of the Moorhead normal, Dr. James of the state university, Congressman Halvor Steenerson and State Senator A. D. Stevens.

The school officers' meeting will be held on Thursday, Nov. 14. The topics discussed will include consolidation of rural schools, competency of teachers to teach elementary agriculture, value of seed contests, state aid for schools and teachers' salaries.

MOOSE WAS HOSTILE.

Peculiar Case of Animal Rashness Is Reported.

S. F. Fullerton has gone up to Carlton county to hold an inquest over a fine cow moose, which was shot last Saturday by D. Magnus and has been the cause of some complications. Mr. Magnus wired Saturday to the state game and fish commission that he had killed the moose, and that he was coming down to consult with the authorities, as the open season for moose does not begin until Nov. 10. He met Mr. Fullerton in St. Paul and explained that he did not want to kill the brute and tried to scare her away, but finally had to shoot her in self-defense.

This explanation was accepted, as Mr. Magnus was evidently in good faith. He was directed to ship the moose to St. Paul, but sent word that the express company had refused to take it, claiming that decomposition was too far advanced. So Mr. Fullerton went up to see what could be done about it. Mr. Magnus says the moose was a very large one, standing about six and a half high at the withers.

START SOUTH ON WINTER'S OUTING

GEORGE BREED AND FAMILY ON LAUNCH LOIS

Minnesotans who go down the Mississippi on cruise in boat built to provide solid comfort.

Winona, Minn., Special.—George Breed and family passed through here, bound south for St. Louis and down-river points, on a winter's outing. The launch Lois was built by Mr. Breed eighteen miles from the Chippewa river and was hauled by wagon to water. It is one of the best launches on the river, and has a ten horse-power engine, with a speed of twelve miles an hour. In the cabin are two comfortable rooms, a small dark room for developing plates, a bath room and dozens of small lockers. The gasoline tank in the bow will hold enough fuel for a ten days' run.

STREET CARS COLLIDE.

Every Person in Wreck Is Slightly Hurt, but No One Seriously.

Winona, Minn., Oct. 31.—On account of a dense fog and rails that were slippery with frost, two street cars bumped into each other yesterday morning and both were badly smashed. One was loaded with workmen going to the factory district and the other with people coming down town to their offices and stores. Every person on both cars was bruised, but strangely not one was seriously hurt.

JUDGE GROSSCUP IS INDICTED.

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Seven bench warrants were issued from the Coles county circuit court at Charleston yesterday for the arrest of officials and employes of the Mattoon City Railway company, operating the Charleston & Mattoon Interurban line, as a result of a wreck near Charleston last August, in which eighteen passengers were killed.

Federal Judge Peter S. Grosscup of Chicago, who is a director of the road, is among those indicted.

AS MUCH A HERO IN PEACE AS IN WAR

American Jackie Proves His Bravery in Warship Accidents.

The American jackie does not wait for times of war to show his bravery.

In peace he is equally courageous, and again and again incidents arise to show the stuff of which Uncle Sam's naval fighting man is made.

Only a few days ago the country thrilled at the daring of the men who saved the Indiana by carrying out the dynamite when an explosion threatened that would have ruined the ship and blown hundreds of men to atoms. This accident came only a matter of a couple of months after the catastrophe on the Georgia, when eight men were killed in a turret explosion, their comrades giving the same matchless exhibition of courage in a most critical situation. Then harking back a few years is the never-to-be forgotten incident of the Maine and Bill Anthony, when, after the Spaniards had blown up the ill-fated vessel in the harbor of Havana, Anthony preserved discipline by quietly walking into Capt. Sigsbee's cabin and announcing, while the vessel was about sinking, that an explosion had sealed her doom.

Fire started in the bunkers of the ship, near which were stored some fifty tons of powder. Had it not been for the bravery of these eight men not a plate of the vessel would have remained whole.

It was no easy task to remove fifty tons of powder. The boxes were full of cartridge-shaped packages, each of which held about fifty pounds, and when the men took hold of them it was like grasping an ember that was ready to burst into flame.

The shells weigh between 1,100 and 1,200 pounds apiece, and are not easily handled at any time. With their cases so heated that they had already begun to smoke, the task was doubly difficult. The men kept bravely at work until the sixty or seventy projectiles stored in the magazine all had been removed. By pouring water on them the temperature gradually dropped to normal.

The men worked swiftly, and not one flinched. And when it was all over and a grateful government expressed its admiration for their devotion to duty, every one of these heroes seemed surprised that so much was made of the act.

The disaster on the Georgia two months ago resulted from the explosion of one hundred and four pounds of smokeless powder in target practice off Barnstable.

Of those in the turret only one escaped serious injury. This was Midshipman Lucene Frank Kimball who received a slight burn on the left hand.

Within the death turret were deeds of marked heroism. Cheerfully offering his life for that of his superior officers, Chief Yeoman Orly Taglend sprang at Lieut. Casper Goodrich, dashing that officer to the deck and shielding him from the terrific heat of the explosion.

Another sailor sacrificed his life but saved the ship by springing to the hatchway leading to the magazine.

Midshipman Kimball also contributed conspicuous valor. He held his breath, and, placing his cap over his face, went to the rescue of his comrades.

Apart from the disasters mentioned, there have been many other serious accidents on board American warships, particularly in the last quarter of a century, and many lives have been sacrificed, but the horror of each tragedy has been relieved by heroism displayed by the men of the service.

In every one of these instances, and there are many others, there is shown a spirit of matchless devotion to duty, proving that no matter how terrible the situation, the training of the American sailor will not permit him to forget what is expected of him.

Men who have closely studied the naval history of the United States say this stoical indifference to danger comes through generations of fighting men who get their sea nerve, so to speak, from the dangers they were constantly called on to undergo before the days of the breech loading and rapid-fire guns.

This was the day of the muzzle-loader, and it developed many a hero whose name never got into the records, but who, nevertheless, played his glorious part in the victories that make American naval annals so brilliant.

The old-time crews were just as keen for making records as are their successors of to-day, and it was in these tests for rapid firing that the matchless courage of the men developed.

When a shot was fired one member of the gun crew leaped forward with his swab to clean the muzzle while another stood at the side ready to ram home a fresh charge of powder as soon as the cleaner had finished his work. While these men worked at the front of the gun another stood at the rear with his thumb pressed tightly over the priming hole, the small aperture through which passed the fuse that fired the gun.

This third man was the one who had to be a hero.

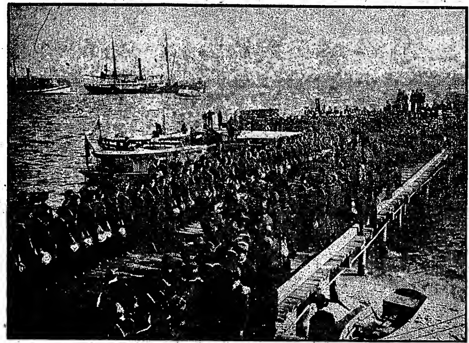
Every shot left the gun hot, and the muzzle was filled with gas. With the powder thrust into the heated chamber all that lacked to create an explosion was a little air behind the charge.

Should the men at the priming hole remove his thumb for even the fraction of a second, there was a flash and a roar, and the man loading the gun was either minus an arm or a leg, or was blown to pieces, the extent of the damage depending upon his position or the size of the charge.

Rather than expose a fellow sailor to danger of his life, many a man went through the awful experience of having his thumb burned to the bone, and there are old men to-day who can show stumps they lost while standing to their job, and protecting the comrade who was at their mercy.

Through a recommendation of the secretary of the navy eight heroes of the battleship Indiana fire recently received their just meed of credit for an act of finest nerve.

The Indiana lay at the League Island navy yard, one of the finest vessels in Uncle Sam's navy, representing an outlay of several million dollars.



BRINGING ASHORE BODIES OF HEROES OF BATTLESHIP MISSOURI AFTER DISASTER OF APRIL 9, 1903, WHICH COST THIRTY-THREE LIVES.

EVEN HEROES HAVE THEIR LIGHTER MOMENTS—DESPITE THE PERILS WHICH BESET THEM UNCLE SAM'S JACKIES PASS MANY HOURS IN SONG, DANCE AND FROLIC.

Life Is Hope, Etc.

Ruyters' Kramp—I've just heard good news.

Eaton Space—Has a publisher accepted your story?

Ruyters' Kramp—No; but I've just heard of a publisher to whom I haven't submitted it yet.

Always Exposed.

"What an indefatigable talker that woman is!"

"Rather. Every time she goes to the shore her tongue gets sunburnt."

Tactful.

"You want a new hat, madam?" said the milliner to the lady of uncertain age and distinctly faded attractions. "But why"—and she turned in apparent wrath upon the shopgirl—"why, you stupid creature, did you show the lady into this room? You know quite well that this is the elderly ladies' department. Take her down stairs to the young ladies' room at once!" Result—$40 hat sold and permanent customer gained.

Sorry It Came.

Howell—Did you find that umbrella you lost?

Powell—Yes.

Howell—I'll bet you were glad to get it back.

Powell—You lose. I left it at my mother-in-law's, and when it came back she came with it.

Indifferent.

"He took me to the opera."

"Wasn't that grand?"

"No, comic."

HIGHEST CHIMNEY STACK.

One at Kodak Park Earns That Title With Its 366 Feet of Height.

The highest chimney stack in America is the new one at Kodak Park. It is 366 feet high and rests on an octagon foundation which is twenty-three feet deep to bedrock; it is 40 feet across the flat sides of octagon at base and 30 feet at top.

The base contains approximately 23,000 cubic feet of concrete and weighs 1,600 tons. The chimney proper, says Camera Craft, is a round shaft built of hollow radial brick.

The outside diameter at the bottom is 28 feet and at the top is 11 feet. The inside diameter at the bottom is 19 feet and at the top 9 feet. It is lined on the inside with acidproof brick and cement four inches thick, leaving a two-inch air space.

The smoke opening is 6x12 feet, providing for 2,400-horsepower boilers, and the acid flume inlet, 4x4 feet, is for sucking away the acid fumes from the chemical manufacturing departments.

The stack is provided with a lightning rod having four carbon points and is equipped with an iron ladder on the inside and one on the outside. The total weight of the stack is about 3,200 tons.

Sand Dunes Move.

The crescent-shaped sand dunes which move in thousands across the desert of Islay, near La Joya, Peru, have been investigated by Astronomer S. I. Bailey, who found the points of a crescent to be 160 feet apart, while the convex side measures 477 feet and the greatest width was more than 100 feet. The estimated weight was 8,000 tons, yet it was carried 126 feet a year by the prevailing south winds.

A Rich Diet.

Medicine Man—What's the matter with your majesty?

Cannibal King—Oh! I've an awful indigestion.

"What have you been eating?"

"I've just polished off an American millionaire."

"Good heavens! No wonder you're ill. I've told you repeatedly to beware of anything too rich."

Such a Nice Girl.

"Bridget," said Mrs. Woodby, who was entertaining at dinner a few guests on whom she desired to make an impression, "the coffee looks weaker than usual."

"That ain't the coffee's fault, ma'am," replied Bridget. "Ye've got too much crame in it; ye're not used to crame, ma'am."

Grewsome Occupations.

There are two women undertakers in Oakland, Cal., while another is an articulator of skeletons. Three hundred girls are employed in the harness trade in New York, and a Kentucky girl is a jockey. A Louisiana woman supports herself by raising mint and a Jersey City woman makes a living by painting signs.

Women Health Officers.

Dr. Esther Pohl has been elected city health officer of Portland, Or. She was the first woman to enter the Oregon Medical college, and since being graduated has taken post-graduate courses in Baltimore and New York. She has also taken a degree in the Vienna university.

Lost Her Job.

"Poor fellow!" said a benevolent lady, kindly, "what has brought you to this destitute condition?"

"My wife, mum."

"Your wife! How is that?"

"Well, you see, mum, I've found her three good jobs, and blessed if she ain't lost every one of 'em."

Back to the Jungle.

Small John had arranged to go to a Sunday school picnic. Jumping out of bed early he ran to the window to see what the weather was like, and found the rain coming down in torrents. Stamping his foot angrily he exclaimed: "I'm going to be a heathen after this."

Angry, Indeed.

"When my wife gets angry," remarked Hyker, "she reminds me of a vessel just leaving port."

"What's the answer?" queried Pyker.

"She gets her anchor up," replied the party of the prelude.

Not a Novelty.

"What instrument do you suppose Tesla talks through in addressing Mars?"

"Same old thing."

"What d'ye mean?"

"His hat."

Rather Broad.

"You are lucky, kid," said the big boy, enviously, "I wish I had a dad who was a baseball catcher."

"Do you?" replied the little boy with a lugubrious sigh. "Well, you wouldn't do it long after he had spanked you with his catcher's mitt."

Jolly Proof.

Crawford—Why don't you treat your wife just as you did before you were married?

Crabshaw—Phaw! You can't fool an experienced woman that way.

No Shade.

"My gracious!" exclaimed the first flea, "what makes you so red?"

"Sunburned," replied the second flea disgustedly. "Some idiot clipped the dog I was summering on."

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JULIUS SCHMAHL'S gubernatorial stock is going up, and is apt to reach par. It's hard to beat a combination of ability and aggressiveness.

THE financial skies are clearing. There is not the slightest excuse for a panic in the northwest, and there will be none if the people keep their heads.

THE Mankato Free Press thinks if the republican party is going into the business of "vindicating" anybody poor Mr. Cole is as much entitled to a "square deal" as Bob Dunn.

THE Duluth Herald thinks "the country is merely suffering from an overdose of prosperity, from which it will quickly recover by the use of common sense, coolness and conservatism."

IT is announced that L. E. George has sold the Fertile Journal to S. E. Thompson of Hallock. Mr. Thompson has had long experience in country journalism and will give the Fertile people a good newspaper.

The Sixteenth Minnesota State Conference of Charities and Corrections, to be held at Fergus Falls, Saturday to Tuesday, November 9, 10, 11 and 12, is attracting unusual attention. This is due partly to the fact that the State Association of County Commissioners is to hold its annual meeting at the same time and place.

THE Windom Reporter has been sold to the McCleary syndicate, according to the press dispatches, and this seems to indicate that the former congressman is to again get into the political game. The Reporter has been owned and edited by Eb. Huntington for thirty years, and is one of the best country newspaper properties in the state. The change removes from active newspaper work one of the Nestors of the profession, and the fraternity will wish for him every success in whatever field of work he may choose to enter.

GENERAL WILLIAM BOOTH, who forty-two years ago founded the Salvation army, in addressing an audience of three thousand at Minneapolis last week, spoke in part as follows:

"Public sentiment generally has spoken in favor of the Salvation army, but this public opinion is a fickle personality; one day it will pin the sweetest flower to your coat, the next throw mud and cover you with calumny. What has been done to gain public opinion and confidence? We have invaded the field of sin, not merely made a dashing raid, but have taken many strong holds and the war has been waged in every quarter of the globe. Today the flag flies over fifty-three countries and colonies with 7,500 separate branches, commanded by 15,000 officers, constantly on watch and 50,000 who devote a portion of their time to the work. We publish seventy periodicals in seventeen languages and have an active membership of nearly a million soldiers. This wonderful organization is open for investigation, with nothing to conceal or be ashamed of."

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council, held at the city hall, October 31, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called.

Alderman all present except Brady.

Minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

John Deforge, for street work	$ 19 80
A L Roy, for draysge	5 55
Waterus Engine Works Co, for bell clapper......	9 25
A P Toupin, for insurance	11 80
Julius Reubl, for street work	10 50
Walter S Booth & Son, for election blanks....	4 00

The following resolution was offered by Alderman Paul and seconded by Alderman Hennemuth:

Resolved, That the tax levy for the ensuing year, to meet the current expenses of the city, be and the same is hereby fixed at $8000 00.

Upon roll-call, the vote was unanimous in the favor of the resolution and the same was declared adopted by the president of the council.

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Borchers, president.

Approved this 6th day of November, A. D., 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

BRAY.

Emil Larseu transacted business at St. Hilaire last Monday.

Quite a number of mens and teams are passing thru here, returning from the threshing in North Dakota.

Lovd Crown who has been working in the saw mill at Thief River Falls during the summer has been sick with appendicitis but is now reported as improving.

Oscar Swansou drove to St. Hilaire Saturday.

Ed Crown drove to Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Naplin Bros. of Polk Centre passed thru here Saturday with their threshing rig on their way home from St Hilaire where they have been threshing for the last two weeks,

Appendicitis

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CATARRH BLOOD DISEASED AND SYSTEM DISORDERED

Catarrh is not merely an inflammation of the tissues of the head and throat, as the symptoms of ringing noises in the ears, mucous dropping back into the throat, continual hawking and spitting, etc., would seem to indicate; it is a blood disease in which the entire circulation and the greater part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to the presence of an excess of uric acid in the blood. The Liver, Kidneys and Bowels frequently become torpid and dull in their action and instead of carrying off the refuse and waste of the body, leave it to sour and form uric acid in the system. This is taken up by the blood and through its circulation distributed to all parts of the system. These impurities in the blood irritate and inflame the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting of a cold will start the secretions and other disgusting and disagreeable symptoms of Catarrh. As the blood goes to all parts of the body the catarrhal poison affects all parts of the system. The head has a tight, full feeling, nose continually stopped up, pains above the eyes, slight fever comes and goes, the stomach is upset and the entire system disordered and affected by this disease. It is a waste of time to try to cure Catarrh with sprays, washes, inhalations, etc. Such treatment does not reach the blood, and can, therefore, do nothing more than temporarily relieve the discomfort of the trouble. To cure Catarrh permanently the blood must be thoroughly purified and the system cleansed of all poisons, and at the same time strengthened and built up. Nothing equals S. S. S. for this purpose. It attacks the disease at its head, goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. removes every particle of the catarrhal poison from the blood, making this vital stream pure, fresh and healthy. Then the inflamed membranes begin to heal, the head is loosened and cleared, the hawking and spitting cease, every symptom disappears, the constitution is built up and vigorous health restored. S. S. S. also tones up the stomach and digestion and acts as a fine tonic to the entire system. If you are suffering with Catarrh begin the use of S. S. S. and write us a statement of your case and our physicians will send you literature about Catarrh, and give you special medical advice without charge. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

I had Catarrh for about fifteen years, and no man could have been worse. I tried everything I could hear of, but no good resulted. I then began S. S. S., and could see a little improvement from the first bottle, and after taking it a short while was cured. This was six years ago, and I am as well today as any man. I think Catarrh is a blood disease, and know there is nothing on earth better for the blood than S. S. S. Nobody thinks more of S. S. S. than I do. M. MATSON,
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H. B. Kaufer, living on Main St., Red Lake Falls, Minn., says, "I have been using Doan's kidney Pills for the past month and found them an excellent remedy for kidney complaint: For over five years my kidneys have been weak and I have suffered from a retention of secretions. There was a dull pain in the small of my back and I felt miserable all the time. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills so highly advertised I procured a box at W. A. Schreiter's Drug Store started using them and the pains have gradually diminished, and I suffer but little from my kidneys."

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David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes; "Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For several years I had stomach trouble and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose, until I began taking Electric Bitters. I would not take $500 for what they have done for me." Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alterative and body builder; best of all for lame back and weak kidneys Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter, druggist. 50c.

Garceau & Zaiser have added a bargain counter to their mammoth store and from time to time will put thereon bargains taken from the various departments in their store. It will pay you to read their ad in today's paper and then go to the store and reap benefit therefrom.

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"May the Lord help you make Bucken's Arnica Salve known to all," writes J. G. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. It quickly took the pain out of a felon for me and cured it in a wonderfully short time." Best on earth for sores, burns and wounds. 25c at W. A. Schreiter's drug store.

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ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC—Mass every Sunday at 8. and 10 a, m.—Rev. Father Ambrose, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., every Sunday. Sabbath school at 10 a. m. Rev. H. W. Knox. Pastor.

Secret Societies

I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall Visitors are always welcome.—Fred Zaiser N.G. Dr. J. E. Argue, V. G., F. A. Grady, R. S. James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—E. G. Buse, C. C.; P. B. Gaass. K. of R. and S.

CATHOLIC ORDER OF FORESTERS—Meets every other Friday evening at C. O. F. hall. L. A. Kanter, Chief Ranger; J. R. Fortier, Recording Secretary.

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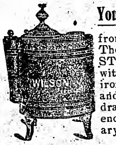

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In the Local Line

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Austin Meyers, of Winona, was in the Falls last Friday.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

Mrs. P. E. Pirath is spending a few days at St. Hilaire.

Bert LaFreniere was down from St. Hilaire over Sunday.

Mrs. C. L. Gray was down from St. Hilaire over Sunday.

Chas. Nelson was down from St. Hilaire Tuesday on business.

Banker L. C. Simons transacted business in Brooks yesterday.

Don't forget the Thanksgiving ball at the opera house the 27th inst.

J. K. Wood was down from Thief River Falls Monday on business.

Miss Leah Cyr returned home yesterday noon from her visit abroad.

John E. King was up from St. Paul last Thursday between trains.

Nels Persons and son, of Wylie, were in the Falls yesterday on business.

Mrs. J. Willier, of St. Hilaire, was an over-Sunday guest of Mrs. C. L. Gray.

Mrs. Otto Zaiser was the guest of Grand Forks friends the first of the week.

Chas. Bourdon and wife returned Saturday from their visit to the twin cities.

Theo. LaBissoniere was a business promulgator in Crookston over Monday evening.

The board of county commissioners will meet in regular session on Monday, the 18th.

Miss Emma Tandberg, teacher of the school at Brooks, spent Sunday with the home folk.

Mrs. Wm. Demann was a passenger to Grand Forks Tuesday morning for a brief visit.

Read the new ad in today's paper for the Union Commercial College of Grand Forks, N. D.

Sam Hunt came in off the road Tuesday morning for a few days with the home folks.

G. A. Kankel, the hardware man, reports the sale of numerous stoves and ranges these days.

For Sale—wind mill, Aermotor make, almost new, 60 ft 4 frame tower and 12 ft wheel. See S. A. Swanson.

Kersting & Robillard have disposed of their saloon and furnishings to Luc Dubue, who took possession Monday.

A social dance was given in the K. P. hall last Saturday evening and those attending report a most delightful time.

Mrs. Wm. Findeison spent Sunday in Warren, the guest of Miss Maud Findeison, who is a teacher in the schools at that place.

Miss May McPeak, who has been teaching in the Philippines the past two years, is expected home some time during the coming month.

Factory Inspector Paul B. Friedlaender was in the city last Friday in the interest of the Bureau of Labor, Industries and Commerce.

Last Friday was All Saints day and the occasion was duly observed with appropriate services in both St. Joseph's and St. Mary's churches

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Poirier are the proud parents of a bouncing boy baby since the 28th ult.

Attorney Henry T. Ronning, of Glenwood, was the guest of Probate Judge Tarrant on Tuesday.

From now on until after the holidays the stores will keep open until eight o'clock in the evening.

Two cars of nice soft coal just received by A. L. Roy, the drayman. Give him a call when in need.

Lost:—Automobile goggles in a chamois bag. Finder leave same at this office and receive reward.

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Frank Jeffers was in the city the latter part of the week renewing acquaintance among his numerous friends.

Antti Rankko, of Eckvoll township, Marshall county, was in town the first of the week after naturalization papers.

The Study Club met at the home of Mrs. E. F. Marshall Tuesday evening and a most enjoyable time was reported.

The sale of Mrs. Benoit's quilt will take place Saturday evening at the A. L. Roy residence. Those interested will please attend.

Mrs. Z. Pouliot returned last Friday to her home in Cass Lake after spending several days in the city a guest among numerous friends.

The Red River Valley Dairymen's convention is in session at Crookston today, and Buttermaker Malvin is down from here in attendance.

The two jolly Pauls—Cyr and Lezotte, departed last Friday evening for North Yakima, Wash. where they go to spend the winter.

Mrs. Mary Patnode returned Tuesday evening to her home at Norwood, Manitoba, after a brief visit at the parental J. P. Demarais home.

Edde Meyer and family bade Red Lake Falls friends adieu Monday evening and returned to their former home in Peoria, Illines, there to reside again.

Mrs. Richard Adler arrived in the city last Friday from Maryland for an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Deutchman.

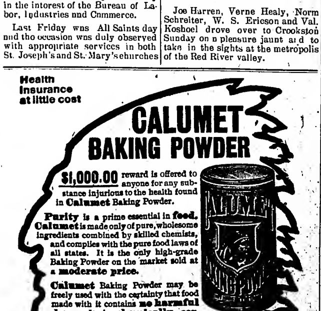
Milton Converse spent Sunday under the parental roof at Cass Lake, and from there went into Duluth on a combinded business and pleasure trip.

Anderson & Wonder, the furniture dealers, are making a special leader of Edison phonographs and records for this month. Look up their ad in another column.

"Vic" Anderson suffered the loss of his pig house and pen last Thursday night as a result of a Hallow'een prank. No other serious damage has as yet been reported.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall entertained yesterday Mesdames C. C. Jackson and Karl N. Hanson, of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Jas. Meehan, of Minneapolis, and Mrs. E. E. Sirrine, of Wisconsin.

Joe Harren, Verne Healy, Norm Schreiter, W. S. Ericson and Val. Koshoel drove over to Crookston Sunday on a pleasure jaunt and to take in the sights at the metropolis of the Red River valley.



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Thanksgiving ball at the opera house November 27th.

Attorney F. L. Farley drove over to Wylie Monday on business.

A. W. Rundquist was up from Crookston the first of the week.

Mrs. C. W. Johnson and the baby are guests among friends at St. Hilaire for a few days.

Miss Alice Ericson, teacher of the Louisville school, spent Sunday at the parental home in this city.

Father Ambrose has been under the weather the past few days, but is quite himself again at this writing.

Father Adolph was down from Thief River Falls over Monday evening, paying a visit to Father Ambrose.

Miss Ina Linnihan came in from her school duties at Terrebonne last Friday evening and spent Sunday with the home folks.

Val. Koshoel returned Sunday to his home in Freeport after spending a couple weeks very pleasantly at the J. P. Harren home.

Miss Albina Lemieux is assisting behind the counters in Garceau & Zaiser's general store during the absence of Miss Rose Harren.

Mrs. J. P. and Miss Rose Harren departed last Thursday afternoon on an extended visit among relatives and friends at Spokane and Seattle.

Miss Julia Kaasa arrived in the city Monday evening from Northwood, N. D., for a brief visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Peterson.

Geo. Uhlencott, a banker and telephone magnet of Freeport, was in the city between trains last Saturday, a guest of the J. P. Harren contingent.

Dr. N. M. Watson was in the twin cities over Sunday, he having gone down Friday evening to be in ample time for the Chicago-Minnesota foot ball game. Just ask "Doc" how the game came out.

Buttermaker P. L. Malvin was one of the prize winners in the butter contest held at St. Peter some days ago. His score was ninety-one and the winnings seven dollars cash.

I ain't feeling well today,
  Somthing wrong I must say,
Come to think of it, that's right,
  I forgot my Rocky Mountain tea
    last night.—W. A. Schreiter.

Dennis Lemeiux has removed his billiard hall and box bowling alley from the brick block to the Reichel building next door to the postoffice, where he now has very commodious quarters.

When ordering flour call for the "Gold Seal" brand. If your dealer tells you to get flour "just as good" don't mind him but insist on getting something better, and order Gold Seal.—Leo Steinert.

The force in the county treasurer's office are busy this week working on the tax settlement, getting things in shape for the forfeiture tax sale which will be held by County Auditor O'Brien next Monday, the 11th.

Constipation, indigestion drive away appetite, and make you weak and sick. Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea restores the appetite, drives away disease, builds up the sysem. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. A. Schreiter.

It is deliciously palatable, agrees with the weakest stomach, contains the most soothing, healing, strengthening elements. Makes you well and happy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. A. Schreiter.

A public auction will be held at the residence of Geo. Sauer, two blocks west of the Grand View hotel, on Friday afternoon, Nov. 15th, at which time their horse, wagon, cart, household goods and numerous other articles will be sold.

Crookston Times: Mrs. Wm. Findeison, of Red Lake Falls, was the guest of Crookston friends last night, going up to Warren this morning, where she will visit her daughter, Miss Maud Findeison, who is teaching in the Warren schools.

The many friends of Mrs. Jas. Egan, who was operated upon at the hospital in Fargo some weeks ago for appendicitis will be pleased to learn of her recovery. The operation was very successful and the lady is feeling quite herself again.

E. Chatel, the cash grocer, invites the public in general to join with him in a coffee luncheon on the 16th, at which time a representative from the coffee house of G. H. Conrad Co. will be present and serve. Read the announcement on the back page of today's paper.

Word received here the first of the week from Jos. Lachance states that he and his new bride had arrived safely at North Yakima, Wash. where they will visit among friends for a few weeks before taking up residence for the winter in Los Angeles, California.

Rev. Phillip A. Schwarz, the new minister who has taken charge of the Presbyterian pastorate at this place, arrived in the city last Saturday morning and on Sunday the usual services were held in the church. A large and appreciative audience attended both the morning and evening services and were highly pleased with the discourses from this able and fluent speaker. We wish for him much success in his new field of labor, for surely he will have the universal support of his congregation.

SEASONBLE BARGAINS

We have opened a bargain counter in our store and from day to day will offer the public

Bargains in Dress Goods

Notions, boots, shoes, hats, caps, etc. Watch our bargain counter from day to day and reap a benefit thereby.

Garceau & Zaiser

The Busy Store Red Lake Falls

Theo. LaBissoniere, of the Big Store, has some "cloak talk" in his ad today that will be of interest to every lady in the land. He sells the famous Palmer goods, and his new line for this season's wear is a nice one to behold, and the prices are very reasonable.

Ernest Trombley departed yesterday afternoon for an extended visit at the home of his boyhood days in Ottawa, Canada. He will meet a brother whom he has not seen in forty-five years, and we can imagine his vitit will be one of great pleasure and desirable.

Buttermaker P. L. Malvin is enjoying a visit this week from his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. John Schultz, of Verona, N. D. We understand Mr. Schultz has disposed of his landed interests in Dakota and will either rent or buy here and make Red Lake Falls their future home.

The program for the meeting of the Northwestern Minnesota Educational Association, to be held at Crookston the 14th and 15th inst., is at hand and among those to take part are some of the most prominent educators in the state. All who can should attend and reap a benefit from the lectures and papers listed.

Hugo Ittner, who for some time has been working for Contractor P. K. Olson on a new strip of road down near Pierce, returned home the latter part of last week and will remain for several days as a guest of his mother and numerous young friends. Upon his return to work he expects their labors will be on a new line of road down near Duluth.

Services will be held in the Presbyterian church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Philip A. Schwarz, pastor, will preach both morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Love of God." Sunday school at 10 a. m., and Young People's Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m. All are very cordially invited to attend all of these services.

The play "Vendetta" as staged at the opera house Monday evening was well received by the large number present. Manager Wander says he hopes to secure only first-class attractions this season and the support of the people is desired to thus warrant good attractions coming our way. They'll be few and far enough between so that all can afford to attend.

On the 17th of October, at the age of forty-five years, died at Terrebonne, Joseph Bedand, who had been but five days at the service of Stephen Quesnell. The family, tho strangers to the deceased, gave him all the proper attentions. The priest as well as the physician was summoned at his bedside. The body was interred in St. Anthony's cemetery.

Remember the date—Novemb'r 27, grand ball at the opera house.

William Vague, a prosperous rural farmer of Poplar River township, accompanied by his good wife, was in town Monday and ordered auction bills printed for a sale of live stock, farm machinery, etc., to be held at his home two miles north of Brooks on next Wednesday, the 13th, commencing at eleven o'clock, with a free lunch at noon. Mr. Vague has rented his farm for next season and should he decide to remove from that locality we trust he may take up residence with his estimable family among us.

Report of the condition of the

Merchants State Bank

of Red Lake Falls, at close of business on the 28th day of October, 1907:

Liabilities		Resources	
Capital	$ 15000 00	Loans & Discounts	$140651 75
Surplus	3000 00	Banking house, furniture & fixtures	6129 04
Undivided profits, net	4554 47	Other real estate	3496 70
Deposits	162062 61	Checks and drafts in transit	1368 04
		Cash on hand and in banks	32971 55
Total	$184617 .08	Total	$184617 08

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Can be found at Chatel's Cash Grocery.

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SUBSCRIBE FOR THE GAZETTE

THE END OF THE STORY

By MARY WAKEMAN BOTSFORD

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"It is a pleasant path, even in winter."

He—Do you remember the first day we met there? It had been snowing. You were snowballing the youngsters. You aimed at little Jock and hit me. So like a woman! It was warm snow. At least, I felt a curious glow where the missile struck.

She—Full in the forehead, poor dear!"

He—Forehead? Not much! Cupid wastes no ammunition there.

She—Foolish! Whoever heard of a Cupid in sealskin? But let us go on. We shall never finish the story, if we make such halts as these.

He—It is your turn.

She (biting the end of her pencil and gazing at her collaborator pathetically)—How much easier it is to begin a story than to go on with it. Dear, (coaxingly) let us play that the first line is mine and you take my sentence.

He—What do I get?

She (promptly)—A kiss.

He—Now?

She—No, indeed. At the end of the chapter.

He—And the chapter may be long?

She—Oh, about 800 words.

He—Eight hundred grandmothers!

She (frowningly)—Harry!

He—Very well, here goes: "The oaks are bare. The sunlight sifts through their branches, dropping shadows on the snow."

She (doubtfully)—Sunlight drop shadows? How could it?

He—Blest if I know. Haven't you seen it? A shadow crept into your eyes, and a sunbeam kissed your lips at the same instant, the day we met. I loved the shadow—"

She—I was afraid I had hurt you.

He—And envied the sunbeam.

She (with a sigh)—What a pity we can't put that in! Go on, dear, you are so clever!

He—I am constrained to think so since—

She—Since?

He—You accepted me.

She—Go on, stupid.

He—"It warms the gold in Ethel's dark hair, and finds the gleam in her brown eyes—"

She—Brown? Do you know a brown-eyed girl?

He—Shall we give her blue eyes, then?

She (coldly)—Certainly not. Have eyes of so inspiring color, by all means.

He—Darling, green-eyed, or gooseberry-eyed, blind, or a patch over one eye. Anything, so it softens yours.

She (still with distance)—Brown eyes are as good as any, I suppose. Your eyes are brown.

He (startled)—Eh?

She (impatiently)—Pray go on.

He—"Finds the gleam in Ethel's blue eyes and warms the pale gold of her hair."

She (interrupting)—Not at all. Why sacrifice your ideal to—

He—Sacrifice nothing! What the dickens does it matter to me whether a straw girl, dressed in ink and paper is blonde or brunette?. It's as easy to describe one as the other.

She (icily)—So I supposed.

He—I have offended again, Dolly?

She (moving across the room and rearranging some trifles upon the mantel)—Well?

He—Come here.

She (with head averted)—Strange how forgetful Jane is. I told her to place the bronze on the other side of the clock. (Lifts the heavy figure with difficulty. It falls with a crash upon the hearth.)

He (reaching her side at a bound and gathering her in his arms)—Dolly, Dolly, would you allow such a trifle to come between us?

She (looking down at the bronze Atlas supporting a globe upon his shoulders)—Do you call the world a trifle? (There are tears in her voice which belie her smiling lips.)

Interlude.

She (once more seated on the arm of his chair, her hand in his)—I will go on with the story; (reads) "The oaks are bare. The sunlight—her brown eyes—"

He—Blue.

She—Brown.

He—Generous, forgiving, Dolly.

She (knitting her brows)—Ought he not to appear by this?

He—A fool to tarry, I should say. I would not.

She (softly)—You did not. You traveled like the queen in chess, covering the board at a leap.

He—Not a good figure, sweet one. I was in pursuit of the queen.

She—Well, find something else, but first for the story: "Jack came swinging through the woods—"

He—Swinging: doesn't that sound, er—rather as if he—might, eh?

She—They always come that way. How should he come? Dancing, skipping, hopping, meandering, musing?

He—Why not plain "Jack came through the woods?"

She—But he is not plain. He is big and broad-shouldered and blonde, smooth-faced with hair crisply curling—

He (toying with a paper-weight on the desk, his eyes absent, his smile constrained)—Ah—very good. Go on.

She—"His gray eyes kindle—"

He—Gray eyes; yes, of course. (He withdraws his hand from hers. She does not heed it, so intent is she upon her picture.)

She—"As they fall upon the girl, his quick step—"

He (rising and planting himself before the fire, his hands under his coat tails)—Quickstep! Say rather dead march (bitterly).

She (looking up in surprise)—Harry, what do you mean?

He—Oh, nothing, nothing at all. I had begun to flatter myself that my dull image had effaced Charlton's from your memory. I am aware I should not have dared to predicate so much, had you not assured me—

She (indignantly)—Harry!

He—But I should have known that an insignificant duffer of my description, with sloping shoulders, a trifle stooped—inclining to baldness, eyes the color of a cold baked potato skin, moustache ditto and straggling—stood as much chance against the matchless Adonis-like Charlton as a stovepipe against a cathedral spire. I congratulate him upon the faithfulness of your pen and ink sketch.

She (rising and drawing herself up to her full height)—Mr. Sinclair, may I beg you to—

He—Ring the bell? Thanks. I can find my way out. (In his blind exit from the room he stumbles over the bronze Atlas. His sharp exclamation

'Mr. Sinclair, May I Beg You To—"

is echoed by her low cry. Turning at the door, he looks back. She supports herself against the desk, one hand pressed to her eyes.) Dolly, Dolly, I am a miserable fool. Tell me that you despise me. (Dropping on his knees before her, he covers her unresisting hand with kisses.) Oh, Dolly, what would the world be without you?

She—The world? As much, I hope, as life would be to me with Jack Charlton.

He—Jealous ass that I am. Dolly, let me end the story.

She—Thus and thus (tearing the manuscript into strips and dropping them into the fire). Better so (lifting her lips to his) than that it should end ours.

TIME WAS TOO PRECIOUS.

Why Visitors Could Not Be Admitted to Workroom.

Perhaps there never was given a more striking instance of the value of minutes than the following: A party of ladies and gentlemen were shown through a very large carpet establishment a few days ago. They were permitted to look into every nook and corner of the building except one. At the bottom of a stairway they came upon a closed door, upon which were the words, "Positively no admittance." The curiosity of the ladies was now awakened and one inquired eagerly:

"What is up there?"

"That is our workshop," explained the representative of the firm. "We have 150 women on that floor sewing carpets."

"Oh, I should like to see them at work," said the fair questioner, with a playfully beseeching look.

"I am very sorry that I cannot take you up there," replied the firm's representative, "but the rules are very strict. Really, there is nothing worth looking at, and there are no trade secrets. The reason why the firm interdicts visitors is because the presence of strangers in the room causes every sewing woman to look up, and takes her attention off her work from one to five minutes. Suppose each women loses an average of two minutes. With 150 women that means a loss to the firm of 300 minutes, or five hours of time. That is too much to lose when we are working under a great pressure as we are now."—Tit-Bits.

Supplies for the Shipwrecked.

The catboat ran gayly before the wind. The sea was alive with sunshine. Shoreward, on the boardwalk, the people walking looked no bigger than dominoes.

"No, sir," said the skipper, "there is not a desert island on the sea that the governments of the world haven't stocked up with grub and clothes and tools for the use of shipwrecked mariners.

"There's tinned soups, dried meats, sealed cans of rice and flour and sugar, dried peas, beans and tobacco, knives, nails, matches, shovels, buckets, hatchets, and so on—all a shipwrecked mariner could need.

"The governments have done this for a number of years. The provender is hid in caves or under rocks. There's a book published giving the exact location of these caches and most ships carry a copy of the work."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE WOMAN'S CORNER

LACKING IN GRACE

FEW WOMEN SEEM TO STAND OR WALK CORRECTLY.

Here Are a Few Hints on the Subject of the Proper Carriage of the Body—Illustrations of Ungraceful Attitudes.

Anyone who will take the trouble to watch a crowd of girls or women walk together will gain some valuable experience on the possible varieties of ungraceful carriage.

Not two women out of every hundred seem to be able to achieve grace.

CORRECT STANDING POSITION

There is the girl, for instance, with the "turkey-toed" stride. Her feet emulate in position those of the awkward bird who graces our autumn tables, and inevitably she cannot lift her feet properly, but lets them slide and shuffle in an extremely ugly manner.

Just as bad is the equally ungraceful pigeon-toed habit. Here the feet turn in so much that it is sometimes a wonder that their owner does not fall headlong over them!

The old dancing master, whose invariable rule was, "Turn your toes out," had sound sense back of the adjuration. The only cure for turning the toes in is to turn them out again, and keep them that way.

Straddling is as harmful as it is unpleasing. A good rule is to walk with the feet just the distance of one foot apart. Thus straddling and knock-kneedness are alike avoided.

When one walks correctly there is a straight line from the ears, through the shoulders and hips, to the feet, just as when one sits correctly there is a straight line from the ears to the center of the sides of the chair.

The most important of all rules is to walk always on the balls of the feet. To locate the ball, put a box or large book on the floor, and place your foot on it, with the heel free. Then raise the toes and the remaining portion is the ball.

Walking on the heels jars the entire body; walking on the toes gives a mincing and affected appearance. The ball is the cushioned part of the foot, and is the part intended for locomotion.

For correct and graceful walking the chin should be in, the abdomen straight and erect and the chest well out.

To acquire correct carriage of the chest practice walking with a book on the head, or place a broomstick or cane across the back under the arms.

Correct position in standing and sitting is a corollary of correct position in walking.

Paisley Ribbons In.

Paisley ribbons and velvets have crept into vogue and are charming on a hat of white and dull pink shading up to plum. The latter, in moire, forms the doublure to the brim, and meets the bind of Paisley, great bows of which fall either side quite softly, without stiffening of any description.

ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS.

Advice and Suggestions Sent In by Mme. Merri.

Ideas for a Trip Around the World

We are going to give "A Trip Around the World" very soon. Would you please give us some suggestions about amusements and costumes for Scotland? Also suggestions for decorations, entertainment, costumes for men and women and methods for dressing women's hair for China?

PUZZLED.

For Scotland use plaids of Scottish origin, have Scotch airs played and the "Highland Fling" danced. Get a bag pipe if possible. For China, the men wear queues, loose trousers and shirts and the women short skirts with shirt-like waists; the hair is wound in a coil at the back, fastened with many ornaments, the front a slick, smooth pompadour.

A Majority Party.

Dear Madam Merri: As I have a birthday party on my hands of a 21-year-old brother, I come to you for advice. I do want it to be a success and so many get such good advice, I come to trouble you too. His birthday comes on the 13th of December and Friday. I would like to know some attractive way to fix up an invitation and also some games, and decorations of the house. It has a fire-place. It is to be a surprise

A PUZZLED SISTER.

It is no trouble, my dear, to assist you, and I am glad the brother is to have a party. For the invitations, I should write little notes with the date of birth and present date at the top of the sheet so all the guests will know the occasion of the affair. Then I'd have a glorious big cake with 21 candles and have little canes and silk hat candy boxes for souvenirs. You could ask each one to come wearing something to represent their favorite superstitions and decorate with black cats, owls, etc., to carry out the Friday and 13th idea.

A Party for Young People.

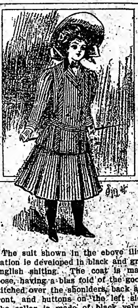
I am anticipating having a party for about fourteen of my friends between the ages of fourteen and seventeen. Can you give me some suggestions for games and some good words to be used for charades?

Also I am going to serve ice cream and cake. If I have them seated at a table how can I decorate it? I can have what flowers I want, but I cannot afford any more elaborate favors than pretty place cards. MYRTLE.

Good charade words are ingratiate, turkey, sinecure, dramatic, and telescope. A good amusement is a soap bubble contest, a nail pounding and button sewing contest or a superstition party where each guest wears his or her favorite aversion. Of course I mean something to represent it. Decorate the table with flowers and candies. Plain cards with the name written are perfectly suitable for name cards, without any decoration.

MADAME MERRI.

GIRL'S SUIT.



The suit shown in the above illustration is developed in black and gray English suiting. The coat is made loose, having a bias fold of the goods stitched over the shoulders, back and front, and buttons on the left side. The collar is made of black velvet. Two rows of buttons are placed down the front. The sleeves are the regulation coat sleeve. The skirt is laid in inverted box plaits all the way round.

Waistline for Coats.

The long coats for autumn wear have a fitted back and defined waist line. The correct length is from 44 to 55 inches. These coats are made of silk, velvet, broadcloth or rough-surfaced worsteds. Thin, clinging fabrics, such as chiffon cloths, marquisette, crepe de chine, the various silks, muslins even, will be found prevalent this winter when supplemented by the long coat.

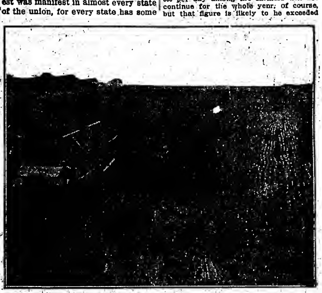
THE CANADIAN CROPS

THREE-QUARTERS OF THE AVERAGE YIELD IS REPORTED.

THE FARMERS DO NOT LOSE

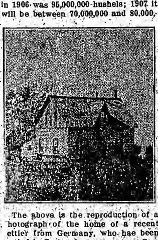
Increased Prices for Grain More Than Compensates Them for the Decrease in Quantity—Reports from Crop Experts.

Most of the states of the union felt the unusually severe winter of 1906-7, and the effects of the succeeding late spring were everywhere apparent. Corn was planted two and sometimes three times, the winter wheat suffered and generally there was a nervous feeling as the retarded growth was in evidence. From the Dakotas to Texas the feeling of dread existed, and the fears were entertained that the crop of corn, wheat, oats and barley would be a distinct failure. How far this was the case is best left to those who passed through the experience. Naturally the same conditions were prevalent throughout the province of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, in western Canada, and with from 250,000 to 300,000 farmers there from the United States a large degree of interest was manifest in almost every state of the union, for every state has some



The proceeds of this field of wheat, grown in western Canada, were sufficient to pay out of the one crop the price of every acre of land upon which it was grown.

representative there. This interest was a nervous one and caused considerable indecision on the part of friends and others intending to follow. Those interested in injuring the country circulated stories of ruin and disaster, but the effect was lost, as it had been long enough in the limelight to prove its high standing amongst the agricultural sections of the continent. The heavy strain placed upon it was not too great; it has shown that the faith placed in it has been warranted, and it is this year producing undoubted evidence that in agricultural possibilities and resources it stands among the first of food producers. A late spring delayed seeding from the usual early April period until late in May, and in many cases well on into June. And with what result? It is a little early to tell the result, but that there will be a three-quarter crop is almost absolutely certain. The yield of wheat in 1906 was 95,000,000 bushels; 1907 it will be between 70,000,000 and 80,000,000. It could not be expected that June-sown grain would mature and ripen in any country. The May sown ripened, and this is the feature that has proved western Canada's superiority as a grain-growing country. It demonstrates that the length of sunshine is so great that the growing and ripening season, although shorter in number of days than in parts farther south, in hours is as great or greater. A correspondent of the Toronto Globe, a most careful purveyor of news, writing from Winnipeg, Manitoba, says:



The above is the reproduction of a photograph of the home of a recent settler from Germany, who has been settled in Saskatchewan, western Canada for two years.

"Excellent progress in the process of converting the crop into marketable commodity has been made. The days have been fairly warm considering the season of the year and while the amount of sunshine per day is less than in an ordinary harvest the grain has matured well. The reports from far and near show that the aggregate yield for the whole grain-growing country is likely to be large, and there are those who assert that the quantity will be equal to about 75 per cent of that secured last season. The quality will be the important consideration especially in view of the steadily rising markets. Cash wheat in Winnipeg closed yesterday at [illegible] per bushel Fort William delivery. The cost of freight and handling for wheat strikes an average of 11c per bushel for the whole west. This means that the average price to the farmer for contract wheat all over the prairie country is exactly $1 per bushel. The farmers have been looking for the day when dollar wheat would rule and they have it now. Some old wheat is still coming forward from the elevators and a little of last year's crop remains in the hands of the farmers. This nearly all grades up to the contract, and it means a great gain for those who held it. The new wheat is still grading very high, when one considers the conditions under which it was produced. Out of 459 cars, 328 in two days contained wheat which would answer for delivery on contracts. In other words over 300,000 bushels of wheat which would bring the farmers an average of about $1 per bushel, reached Winnipeg in two days. The significance of $300,000 worth of wheat being passed by the inspectors in two days at the close of an admittedly unfavorable season should not be allowed to sink out of sight at a time when returns from agricultural activity in the west are being anxiously awaited. These figures do not take account of the lower grades, of which there were 131 cars. More than one-third of these contained milling wheat, which would remunerate the farmer at the rate of 93c per bushel on the basis of to-day's closing figures. The balance consisted of low grade stuff which would vary greatly in quality and would show great "spreads" in prices.

"The approximate value of the two days' receipts of wheat, however, would be more than $400,000 calculating the capacity of a car at 1,000 bushels and eliminating the cost of freight and handling. As many of the modern cars contain more than 1,000 bushels and as the freight rate to Fort William is less than 15c per cwt. on most of the wheat which is now coming forward, the estimate of $400,000 is low. The circulation of $200,000 per day among the farmers will not continue for the whole year, of course, but that figure is likely to be exceeded before the present rush of wheat to the market abates. The conversion of the crop into money may be said to be proceeding in a most satisfactory way and there is no doubt that millions of dollars will have gone into the pockets of the farmers by the time navigation on the lakes closes. Even then only a small proportion of the wheat will have come out. Experience has shown that the railways do not carry very much of the wheat to the Lake Superior ports before the freeze-up comes, and the proportion will probably be smaller than usual this year on account of the lateness of the thrashing season.

"On the whole the prospect is a most cheerful one, the likelihood being that the satisfactory returns for the past few days will be greatly exceeded in the coming six or seven weeks. The fact that wheat of any kind is bound to bring a remunerative price this season is the comforting feature of the situation and there is no occasion for concern over the possibility of the general quality of the grain being below that of previous years. The high standard of the wheat raised in the west in 1905-1906 was undoubtedly a great advertisement for the country and it would have been well if that excellent record could have been continued, but it is not reasonable to expect that 90 per cent. of the wheat will be of contract grade every year as it was in the years mentioned. If 75 per cent. or even 50 per cent. of this season's yield be up to the contract standard there will be room for congratulation. The west will reap a large return of its investment of money, time and labor this year as it did in any preceding season, and by so doing it will have done its whole duty to those who have placed faith in its fertility and resourcefulness. The breathing spell if it comes will enable the transportation companies and other elements in the trade of the country to catch up with some of their obligations and the improvements effected by that means will more than offset any inconvenience which will result from a relatively smaller production. The general commercial outlook is bright enough and only depressing factors are due to the position of a few communities widely separated in which there is a small return from the crop.

"It is true the season has not been so favorable as other seasons but this condition is widespread. The corn crop in the states of the union, where it is the premier crop of the farmers is subject to frost. Frost has undoubtedly materially reduced the total yield in places this year, but after every allowance has been made for this and other causes the fact remains that the total grain in Alberta will be the largest in history, while in the other provinces the yield will not fall far short of other years.

"The following extract from the Edmonton Bulletin fairly describes the situation in Northern Alberta and Saskatchewan:

"'Cutting is practically completed, stacking is in progress in some places, threshing will commence at once. A few late fields which were sown for green feed are being out this week. The grain is all in stock and everywhere the glow of autumn mingles with the glow of harvest. A great number of the oat fields show the typical yellow of well ripened grain. The majority, however, are too pale a yellow to indicate full development and perfect ripening. Some late oats will be fed in the straw which is held by good cattle feeders to be the best way to feed oats. In no year in the history of the spring wheat industry has there been a better growth and production of plant and if the crop of 1907 had been favored with more propitious condition during September all previous records of wheat production in this country would have been eclipsed. On the farm known as the Macleod farm 4½ miles northeast of the city on the Fort Saskatchewan trail, samples of Red Fyfe were taken that were uniformly plump and hard and of excellent color. This field should run [illegible] bushels to the acre.

ADVICE TO VICTIMS

TELLS READERS HOW TO CURE RHEUMATISM AT HOME.

Directions to Mix a Simple Preparation and the Dose to Take—Overcomes Kidney and Bladder Trouble Promptly.

There is so much Rheumatism everywhere that the following advice by an eminent authority, who writes for readers of a large Eastern daily paper, will be highly appreciated by those who suffer:

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

It is claimed that there are few victims of this dread and torturous disease who will fail to find ready relief in this simple home-made mixture, and in most cases a permanent cure is the result.

This simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers from any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after while.

Indeed, Yes.

"An ichneumon loves fresh eggs."

"An ichneumon would have a hot time trying to live at our boarding house, wouldn't it?"—Houston Post.

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1907 A RED LETTER YEAR.

Right to Vote Won by Women in Four Countries of Europe.

Women all over the world are beginning to look upon 1907 as a red letter year for their sex. Their first notable step ahead this year was the granting of parliamentary suffrage to the women of Norway. Then Swedish women were made eligible for municipal office; next came the granting to the women of Denmark of the right to vote for and serve as members of boards of public charities, and now the British parliament has just passed the bill making women eligible as town and county councillors and aldermen.

In 1888 when the county councils were instituted in England it was thought that women were eligible, and three—Lady Margaret Sandhurst, Miss Jane Cobden and Miss Cons—were elected by the voters of London. Beresford Hope, who had been defeated by Lady Sandhurst, contested the election on the ground that women were not eligible. The litigation was prolonged and meanwhile the women were allowed to serve. One of the duties assigned to Lady Sandhurst was the supervision of twenty-three infant asylums. When Mr. Hope finally succeeded in ousting her one of the leading London dailies sarcastically remarked:

"It is to be hoped that the gentleman will find himself equal to mothering all those babies."

TAKE THEM OUT

Or Feed Them Food They Can Study On.

When a student begins to break down from lack of the right kind of food, there are only two things to do; either take him out of school or feed him properly on food that will rebuild the brain and nerve cells. That food is Grape-Nuts.

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"My face was pale and thin, but is now round and has considerable color. After I had been using Grape-Nuts for about two months I felt like a new boy altogether. I have gained greatly in strength as well as flesh, and it is a pleasure to study now that I am not bothered with my head. I passed all of my examinations with a reasonably good percentage, extra good in some of them, and it is Grape-Nuts that has saved me from a year's delay in entering college.

"Father and mother have both been improved by the use of Grape-Nuts. Mother was troubled with sleepless nights and got very thin, and looked care worn. She has gained her normal strength and looks, and sleeps well nights." "There's a Reason." Read "The Road to Wellville" in pkgs.

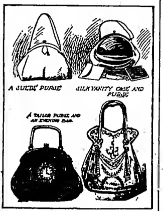
FEMININITY

BAGS AND PURSES

SOME NOVELTIES INTRODUCED THIS SEASON.

Distinct Styles Mark Those Intended for Young Girls—Pigskin Still Holds Its Own in Popular Favor.

Bags and purses for young girls differ in several features from those intended to be carried by women. They must suggest youth in line as well as in material, so the limitations in choice are more rigid than one would think. Girls who are not too young, that is, after they have reached the age of 16, are permitted to carry small silver coin purses and vanity boxes. These are rather plain or else of an engraved pattern in which there is no striking design. Gold purses are not suitable for girls who are not yet out in society.


A SUEDE PURSE
SILK VANITY CASE AND PURSE
A TAILOR PURSE AND AN EVENING BAG

Among the leather novelties which have just reached us from Paris is a bag the shape of which is decidedly youthful, while the coloring is wonderfully fresh and attractive. It is of reseda suede, and though the bag itself is not very deep it holds all that a young girl need carry. The trimmings are plain silver gilt and the handle is a narrow stitched strap of the suede. When the bag is opened the mouth forms a perfect circle. The inside is divided permanently by the coin purse, which has an outside covering of reseda moire and a lining of white suede. This is roomy, without suggesting bulk.

The bag proper is lined throughout with watered silk, and on one side is a shirred pocket, which holds a tiny oblong mirror faced with silk and a green suede powder puff envelope, in which reposes an infinitesimal bit of elderdown, while between these two cases is a tiny glass salt bottle, with a silver gilt top. These purses come in other shades, too, in the fashionable purple and lavenders, in gray, brown ranging from tan to seal, and in blue. It is the fad to have the purse match or at least shade into the color of the costume. Even young girls adhere strictly to this one tone effect or to the one of harmony in coloring.

Another smart bag of soft suede in a lovely shade of brown was oblong in shape and had the outside smocked near the top. There were two or three rows of smocking below the narrow silver gilt rim, which provided considerable fulness at the bottom. This purse held the usual coin compartment and the three essential beauty accessories—the puff case, the mirror and the powder box.

Pigskin, while neither new nor especially smart, is always in good taste for morning use. It is a particularly suitable leather for young girls and is made up in most attractive purses. If the strap kind is liked then a long, narrow purse is chosen, with the usual compartments and a well attached strap running lengthwise of the back. There are shorter purses of pigskin with a rounding down flap, trimmed with a narrow silver rim. This has no visible fastening, but there is a snap on the under side. The square purse, while very roomy and easy to carry, is not in as good taste as the long, narrow one.

BASKETS FOR THE TABLE.

Decorative Effect as Well as Use—Baskets for Special Occasions.

Baskets of one sort and another, of simple or more or less ornamental character, have long been used for holding fruit on tables, but within the last few years there have come to be offered for such use baskets specially designed with a view to their decorative effect.

Here, for instance, is a lifelike basketwork turkey perched on a basketwork pumpkin of proportionate dimensions, both turkey and pumpkin finished in their natural colors, this turkey table basket being designed to stand on a Thanksgiving dinner table.

And here is a table basket in the form of a swan, life size and natural in appearance, and graceful, and here is a gorgeous table basket of fine work in the form and colorings of a peacock. There is a table basket in the shape of a chicken, and here is one designed to adorn a patriotic table in the form of an eagle.

Sometimes table baskets are made to order in special forms, as for banquets. One such basket was made in the form of a billiard table. Where such baskets are made specially it is necessary to give the order well in advance, for it must go to Europe to be filled, table baskets, like almost all other fancy baskets, being made in Germany.

Besides being used for fruits table baskets are sometimes used for flowers. They cost from five to twenty-five dollars.

Blouse Novelty.

One of the most charming novelties in the way of blouses has been launched by a well known designer of unusual styles. This delightful little waist is made of soft silk in the most delicate of shell pink tones. The entire bodice and drooping sleeves are formed of two-inch folds, one overlapping the other. These run from the high girdle over the shoulders and tuck in at the back. The sleeves are formed of a continuation of plaits or folds extending to the wrist, where they narrow down to proportionate dimensions. The neck is finished with a high lace and batiste collar and chemisette. Two rather more elaborate blouses of this character have their folds an inch wide, and each one edged with the narrowest lace to be found. Besides giving the desired broad shouldered effect the lace softens the regular lines of the folds so carefully placed.

Waistcoat Trimming.

The universal use of waistcoats brings forward a great variety of trimmings. These waistcoats are made of cloth, silk, or velvet trimmed in braid; also of brocaded silks and tapestry vestings. Buttons also play an important part in the trimming of the present day.

Let Style Suit You.

Every woman who wishes to appear to the best advantage must, more or less, disregard prevailing style, and adopt a style best suited to herself.

BODICE FOR A MATRON.

Pretty Made Up in Either Fine Woolens or Silk.

This is a pretty bodice for making up in fine woolens and silk. It has a fitting lining fastening down the front, to this is fixed at the back a V of lace, and a vest in front; the latter is sewn to the right side of lining and made to hook over to the left; the collar-band is also of lace bound with silk. The fronts are tucked three times from the shoulders to the bust, and the edges are bound with silk, the back is treated in the same way; the epaulettes also are of lace bound with silk.

Materials required: 2½ yards 44 inches wide, one yard lace, 1½ yards silk, and two yards lining.

Damaged Lace Hint.

A handsome flounce of embroidered muslin with heavy motifs of grape bunches and vine leaves, which had been badly torn, had the best of the design cut out and applied, after being tinted biscuit color, to a groundwork of biscuit net. Much the same treatment was accorded to a length of lace which had also suffered; in this case a groundwork of ninon was supplied. (It is a pity that striped nets are not more used, and it is a wonder they are not in this season of stripes.) When these applied designs are used they can be much enhanced in effect by backing just the pattern itself with satin or velvet of some bright color.

One Kind of Flower in a Room.

One should not use more than one kind of flower in a room, although it is safe to combine several kinds of green foliage; for instance, ferns and smilax as well as the natural foliage of the flower used.

When rooms open together with broad arches it is better to keep the same flower throughout. Even when the opening is not large, one should not be compelled to look from a pink room into a yellow room, or from a red room into a yellow room.—Harper's Bazar.

BACK GAVE OUT.

A Typical Case of Kidney Trouble and a Typical Cure.

Mrs. Chloe Page of 510 S. Pitt Street, Alexandria, Va., says: "My back hurt me terribly, I had sharp, shooting pains, changing to a dull, dragging ache. I could not stand for any length of time and my back hurt me when I sat down. My feet and ankles were badly swollen every evening, and my stomach was out of order. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of these troubles in 1902, and for five years I have had no return."

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"Doesn't show her age?"

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"My little daughter broke out all over her body with a humor, and we used everything recommended, but without results. I called in three doctors, but she continued to grow worse. Her body was a mass of sores, and her little face was being eaten away. Her ears looked as if they would drop off. Neighbors advised me to get Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and before I had used half of the cake of Soap and box of Ointment the sores had all healed, and my little one's face and body were as clear as a new-born babe's. I would not be without it again if it cost five dollars, instead of seventy-five cents. Mrs. George J. Steese, 701 Coburn St., Akron, O., Aug. 30, 1905."

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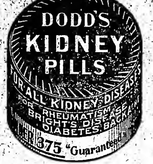

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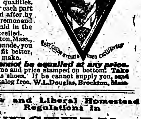
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LOCAL MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED TO DATE

Wheat,	No. 1 Hard	$ 87
"	No. 1 Northern	86½
"	No. 2 Northern	82½
"	No. 3 Northern	75½
"	No. 4 Northern	67½
"	Rejected	61½
Flax,	No. 1	1 02
"	No. 2	99
N. G. Flax		89
Barley,	No. 4	56
"	No. 5	50
"	Seed	46
Oats,	No. 3 White	37
"	No. 4 White	35
"	No. 3	33
Flour,	Patent	3 10
"	Straight	3 00
Shorts		24 00
Bran		23 00
Butter		26
Creamery Butter		33
Eggs		20

To Be Sure.

Old Lady—Are you traveling for the good of your health?

Defaulting Bankrupt—Rather!—Illustrated Bits.

In the Barnyard.

Materfamilias—Great Scott! Two more mouths to feed!—Harper's Weekly.

Consolation.

Kind-Hearted Motorist (to victim)—There's a doctor in that car behind.—Browning's Magazine.

A Safeguard.

First Beggar—What's that paper you've got?

Second Beggar—List of places where there's a lack of workmen.

First Beggar—You crazy? We won't go near such places!

Second Beggar—Chump! That's why I got it!—Fliegende Blatter.

Airy Criticism!

Bill (watching the traffic below)—Risky things, them there motors.—Sketch.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated December 26th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, January 12th, 1905, at 3:10 o'clock p. m., in Book 33 of Mortgages, on Page 631-632 whereby Peder A. Lybeck and Thore Lybeck, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard,) mortgagees, the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24) and the north half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) all in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $15.90, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.73, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, thirty-eight dollars and sixty-three cents, ($38.63.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
George W. Wishard.

H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated October 13th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, October 19th, 1904, at 1:40 o'clock p. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 439-440, whereby Jens L. Bolstad and Helene J. Bolstad, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the northeast quarter (ne¼) of section twenty-one (21) in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $31.80, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.04, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, fifty-three dollars and eighty-four cents. ($53.84.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

ESTATE OF PEHR BENGTSON

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court.

In the matter of the estate of Pehr Bengtson, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to John Bengtson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Hjalmer Johnson being duly filed in this court, representing that Pehr Bengtson, then a resident of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, died on the 15th day of September, 1907, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Hjalmer Johnson,

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the probate court rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the honorable, N. W. Tarrant, judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 26th day of October, 1907.

(Court Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Judge.
o31-n14

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by L. L. Zenor, a single man, mortgagor, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of February, A. D., 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 35 of mortgages on page 332, and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Forty-three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The east half of the east half of section twenty-seven (27) in township one hundred fifty (150) north of range forty-three (43) west of 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey one hundred sixty (160) acres, be the same more or less in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock a. m., on that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of one thousand three hundred forty three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and seventy five ($75.00) dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law:

Dated October 27th, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche
Hypotheekbank—(The Netherlands
American Mortgage Bank).
Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgage,
Warren, Minnesota.
o31-d12-7w

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of forty-eight and 40-100 dollars with interest on said amount since the 20th day of February, A. D., 1907, at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum since that date.

And whereas, the terms and conditions of mortgage hereinafter described provides that if default shall be made in the payment of said sum of money, or the interest, or any part thereof at the time and in the manner in said mortgage specified, the said mortgagee his heirs, executors and assigns are authorized to declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage immediately due and payable;

And whereas the assignees of said mortgagee have declared the whole amount secured by said mortgage due and payable prior to the time of giving this notice.

That there is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice on said mortgage hereinafter described the sum of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Andrew O. Letvig, as administrator of the estate of Mary Jane Letvig, deceased, mortgagor, to Andrew A. Olson, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1904 with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of February, 1904, at 4:00 o'clock p. m., in book 14 of mortgages, on pages 251-253.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Andrew A. Olson to Sabille Garceau and Geo. F. Hennings by a written assignment bearing date the 11th day of October, 1907, and recorded in the office of said Register of deeds on the 18th day of October 1907, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. in Book 15 of mortgages at page 410; and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter of section numbered twenty five (25), in township numbered one hundred fifty two (152) North of Range forty five (45) West of the 5th P. M in the state of Minnesota less the Railway Right-away and other lands of said quarter sold during the life-time of said Mary Jane Letvig, leaving a balance in said above described premises of 124 and 71-100 acres, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State on the 7th day of December, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, with interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of forclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated October 23d, 1907,

SABILLE GARCEAU,
GEO. F. HENNINGS,
Assignees of Mortgagee.

F. A. GRADY,
Attorney for Assignees of Mortgagee.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
o-24-n28

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1907. VOL. XXV—NO. 7.

TO GIVE THANKS

Governor Johnson Issues Annual Thanksgiving Proclamation.

The governor has proclaimed November 28, as Thanksgiving day, as follows:

"Upon a day set apart for that purpose io the closing of each yeer, it is tho custom of the people of the nation and stato to engago in a special fostival of praise nnd thanks to tho Giver of all Good.

"Therefore, I, John A. Johnson, governor of tho stnto of Minnesctn, do horeby designato Thursday, the 28th day of November, as a day of thanksgiving.

"The year now drawing to a close is repleto with evidences of divine goodness. The peoplo of Minnesota have enjoyed material prosperity; farm, forest and mino have yielded abundantly; thero have heen ao visitations of firo, famine and pestilence and the countless beoefits showered upon us during the past twelvemonth call for our fervent gratitudo. Tho provalence of health, tho fullness of harvests, tho stability of peaco and ordor, tho growth of fratornal feeling, the spread of education, nnd all the countless blessings thnt brighten the pathway of life's wayfarer—all these are cause for rejoicing and praise.

"Abovo and beyond the material wealth that has come to our state, wo should reflect with grateful hearts upon the moral uplift that is everywhore apparent. In the greet civic awakening—in the regeneration of tho public conscience, we havo reason for holief thnt a better dny is dawning; that there will he less worship of self, less love of powor, loss lust of gold, less weakening of faith, and thnt the return to honesty nnd honor will lead easily and inevitably to the walk of virtue, the way of happiness, the path of glory. Out of financial storms resultant from the stress of aa era of fraud aad frenzy will come the sun, risiag from the darkness serene and smiling, marking the muddied pools along the wey. With the approech of thnt newer and better order, let us hope and believe will come a more abiding feith in free institutions, liberty less tinged with license, prowess more glorious. And unto Him who holds in the hollow of His hand the fate of natioos, and yet marks the sparrow's fall, let us lift our heerts, commending ourselvos, our children, our country to His infinite mercy and care."

THE DAIRYMEN MET

The Red River Valley Dairymen Met at Crookston Last Week.

The fifth annuel convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association was held at Crookston lest Wednesdey and Thuredey and there was a record breaking attendence present. Prominent dairymen and buttermakers from all perts of the state were preseat aad the meeting was one filled with interest and enthusiasm. Papers were read by various members, and the one by Buttermaker P. L. Melvin, of this place, proved of uausual iaterest as the "Use of starter direct in butter" is a new idea and it brought forth much discussion. In the election of officers for the eneuing yeer Prof. Grout of Crookston was mede president and Geo. L. Austio of St. Hilaire secretary. The winner of first prize in the hutter score was Louis H. Flagel of Erskine, while Geo. L. Austin won second prize. The scores were Flagel, 94½; Austin, 94; while P. L Malvin of this place scored 92. The convention adjourned Thursday afternoon a pronounced success in every particular.

ST. JOSEPH'S FAIR

The Object is to Raise Funds for the Support of St. Joseph's School.

Ageio we would remiad you not to forget the dates for the feir to be given by St. Joseph's school in the church next Monday, Tuesdey and Wednesday, the 18th, 19th and 20th inst. All ere cordially invited to attend and aid in the noble work of the Sisters in their endeevor to meintain a school here and furnish free tuition to the meny scholars attending. There is now an average ettendance of over 125 pupils, and when we as taxpayers take into consideration the fact that were these same scholars attending our public schools the increesod cost per year would amount to ahout sixteen dollers for each pupil, we cannot help but feel the burden lesseaed by the continuance of this parochial school emoag us. Theo why should we not attend the fair and thus show to the Sisters our appreciation of their efforts by patronizing liberally their hazaar. Supper will he served each evening during the fair and various amusements and attractions will be had to entertein those who ettend. The contests promise a lively attraction and all are invited.

It is Said That

When a house is being painted, pails of water should be placed lo the rooms. A handful of hey plunged into the water helps to get rid of the smell. For a wholesome table heverage there is nothing quite so good as golden graio belt beer. It is hrewed from the best of nature's products in a better way then other beere aod should be served daily with meals to iosure perfect health. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompsoa, Crookston.

TUESDAY THE DAY

Next Tuesday, November 19th, the Day Designated as Market Day.

Just mark oext Tuesday as "Market day" at Red Lake Falle, and theo fail not to join the large throag of people who will be here upon that date aod participete not only in the prizes offered by our merchants, haukers and other business houses, but io the various bargains as marked down especially for thet day. We understaud the ohject of a market day is to induce the rural citizens to come to town and participate io the various prizes offered, and then look in upoo our dealers aod get prices, compere goods, and learn to your own satisfection thet you can buy cheaper here in Red Lake Falls than of any mail order house in existeoce—value coasidered. Our dealers are anxious to acquaint you with their method of doiog business and any who may enquire will learn that it is to your best advantage to trade right bere at home. Aside from the usuel market day program any farmer who may have a horse or cow, stove or plenter to sell can briog them in thet day and our popular auctioneer, Joe Belair, will dispose of the same and make them bring you all they are worth. Below we give a list of the varioos prizes as offered by our merchants, and it might be further stated that several others have prizes to offer but were late in handing them in to the printer:

J. P. Harren—pair beby shoes for youngest baby brought to towa.

Mrs. C. L. Gray and daughter—street hat to largest girl calliag at their store.

G. A. Kankel—ooe carving set to youngest married couple.

W. A. Schreiter—two boxes Shreiter's Laxative Cold Tablets to farmer guessing nearest to number of pills in a bottle.

Groshong & Blake—one dollar's worth of meat to party guessing nearest correct length of a piece of rihhon.

Franz F. Freuod—box of Sweet Alberta cigars to oldest bachelor coming to town. Also box chocolate creams to fattest woman comiug to town.

E. Chatel—one large bowl and pitcher to farmer bringiog io largest head of cabbage.

Red Lake Falls Milliog Co.—98lb sack of Mascot flour to farmer bringing load of wheat fartherest distance.

Geo. Brunelle—three-mooths-old shepherd pup to farmer coming longest distance.

W. T. Spillane—a dollar pipe to heaviest man getting weighed at his store—weighiog free. One pound chocolate creams to lightest woman over eighteen years of age.

Theo. LaBissoniere—Axmiooster parlor rug to largest family coming to town.

L. A. Kaufer—Best whip io shop to farmor with heavieet team of horses.

Jos. Miller—free hair cut and shave to tallest farmer coming into his shop.

Garceau & Zaiser—pair of fine shoee to man wearing largest shoe.

The Gazette—one year's subscriptioo to every couple married in town Market day.

E. A. Nelson—hair cut to man guessing nearest to the average number strokes of the razor necessary to shave a person.

Hunt Hardware Co.—air tight heater to person guessiog nearest to the weight of "The Malleable" 920 steel raoge with resorvoir and high closet.

H. W. Andersoo—Sunrise alarm clock to the farmer bringing in the watch with the lowest number.

Merchants State Bank—to farmer depositing largest amount of money, $5 in merchandise at any store in the city.

First State Bank—$7.00 parlor lamp to the party guessing the number of dollars in gold in a bottle on display in the bank window. The lamp may also be seen in the bank window.

A Hymenial Approach.

Grand Forks Times: A wedding announcement that will cause a ripple of interest in the social world of the young people of this city, is that of the approaching marriage of Miss Anna VerBoncer, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. VerBoncer, who reside on North Ninth street, to Mr. Conrad Meyer an estimable young man, who after two years' residence in the city is known by his many associates as one of the "good fellows". The wedding ceremony will be preformed by Father E. J. Cooaty at the pastoral residence the la[illegible] part ot this month and [illegible] happy couple will make their [illegible]e in this city. The bride-to-be [illegible] one of the well-kuowo and [illegible]ler young ladies of this cities [illegible]aviog resided here with her [illegible]ente for four yeare and dur[illegible] that time hes been one of [illegible] popular and obiging clerks of [illegible] Wolff's department store, while the groom who is employed on the Herald is a young man of character aod worthy to his choice.

THE DAY IN COURT

A Report of the Court Proceedings as Noted from Day to Day.

The district court convened Moodey with Judge Watts at the bar, and both the grand and petit juries in their respective boxes. The panel wes complete and the grand jury was assigned their task of finding indictments against all criminal offenders. They completed their work Tuesday morning and adjourned, and while we were unable to learn results we have it on good authority that but two indictments were found. The jury cases as called are:

C. W. Latta vs Julius Pleth et al. Plaintiff denied motioo for chenge of venue, and the case settled out of court by defendants paying damages in the sum of one dollar and costs.

Stephen Singer vs E. A. Snider: dismissed temporarily.

Mishaweka Woolen Manufacturing Co. vs J. F. Mathews; verdict for plaintiff in the sum of $70.

M. F. Shafer & Co. vs E. M. Hoff; verdict for defendant.

Julia Myrum vs Salve T. Myrum, plaintiff got judgment for $1,914.19 and costs, the full amount of suit. Congressman Steenerson was attorney for plaintiff.

The court cases will probably continue for a week yet before the criminal calendar is reached.

Dieble & Lang vs Harriet Fant et al: judgment for plaintiff in the sum of $364.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: A man's conscience ooly troubles him when something else does.

No man likes to be abused unless its because he is rich.

A financier means you don't have to go to jail for how you got it.

A woman goes to an auctioo to make sure if any of her friends buy anything there she will know they have really paid for it.

It's a habit of womeo to think more of their ideals after they are shattered than they did before.

It may be wicked to tell a lie, but it's far more wicked to tell children the truth about their fairy stories.

Chorus girls must be mighty sharp at bargains to be able to buy such expensive jewels on such small salaries.

THE CONCERT BAND

H. B. Healy Elected Manager to Succeed the Stalwart Jos. L. Tracy.

After practice Tuesday evening the bend boys held their annual business meeting and proceeded to pass the "management honors" along to Harry B. Heely, while the board of directors were re-elected as follows: Lee Healy, H. W. Aoderson and A. L. Brunelle. During the pest year the bend has weathered the sea of hardship admirably, and when a disastrous storm seemed certain to wreck their ship of success, J. L. Tracy, the stelwart maneger, would steer the ship around all difficulties and make the port of success. Under Mr. Trecy's management the hend has hed a very successful year and for their enterteinments, concerts, dances, and out of town engegements over $1,300 has been received, and theo in return expended for new music, director's salary, and other incidentals necessary toward making this the best band in northern Minnesota. In the neer future another concert is to be given and none should fail to attend, as a special program will to be given. It will include several solos, duets, etc., besides two choruses by the high school and upper grade grammar school pupils, with the accompeniment of the full bend. This is a feeture that will undoubtedly prove a treat for all who attend, as the chorus is now drilling regularly and will provide some musio of which every resident of our city will be proud. Besides the chorus there will be a vocel solo or two. Ao orchestra of sixteen pieces has been organized by members of the band and will contribute several selectioas. The juaior band will appear and the number furoished by them will prove decidedly ioteresting. The junior band is making rapid progress and, as it is from the juniors the players for the large band are recruited, this organization of young men and boys is deserving of the greatest encouragement, and everybody will be glad to note the improvement they make duriog the winter. Io addition to the many special numbers the Red Laks Falls Concert band will give two or three selections.

The last concert was a success musically and in point of attendance, but it is expected the coming concert will see a packed house as no effort is being spared to present a program of unusual merit and variety. The full program, together with the date of the concert, will be announced later.

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THE BIG STORE

MARKET DAY SPECIALS

We were so well patronized on last Market day that we are encouraged to make still greater efforts to please the people. We will enumerate only a few of the many bargains that we offer on that day in all dep'ts.

Men's $1.25 and $1.50 caps at	69c
Ladiee' $8.00 to $12 capes, some heavy, some light, all black	$3.98
Last year's dress skirts at	10 per ct off
$5.00 to $12.00 skirts, your choice for	$2.98
Misses 27 inch Jackets, black, blues, worth up to $15, choice	$3.98
Ladies belts, black seal leather, nickel buckles worth 35c now	15c
Boys wool Cass knee pants, a clean up for	52c
50c to $1.00 ladies' caps for	29c
15 boys' 3 piece suits, 10 to 13, worth up to $6.00 for	$1.98
Misses' cloaks, 4 to 14, all new goods, special discount of 10 per cent on Market day.	
$1.50 to $3.00 woolen waists	98c
$1.25 fascinators at	69c
50c Dress goods at	25c
$1 50 goods for	69c
$6. silk waists, in pink, blue black	$1.48
Wire hair pins, a package for	3c
8c outing flannel at	6c
11c flannel at	10c
30c red table cloth	19c
$1.00 baby bonnets at	39c
Mens $3 easy kid shoes	$1.50
Ladies' $2 fine kid shoes	$1.50
Black dress goods remnants, too many to mention at about ½ price—1 to 4 yd lengths.	
Misses fine wool sweaters worth $1.75 for	98c
Hooks and eyes, including 10c kinds at	3c
Plaid waist silks, 19 inches, lovely patterns, yd	50c
Linen doilies, a little soiled, 15 to 40c goods for	9c to 20c
Soda crackers, by box	5c
20c tea for	15c
35c tea for	25c
Yeast for	5c
Soda for	5c
12½c tomatoes at	11c
Fine apples peck, 50 to	60c

A good 5c pencil free with 5c tablets.

Our Market Day Prize

To the largest family coming to town

Axminster Parlor Rug

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Say! Did You Ever Think of Anything for a Christmas Present??

for your family that would please them more than an Edison Phonograph We sell them at

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Red Lake Falls Gazette

JOHN E. KING, Publisher.

RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF WEEK SUMMARIZED

DIGEST OF THE NEWS WORTH TELLING CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

Washington Notes.

It is announced at the navy department that Capt. J. M. Bowyer has been selected to command the battleship Illinois. Capt. B. A. Fiske, originally selected for the command, has asked to be relieved, owing to illness in his family.

One hundred and ten feet is the width which the navy department has finally fixed upon as desirable for the locks for the Panama canal. This is an increase of ten feet in width over the plans on which the commission is now working.

The president has issued an executive order creating four new bird and animal reserves on the Pacific coast, one in Oregon and the other three in Washington. Wardens will be appointed by the department of agriculture to supervise these reserves.

The state department has been advised of the arrest and imprisonment at San Pedro, Honduras, of an American citizen, Dr. O. B. Hunter, on charges of a trivial nature connected with the transfer of a piece of property. Instructions will be given to the American minister to intervene in the case.

The government is about to begin a campaign against bad eggs. Several merchants in Washington recently have been selling "country fresh eggs" for less money than they can be bought for in the country. The secret service men discovered that the "fresh country eggs" palmed off on the public were second-class cold storage eggs.

Personal.

Robert M. Dubose, president of the University of the South, died at Sewanee, Tenn.

A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr. Mrs. Vanderbilt was Miss Virginia Fair.

Charles H. Deere, head of the great plow works at Moline, Ill., who has been ill for several months, is dead.

Dr. Richard Mohr, general director of the Hahneman hospital hospital in Philadelphia and professor of materia medica and therapeutics, dropped dead on the street.

Col. Everett Hull Walker, U. S. A., in command of the defenses of Boston harbor, died at Fort Banks, Winthrop. Col. Walker graduated from West Point in 1871.

Crimes.

Fire at Braddock, Pa., destroyed property valued at $130,000.

Leo Veigelsberg, editor of the Pester-Lloyd and an eminent publicist, committed suicide at Budapest.

William B. Everett, president of the Williams & Everett company, picture and fine art dealers of Boston, committed suicide by inhaling gas.

James Quail, a prominent and wealthy young farmer of Ida Grove, Iowa, committed suicide by hanging himself in his barn. No cause is given for the deed.

The jury that has been trying Chas H. Rogers for murdering the Olney brothers and Alice Ingerick at Goshen, N. Y., returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree.

Justice Riddell of Toronto imposed a fine of $25,000 on the Michigan Central railway for the explosion of a car of dynamite at Essex Center on Aug. 9, which resulted in the killing of two men and in serious injury to about forty others. The dynamite was shipped as powder.

Stepping from her upstairs apartments in Bellevue at Pittsburg to investigate a noise in the rooms of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Adams below, Mrs. W. M. Rogers was seized by a burglar, bound to a chair, gagged and slashed with a razor, after which the robber ransacked the Adams place, escaping with $125 and other valuables.

Footpads held up Justus Gaiger, a St. Louis newspaper reporter, and while one forced open his mouth the other pried out two gold teeth. When the robbers found only a small amount of cash in Geiger's pockets he smiled at their chagrin, revealed the two prominent gold front teeth, and then they pried out the teeth. Geiger has not smiled since.

Accidental Happenings.

The fishing tug Marguerita of Grindstone City, Mich., burned at her dock. Nathan Wood, owner of the boat, was burned with it.

The big storehouse and paint shop of the Rome Metallic Bedstead company at Rome, N. Y., were destroyed by fire. Loss, $76,000.

A fire at Montreal did $50,000 damage to the examining warehouse attached to the custom house and the goods stored therein.

Dr. W. R. Marsh, a prominent veterinary surgeon of Sibley, Iowa, was fatally kicked by a pet horse while in the barn feeding him.

Fire at Evansville, Ind., practically destroyed the Boston store, one of the biggest department stores in that city. The loss is estimated at $200,000.

During a Halloween frolic in New York Joseph Barbenetro, fourteen years, shot and killed his playmate, Frank Reynolds, twelve years old.

Fire at Marshalltown, Iowa, destroyed the Iowa Central car shops, coaches and other cars, entailing a loss of $800,000. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Through the explosion of chemicals in the rear of the store the drug stock of the Rogers Drug company at Mason City, Iowa, was damaged to the extent of $1,000.

A large automobile, containing four passengers and the chauffeur, while going at a rapid rate, struck and instantly killed Mrs. Ann Leavy, aged fifty, who was crossing the street at Bridgeport, Conn.

R. G. Stallnecker, a motorman on the Waterloo, Cedar Falls & Northern street railway, was killed at Waterloo in a collision with an Illinois Central passenger train while running the car across the tracks.

Spreading rails caused a passenger train to jump the rails at Klondike, Ky. Express Messenger Arthur Chapman was fatally hurt. Many passengers received bruises, but none were seriously injured.

Henson Penn Diltz, novelist, poet and journalist, died at Hopkinsville, Ky., of an accidental overdose of chloral taken to relieve pain. He was author of "Duchess Undine," "Dunleoth Abbey," "Hollow Bracken" and other fiction, and "Sands of Silver" poems.

Foreign.

King Victor Emmanuel announces that he will present a cup for an international dirigible balloon competition in Turin in 1911.

Mlle. Ragozinnikova, who on Oct. 28 killed Gen. Maximoffsky, director of the department of prisons of the Russian ministry of the interior, has been hanged.

George Engels, one of the best known German comedians and formerly a member of the Kleinen Theater company of Berlin, is dead. He was born in 1846.

Bank robbers at Pakoff, Russia, attacked seven men who were escorting a cashier carrying 1,300 roubles, murdered the whole party and decamped with the money.

Six men who were tried by court martial and sentenced to death on the charge of founding an association of anarchists and communists were hanged at Odessa.

The Odesski Novosti, the foremost progressive organ of Southern Russia, has been suppressed for a fortnight for publishing pictures of the progressive candidates for election to parliament.

The Canadian postoffice authorities have decided to use slot machines for the sale of stamps in Canadian cities. As it is illegal to sell stamps at Canadian hotels on Sunday such an innovation is needed.

An infernal machine was exploded on the railroad track near Kurst, Russia, in an attempt to wreck a train bound for Sebastopol. The track was torn up, but the locomotive was very slightly damaged.

In addition to being used as a wireless telegraph station, the Eiffel tower in Paris is now equipped as a luminous clock. The apparatus flashes forth every minute in huge figures, visible at a great distance.

Rev. Father Tyrell, the noted English Jesuit, whose books on religious subjects were condemned by the holy office, and who severely criticised the pope's encyclical on modernism, has been deprived of the right to administer the sacraments, pending the final action of the pontiff in the matter.

An interesting musical find is reported by the Berlin Tageblatt. It consists of eleven unknown dances by Beethoven, composed in 1819 for friends forming a musical society at Moedling, a suburb of Vienna. The dances were found at Leipsic. It is said they will shortly be published.

General News Items.

Hawaii's sugar crop for 1907 is the largest in the history of the islands. It amounts to 420,000 tons.

The thirty-seventh reunion of the Society of the Army of Tennessee is to be held Nov. 7-8 at Vicksburg, Miss.

The Massachusetts supreme court in deciding against the validity of a voting machine in that state, declares that any method of voting which hides the ballot from the voter is unconstitutional.

The New York city budget for the forthcoming year, as adopted by the board of estimate and apportionment, amounts to $143,572,266, an increase of $13,316,440 over 1907. The tax rate for 1908 will be 1.60, an increase of .12.

A petition headed by Gov. Deneen and backed by Grand Army posts and other patriotic bodies is being circulated in Chicago urging the passage by congress of the bill establishing a retired list for volunteer officers of the Civil war.

The mile-a-minute boat may soon be a reality, according to the opinions expressed by a party of naval engineers, yachtsmen and others who were afforded a private view of the vertebrate propeller invented by Joseph Turner of New York.

Norman Selby, better known as "Kid McCoy," the pugilist, has gone into the detective business in New York. With Frank Peabody, a former central detective, as a partner, he has opened a detective agency on Fifth avenue.

The Friend Paper company of West Carrollton, Ohio, has been placed in the hands of a receiver. The liabilities aggregate $1,000,000. The assets are said to be two or three times more than the liabilities. Inability to get money to keep the concern going was the cause of the failure.

State News of Interest

TO ASK STATE FOR MORE MONEY.

Buttermakers Want County Testing Inaugurated—Successful Meeting.

Officers were elected and important resolutions adopted at the closing session of the fourteenth annual convention of the Minnesota State Butter and Cheese Makers' association at St. Peter. M. P. Mortenson of Cokato was elected president, and the other officers chosen were: H. J. Dosenau, Meriden, vice president; Edwin Hed, Nicollet, secretary; W. T. Parkin, Northfield, treasurer; M. Sondegaard, Hutchinson, member of the directors of the Dairy Record for three years.

Edwin Hed of Nicollet, the new state champion, outlined his methods in a paper on how to produce high-grade butter, and Joel Winkjer of Crookston spoke on county testing associations to the end of increasing milk production. Mr. Winkjer would organize county and district associations and employ inspectors to teach progressive methods of feeding and breeding cattle. His proposition was well received and the incoming officers were instructed to appeal to the next legislature for an appropriation of sufficient size to inaugurate and carry on the work.

Before the convention adjourned resolutions were adopted indorsing Congressman C. R. Davis' bill for the establishment of industrial high schools and promising support to the Wisconsin Protective association in the fight it is making against discrimination in express rates.

To M. Johnson of Hutchinson belongs the honor of winning the first butter judges' scoring contest ever held in the United States. It was conceived by the members of the Minnesota State Butter and Cheese Makers' association to determine the ability of the butter experts to judge samples of butter entered in competition and was held at the opening of their annual convention Wednesday morning.

Under the rules governing it each participant was required to score sixteen tubs of butter and then rescore the product. If all were graded alike he was to receive a perfect score, but any deviations were to be counted against him. There were sixteen entries, and, in a way, the laugh is on the judges, for the records show that different contestants gave the same butter as many as five or six different grades.

The two sets of scores prepared by the Hutchinson men differed to the extent of five points and he was awarded first. The showing made was as follows: Samuel Haugdahl, St. Peter, 7 1-2; M. Sondegaard, Hutchinson, 8; H. P. Olson, St. Paul, 8 1-2; H. J. Credicott, Chicago, 8 1-2; J. C. Joslin, Mankato, 9; James Sorenson, Maple Plain, 14; H. A. Goetsch, St. Paul, 16; M. C. Cromer, Aurora, Ill., 16 1-2; J. W. Koensell, Lewiston, 18; J. O. Dybewick, St. Paul, 18 1-2; F. O'Donnell, Round Prairie, 21; L. J. Levenick, Darwin, 22; J. G. Moore, Madison, Wis., 22; C. F. Wendt, Welcome, 24; W. C. Thompson, Laselle, 26.

Making good butter seems to come natural to the Schandell family of Blue Earth county. In the annual butter scoring contest conducted by the Minnesota State Butter and Cheese Makers' association, A. G. Schandell of St. Clair and O. H. Schandell of Rapidan, brothers, finished first and second, their feat being the more remarkable from the fact that 251 tubs of butter were entered in competition. They get silver valued at $60 and $40 as special prizes, and in addition will receive their pro rata share of a fund of $1,400.

When the members of the association held their annual banquet the scores were announced. The top figures went to the Schandells, but a Nicollet county buttermaker, Edwin Hed of Nicollet, won the buttermaking championship of Minnesota on the basis of comparative scores. He was the leader in the educational contest started last May by the state dairy and food commission, and his mark of 95 enabled him to maintain his advantage.

CORPSE IN BUGGY.

Women Discover Driver of Team Has Met Death.

F. A. Mutchler of Fergus Falls took a party of hunters to Dead Lake one day last week, and died in his buggy while returning home. Two women driving in the opposite direction noticed that the reins had fallen from his hands. One of them calld to him, and upon receiving no answer they stopped his team. A brief investigation showed that he was dead. Mr. Mutchler was sixty years old and had been a resident of the county for thirty-six years.

Ernest Stenzel, another resident of the same locality, was found dead in his barn at about the same hour, his body being found in the haymow.

Both deaths are supposed to have been due to heart failure.

The creamery at Campbell, some distance southwest of Fergus Falls, was destroyed by fire. A prairie fire was set by a passing engine on the Great Northern, and flames spread to the building before they could be checked. The creamery was insured for $1,600.

Mayor John O'Leary of East Grand Forks has issued a proclamation declaring that he will personally see that every saloon in the city is closed on Sunday. He announces that violations of the law will be prosecuted vigorously.

SMALL PRICES FOR TIMBER.

State Sale Resulted in Spiritless Bidding and Disappointing Prices.

The state disposed of approximately 26,000,000 feet of timber at the annual sale held last week at the state capitol.

The average price paid was $7.50 per thousand feet. The highest price realized was $9.10, paid by Martin Bros. of Duluth for a tract containing 710,000 feet of mixed timber.

The sale realized the state about $200,000. Of this amount about $49,000 was paid down. In all 41,000,000 feet of timber was offered for sale.

A year ago out of 40,000,000 feet offered over 35,000,000 was sold and nearly $500,000 realized. The average price received was $9.35 per thousand feet, and the highest figure, $13.55 for one tract. The bidding, too, was spirited. Last week it was listless. The state auditor, who conducted the sale, said it was a good one considering the class of timber offered, and the many small tracts, but the lumbermen present refused to accept it as such. They declared the appraisals in the face of a dropping market were entirely too high.

Thomas Shevlin and the Weyerhaeusers, always big bidders, bought but little of the timber offered. What was sold went largely to the small firms.

Asked to bid on a number of tracts near which he has crews, Mr. Shevlin gave a decided "no."

"Not on those appraisals," replied Mr. Shevlin. "Timber has taken a tumble of nearly $4 a thousand now and it is going lower," added Mr. Shevlin. Other buyers agreed with him.

The biggest piece offered was 5,850,000 feet and it went to the McDonald Land and Timber company at the appraised figure of $8. There were no competing bids. A small piece of mixed stuff containing 460,000 feet was run up 20 cents, selling for $8.20. Two others, one of 1,000,000 feet and another of 1,580,000 feet, were run up from $6, the appraised figure, to $7.25 and $7.50, respectively. It was the Crookston Lumber company, a Shevlin enterprise, that caused the competition here.

The Alger Lumber company, the St. Croix Lumber company and the Itasca Lumber company were the principal buyers.

The Johnson-Wentworth company bid the appraised figure of $9 for a piece carrying 2,400,000 feet and got it. Very few pieces carrying under 1,000,000 feet were sold.

The timber board passed on the question of abandoning the sale and decided that it would be unwise. Attorney General Young, however, contended that it would be better to call the sale off, because of the present financial troubles.

PLAN MISSION MEETING.

Lutherans of North Minnesota Valley to Convene on Nov. 29.

Ministers and lay delegates to the annual mission meeting of the North Minnesota Valley mission district will convene in St. Peter on Nov. 29 and 30. Between twelve and fourteen ministers, pastors of Swedish Lutheran and English Lutheran churches in that part of the state will be present at the gathering and delegates will be elected by twenty-three congregations. The officers of the district organization are: Rev. L. P. Bergstrom of Winthrop, president; Rev. S. G. Swanson of East Union, vice president; Rev. J. E. Hedberg of Vesta, secretary; Rev. J. V. Soderman of Scandia Grove, treasurer, and Rev. E. J. Nystrom of St. Peter, statistician. The convention will be held at the time the Swedish Lutheran church of St. Peter celebrates the fiftieth anniversary of its founding, and among the more prominent ministers who will be present will be Dr. E. Norelius of Vasa, president of the Augustana synod, and Rev. J. E. Krantz of West Duluth, president of the Minnesota conference.

CONTROL BOARD IS SPLIT.

Two Said to Favor Creation of New Official to Look After Charities.

Report at the state capitol is that a new official to the staff of the state board of control is to be added. Heretofore there has been no one specially in charge of charities, but the work formerly done by the state board of charities and corrections has been done as far as possible by members of the board. They have not been able to get around and inspect county jails, hospitals, lockups, poor farms and such institutions, and it is proposed to add a department for this purpose, to be in charge of an employe of the board.

The legality of this proceeding was questioned, it is said, by S. W. Leavitt, but it has been sanctioned by an opinion from the attorney general's department and is favored by Messrs. Roeing and Ringdal.

The annual timber sale will be conducted on Thursday at the capitol by the state auditor, when about 45,000,000 feet of state timber will be offered for sale. It is expected that the cash payments on the timber sold will amount at least to $75,000, which will be a welcome addition to the treasury in its present condition. While the present unsettled condition of the money market may have some slight effect on the sale it is not thought that the effect will amount to much and that a good price will be received for the timber.

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Timothy Sullivan was killed near Biwabik by a Missabe road train.

Mrs. Mary Gittens, a pioneer of Pine Creek, died, aged eighty-one years. She was one of the oldest settlers in the valley.

The warehouse of the Hinckley Implement company at Hinckley burned to the ground. The loss is $2,400; insurance, $1,500.

Jackson Kidder of Fergus Falls, clerk of court of Ottertail county, shot his left hand off while hunting at Little Pine lake, near Perham.

All of the elevators at Benson and at the small towns near by have been closed until the present unsteadiness in the markets has ceased.

H. H. Luders, who owns the largest farm in Otter Tail county, met with a serious accident. His right hand was cut off in a corn shredder.

Louie Rehfeldt suicided at his room in the Milwaukee house at Winona by shooting himself in the right temple. He had been on a prolonged spree.

The Midway horse barn at Breckenridge, owned by G. E. Moody of Wahpeton, N. D., was totally destroyed by fire. The building was valued at $2,000; partially insured.

Fred Shellgren, a pioneer citizen of the east end of Swift county, committed suicide by taking carbolic acid. He was found in his room shortly before he died. No cause has been given for his deed.

Freight Train No. 69, west-bound, was wrecked two miles west of Grand Meadow, and six cars and the caboose were derailed. The track was badly torn up for several hundred feet. No one was seriously hurt.

Residents of Janesville are greatly aroused over the desecration of a cemetery near the village. Vandals entered the graveyard in the dark, overturned a dozen tombstones and committed other lawless acts.

Jacob Hyoonen, a miner employed at the Canister mines at Bovey, was killed while descending the shaft on a ladder. A piece of board fell when he was within fifty feet of the bottom and knocked him off the ladder.

The jury in the case of the state against John Meagher, charged with the murder of Morris Frawley on the Big Fork river, brought in a verdict of not guilty at Duluth. Mr. Meagher is of Northfield, where he bears a good reputation.

A stranger forged the payee's name to a check he found given by Frank Sabothka, a thresher, on the Windom National bank for $40. The forgery was discovered immediately, but the forger escaped on a train. The sheriff captured him later.

Rev. T. H. M. Villiers Appleby, Episcopal archdeacon of Duluth, had an interview with President Roosevelt last week, at which he took occasion to complain of his unsuccessful efforts in retaining certain Minnesota land for church purposes.

According to the figures of the Duluth Directory company, just given out, Duluth now has a population of 86,188, a gain of 4,885 during the year ending Oct. 1. The total number of names is 36,404, and to this is applied the multiple of 2 1-4.

A prairie fire in Lac qui Parle county, which had its origin across the line in South Dakota, has been reported to Gen. C. C. Andrews, state forestry commissioner. The fire burned over several hundred acres, destroying some corn and thousands of tons of hay and straw.

Fire that originated in room 31 of the Tremont hotel at Duluth at 9 o'clock last night did damage to the amount of $15,000. It is supposed the fire originated from a carelessly thrown match or cigar stub. People in their rooms had not retired, and all escaped without injury.

A prairie fire was started by sparks from a passing train near Little Falls. The grass was as dry as powder, and the firemen struggled five hours before the conflagration could be put out. Several acres were burned black and bare. Section men were called in to assist the firemen, and the fire was finally put out.

Trading in grain was suspended on the Duluth board of trade Monday morning, owing to the money conditions. No sales were made in either cash grain or the options although the trading room was open and the members were on the floor. Business will not be resumed until conditions improve, and the country elevators are being advised not to buy grain.

On account of a dense fog and rails that were slippery with frost, two street cars bumped into each other at Winona, and both were badly smashed. One was loaded with workmen going to the factory district and the other with people coming down town to their offices and stores. Every person on both cars was bruised, but strangely not one was seriously hurt.

August Ratzal, forty-four years old, fell into the elevator of the Laird-Norton planing mill at Winona, and, although it appeared that he was not seriously hurt, he died the next morning. Examination showed that a small blood vessel in the brain was ruptured, which caused his death.

The worst swamp fires for thirteen years are raging in Woodside and Eastern, near Parkers Prairie. They have been burning for several days, and are taking a northerly direction, following the Wing river. Hundreds [illegible]

IRON ORE MAKES GOOD ROADS.

They Are Solid and Cost Little to Maintain.

Iron ore makes good roads, is the conclusion drawn by George W. Cooley, engineer of the state highway commission, who has just made a trip through the iron range, looking over the road work in the district. The roads in that district are built of iron ore, but it is a grade so low that it cannot be converted into iron.

The kind used in roadmaking runs as high as 25 per cent of iron, and is what is known as lean ore. It is found generally on top of the main ore body after the stripping has been completed. This ore is hauled to the dumps. The local authorities are welcome to it and are only put to the expense of hauling it. The cost of building roads out of this material runs from $1,000 to $1,400 a mile, the roads being from sixteen to twenty feet wide and eight or nine inches deep.

This ore is used quite generally throughout the iron ranges and is found to be an excellent road-making material. Although road rollers are now used in that part of the state for making country roads, it has been found that this material will pack hard and form a good solid road which does not cost much to maintain. The cost of such roads is about the same as the cost of gravel roads in this part of the country, where the material costs about 10 cents a yard. The material in the ranges is free, but it is very heavy and the cost of hauling it is greater.

Mr. Cooley made a trip of nearly twenty miles over such roads between Biwabik and Virginia, going by way of McKinley, Sparta and Eveleth. He found the roads on that trip well packed and in good condition, although they were rather dusty. There are between 200 and 300 miles of this kind of road on the ranges and they are giving general satisfaction.

SENTENCE CUT DOWN.

Carlos A. Young of Lyon County Gets Reduction of Two Years.

The pardon board has granted the petition of Charles A. Young for a commutation of his sentence from seven to five years. Young was sentenced from Lyon county June 9, 1905, to the state prison for seven years, and at the session of the pardon board of Oct. 14 a petition for the commutation was presented and a hearing given. It was urged in support of the petition that Young had been induced to plead guilty to the charge of embezzling $600 by reason of an agreement that he was to receive a sentence of five years. It was on this ground that the commutation was granted.

A protest against the granting of a pardon was presented by E. B. Corens of Tracy at the time of the hearing. He was not, however, informed prior to the hearing that the petition was simply for a commutation, but he entered a protest against any reduction in the sentence. The matter was adjourned in order to permit of a further investigation into the case, with the result that the communication was granted.

Young was charged with embezzlement on several charges. The other cases were dropped when he entered a plea of guilty to the one charge upon which he was sentenced.

TO MAKE VACCINE.

State Board of Health Makes Decision.

On and after Jan. 1 the state board of health will manufacture and distribute vaccine virus for vaccination purposes free. The local boards of health will be provided with the virus, and its further distribution placed under their care.

The matter was taken up by the state board of health at its meeting recently, and the manufacture and distribution of the virus, as above stated, agreed upon. It will involve considerable expense, but the board believes the step will be of incalculable benefit to the state.

A resolution was adopted by the board, that rummage sales are detrimental to health. At the next meeting a set of rules looking to the regulation of such sales and the handling of the old clothing involved, will probably be adopted.

A stringent set of rules protecting the purity of the water at Lake Minnetonka was adopted by the board. The depositing of all impure matter in the lake is forbidden. Stables or buildings housing animals or fowl are prohibited within seventy-five feet of the shore line.

Getting Back at Him.

Howell—Didn't you think it was a pretty glum crowd when you came into the room?

Powell—Yes; I imagined you had been telling one of your funny stories.

Howell—I had just told them that you were coming.

The Fall Setting.

Reds and yellows all about
Supersede the greenery.
Nature has her artists out
Fixing up the scenery.

Individuality.

"I consider that the work done by the individual in his own individual way is the best thing possible for him if he has anything to say he will say it in this way."—Mac Whirter, R. A. [illegible]

HATE SIGNING MAIL

TASK TAKES UP MUCH TIME OF CABINET OFFICERS.

Some of the Secretaries Spend Two Hours Daily at Job—Matter May Be Taken Up by Next Congress.

One of these ever old but ever new propositions that probably will receive some attention at the coming session of congress is the signing of mail by cabinet officers.

Some of the new men who have come in with the Roosevelt administration, especially some of the younger men who were shuffled in on the last round of cabinet changes, have been seriously discussing the subject.

They say that the hardest manual labor of a cabinet job is the signing of mail according to law.

Some of the secretaries spend two hours a day in the busy season simply signing their names. A messenger stands at their elbows and removes and blots the sheets as fast as they are signed, and the secretary does not any more know what nine-tenths of the things are that he is signing than if they were written in cuneiform characters.

It is the law and has to be complied with, but it is only a daily grind, for all the cabinet officers hate it, and it wastes about two hours of the secretary's time that he might very profitably devote to something else. It used to be that treasury notes and bonds and the like had to be signed by hand, but the job got so big that the treasurer and the comptroller could not possibly have managed it and the antiquated law was changed.

In the same way it was only within a few years that typewriters were introduced into the state department. All the correspondence up to that time was done in manuscript. Now, if the cabinet officer's signature is done away with another of the antique customs of the government will have been sacrificed to modern utilitarianism.

Engravers Well Paid.

George F. C. Smillie, an engraver in the bureau of engraving and printing, draws $5,000 a year. He is considered one of three men in the United States who rank at the top of the profession. He is an adept at portrait engraving, most of the portraits on government notes, bonds, etc., being his work. It is possible that he has no equal in the United States in his line. He is descended from a family of engravers and artists. His grandfather and his father were expert engravers, and members of his family are noted as artists in whatever line they undertake.

The salary paid Mr. Smillie calls attention to the fact that there are comparatively few expert engravers in the United States, so far as the making of plates for currency and other government obligations are concerned. In the bureau of engraving and printing there are 20 engravers. Their salaries range from $1,000 to $6,000 a year.

England Has "White Farm."

As the result of a process by which every portion of the exterior surface of the White House was "burned" free of the many coats of white lead it has received since building, the outside of the White House is whiter than it has been for years and more than ever justifies Mr. Roosevelt's decision to make White House its official name instead of the erstwhile, executive mansion. Every state has one of the latter, but Washington city, alone has a White House. England apparently "goes us one better" with its white farm, where not only the residence, but all farm buildings and even the animals are white. The free and independent Britishers who till the soil and churn the butter on this particular farm, are compelled, according to a recently returned globetrotter, to don white smocks and white frocks to bear out the general impression of whiteness, desired by the owners, Lord and Lady Allogton.

WHY THEY DIDN'T STOP OFF.

Scarcity of Congressmen Due to Passage of Rate Bill.

A prominent railroad man stationed in Washington explained the absence of senators and representatives to congress from Washington during the present summer. Hitherto during their vacation members of congress had the habit of dropping into Washington for a day or two to pay personal attention to matters of interest to their districts pending before the departments. Members from the far west on their way to the seashore or a week's whirl in New York always made it a point to stop at Washington on "routine business."

During these visits the congressmen always found it convenient, not to say necessary, to go along Newspaper Row and visit the Washington bureau of their home papers and explain that even during the warm weather they were in Washington looking after the interest of their constituents.

This summer the congressmen have been conspicuous for their absence. The reason for this, as given by the railroad man, is that congressmen, like all the rest of mankind these days, have to buy their railroad tickets and do not travel on passes.

Before the passage of the railroad rate bill all the congressmen had to do was to drop a line to their favorite railroad passenger agent and ask for passes to New York via Washington. Now when they travel they pay so much per mile, and find it cheaper and more convenient to go direct to New York than to make the loop into Washington.

Washington Rang This Bell.

Among the rare mementoes of the old days in Washington, preserved by a Washington family, is a small bell shaped like an old-fashioned cow bell. It once hung in the office of the old City hotel in Alexandria, and was connected by wire with the bell pull in the room on the first floor, opposite the parlor of that hotel, which was used by Washington as his headquarters in Alexandria from the time the building was erected in 1790 to the time of his death, in 1799. This hotel fell into the hands of Frederick Schwab exactly as it stood when Washington entered it the last time. In 1892 Mr. Schwab concluded to modernize the hotel, and took down the old bells and bell wires, carefully preserving those of authenticated historical interest. The bell which had been so often janged by the strong pull of Gen. Washington was presented by Mr. Schwab to Capt. Richard M. Goundie in 1893. Capt. Goundie commanded the Second Pennsylvania heavy artillery at the close of the civil war. Capt. Goundie presented the bell to his wife as a birthday present, and it has called her guests to supper every birthnight anniversary since that time.

Considerate Bridegroom.

A Belleville girl and a young man, both of whom had steady jobs, were married the other day. The day after they were married the girl said to her fond husband:

"Oh, George! now that we are married, there is only one thing I regret, and that is that I have to give up my fine position."

The fond young husband stroked the silken tresses of the young wifey's hair and soothingly replied:

"Now, darling, don't worry. You needn't give up your position. I'll give up mine."—Judge.

Virtues of Buttermilk.

Ordinary sour buttermilk is a better tonic, is a better food than was ever bottled or boxed up by the chemist or doctor. Buttermilk is a very hearty food. Two glasses a day is enough for any one. This should be drunk with meals, or else should not be taken within two hours of a meal. Time should be given for it to thoroughly digest, and to drink another glass before the first one is digested is only to stir up difficulty with the digestive organs. Really, the best way to drink buttermilk is with the meals, though it may be drunk between meals as a sort of easily digested lunch.

NEW RAILWAY STATION READY

Washington's new Union station, which has cost, with other terminal facilities provided, nearly $15,000,000, has been opened to the public. The work was started about four years ago and it has been done under the supervision of the Pennsylvania and Baltimore & Ohio railroads, with architects employed by the government acting in an advisory capacity. It is said to be the finest railroad station in the world. It is of white marble and is constructed in accordance with what is known as the "Burnham plan," for the beautification of Washington.

One-third of the cost has been borne by the United States government and the other two-thirds by the railroads. With the exception of the trains of the Baltimore & Ohio, every train entering Washington now uses the tracks of the Pennsylvania railroad, which occupy a great trough extending through the park system called the "Mall," past the agricultural department, the Smithsonian institution, the National museum and the government printing office. It was to reclaim this right of way for park purposes that the new Union station plan was adopted. Trains now enter the city from the southwest; under the new plan they will enter from the northeast, and the tracks will not touch any government reservation. The new station has many novel features in the way of equipment.

It has a "president's waiting room," which is so arranged that the president and distinguished visitors can enter the station by a reserved entrance without being compelled to pass through crowds of people. The station's capacity is such that the largest inauguration crowds can be easily handled. Its trackage equipment is said to be the most complete in the country.

CRAFTY EMPRESS OF CHINA TO DROP REINS OF POWER

For Fifty Years She Has Been Most Despotic Ruler in Modern History.

Half a century of rule by a woman, whose career has no parallel in history, has about run its course. The empress of China is to abdicate in favor of her nephew, who now is nominally the emperor.

This slave girl, who by sheer force of beauty and craft ascended to the throne of a nation, whose subjects comprise more than one-third of the world's population, can only be compared with Queen Elizabeth or Catherine of Russia in the despotic power she has wielded. But the domination of these queens never even approached hers. Napoleon in the zenith of his glory never controlled as many people as she.

Her life is one long record of mystery and intrigue. The tiny Tzu-hsi, she being only five feet tall, during all her long period of control, has faced rebellions, and has had to outwit the designs of foreign nations who sought to confiscate her fecund realm. No minister of state stood at her elbow to guide her strokes of diplomacy. All that she has done has proceeded from her own cleverness. No human being in our generation, if in the world's history, has ever been more absolutely invested with supreme power of dictation.

Truly a great event will it be when Tzu-hsi lays down the scepter.

The long life of this monarch, she is now seventy-three, has been shrouded in almost impenetrable mystery. Many of her own ministers have never seen her, for most of her conferences of state are held while she sits behind a screen, where she can see without being seen. It is said that only once has a camera ever caught her features, and only once has her portrait been painted. Both of these concessions to modern customs have come within the last few years when even the palace of the empress felt the wave of modern thought that has been sweeping over the world.

It was the greed for power that first drove the young girl to seek the favor of the emperor.

She was then but a slave girl, though the daughter of a good family, her father a Manchu nobleman having at one time held an important post at Pekin. But misfortunes assailed him and sent him almost in utter destitution with his son and daughter into Canton.

At the lowest ebb of his fortunes he did what seems incomprehensible to our Occidental standards, but which in the Orient is the most natural expedient for a man in financial trouble, he sold his beautiful daughter into slavery.

Tzu-hsi was fortunate that her purchasers were not only people of quality but liberally endowed also with the milk of human kindness. They took a great fancy to the girl, and had her taught to read and write, a rare thing at that time.

She was ambitious and advanced so in her knowledge that her proud owner also had her taught ethics, astronomy and mathematics, so that eventually she became the most learned young woman in Canton.

The turn in her fortunes came in 1850, when the emperor issued an invitation for all comely young women of Manchu descent to present themselves at the palace to be examined for admission to the lists of the ruler's secondary wives.

Tzu-hsi persuaded her foster parents to let her enter the competition, and when they gave consent it was accompanied by the presentation of a liberal outfit of the most beautiful clothes, so that she might bear comparison with any who came.

Six hundred made application and only ten succeeded, Tzu-hsi being among the number.

The domination of this ordinary woman dates from this period. From the time she gained a footing in the household of the emperor she distanced all rivals for his regard. Members of the imperial family, nobles of the court and great men of the empire all fell under her sway. She moved them about as the pawns in a game. None could resist her will.

When in 1860 Pekin was captured by the French and English allies the young woman was the only person in power who kept her head. Her hatred for the "foreign devils" was surpassed by none, especially as they promised purposeful Tzu-hsi was the real ruler, and the prince of I soon had it made clear to him that unless he wished to lose his valued head, he had better cease opposing the autocrat of the country.

She then had her way with the foreign invaders. She used a pretense of deference in dealing with them, but when finally they were clear of the country, she vented her rage on what Christians still remained.

In 1875 the baby emperor died, and again there rose suspicions that poison had aided his way into the realms of bliss. Far from being surprised over the sudden death, the dowager was apparently prepared, for she grabbed her nephew, Tsai-tien, then three years old, took him to the throne room, and pronounced him emperor, and none dared dispute her will.

Under the title of Kwang-hsu, this weakling has since remained nominal ruler of China, but he has only been permitted to have what authority she deemed safe.

And yet despite her adherence to

TSZE AE, EMPRESS OF CHINA, AS SHE APPEARS TO-DAY.

to interfere with her cherished dream of being China's ruler. But she did not show her true attitude. Against her desire for pacific measures was ranged the prince of I., a powerful but fanatical statesman, who declined to temper his hatred of Europeans by the least pretense of cunning. The prince and Tzu-hsi waged a bitter warfare for control of the emperor, and just when it looked as though the prince would get the better of the woman the emperor conveniently died, though it has always been suspected that human agencies contributed materially to his mysterious and still unexplained finish.

I-tchou was succeeded by his son, Tsai-tchanon, whose mother, Aei An, should have been the regent, but the archaic ideas of power the venerable empress has shown herself able to keep in touch with modern ideas.

She greatly admires Americans—in fact, they are the only foreign people who do not come in for violent hatred. The part Secretary Hay played in preventing the partition of China by the allies perhaps has much to do with this.

Kwang-hsu will be lucky if he can hold China together as his unscrupulous but clever aunt has.

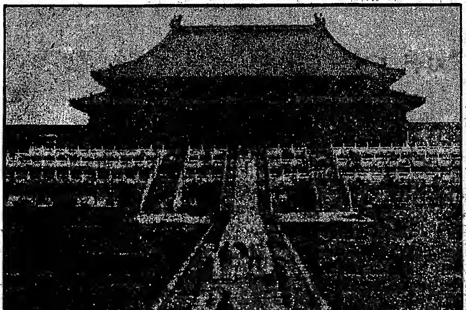
Harpooned.

"She asked me to sing."

"That shows her tact and self-sacrificing desire to please a guest."

"How so?"

"Why, she just loves music."



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Those who have tried this say it positively overcomes pain in the back, clears the urine of sediment and regulates urination, especially at night, curing even the worst forms of bladder weakness.

Every man or woman here who feels that the kidneys are not strong or acting in a healthy manner should mix this prescription at home and give it a trial, as it is said to do wonders for many persons.

The Scranton (Pa.) Times was first to print this remarkable prescription, in October, of 1906, since when all the leading newspapers of New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Pittsburg and other cities have made many announcements of it to their readers.

The Old-fashioned Way.

"Now, Mandy, I like cheerful service. Do you wash with alacrity?"

"No's; I jest uses plain soap."

GERMANY HELPS BOYS.

Looks Up Positions for Them Before They Leave School.

When an American boy leaves school he does not always know what sort of work he wants or is fit for. Or even when he knows exactly what kind of a job he desires, he often does not know at all how to find it. Such a job as he aims for may not exist within his opportunities of place and time. So the boy leaving school may drift into an unsuitable occupation, or, worse, into no occupation at all, in spite of an honest wish originally to work. In Germany they order these things better.

Every year printed schedules of comprehensive questions are sent to every head teachr of the Munich schools to be distributed among the pupils who are going to leave the schools that year.

The pupils are asked to put themselves in communication with the municipal labor bureau, which will advise them as to the choice of a vocation, and give them the best chance possible to secure work.

Yearly circulars are also sent to all the trade guilds and other labor societies to enlist their co-operation.

The children respond readily to the aid given them. Boys come by dozens to the offices of the bureau in search of positions as apprentice or beginner. Each brings a form of application filled up by himself, but signed by his teacher.

When the bureau finds a place for him he is notified by post card and presents himself for examination by the employer, wherever and whenever the latter may appoint.

Whther the boy takes the job or not, he must report to the bureau the result of the interview, and this goes on until work is procured, which suits him and which he is able to do.

For the direction of the boys the labor bureau has prepared, with the aid of expert employers and medical men, a handbook of the industries open to a boy. This handbook describes the different kinds of work, the qualifications necessary to each, the prospects of promotion or steady employment, the health conditions, the dangers and difficulties, the cost and time of training and everything else which the boy and his parents ought to know before choosing his career.

A ladies' committee has lately been appointed to look after the girls, also, from the schools. So the young people of Munich have a first-rate chance for a good start in life.

Pantaloons Fooled Her.

Two titled Chinese maids, on their way to enter Wellesley college, were barred from the women's waiting room at the railroad station to-day.

The trouble with the little Celestial maids was their flowered silken pantaloons made them look like boys.

Miss Faung Yui Tsao, their guardian, held a whispered talk with Mrs. Chase, the station matron, who blushed, smiled and let the maids pass in. They were Miss Chi Che Wang and Miss Ming Hsiahn.

The Right of Selection.

The strong-minded lady glared at the little man.

"Women will soon claim the right of matrimonial selection," she said.

"With the consent of the selected, of course?" quoth the little man.

"That will be determined later," said the strong-minded lady. "But you may rest assured of one thing. There will be no shilly-shallying."

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WE congratulato Attorncy General Young in escaping frnm the clutches of Bill Grimshaw.

MR. COLE apparently admits being defeated for governor last year, and gives this explanation: "No man in the state, handicapped as I was, could have won the lest election." We don't know to whom Mr. Cole is alludin' but it strikes us his chief handicap was in having John A. Johnson for an opponent.

OWING to the increase in the eost of printing materials three more newspapers in this state have suspended publication, tho cost of production being greater and the increase in cost faster than the income. Tho papers are the Odessa Tribune, the Beardsloy News and the Welcome Times.

THE Littlo Falls Herald remarks that "the course of the democratic press and leaders during the financial flurry is worthy of remembrance Instead of trying to make political capital which would be a very easy thing to do under circumstances, they have done all in their power to induce calmness. Mr. Bryan has everywhere talked confidence and hope. The contrast betwzen these conditions and the acts of some other parties in some other years is very noticcablo.

THE proclamation of the President admitting Oklahoma into the Union as the 46th stato will be issued to take effect Nov. 16th when the new state governor will be installed. A new star in the field of blue, to represent upon our national flag the state of Oklahoma, will not be added until July 4, 1908. Without regard to the day upon which a state may bo admitted, the star cannot be added to the flag, under an act of congress approved April 4, 1818, until upon the following Independence day. The present arrangement of forty-five stars is strikingly symmetrical. Like corn in a well planted field, the stars appear in line from any point of view.

THE Duluth Herald has collected some interesting figures bearing on the presidential elections of the past forty years, which shows that the biggest "landslides" in the countries history were not so very big after all. In these forty years only eight presidents have received a majority of the popular vote, that is moro than half of all the votes cast. The presidents elected by a majority votes are as follows: 1840, Harrison over Vun Buren with 53 percent of thu vote; 1851, Pierce over Scott with 51 percent of the vote; 1584 Lincoln over McClellan with 55 percent of the voto; 1868 Grant over Seymour, with 53 percent of the vote; Grant over Greely with 55 percent of the vote: 1896, McKinley over Bryan with 51 percent of the vote; 1900 McKinley over Bryan with 52 perceat of the vote; 1904 Roosevelt over Parker with 56 percent of the vote.

CONGRESSMAN HAMMOND, the lone democrat on the Mianesota delegatioa is in favor of tariff revision—now. He says: "The seatiment in this district is strongly in fevor of e revision of the tariff schedules, and with that sentiment I em in full accord. Assuming that there should be such revision, there is ia my opinion no good reason for postponing the work. Those who urge delay or fear that tariff legislation may not effect the results of the presideutial election, must consider the success of a political party of more importance than the aeed of the country for right legislation. Those who assert that the duties upon specific articles cannot be lowered or removed without a comploto overhauling of the tariff are unmiadful of the fact that such chaages have beea made time and again. I will gladly support legislation looking to the removal of the tariff on lumber, coal. pulpwood for paper makers, and articles so controlled by trusts that there is no competiticn in their sele in our merkets.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Morris Star: The various kiads of weather prophets are out with their signs ead most of them predict a long, cold winter with plenty of snow. They cannot be fer off, for the average winter is long enough and most of them are even loager.

Stillwater Gezette: Too much prosperity. too much expense and not knowing when to cut off steem, have brought on the present little attack that isn't a quarter as severe as the pessimists would have yoa believe. The country is ell bere, the crops were aever better aad the people are in good health. All that is needed is a little common sense, coolness and conservatism, and extinguish that yellow streak. Then the financial ship will glide along as smooth as ever and in a few months we wonder how we could have been so badly rattled when there was so little cause.

St. Peter Free Press: Whatever objections one may have ageinst William Jennings Bryan's politics, there is no question as to his intentions and honesty of purpose. When his attention was called to the cherge made by the Wall street stock gamblers, that President Roosevelt was to blame for the present financial difficulties, he at once strongly defended the president's position and held that "we shouldn't blame the sheriff but blame the horse thief." In his opinion the president is acting the honest executive, who enforces existing laws against a lot of criminals who should be behind the bars.

Zumbrota News: Medical men cen tell us there is nothing like sleeping out doors. If everything keeps advancing most of us poor devils will have to.

Ortonville Herald-Star: Very rightly President Roosevelt believes that puncturiug the fictions will not bring on a panic. People don't go crazy when watered stocks show a slump.

Madison Independent Press: The tilting of the sulary of the public examiner from $4,100, the figure intended by the legislature, to $4,500, by some copying clerk might better be set down as a clerical error than iateational fraud. Why not? Isn't it better to regard it as an bonest mlstake rather than a piece of roguery, espeeially as there seems no way of discovering who did it? Evidently that is what it was, as the amount involved was not large enough to suggest anything else.

Long Prairie Leader: There is ene thing that tho Johnson republicans of the stato can be given credit for. By putting Minnesota into the doubtful column they at least mado her sons presidential possibilities. Senator Clapp is now being mentioned as the proper men for vice preeidential timber to keep the state in the republican column in case Bryan decides to make Johnson his running mate next summer.

Albert Lea Standard: What's the matter this year with Minnesota? Everything—everything that's good and plenty and splendid. More then over before abundance, wealth, health and happiness prevail in the stores, shops, factorles and homes of the state.

Anoka Union: Striaging beads le a growing fad with the young folke. The Eighth congressionel district should etring its.

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During the past few deys a number of "subscriptioa reminders" heve been sent to our out-of-town subscribers. Please let us hear from you at your eerliest conveaience es we need the money.

A. L. Reichert's prize for market day is six bottles of Scarless Liniment to the farmer who guesses nearest the number of prescriptions filled et his store during the months of July, August ead September.

Clerk of Courts C. W. Johnson issued marriage liceases the past week as follows: Albert A. Ness to Caren O. Bolstad; Knut Ystesund to Meria Heasoa, both of Hilda; Charles S. Fisher to Augueta Laatenbech, both of Thief River Falls; Jacob S. Gebrielson to Sophia M. Odie, both of Thief River Fells; Frederick Luadgren to Agnes Ruud both of Grend Forks.

As we predicted, the Fertile leds lost their scalps upon the local gridiron last Saturday efternoon, the score being 21 to 0 in favor of the home tenm. The visitors were e fine bunch of high school lads end played a good end fast geme, but the story of their defeat is too sad to relate. The points made were by Toupin, who mede the first touchdown, Richards two touch-downs and Brunelle one, while Zaiser kicked goel, making the twenty-one points. A lerge number of fans and four young ledies eccompanied the Fertile lads and witaessed their untimely defeat,

Red Lake Falls, Minnesote, Nov. 12, 1907: Oa Oct. 23, 1907, the depot office of the United States Exprees compeay at Milwaukee, Wis., was robbed of an emount of moaey consisting of currency and gold coin. The gold was in fives, tens end tweaties. Of the currency stolen $6.350.00 was ia new National Bank notes of the Milwaukee Nat'l benk, Milwaukee, Wis. $10,00 aad $20.00 denominations. Serial numbers in upper right head corner of bills are N-249984 to N-250110, inclusive. The sheet aumbers in lower left hend coraer are 6010 to 6135, inclusive. All of the above described bills were stolen. If found in possession of unknown parties, please notify the undersigned.—J. L. Tracy, Agent G. N. Ex. Co.

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Dr. N. M. Wntson was a business promulgator in Crookston last evening.

A. Satterberg was down from St. Hilaire the other afternoon for a few hours.

Banker C. L. Hansen was down from St. Hilaire last evening on business.

H. E. Ives was down from St. Hilaire Monday afternoon in attendance at court.

W. A. Schreiter transacted business in Thief River Falls between trains Monday.

The board of county commissioners will meet in regular session next Monday, the 18th.

The river is now frozen over and the young lads are devoting their spare time to the art of skating.

W. A. Rhichel offers fifteen photos for the price of one dozen on Market Day. Frames at great reduction.

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For Sale—wind mill, Aermotor make, almost new, 60 ft 4 frame tower and 12 ft wheel. See S. A. Swanson.

Chas. Johnson was over from Wylie last Thursday a guest at the home of his son, C. W. Johnson and family.

Mrs. C. L. Gray & Daughter have a new announcement in today's paper that will interest all our readers, especially the ladies.

Attorney J. A. Town, of Worthington, was in the city the latter part of last week and transacted business with the clerk of courts.

The Big Store has "Market Day Specials" for their patrons. Don't fail to read the ad before sending to some mail order concern for like articles.

I ain't feeling well today,
Somthing wrong I must say,
Come to think of it, that's right,
I forgot my Rocky Mountain tea
last night.—W.A. Schreiter.

Whether your elementary education is poor or good; whether you wish to prepare for a good business position or university, Grand Forks College can supply your needs. 7-tf

Editor A. F. Lattimore, of "Eleven Towns," was down from Erie the fore part of the week on a combined business and pleasure trip. This office was favored with a pleasant call.

It is deliciously palatable, agrees with the weakest stomach, contains the most soothing, healing, strengthening elements. Makes you well and happy. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. A. Schreiter.

The first snow of the season fell last Saturday morning, but it proved only a "hoodo" to the local nimrods as it was of short duration and remained only a few hours. However, snow flurries have been flying thru the air much of the time since then and still there isn't enough snow on the ground to track a deer.

Good young team weighing 2,500 for sale. See Wm. Zaiser.

M. O. Sortedahl is home from his business trip to Fergus Falls.

Call at the Gazette office and see our fine line of fancy stationery.

Anderson & Wonder have a new adv for our readers to consider this week.

Brunelle Bros. have a mischievous ad this week for market day readers.

Marcus Johnson was up from St. Paul Tuesday looking after business interests.

Franz F. Freund was a business promulgator in Crookston last Friday evening.

W. A. Schroiter offers twenty per cent off on Prussian Stock Food on Market Day.

Congressman Steenerson was up from Crookston the first of the week attending court.

Don't forget the Thanksgiving dance at the opera house. Everybody will be there.

Two cars of nice soft coal just received by A. L. Roy, the drayman. Give him a call when in need.

Grand hall at the opera house Thanksgiving eve, Nov. 27. Music by the Red Lake Falls orchestra.

Mesdames Otto Kankel and 'Gene Cooke, of Fertile, are guests this week at the home of G. A. Kankel.

Mesdames Fred Borchers and Jas. H. Cross visited St. Hilaire friends between trains last Saturday.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at their hall on Friday evening, at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Just received twenty more fur-collared, plush, satin and bear-skin lined. Come and look them over.—The Big Store.

Hugo Ittner and Paul Brunelle busied themselves the first of the week as "chimney sweeps." Idleness does not lurk in their veins.

Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Sortedahl are the proud parents of a bright, blue-eyed daughter which came to add joy to their home on the 10th inst.

For Sale:—SE¼ and E½ SW¼ Sec. 9-151-43; 6 miles from Red Lake Falls and 7 miles from Plummer. Price, $10.00 per acre, easy terms. Enquire of S4, care Gazette office.

Editor John Eastman, of the Thief River Falls News, was a pleasant caller at this office Monday while in the city as a witness in the C. W. Latta case against Julius Pleth, etal.

Constipation, indigestion drive away appetite, and make you weak and sick. Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea restores the appetite, drives away disease, builds up the sysem. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. A. Schreiter.

Grand Forks College prepares for University, College, Business, Normal, Literary, Classical, Scientific and Commercial. Exceptional advantages in music. Christian influences and congenial surroundings. Board $2 25 per week. Send for catalogue today. 7-tf

The J. H. Shultz family have rented the Waltera residence and will remove here from Verona, North Dakota, and take up permanent residence among us. We gladly welcome the family to our midst and trust they will find a congenial home among our people for there is no city in the state where the citizens are more sociable and hospitable than at Red Lake Falls.

Next Tuesday is market day.

F. E. Hunt was in Brooks the first of the week on business.

Wall paper remnants 3c per roll on market day.—A. L. Reichert.

Editor C. W. Latta was over from Plummer Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere is home from her visit among friends at Crookston.

Hereafter Franz Freund will have on sale Sundays all the comic Sunday papers.

Mrs. Bottineau has moved into the Corheil residence on Champagne avenue.

Joe Normandin and family have removed to Crookston, where he has a lucrative position.

Mrs. E. LaTendresse is here from Cass Lake visiting among relatives and friends for a few days.

Theo. Zaiser expects to leave Friday for Denver, where he goes in the hopes of regaining his health.

Pete Morinville and family are again residents of the Falls, having removed to their property on south Main street.

Our public schools will enjoy a vacation Friday to allow the teachers to attend the educational meet at Crookston upon that date.

The season for big game opened Sunday and a large number of our nimrods are preparing to go to the woods and lay in their winter's supply of venison.

Lewis Beregron and wife were over from Lambert the first of the week calling upon his sister, Mrs. Balland, who has been on the sick list the past few days.

Miss Eva Gueria is visiting her brother, Nap, at Maxbass, N. D., this week and Miss Selvina Olson is doing duty as night telephone operator during her absence.

Judge Tarrant pronounced the words Monday noon that united in the holy bonds of matrimony Frederick Lundgren and Miss Agnes Ruud, both of Grand Forks.

When ordering flour call for the "Gold Seal" brand. If your dealer tells you to get flour "just as good" don't mind him but insist on getting something better, and order Gold Seal.—Leo Steinert.

Frank Kirchens will offer for sale at his residence one mile east of the Terrebonne church, all his stock, farm utensils and household goods, on Wednesday, the 20th, at twelve o'clock. Free lunch will be served at noon.

F. L. Nussbaumer, representative for the Wyman, Partridge Co. of Minneapolis, was here Tuesday showing the Big Store their spring line of worsted dress fabrics, both in foreign and domestic weave, for the spring of 1908.

Don't fail to attend the public auction of household goods, etc., at the residence of Geo. Sauer tomorrow afternoon at one o'clock. The Sauer family are disposing of their interests here and expect soon to remove to other parts.

The shipment of baled hay from this point has been in progress for the past three weeks and several cars of "pure stock food" has been destined to other ports. Jos. Cyr has been acting as commission agent and is doing a splendid business this fall.

Among the Minnesota U. alumni stars playing on the Dean Ballot foot ball team of Minneapolis is "Bad Bill" Ittner of this city. Bill is playing the left tackle position and is making good as usual. The rest of the alumni players are Marshall, Vita and Smith.

Wanted—Local representative for Red Lake Falls and vicinity to look after renewals and increase subscription list of a prominent monthly magazine, on a salary and commission basis. Experience desirable, but not necessary. Good opportunity for right person. Address Publisher, Box 59, Station O, New York.

Rev. Philip A. Schwarz was summoned to Windom the latter part of last week to attend the funeral of a member of his former congregation. Rev. W. Waller P. H. D., of Crookston, very ably occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian church during the pastor's absence. Rev. Schwarz announces the usual services for next Sunday.

Miss Viola Brady was the victim of a pleasant surprise last Friday evening, perpetuated upon her by a number of her north side friends. Numerous games were indulged in until a late hour, when a dainty lunch was served after which all returned to their respective homes feeling that it was good to have been present upon this happy occasion.

Mrs. J. C. Wander received the sad news last Thursday noon that her father, Christ Ramacher, had died very suddenly of pneumonia at his home in St. Anthony, and in the afternoon she departed for that place to be in attendance at the funeral, which was held Saturday morning. The heartfelt sympathy of Red Lake Falls friends goes out to the bereaved daughter and family in their sad loss.

Miss Eva Bagan, the fourteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bagan, living about one mile south of town, passed from this life last Saturday evening, the cause of the demise being pneumonia. The funeral was held from St. Joseph's church Monday, and the remains interred in the cemetery west of town, Father Fayolle conducting the services. Miss Eva was a pupil of St. Joseph's school and also a member of the school choir, and the attendance at the funeral was large. The sermon was touching and appropriate, there being a number of hymns sung by the school choir. The bereaved parents have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their sad loss.

The Gazette's itemizer received a couple very severe shocks Tuesday while making the rounds. At the Merchants State Bank they had "on display" several hundred dollars in silver just from the mint in Philadelphia, of the denominations of dollars, halves, quarters and dimes, while, at the First State Bank we were shown several bundles of new bills in fives, tens and twenties, and they still had the United States treasurer's binding seal upon them. It was quite a sight to see so much of the "panic destroyer" in one day, and we were informed by the bank officials that so far as they are concerned there is no need of a panic scare in this neck o' woods.

The local postoffice has now on sale the much talked of international response coupons which are good in any country in the international postal union. The coupons are sold at six cents each, and when sending one of these to the party in the foreign country from whom a response is wanted it should be explained to him (or her) that with the coupon postage of that country to the value of 25 centimes, equal to five cents in this country, can be secured with them to answer your letter. The instructions governing the use of the return coupons are printed on them in four different languages, English, French, German and Italian. The coupons sold in this country are not redeemable in the United States, or in other words a return coupon cannot be redeemed in the same country in which it was purchased.

Michel Quesnel, who last week disposed of all his stock, implements and household goods at auction, in company with his wife and young son, departed last evening for Duluth on a visit to a daughter. They expect to return to Red Lake Falls and visit among friends for a number of days before departing for their new home in North Yakima, Wash. Mr. Quesnel says it is with a feeling of regret he leaves the place where his children have been reared and he and his estimable wife have made their home since the spring of 1879, but with two daughters in the west and that his health might be improved by a change of climate and with a much needed rest from hard labor, they will bid adieu to numerous friends here and seek a home in the far west. During his residence in Red Lake county Mr. Quesnel has labored hard to gain a livelihood for himself and family and his efforts have not been in vain for he has as nice an eighty as there is in the north country, with a large and spacious house with a hot air furnace furnishing heat for the same during the severest of winter weather. That he has prospered goes without saying, and he has only words of praise for the country and the people with whom he has had dealings, but his health demands a change of climate, and in their departure all friends wish them much joy, health and happiness in their new western home.

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Call Early and Get the
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and daughter

Market Day Bargains

We have opened a bargain counter in our store and from day to day will offer the public

Bargains in Dress Goods

Notions, boots, shoes, hats, caps, etc. Watch our bargain counter from day to day and reap a benefit thereby.

Garceau & Zaiser

The Busy Store Red Lake Falls

Report of the condition of the

Merchants State Bank

of Red Lake Falls, at close of business on the
28th day of October, 1907:

Liabilities		Resources	
Capital	$ 15000 00	Loans & Discounts	$140651 75
Surplus	3000 00	Banking house, furniture & fixtures	6129 04
Undivided profits, net	4554 47	Other real estate	3496 70
Deposits	162062 61	Checks and drafts in transit	1368 04
		Cash on hand and in banks	32971 55
Total	$184617 08	Total	$184617 08

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New and up-to-date stock. Anything you need in the Grocery line. We want butter and eggs. Highest market prices

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Carries constantly on hand a complete stock of everything pertaining to the business such as

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TESTED BY TIME.

A Cure That Has Held Good for Four Years.

Mrs. Mary Cramlish of 1130 West Third Street, Wilmington, Del., says: "Some years ago I began to feel weak and miserable and one day awoke from a nap with a piercing pain in my back that made me scream. For two days I could not move and after that I had backache and dizzy spells all the time. My ankles swelled and I ran down dreadfully. I was nervous and had awful headaches. I wonder that any medicine could do what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for me. They cured me four years ago and I have been well ever since."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Done Her Part.

"What have you done for the betterment of mankind?" asked the scornful female person.

"Me?" answered the plump and widowly looking one; "I have been a better half to no fewer than three of them."

She Did Not Fear Death.

An old lady on her seventy-third birthday once said, "I do not mind getting old, and I do not fear death, but I live in constant fear of paralysis."

"For some time I have been wanting to tell you of the great good your wonderful Sloan's Liniment is doing here," writes Mr. James F. Abernethy, of Rutherford College, N. C. "In fact, all your remedies are doing noble work, but your Liniment beats all. In my eight years' experience with medicine I find none to go ahead of it, having tried it in very many cases. I know of one young man, a brick-mason, who suffered from a partial, yes, almost complete, paralysis of one arm. I got him to use your Liniment, and now he can do as much work as ever, and he sings your praise every day. I get all to use it I possibly can and know there is great virtue in it. I have helped the sale of your noble remedies about here greatly, and expect to cause many more to buy them, as I know they can't be beat."

CAMELS DWELT IN OREGON.

In Days of Old When the State Was a Tropical Wilderness.

That the whole of interior Oregon was once the bed of the Pacific ocean has been proved beyond question, says Sunset, by the investigations of Prof. Thomas Condon, Dr. Diller and other noted geologists. That the region was later a tropical country has been equally well established.

Numerous discoveries of the bones of these animals, and rocks containing the perfect imprint of the plants of the tropics, have been made, and it is no longer an occasion for surprise when well diggers or irrigation excavators unearth the fossil remains of a camel or a broad-faced ox. Within recent years many fossil beds of beautiful palm leaves have been found in Eastern Oregon.

The Cascade Hills, Blue Mountains and Owyhees, once islands surrounded by tropical lakes, were covered with luxuriant growth, forests and flowering shrubs, for Knowlton tells us the magnolia and cinnamon and fig trees were there.

To-day the soil presents a finely ground mixture of basalt and volcanic ash, containing the elements of most fertile soil, and when properly watered producing enormous crops of vegetables, fruits and grains common to temperate zones. The climate has been changed, says Prof. Condon, by the upfolding of the Cascade range, shutting off from the interior the softening influence of the Japan current and the drift of ocean fogs and clouds.

HER "BEST FRIEND."

A Woman Thus Speaks of Postum.

We usually consider our best friends those who treat us best.

Some persons think coffee a real friend, but watch it carefully awhile and observe that it is one of the meanest of all enemies for it stabs one while professing friendship.

Coffee contains a poisonous drug—caffeine—which injures the delicate nervous system and frequently sets up disease in one or more organs of the body, if its use is persisted in.

"I had heart palpitation and nervousness for four years and the doctor told me the trouble was caused by coffee. He advised me to leave it off, but I thought I could not," writes a Wis. lady.

"On the advice of a friend I tried Postum Food Coffee and it so satisfied me that I did not care for coffee after a few days' trial of Postum.

"As weeks went by and I continued to use Postum my weight increased from 98 to 118 pounds, and the heart trouble left me. I have used it a year now, and am stronger than I ever was. I can hustle up stairs without any heart palpitation, and I am cured of nervousness.

"My children are very fond of Postum and it agrees with them. My sister liked it when she drank it at my house, but not when she made it at her own home. Now she has learned to make it right, boil it according to directions, and has become very fond of it. You may use my name if you wish, as I am not ashamed of praising my best friend—Postum."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a Reason."

MATTERS FEMININE.

KEEPS AWAY CHILL

SWEATER FOR YOUNGSTER OF TENDER YEARS.

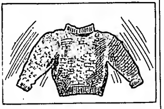
Garment Easily Made at Home Will Be Found Very Useful During the Severe Weather of the Winter.

For child form 3 to 6 years old, this sweater needs:

One-half pound white German knitting yarn, one skein pink German knitting yarn, one pair bone needles, No. 4, and one pair steel needles.

The basket pattern in which this sweater is made is formed of eight rows, worked as follows:

First row—*, p 7, k1, *.
Second row—*, k 7, p 1, *.
Third row—Same as first row.
Fourth row—Purl.



Fifth row—P 3, k 1, *, p 7, k 1, *.
Sixth row—K 3, p 1, *, k 7, p 1, *.
Seventh row—Same as fifth row.
Eighth row—Purl.

With pink wool cast on 72 stitches on bone needles and knit a ribbed belt, k, 1, p 1 three inches deep. Change to white wool and begin pattern; work until the back is 11 inches long (including belt). Then decrease at each end of the needle on every other row until eight stitches have been taken off, and then knit the pattern until the back is 15 inches long (including belt).

Knit 16 stitches for each shoulder, binding off the intervening ones. Make each shoulder two inches long and then add 24 stitches to replace the ones bound off at the back. Knit the pattern until the front is four and one-half inches long, and then add eight stitches at each side for underarm. Knit the front the same length as the back, and then change to pink wool and knit belt.

Sleeve: Begin with 15 stitches; add three each end of needle until there are 72 stitches. Knit for one inch and then narrow every four rows until there are 45 stitches.

Make sleeve nine and one-half inches long, measuring on the inside edge, then change to steel needles and pink wool and knit cuff, k 1, p 1, three inches deep.

Collar: Pick up 48 stitches on each half of the neck and knit a collar, k 1, p 1, with pink wool, three inches deep; bind off loosely.

Sew up sweater and make two buttonholes on front shoulders, sewing buttons on the back portions. Face the shoulders with ribbon and fasten collar with hooks and eyes. The directions for the sweater just described may be changed to any desired size by decreasing or adding to the number of stitches given. Six stitches should be allowed for every inch, or more if one is a tight knitter. The best plan is to measure just how many stitches run to the inch.

FAD IS FOR JAPANESE.

Oriental Effects Especially Popular Just Now in Paris.

There is still much to be said on the subject of Japanese fashions, for Parisiennes are still faithful to the oriental craze. The mode is used with good effect in a costume of dark gray cloth intended for automobiling. The skirt and bodice are cut in one piece and set with a simple yoke of embroidered batiste, while the Japanese sleeves fall over undersleeves of batiste with detachable cuffs of lace and line. Over the dress is worn a very handsome coat of invisible stripe fancy worsted, simply designed, but extremely smart in effect.

The sleeves of the new coats, especially for automobiling, are growing larger, which is necessitated by the increased size of many of the new tailored sleeves. While outer wraps for tourist and general day wear boast but little trimmings, they can be made very fetching by the addition of a stitching of velvet on the cuffs of the sleeves or on the front of the collar. Gray and taupe are favorite colors for this purpose and the medallions are stitched under very narrow bands of silk soutache braid, or bias folds of the coat material. Among the modifications of the Japanese sleeves is one proceeding from an exaggerated armhole that reaches almost to the waist line, and instead of the loose open effect, the material is shaped to the waist.

LAVISH USE OF BUTTONS.

Are Seen on All Costumes in Infinite Variety.

Buttons are used most lavishly on bodices, sleeves, vests and skirts, and naturally there is infinite variety. Velvet covered ones are in every shape—oval, round, even square—and some are mere ornaments, while others are intended to button. A clashing, trimmed on one side with a row of buttons and on the other with cord ornaments or decorated buttonholes, is a feature of both skirts and mantles. This idea is used on a handsome but perfectly simple evening wrap of violet velvet, lined with pale mauve satin. The garment is circular and cut without sleeves, but there is an opening from the top of the shoulder to the bottom, through which the arm may pass. On each side of this are loops of purple and silver cord and large velvet embroidered buttons. The garment is closed here except for a sufficient space to allow the arm and hand to come out. Running from the shoulders a trimming of cords decorate the neck of the wrap, but there is no other trimming. The beauty of the garment lies in its form and the material used.

Red for Evening Wear.

Red has not appeared among the strong favorites for street wear, but some delicious tones of currant red are shown in the new evening gauzes; port wine is another tint that has countless admirers, especially among dark women with splendid complexions. The brilliant evequia and hortensia are more daring in their coloring and usually need toning down with some neutral tint. Sometimes they are marked off in squares of black chenille and the decorations contrived of black, cream and white lace, with probably a few touches of embroidery added, in which event they are extremely handsome and highly becoming to certain dark types of beauty.

VEILS OF MANY SORTS.

Season's Styles Are Unusually Beautiful and Interesting.

A whole chapter might be written about veils, which are beautiful and interesting to a degree. It may be said that the sort of veil which had a bold design running all over the face is no longer favored.

One dream of beauty is of Lierre, the net delicately spotted to the edge, where it is scalloped in a lovely straying design. Below this a plaited frill of the same delicate lace about two inches wide.

In strong contrast to this veil is the veil of heavy gun metal gray chiffon with a border of wavy design embroidered in heavy gray rope silk. A charming white veil in a material called chiffon but resembling silk muslin more is cross barred with a white thread and has a pleated frill around the edge of plain chiffon. This same plaited frill is found on plain chiffon veils of all colors.

Then there are the pale colored chiffon veils with hemstitched borders which have a rather large spot here and there in the veil and a design of spots or embroidery on the borders. In the way of a novelty is the veil of filet net dotted with small hollow squares made of tiny chenille spots which has as border a Green key pattern of the chenille spots.

A very pretty white chiffon veil has a woven border of graduated bands of pale blue and is spotted with black dots surrounded by a band of blue. Very fascinating are the veils with fringed borders.

The favorite automobile veil is of plain white chiffon, but one of the best shops shows a most conspicuous veil for this purpose of white chiffon with a deep border of green or dark blue and spots as big as a dollar to match.

Morning Glory Trimming Is Fashionable.

Lace and Chiffon.

The effect of this blouse is that of a jumper of lace worn over a guimpe of tucked plain lingerie material, but the waist is in reality made in one piece. The tucked body of chiffon forms a foundation for the jumper of filet allover and the suspender effect of the tucked chiffon set between bands of antique lace. The back of the waist is very much the same as the front with the exception that the jumper is higher at this point. The sleeve is very novel, indeed, being a skeleton of the filet over a puff of the chiffon, with a high pointed cuff and two finishing frills of plisse chiffon. A band of the antique lace is posed at the top of the high featherboned collar and edged with narrow Val.

MEADOW MICE ONE OF THE MENACES TO AGRICULTURE

Their Destructive Habits and Their Natural Enemies.—By D. E. Lantz, Asst. Biologist, Biological Survey.

In recent years the department of agriculture has frequently received complaints of damages to meadows and pastures by field mice. The common meadow mouse (M. pennsylvanicus and its various subspecies) is usually the offender in these cases, although the prairie meadow mouse (M. austerus) also causes considerable loss in the west. Both these mice work under the snow in winter, burrowing along the tops of the succulent roots of clover and other plants, and sometimes destroy entire meadows, which have to be plowed up and resowed. Such damage usually occurs where a thick growth of grass is left in the field in fall. Closely mowed or closely pastured fields are not usually badly injured by mice.

The meadow mice are destructive to market gardens. Strawberry fields are especially liable to attack, because of the mulch used to protect the plants and because of the animal's fondness for the succulent crowns of the plants themselves. These mice destroy seeds in the garden, hotbed, or cold-frames, potatoes in the ground, and many other growing vegetables. In the fall they destroy beets, turnips, carrots, parsnips, celery, apples and potatoes, when piled on the ground or stored in pits. The depredations may to a great extent be prevented by the careful burning of weeds and other trash which harbor the pests.

The destruction of corn and wheat in the shock by meadow mice is common, and growing crops—wheat, oats, barley, rye, and buckwheat—are often cut down and eaten. The damage to standing grain is most noticeable when it is nearly ripe, but fully matured grain also is eaten. Short pieces of the stems of grains and grasses scattered along the runways of the animals are conclusive evidences of the nature of their diet. In alfalfa and clover fields considerable loss is frequently caused by meadow mice. The ground is often littered with leaves cut from the plants. Stomach examinations of a dozen specimens of Microtus austerus captured in alfalfa fields during the summer of 1905 showed that their diet was almost exclusively leaves of alfalfa. When field mice occur in normal numbers, the losses are not serious; but when local conditions have favored an abnormal increase of the animals, the loss of crops is enormous.

Meadow mice have been known to almost wholly destroy large nurseries of young apple trees. It was estimated that the losses sustained by nurserymen near Rochester, N. Y., during the winter of 1902 amounted to $100,000. The animals usually inflict the damage by burrowing under the snow and girdling the tree just at the surface of the ground. Some species burrow below ground, and, like the pocket gopher, eat the roots of trees, thus completing their destruction.

In some cases older trees are attacked and ruined. The writer has seen many apple trees, eight to ten years transplanted, and 4 to 5 inches in diameter, completely girdled by the prairie meadow mouse (M. austerus), sometimes to the height of a foot or more above the ground.

The list of cultivated trees and shrubs that are injured by these mice includes nearly all of those grown by the horticulturist. The biological survey has received complaints of the destruction of apple, pear, peach, plum, quince, cherry, and crab-apple trees; of blackberry bushes, and of grape vines; also of the injury of sugar maple, black locust, Osage orange, sassafras, pine, alder, white ash, mountain ash, oak, cottonwood, willow, wild cherry, and other forest trees.

One of the chief causes of the recent great increase of the smaller rodent pests is the persistent destruction of the birds, mammals and reptiles that habitually prey upon them. This is true not only in America, but also in Great Britain and on the continent, where for years gamekeepers and even farmers have destroyed foxes, weasels, stoats, hawks and owls whenever possible on the plea that they prey upon and diminish the supply of game in the parks and preserves. In America the same opinion is widespread, and has led to some unfortunate legislation against species that are wholly beneficial to agriculture. In the investigation before the British board of agriculture relative to the vole plague in Scotland in 1892, the testimony as to a previous scarcity of carnivorous mammals and birds, in the districts affected, was almost unanimous. While the committee in its report regarded climatic conditions, not the scarcity of carnivorous birds and mammals, as the primary cause of the outbreak, they considered the latter as the most important contributory factor.

Among the wild mammals of the United States that are known to prey upon meadow mice are wolves, lynxes, foxes, badgers, raccoons, opossums, skunks, minks, weasels and shrews. The majority of these animals destroy mice habitually; and this service, together with their well-known habit of destroying noxious insects, goes far to compensate for the damage they do in other directions.

Among birds that feed on meadow mice are hawks, owls, crows, shrikes, cranes, herons and bitterns. Of hawks, the kites and the marsh, red-tailed, red-shouldered, broad-winged, rough-legged, pigeon and sparrow hawks feed upon them, some destroying large numbers of the two most destructive species, M. pennsylvanicus and M. austerus. Pine mice live mostly below the ground and are less frequently caught by birds of prey.

The habit of shrikes of catching meadow mice is well known, and most farmers have seen these birds in the corn fields at husking time, as they hover in the air or sit poised upon a fence or hedge ready to pounce upon every mouse that escapes from the shocks.

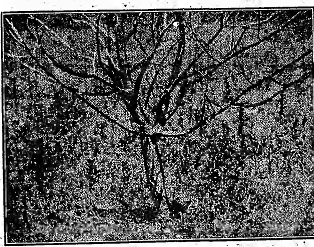
Crows destroy many young mice in the nests and sometimes kill the adults, and, no doubt, investigations will show that meadow mice form a considerable part of the diet of bitterns and herons.

Owls are especially efficient as destroyers of field mice, and all the species whose food habits have been investigated by the biological survey were found to feed upon these animals. In bulletin No. 3 of the survey it is recorded that of 39 barn-owl stomachs examined, 7 contained meadow mice; of 107 long-eared owl stomachs, 59 contained them; of 101 stomachs of the short-eared owl, 52 had meadow mice; 31 out of 109 stomachs of the barred owl, 6 out of 9 of the great grey owl, 4 out of 22 of the saw-whet owl, 18 out of 254 of the screech owl, 12 out of 127 of the great-horned owl, 10 out of 38 of the snowy owl, and the stomach of the single hawk owl, contained meadow mice. They were mostly the common meadow mouse (Microtus pennsylvanicus), as the birds were collected for the most part where this species is common.

The examination of owls' nests and of the curious pellets cast up by owls reveals much as to the nature of their food. Dr. Fisher has recorded the results of the examination of many pellets of the barn owl, and a few of those of the long-eared owl, with the following result: Six hundred and seventy-five barn-owl pellets contained 1,123 skulls of the meadow mouse; 50 pellets of the long-eared owl contained 114 meadow mouse skulls. This is an average of almost two to each pellet.

Next to insects, mice form the most important item in the food of snakes. Meadow mice are most easily obtained, but other mice, and, indeed, most of the small rodents, including ground squirrels, wood rats, prairie dogs and young pocket gophers and rabbits, are eaten. This important service of snakes in the interest of the farmer is not generally understood or appreciated, but an inherent and deeply rooted prejudice induces thoughtless people to destroy them whenever possible and for no other reason than because they are snakes.

The value of domestic cats and of dogs in destroying mice is well known, and many of these animals learn from experience to prefer the large meadow mice to the species found in houses and barns.



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Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna

Cleanses the System Effectually; Dispels Colds and Headaches due to Constipation; Acts naturally, acts truly as a Laxative.

Best for Men, Women and Children—Young and Old.

To get its Beneficial Effects Always buy the Genuine which has the full name of the Company

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co.

by whom it is manufactured, printed on the front of every package.

SOLD BY ALL LEADING DRUGGISTS. one size only, regular price 50¢ per bottle.

Lots of people let their daily manna spoil while they pray for butter and sugar to spread on it.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: George C. Andrews, Minneapolis, Minn., rocking grate; Ole Holm, Madison, Minn., draft equalizer; Iveh Otie, Marshall, Minn., milk pail holder; George W. Smith, Minnesota Lake, Minn., horse releaser; C. Hoffman, Farmington, Minn., stove grate; Mary E. Brown, Cavalier, N. D., egg wrapper; Daniel R. Chase, Finley, N. D., vise.

Before the Trudgeon.

"Is it true that your grandfather came over in 1820 in the steerage?"

"It is," answered Mrs. De Style. "Grandfather was terribly embarrassed, but, with everything engaged weeks and weeks ahead, what was he to do?"

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

His Time Would Come.

"Well," sighed the Billville brother, "havin' quit about everything else, I think I'll take to smokin'."

"I shouldn't do that, dear," said his wife. "At least not now. Wait a while. You'll be sure to smoke hereafter!"

"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA
worth a dollar a lb. sold for 50c. Write Wm. McMurray, St. Paul, Minn., for free sample.

A woman is willing to confess her faults to any man who is unwilling to believe she has any.

HIGHER CREAM PRICES.
Write us to-day for particulars and tags. MILTON DAIRY CO., St. Paul, Minn.

The man who is paying for a house on the installment plan has a castle in the air.

"GOLD SEAL" OVERSHOES
are warmest, wear longest. If your dealer does not have them, apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

You are apt to get a stinging reproof if you interfere with t busy little bee.

WE PAY TOP PRICES FOR CREAM.
Cash every day. Write for prices and tags. MILLER & HOLMES, St. Paul, Minn.

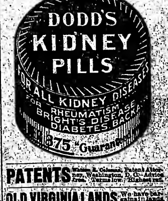
But the average man isn't half so anxious to bet on a sure thing as those behind the game are to have him.

SHIP YOUR CREAM
to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn. Write to-day for tags and prices.

No man can ever convince a widow that he loves her unless he tells her so at least once every five minutes.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist), Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Fargo, N. D.

Better a young girl with old ways than an old girl with young ways.



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OLD VIRGINIA LANDS We have bargains in lands from $10.00 an acre up. For further information address the SOUTHSIDE REALTY CO., Inc., Petersburg, Va.

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DULUTH—MILWAUKEE
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Established 1852—Incorporated 1897.
GRAIN COMMISSION
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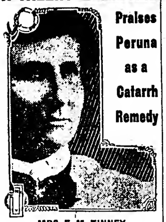
$10,000 Bond Deposited with State of North Dakota.

A TALENTED WRITER


Praises Peruna as a Catarrh Remedy

MRS. E. M. TINNEY

Mrs. E. M. Tinney, story writer, 325 E. Nueva St., San Antonio, Tex., writes:

"During 1901 I suffered form nasal catarrh, which various other remedies failed to relieve.

"Six bottles of Peruna, which I took, entirely cured me, the catarrh disappearing and never returning.

"I therefore cheerfully recommend Peruna to all similarly afflicted."

Mrs. Ellen Nagle, 414 4th street, Green Bay, Wis., writes:

"I have often heard Peruna praised and it is more widely known here than any other medicine, but I never knew what a splendid medicine it really was until a few weeks ago when I caught a bad cold which settled all over me.

"The doctor wanted to prescribe, but I told him I was going to try Peruna and sent for a bottle and tried it.

"I felt much better the next morning and within five days I had not a trace of any lameness or any cough.

"*I consider it the finest cough remedy.*"

PERUNA TABLETS:—Some people prefer to take tablets, rather than to take medicine in a fluid form. Such people can obtain Peruna tablets, which represent the solid medicinal ingredients of Peruna.

And They Get Them.

She—Drowning men catch a straws.

He (absently)—So do thirsty men.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

During the courtship it's temperament; after marriage it's a case of temper.

"GOLD SEAL" OIL CLOTHING.

Best made. If your dealer does not have the "Gold Seal" apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

It's queer how anxious people are to lend you money when you don't need it.

The smile of the hypocrite is a misfit.

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature

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MERRY GO ROUNDS

We also manufacture Razzle Dazzles, Strikers, etc. HERSCHELL-SPILLMAN CO., General Amusement Outfitters. Dept. M. NORTH TONOWANDA, N. Y.

Pain Paint

Return this with 60 one-cent stamps and I will mail you a Dollar of Wolcott's Pain Paint powders with full directions to make sixty 25-cent bottles. Pain Paint stops pain instantly; removes Headache, Toothache, Neuralgia, in one minute; cools faster than ice; burns will not blister. A spoonful taken four times a day kills Dyspepsia. Sold 40 years by agents. R. L. WOLCOTT, Wolcott Building, New York.

New and Liberal Homestead Regulations in

WESTERN CANADA

New Districts Now Opened for Settlement

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Some of the choicest lands in the grain growing belts of Saskatchewan and Alberta have recently been opened for settlement under the Revised Homestead Regulations of Canada. Thousands of homesteads of 160 acres each are now available. The new regulations make it possible for entry to be made by proxy, the opportunity that many in the United States have been waiting for. Any member of a family may make entry for any other member of the family, who may be entitled to make entry for himself or herself. Entry may now be made before the Agent or Sub-Agent of the District by proxy, (on certain conditions) by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

"Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the North-West Provinces, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less."

The fee in each case will be $10.00. Churches, schools and markets convenient. Healthy climate, splendid crops and good laws. Grain-growing and cattle raising principal industries.

For further particulars as to rates, routes, best time to go and where to locate, apply to

CHAS. PILLING,
Clifford Block, Grand Forks, North Dakota.

NEEDS MUCH CARE

DRESSMAKING AT HOME BY NO MEANS A "SNAP."

Only Thorough Practice Will Give Proper Results—One Fault Particularly Common with the Beginner.

The proper cutting, fitting and finishing of a dress can be done only after thorough practice. Accuracy in the small details will do much to make the garment perfect; another matter which is often neglected is the careful handling of the parts, so that they are not stretched out of shape. Carelessness about this latter will cause the dress to fall into unsightly wrinkles at the seams.

The last-mentioned fault is particularly common among beginners, and when committed is very difficult, and in some cases nearly impossible, to remedy. Every piece of figured material must be cut out separately, and not on the double, even though the pieces be identical in shape, for this material seldom folds quite evenly. Velvet and all such pile materials should appear dark when held against the wearer, and checks and plaids match both lengthwise and widthwise in every piece. Stripes may either be cut on the straight and treated the same as plaids, or cut on the cross and the lines made to fit with each other.

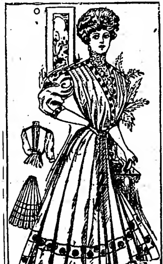
It always pays to shrink cloth before making it up, for by this, later damage by shrinkage is prevented. Wring out an old sheet in water, leaving the sheet quite wet, however, and spread it out on a table; then lay the cloth, unfolded, on the wet sheet and roll up the cloth and the sheet at the same time. Let the sheet remain this way over night, then spread it out and press it smooth.

Cut out the pattern after it has been laid on the cloth, and mark the perforations out with chalk. With the help of correct patterns, some of the difficulties incidental to fitting may be avoided. However, very few figures follow the normal line exactly, and a certain amount of overfitting is by no means uncommon. Sometimes this is caused by the alteration of one part, thereby throwin another out of line. When this occurs the whole garment has to be refitted.

MODEL OF MANY USES.

Costume That May Be Made Available for Numerous Occasions.

The costume shown is a generally useful model that could be made up in soft broadcloth with handsome trimmings for calling or church, in soft challis or cashmere for house wear or



in handsome silks for evening, with a vest of handsome lace. The surplice effect of the blouse is always becoming and this season almost all blouses are made with a vest effect. Some of the extra blouses are almost garish in their many materials and fancy vests, trimmings of buttons, etc., but these waists should be bought only by the woman with a large wardrobe and a fat purse. To wear a waist of these bright plaids every day would be deadly, but if you can have many and wear the gay one once in a while all well and good.

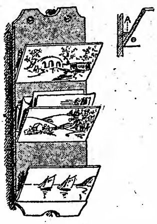
Seamless Sleeves.

A feature of some of the newest coats is the seamless sleeves, which made its first appearance upon separate blouses. While the fashion is very becoming to some figures it is decidedly unbecoming to others, and cannot be recommended where one has only one small outer wrap for general wear. The long sleeve is the invariable rule for motor coats, although it has a rival in the nine-tenths length, which stops just short of the wrist bone and is variously shaped according to the material and the general style of the garment of which it is so important a feature.

RACK FOR THE LETTERS.

Useful Article That Can Be Easily Made in Thin Wood.

A useful little rack for letters is shown in the accompanying sketch, and it is one that may be easily cut out and made in thin wood. It should be about 12 inches in length and 5½ inches wide. Its chief feature is that the slanting pieces of wood that hold the letters are decorated in front with picture post cards glued lightly on to



them, so that they can easily be removed and changed if they should fade or become soiled. The little diagram at the right hand side shows how the slanting pieces of wood should be screwed on to the back. There is a triangular slip of wood at the base of each (A), and screws run through from the front and hold them at the proper angle. A glance at the sketch will make this clear. The woodwork should be stained green or oak color, and be left to get thoroughly dry before the post-cards are affixed.

CAN HAVE WIDE CHOICE.

Material for Dressy Costumes Are Many and Varied.

There is such a range of fashionable materials for the gown which is to do duty as a semi-dressy dinner frock, a calling and church costume, that one cannot go wrong in selecting any one of the beautiful weaves offered in the shops to-day. All the soft silks, crepes, lansdownes and the chiffon broadcloths come in a bewildering range of colors and shades and there are easily matched at the trimming counter in braids and handsome ornaments. The crepes de china and lansdownes are also attractively employed in dainty house gowns made up on simple empire and princess lines and trimmed in the simplest way with fine lace, ribbon and hand embroideries. Hand embroideries, by the way, are highly prized in this season's fashions, and the girl who can elaborate her frocks with her own handwork is indeed fortunate, for the dressmaker made embroidered frock is quite out of the question with the average girl, so excessive are the prices asked for such creations. On the other hand, one can have the dress made by some reputable establishment and supply one's own handwork as the design of the costume demands or add such finishing touches after the gown has left the costumer's hands.

Velvet Will Have Vogue.

Importers and modistes are of the unanimous opinion that velvet is to have a great vogue, and several tailored models have already arrived from abroad. The colorings are exquisite and reveal many new and lovely tones, says the Delineator for September.

Checked and striped velvets are shown made up into gowns intended for use at morning lectures and at luncheons. They are light of weight, supple in quality and show both close and open designs. The hair-line velvets have all the attractiveness of a corded weave but none of its severity. While it is quite true that velvets showing stripes and checks are no novelty, having been used last season, the beautiful color tones which the new ones possess promise to make them desirable. Where the hair lines are of contrasting color, such as black on sandstone, or white on the sapphire blue, they produce a shaded effect which is particularly pleasing.

To Make Fancy Guimpes.

In making the fancy guimpes so much worn by both adults and children, the material should first be tucked, or spaces left for the lace insertion, if any be desired, before cutting out.

The lace can then be basted on either edge—flat on the tucked material—and the fabric cut away from underneath.

Leave about a quarter of an inch on each side of the lace. Turn this back on the material and stitch on the edge of the lace.

Finish with feather stitching done with crochet or mercerized cotton, as preferred.

This makes a very pretty finish, and enables the garment to bear repeated launderings without the material fraying away from the lace, as it is apt to do in the case of most ready-made garments.

WHERE GRAMPUS IS PLENTY.

Mammal Abundant on Alaskan Shore and River Mouths.

This mammal, commonly known as the beluga in Alaska, is quite abundant in the summer along the Alaskan coast north of the Aleutian chain, being particularly numerous about the mouths of the rivers and frequently ascending the larger streams far above tidewater. It is migratory and its movements are regulated by the ice.

The numerous tidal creeks along the low flat coast from St. Michael to the Kuskoquim river, in which tomcod are abundant, are the chief resorts of the beluga, which comes in to feed on the fish. The Eskimos catch them with strong, large nets, heavily weighted, set off outlying points.

In rough weather, when the animals can not see the nets, many are taken, but in clear weather the catch is small. Some are speared, some shot, but unless the shot goes through the spinal column these generally escape. The flesh of a young beluga is tender and not unpalatable, but is rather coarse and dry. The fat, or blubber, is clear and white and is highly valued by the natives, who extract oil from it and use it in barter with the interior tribes.

The intestines are made into waterproof garments or floats and the sinews are very much prized. The small ivory teeth are carved into toys or ornamented pendants, while the skin is made into strong lines or very durable boot soles. The epidermis, which is nearly half an inch thick, when well cooked is considered choice eating, having a flavor somewhat resembling chestnuts.

IT WAS ALL RIGHT.

They Had Finally Made Up Their Quarrel.

They had evidently been quarreling before entering the Sutter street car at the ferry.

"I would thank you, Mr. Johnson, not to sit by me!" she said, icily.

"O, Lucy, I'll never go with her again—never, never, dearie!"

Gradually the harsh tones melted to soft, endearing phrases. The car had become very crowded. It stopped at Van Ness.

The conductor, wedging among passengers, midway of the aisles could not see the rear steps. With his hand on the bell cord he suddenly yelled:

"How is it back there now?"

"It's all right; we've made up again," impulsively responded the young man. "O, Willard, he didn't mean us!"—From the San Francisco Chronicle.

A River Wedding.

A very pretty river wedding took place at Bray, near Maidenhead, yesterday. The wedding party proceeded to and from Bray church by electric and steam launches gayly decked in green and white.

The bride's launch—an electric boat—was lavishly decorated with cherry blossoms, lilies and spirea, and when occupied by the bride, wearing a lace dress of honiton applique trimmed with silver embroidery, and the bridesmaids, in pale mauve eolienne, and bouquets of pink roses, presented a very picturesque sight. Five other launches followed. The wedding party started by water from West Court, in Bray Reach, and disembarked and re-embarked at the vicarage lawn. The contracting parties were Miss Mary Gosset Meyall and Lional Forbes Bridges. The church was crowded, and hundreds of people watched the bridal procession pass up and down the river.

Fire Burning One Hundred Years.

The Chequers Inn, Osmotherley, is a relic of the old coaching days, but it is now famed for its fire, which has never been out for more than 100 years and over which girdle cakes are baked.

This huge fire is kept continuously burning by peat or turf from the Yorkshire moors. An excellent tea is provided for visitors, the chief dainty being the girdle cakes. The peat glows like embers on a red tiled floor, the girdle being suspended from a bar above, the whole looking most quaint and picturesque. The exterior of the inn is most unpretentious and old world looking, as it nestles alone on the Yorkshire woods.

The Steady Job.

A certain man, who was recently reelected to a position that he held for many years, met a friend who congratulated him on his continued good fortune. To this the other replied "Yes, but it can't always last; I'll have to give it up some day. I feel a great deal like a man I knew who worked in one place for forty years and when discharged at last on account of old age, remarked: 'Well, when I came here I knew I wouldn't have a steady job.'"—Judge.

Man in Great Britain.

The editor of the Museum Gazette of London has made an attempt to estimate the length of time man has inhabited Great Britain. He allows 250,000 years. The period seems long, but the tendency of late has been to extend it, so that the historic period of some 2,000 years in Britain is a small fraction of man's existence here, as the whole human epoch is a small fraction of the world's history.

Too Late.

"I hear," said Mrs. Nagget, "that young Poorman, who married May Strong last October, has unexpectedly fallen heir to a million."

"Well, well!" exclaimed Nagget. "Talk about luck!"

"Yes, it is tough. If he had only gotten it before October."

KIDNEY TROUBLES

The kidneys are essential organs for keeping the body free from impurities. If they should fail to work death would ensue in very short time.

Inflammation or irritation caused by some feminine derangement may spread to some extent to the Kidneys and affect them. The cause can be so far removed by using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that the trouble will disappear.

When a woman is troubled with pain or weight in loins, backache, swelling of the limbs or feet, swelling under the eyes, an uneasy, tired feeling in the region of the kidneys, she should lose no time in commencing treatment with

MISS KATE A. HEARN

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

It may be the means of saving her life. Read what this medicine did for Kate A. Hearn, 520 West 47th Street, New York, who writes:—

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—"I owe a debt of gratitude to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for it has saved my life. I suffered with Kidney trouble, irregularities and painful periods, and my blood was fast turning to water. I used your medicine for some time and it has made me strong and well."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made from native roots and herbs cures Female Complaints, such as Falling and Displacements, and Organic Diseases. Dissolves and expels Tumors at an early stage. It strengthens and tones the Stomach. Cures Headache, General Debility and invigorates the whole system. For derangement of the Kidneys in either sex Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is excellent.

Mrs. Pinkham's Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female illness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., for advice. It is free.

Following his Nose.

Church—See that man going along with his head in the air, sniffing with his nose?

Gotham—Yes, I know him.

Church—I suppose he believes in taking the good, pure ozone?

Gotham—No; he's hunting for an automobile garage, I believe.

FAMILY'S SKIN TROUBLES.

Eczema, Heat Rash, and Scalp Affections Afflict Different Members, But Cuticura Cures Them.

"My wife had eczema for five or six years. It was on her face and would come and go. We thought we would give the Cuticura Remedies a trial. We did so and she has never had a sign of eczema for four years. I myself used Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment some time ago for falling hair. I now have a very heavy head of hair. We used Cuticura Remedies for our baby, who was nearly bald when young. She has very nice hair now. She is very fleshy, and we had so much trouble with heat that we would bathe her with Cuticura Soap and then apply Cuticura Ointment, it would dry the heat up so much quicker than anything else. Mr. H. B. Springmire, 323 So. Capital Street, Iowa City, Ia., July 16, 1905, and Sept. 16, 1906."

When you meet a man who has money in the bank it's a pretty sure sign that he is not a poet.

HUNTERS' AND TRAPPERS' SUPPLIES

All kinds of Sporting Goods. Catalog free. Kennedy Bros. Arms Co., St. Paul, Minn.

There's a lot of difference between the works of friendship and working your friends.

"SQUARE DEAL" RUBBER BOOTS

are serviceable. If your dealer does not have them, apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

What a jolly good thing it would be for undertakers if men, like cats, had nine lives.

HIDES, PELTS AND WOOL.

To get full value, ship to the old reliable N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

After all, the fame that comes to the average man is but a bubble caused by blowing his own horn.

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"LEADING LADY" SHOES FOR WOMEN

Leading Lady Shoes are best described in three words—Style, Comfort, Service. You rarely find all these qualities combined in one shoe.

Leading Lady SHOES

are neat and dressy.

They fit perfectly and are extremely comfortable from the beginning. No better values are obtainable anywhere.

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TWINGES, TWITCHES FROM WET OR DAMP
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My $4.00 and $5.00 Gilt Edge Shoes cannot be equalled at any price.

CAUTION! The genuine have W. L. Douglas name and price stamped on bottom. Take No Substitute. Ask your dealer for W. L. Douglas shoes. If he cannot supply you, send direct to factory. Shoes sent everywhere by mail. Catalog free. W. L. Douglas, Brockton, Mass.

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Saturday, November 16

A lady representative for the G. H. Conrad Co.'s coffee will be at Chatel's Cash Grocery on Saturday, November 16th, to serve hot coffee to those who desire to sample the best brand of coffee on the market. Hot coffee will be served free all day long and everybody is invited to step in and have a cup.

New Store and New Goods

Matt Skala wishes to announce that the big addition to his store is now completed, and he will open for inspection next week a large, new stock of

Friend Bros. Clothing
Lampher, Skinner & Co.'s North Star
Furs, Gotzian Shoes, Groceries

If you want to buy anything in the general merchandise line this is the place, and now is the time, while the stock is fresh and complete.

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"A PURE FLOUR"

Sweet, Pure and Wholesome

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LOCAL MARKET REPORT

Wheat, No. 1 Hard	95
" No. 1 Northern	94½
" No. 2 Northern	90½
" No. 3 Northern	83½
" No. 4 Northern	75½
" Rejected	67½
Flax, No. 1	1 07
" No. 2	1 04
N. G. Flax	99
Barley, No. 4	53
" No. 5	47
" Seed	43
Oats, No. 3 White	37
" No. 4 White	35
" No. 3	33
Flour, Patent	3 10
" Straight	3 00
Shorts	24 00
Bran	23 00
Butter	25
Creamery Butter	33
Eggs	25

FORMER RESIDENT DEAD.

J. A. Grover Died at Missoula, Mont., Last Week.

The following from the Daily Missoulian, of Missoula, Mont., relates to a brother-in-law of Mrs. Chas. E. Boughton, and a relative of others in our city:

"The funeral of J. A. Grover will be held this afternoon at the residence of Fred Zeh, on the south side. The services will be largely attended, as the personal friends of the family are many and the Knights of Pythias and the Pythian Sisterhood will attend as lodges. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock.

The immediate relatives who are present in the city are the widow and George S. Grover, the son. Mrs. George Grover is with her husband.

George Grover did not know that his father was sick. It was late Thursday afternoon that he received news of the death of his father, and that was the first intimation he had received that there was anything wrong. He and his wife at once started for Stark from this city.

There were many expressions of sympathy yesterday for the family, and many friends sent personal expressions of their sorrow."

Mr. and Mrs. Grover recently celebrated their silver anniversary having been married twenty-five years in August.

One on Bill.

Crookston Times: A few days ago Sheriff Richmond of Roseau county passed thru Crookston with a man from Roseau who had gone crazy on the subject of hypnotism, taking him to the insane hospital at Fergus Falls. Mr. Richmond and his patient boarded the train here in the evening and Conductor Bill Clark was pulling it. When the conductor came around to take up the tickets the man began telling of his hypnotic powers and Mr. Richmond, who is known to Conductor Clark, tipped the latter the wink:

"I'll hypnotize you," said the insane man.

"Fire away," replied the conductor.

The man made several passes before Bill's face.

"Now you are hypnotized," he said.

The conductor looked the part as best he could.

"You're a conductor," the hypnotist said.

"That's right," replied his victim.

"You're a good conductor," went on the hypnotist.

"Right again," said the conductor.

"You don't smoke, drink, or swear at passengers. You are honest. You turn in all tickets and money you collect from passengers. In fact, you do not steal a cent."

"That's right," assented the conductor.

The hypnotist eyed him a moment then said:

"What an awful fix you'd be in if I left you in this condition."

Notice to the Public.

I have started up the Healy flour mill and am now prepared to furnish the famous "Gold Seal" fancy patent flour, and feed of all kinds on the shortest notice. Orders phoned to No. 87 will be given prompt attention. Farmers who desire to exchange wheat for flour will find it to their advantage to call on me. Will also always pay the highest cash price for wheat. Am prepared to do feed grinding every hour in the day. Give me a call.

Yours sincerely,
Leo. Steinert.

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Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate Under Judgment of Foreclosure.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Citizens National Bank of Worthington,
Plaintiff

vs.

George Miller, Catherine Miller and Blanche L. Matteson,
Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgement and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 6th day of November, 1907, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned, sheriff of said Red Lake county, will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the 28th day of December, 1907, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the west front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, in one parcel, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northwest fractional quarter of section five, (5) township one hundred fifty two (152), range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Dated November 8th, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.

J. A. Towo,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
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Then tell him about Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Tell him how it cured your hard cough. Tell him why you always keep it in the house. Tell him to ask his doctor about it. Doctors use a great deal of it for throat and lung troubles.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated December 26th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, January 12th, 1905, at 3:10 o'clock p. m., in Book 33 of Mortgages, on Page 631-632 whereby Peder N. Lybeck and Thore Lybeck, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard.) mortgagees, the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24) and the north half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) all in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $15.90, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.73, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, thirty-eight dollars and sixty-three cents, ($38.63.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given. That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
George W. Wishard.

H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated October 13th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, October 19th, 1904, at 1:40 o'clock p. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 439-440, whereby Jens L. Bolstad and Helene J. Bolstad, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the northeast quarter (ne¼) of section twenty-one (21) in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $31.80, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.04, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, fifty-three dollars and eighty-four cents. ($53 84.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.
By Thos C. Day
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H. C. Gilbert, Attorney,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
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Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Will.

ESTATE OF PEHR BENGTSON

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Pehr Bengtson, decedent.

The State of Minnesota to John Bengtson and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Hjalmer Johnson being duly filed in this court, representing that Pehr Bengtson, then a resident of the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, died on the 15th day of September, 1907, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testamentary be issued thereon to Hjalmer Johnson,

Now Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the probate court rooms in the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of November, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the honorable, N. W. Tarrant, judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 26th day of October, 1907.

(Court Seal)
N. W. TARRANT,
Judge.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by L. L. Zenor, a single man, mortgagor, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of February, A. D., 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 35 of mortgages on page 332 and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice, the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Forty-three and 95-100 ($1343 95) dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The east half of the east half of section twenty-seven (27) in township one hundred fifty (150) north of range forty-three (43) west of 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey one hundred sixty (160) acres, be the same more or less in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock a. m., on that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of one thousand three hundred forty three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and seventy five ($75.00) dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated October 27th, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche
Hypotheekbank—(The Netherlands
American Mortgage Bank),
Mortgagee.

Wm. J. Brown,
Attorney for Mortgage,
Warren, Minnesota.
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👁 Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of forty-eight and 10-100 dollars with interest on said amount since the 20th day of February, A. D., 1907, at the rate of 5½ per cent. per annum since that date.

And whereas, the terms and conditions of mortgage hereinafter describes provides that if default shall be made in the payment of said sum of money, or the interest, or any part thereof at the time and in the manner in said mortgage specified, the said mortgagee, his heirs, executors and assigns are authorized to declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage immediately due and payable;

And whereas the assignees of said mortgagee have declared the whole amount secured by said mortgage due and payable prior to the time of giving this notice.

That there is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice on said mortgage hereinafter described the sum of nine hundred sixty two and 86-100 dollars, which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Andrew O. Letvig, as administrator of the estate of Mary Jane Letvig, deceased, mortgagor, to Andrew A. Olson, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1904, with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of February, 1904, at 4:00 o'clock p. m., in book 14 of mortgages, on pages 251-253.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Andrew A. Olson to Sabille Garceau and Geo. F. Hennings by a written assignment bearing date the 11th day of October, 1907, and recorded in the office of said Register of deeds on the 18th day of October 1907, at 2.30 o'clock P. M. in Book 15 of mortgages at Page 410; and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured mortgage, or any part thereof,

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter of section numbered twenty five (25), in township numbered one hundred fifty two (152) North of Range forty five (45) West of the 5th P. M in the state of Minnesota less the Railway Right-away and other lands of said quarter sold during the life time of said Mary Jane Letvig, leaving a balance in said above described premises of 124 and 71-100 acres, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State on the 7th day of December, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of nine hundred sixty two and 86-100 dollars, with interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of forclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated October 23d, 1907.

SABILLE GARCEAU,
GEO. F. HENNINGS,
Assignees of Mortgagee.

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignees of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
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¶ All pretense is carefully avoided at this store by selling XTRAGOOD clothes; the most durable, reliable brand made; the honest, guaranteed kind.

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Sailor and Russian Suits for boys 2½ to 10 years, large collar trimmed with silk braid, emblem on shield. Made in serges, worsteds, cheviots of various colors and patterns.

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You catch cold easily or become run-down because of the after effects of malaria.

Strengthen yourself with *Scott's Emulsion.*

It builds new blood and tones up your nervous system.

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The "Stay Satisfactory" Range

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the best stove will burn fuel fast enough, but the best fuel saver is the FAVORITE BASE BURNER, with three flues. This is something new and has proven a bonanza for the consumer.

Air-tights from $1.50 up

TRY A MONARCH MALLEABLE RANGE and be convinced you have the best stove on the market.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1907.

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FAIR BIG SUCCESS

Large Crowd in Attendance at Saint Joseph's Catholic Fair this Week.

Tho Catholic fair which has been in progress the past three days has drawn forth large crowds and been a pronounced success in every particular, tho receipts notting the schools upwards of $1,000. The church was most beautifully decorated and tho booths contained many articles of valuo, all of which woro sold at pricos which added handsomely to tho funds of the society. Tho meals served daily by tho ladies of the church wero such as mother used to sot beforo us when we were but a hungry littlo urchin, and they were patronized liberally by our townspeople and rural shoppers. The heart of many a littlo miss was gladdened by the prizo bostowed upon her by kind and loving friends, while others who had labored equally as hard in compotition rejoice insomuch as "Wo helped reise the price and get lots of moeoy for the Sisters' school." Everything passed off pleasantly and tho people of tho community at large havo tho thenks of the Sisters and school for their liberal patronege and support upon this occasion.

Slumbered and Slept

Crookston Times: Rov. Phillip A Schwertz, who recently took chargo as pastor of the Presbyterian church at Red Lake Falls. was on No. 5 this morning coming up from Windom, his former charge, whero ho had beer. called to take charge of a fueoral of one of his former parishonors. He had heon several nights without edequeta sleep and this morning when the train pulled into Crookstoe he was eound asleep, with the result that he was carried by. He says, however, that he was fully repaid for his extra ride by the delightful time which he epent in the beautiful and thriving little town of Fisher, while waiting for the train from Grand Forks. He got beck to Crookston in time to catch his train out to Red Lake Falls.

THE BAND CONCERT

Some Special Features to be Presented Next Tuesday Evening.

The second indoor concert of the Red Lake Falls band for this season will be held at the Metropolitan opera house next Tuesday evening, November 26. The program has some ospecielly attractive numbers, and will be one of the best ever presented:

PART I.

1—March, by baed.
2—Overture, by baed.
3—Cornet solo, Clement Brunelle.
4—Selection, by orchestra.
5—Song, Mrs. Marshall.
6—Chorus, with band, high school and grammer school pupils.

PAST II.

7—Overture, by orchestra.
8—Reading.
9—Trombone solo, Harry Healy.
10—March, Junior band.
11—Cornet duet, Messrs. Brunelle and Freund.
12—Chorus, with band, high school and grammar school pupils.

Results of Experiment.

It has been found by experiment that deep sea fish can he ecclimeted in fresh water. The result of experiment and a long experience in brewing is the perfection of golden grain helt beer. This valueble food-drink is reccommended as a tonic for overworked brein or muscle and an aid to digestion. Order of your nearest dealer or be suppliod by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

PASTOR INSTALLED

The Installation of Rev. Philip A. Schwarz to Occur next Tuesday Evening.

The installetion of Rev. Phillip A. Schwartz will take plece in the Presbyterian church next Tuesdey evening—November 26th at half past seven. Those taking part in this service are the Rev. W. S. Ward of Crookston who will preside and put the constitutionel questions and preach tha sermon; the Rev. R. N. Adems, D. D. of Minneapolis who will give the charge to the people and the Rev. F. J. Berackmen of Blackduck who will deliver the charge to the pastor.

Special music will be rendered for the occasisn. An installation is always an impressiva and an interesting service and all are very cordially invited to attend the same.

Rev. Schwartz, the pestor-elect, is of German parentage, but was born in Massachusetts. He is a graduete of the Garman theologicel school of Newark, N. J. and of Union theological seminary of New York. He came west in 1893 aed has held pastorates in southern Minneasota and St. Paul since thet time with the exception of three years when he was pastor of a church near Buffelo, N. Y. He comes to Red Lake Falls from Windom where he has just closed a three years successful pestorate. He has found the climete of northern Minnesota more heneficiel than that of the southern part of the state and was therefore induced to accept the heerty and unanimous call from the Preshyterian church of this plece. He began his labors here November first, and has won the love and esteem of his congregation and the Gazette joins with all friends in wishing for him a successful pastorate in our midst.

BIG DAY IN TOWN

Though Advertised But Little Market Day Proves a Big Success.

Market day in Red Lake Falls ie looked upon by the formere throughout the county es an occasion of great priviliges, and upon such deys the rurel citizen for miles end miles round throng our streets of our city and flock to the atores in search of the real bargains offered by our merchants.

These honest tillers of the soil have long since learned that our business men do as they advertise, and not only spread before the purchasing public various bargains in every department of tha store, but offer valuable prizes in competition for different artioles grown on the ferm, large families, and other competitive notions. Ae in a dream it would seem the farmers throughout the whola nation had learned to distrust their brother merchents, but in this locality our rural freinds are fest heing convinced thet the Red Laka Falls business men ere reliable, meet competition at avary point when the quality of goods are taken into consideretion, and unlike the coin inscribed "In God We Trust"—they trust averybody. Who could ask more? Where cen you do hetter? Our merchants, bankers and hueiness men will meet the rural citizen half way, and they will find it to their own good advantage to trade in Red Lake Falls.

The winners of the prizes, the doners, and the articles of competition are as follows:

Franz Freund, hox of cigars to oldest baehalor, Geo. E. Berth, 67 yr hox chocolates to fattest woman, Mrs. Ed. Enright.

H. W. Anderson, alarm clock to person with lowest number watch, Peter Mathews, 3703.

J. A. Schreiter, two boxes Schrietar's Laxatlva Cold Tablats to parson guassing number of pills in a hottla, 535, to J. A. Parault, 550.

Garceau & Zaiser, pair shoes to man wearing largest shoe, Jos. Brohman, size 13.

Marchants State Bank, $5 cash for closast guass, to numhar of nickels in glass jar, 362, tia at 361 batween C. A. Lindquist and J. B. Hehert, whila Joe Ford guesaad 360.

G. A. Kankel, carving aet to youngest married couple, Fred Seeger; pair scissors to ona guessing nearest numher staples in pan, 193, Mrs. Geo. Orr, 190; aecond, lady's pen knife, Delor Champaux, 199.

Theo. LaBiasoniere, parlor rug to largast family. Claus Hanricha and Sam Millar were both in, hava large familias, hut neither called to prove title to rug.

Hunt Hardware Co., air tight heater to ona guessing naarest to waight of steal range, 556lbs., Jos. Sande and Richardson tia at 560.

First State Bank, parlor lamp to ona guessing nearast amount of gold in glass jar, $1,940, Alax Patnode and Emil Just tie at $1,950.

W. T. Spillana, pipa to heaviest man, Matt Waldorf, 232½lbs; box chocolatas to lightest lady, Graca Bagan, 107lbs.

Groshong & Blake, $1 in trade to ona guessing nearest to langth of ribhon, 82 inches, Frank Glass, 80 inches.

E. Chatel, wash howl and pitchar for largast haad of cabbage, Geo. Luxenberg.

Ed. A. Nelaon, hair cut to one guessing neareat to avarage numbar of strokes to shava, 900 to 1000, C. A. Lindquist, 1166.

L. A. Kanfer, whip to heaviest team, Claua Hanrichs, 2850.

J. P. Miller, hair cut to tallest man, Henry Lindhlom, 6 feet 4 inchas.

Mrs. C. L. Gray & Daughter, atreet hat to heaviest girl, Polly Ingehretson, 13 yeara, 240 pounda.

Red Laka Falla Milling Co., saok of Mascot to farmar haulling load of wheat longest distance, Victor Laurenaon, 17 miles.

A. L. Relohert, bottle of Scarlesa Liniment to each of the firat six guessing nearast to the number of preacriptiona filled at his store during July, August and September, Geo. W. Hirr, J. H. Lasha, Sam Miller, Ernest Patnode, Will Marleau and Wilfred Laframboise.

Winter Schedule.

The winter schedule on the Great Northern railway went into effect last Sunday Nov. 17th. Connections from Greenbush line are the same as heretofore—passangers for St. Paul and the East connecting at Crookston with trains 6 and 8. Train 6 leaves Crookston at 10.05 P. M. arriving St. Paul 10.20 A. M. Train 8 leaves Crookston 10.25 P. M. arriving St. Paul 7.20 A. M. Trains 153 and 154 between Barnesville and Crookaton ara discontinued, trains 5 and 6 now making those atops. There le no change of any conaequence in west hound transcontinental trains 1 and 3, which will continue to depart from St. Paul at 10.30 A. M. and 3 P. M. respectively.

COUNTY DADS MEET

Held Regular Session on Monday and Transacted Considerable Business.

The board of county commissioners held their regular session on Monday and transected the usual routine of business.

An auctioneer's license was granted to C. M. Evenson, of Thief River Falls.

A day of bearing wes ordered set on the petition of L. T. Bergb for a new school district.

The county auditor was instructed to advartise for bids for a new eteel hridga aoross Clearwater river between sections 2 and 3 in the town of Garnes and sections 34 and and 35 in the town of Mayfield, providing the towns contrihute $200.00 each toward the expense of same. The Superintendent of Highways, E. H. Mertz, was instructed to draw up plans and speoifioations for said bridge.

Tha application of H. A. Radeke for correction of assessment was granted, while that of Dennis Cyr was rejected.

A division of property hetween districts No. 64 and 147 was mede satlafactory to hoth sides.

Tha new proposed ditch no. 29 was considered and C. H. Mertz, auperintendent of highways, was appointed angineer to survey same, all in the town of River Falls.

The customary list of hills wera allowad and warrants ordered drawn for same, while tha forca in tha county auditor's office are husy with their usual routine of business following tha meeting of tha county board.

A Worthy Booster.

Thara is soma talk of organizing a "Boosters' Club" in Red Laka Falls and the following is a worthy suggastion for a pladge:

"On my word and honor I hare and now deolare that so long as I am a residant of this community it will he my constant aim to hoost it all the time and avary time.

"I will do all I can for every puhlic work that has the good of the community of its ohject.

"I will submit to majority rula and won't knock and howl my head off if things are not always done my way.

"I raaliza if this community is good anough to maka monay in it is tha proper placa to apend it, espacially if I ever want to saa it again. Therefore I am

"Resolved that I will huy everything at homa that I can and will nevar go farthar than nacassary,

"I will always say aomething good of my town and its paopla or keep my bazzo shut axcapt, of course, in puhlic damonstration."

RECESS IN COURT

Minnesota Historical Society

The Wheels of Justice Grinds Slowly, but a Big Grist has been Ground

The court has been "doing business" the past week and a large number of cases disposed of. Tha jurors have heen granted a recess until next week, while Judge Watts will hear arguments on a number of cases in the meentime. The cases which have been disposed of ara:

State vs Dan Guerin, cherged with assaulting an officer, dismissed on eccount of not sufficient evidence.

State vs Joe Levee, oharged with attempt to hold-up at Thief River Falls, verdict of not guilty.

State vs R. B. Hamilton, charged with indecent assault, dismissed on failure of prosecuting witness to appear and testify.

State vs H. B. Blackey, charged accepting a bribe, dismissed.

State vs E. H. Ackerman, charged with giving a brihe, dismissed.

Elesta Allison vs Garceau & Zaiser, court granted twenty days tima to plaintiff to file supplimental avidence.

V. E. Segerstorm vs C. W. Teal et al., dismissed upon motion of plaintiff.

Merchants Net'l Bank of Crookston vs H. Fant, case re-opened and judgment ordared, then sattled out of court and dismissed.

Julius Kessler & Co. vs Ole Torgerson at al, suit on sale of note, verdict for plaintiff and stay of thirty days granted.

An appeal was taken from Prohate Court in the Fornier estete, and the seme will come up for jury trial November 27th.

Joseph Cyr vs Edward Enright, vardict for defendant and stay of twenty daya granted on proceadings.

Betsay Scheldrup vs Exaria Chatal, controversary ovar the digging of a ditch three years ago, was up for trial yasterday and want to the jury about five o'olock last evening, and up to this morning no verdict has heen reached. This is tha last casa to ba triad by jury this weak, hut a number of casas are to he argued bafore Judga Watts today, tha first on docket being tha State vs Tha Tri-Stata Talaphona and Telagraph Company.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

A safe way not to lose money investments is not to hava any to lose.

A girl would rather he kissed hy a stranger than not be ahle to tell how men try to.

No matter how fat a woman is, she thinks it will ha different when tha fashions changa.—Naw York Prass.

Saving money is very useful for the man who is going to gat it away from you.

A woman's idea of your being cross is when you think some othar woman is pretty.

Whan anybody agreas with you ha has opinions; when ha doas'nt, dalusions.

When ordaring flour call for tha "Gold Seal" brand. If your dealar talls you to get flour "just as good" don't mind him but insist on gatting somsthing batter, and order Gold Seal.—Leo Steinart.

THE BIG STORE

MARKET DAY TRAILERS

We have had another successful Market day. Judging from our sales hundreds must have availed themselves of the bargains we offered. For the benefit of those who couldn't come we will leave the bargains including the very best things open for another week. We will add the following bargains to our list for the coming week:

Colored oil cloth for	18c
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Just arrived 20 more of those fina Palmer fur collored long coats

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Kerosene oil 15c, tomatoes 10c can, Bismarck dill pickles mixed 15c qt., smoking tobacco—Minnesota Chief 16c lb., yeast cakes 4c, saleratus 5c, Meteor 25c coffee 25c, soda crackers 5c lb by case, comb honey 10c cake, ginger snaps 7c lb, sweet potatoes 5c lb., fresh buck wheat flour Wrights 5c lb., scouring soap 3c, 10c Wiggle Stick blue 5c, plenty cabbage, turnips. carrots in hand, Monarch and Log Cabin maple syrup, Chase & Sanborn's Altura coffee, the best 25c coffee in town, try it

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NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Washington.

Secretary Metcalf has issued a statement estimating that $125,041,399 will be required for the naval service for the year commencing July 1, 1908.

Complete rural service in Carver county, Minnesota, has been ordered, effective on Dec. 1. The total number of routes in the county will be eighteen.

Maj. Gen. J. Franklin Bell, chief of staff of the army, has resumed his duties at the war department after a month's stay at a health resort in New York state. He is in excellent health.

The comparative statement of the government's receipts and expenditures show that for the month of October, 1907, the receipts were $59,028,215 and the expeditures were $53,554,357, leaving a surplus for the month of about $434,000. For October, 1906, the surplus was about $2,600,000.

People Talked About.

The duke of Abruzzi denies the report that he is engaged to Miss Katherine Elkins, daughter of Senator Stephen B. Elkins.

Albert Trostel, one of the best known tanners of Milwaukee and the United States, died at his home in Milwaukee after an illness of several months.

C. W. Sanders, superintendent of construction and bridges and chief engineer for the Copper Range railroad, is dead of pneumonia at Calumet, Mich.

Rev. Daniel R. Lucas, a national figure in religious and G. A. R. circles, died suddenly at his home at Indianapolis. Dr. Lucas was one of the founders of Drake university.

Jefferson Polk, president of the Des Moines Pioneer Street railway and interurban magnate and multimillionaire, died at his home in Des Moines after a two weeks' illness.

James E. Maher has been appointed deputy clerk of the United States supreme court. Mr. Maher has been connected with the court for the last forty years and for much of that time has occupied the position of journal clerk.

Daniel Carrigg, widely known to the sporting fraternity throughout the West, died at Council Bluffs, Iowa, of Bright's disease. Twenty years ago Carrigg was proprietor of a big gambling house and was wealthy, but lost most of his fortune.

Crimes and Criminals.

Guy Condit, cashier of the First National bank at Kingfisher, Okla., attempted to kill himself by slashing his throat. He will recover. His accounts are correct.

Rev. D. W. Thompson, until recently pastor of the Le Grand Christian church at Marshalltown, Iowa, was arrested at Truro, charged with using the mails to defraud.

Six men were arraigned in the police court at New York charged with robberies from the Adams Express company, which it is alleged will aggregate between $30,000 and $50,000.

J. B. Cartwright, a liveryman of Culbertson, Mont., committed suicide by swallowing carbolic acid. He was despondent. His uncle and father had set the example several years ago.

Following an indictment on a charge of attempted criminal assault, Alex Johnson, a negro, was taken from the jail at Cameron, Tex., by a mob of 500 men and hanged to a tree in the court house yard.

Marie Carmella Mongolluzzo, an aged Italian woman, was murdered and robbed of $700, the savings of her husband, while she was at work in a shed in the rear of her home in Southwest Philadelphia.

Emmett Dalton, the noted former bandit, has been pardoned by Gov. Hoch of Kansas. Dalton was sentenced to the penitentiary for life for taking part in the Coffeyville bank robbery in 1892.

Arthur Rogers, a wealthy farmer living two miles from Bancroft, Mich., cut his wife's throat with a razor and then committed suicide with the same [illegible] ers is supposed to have [illegible]ented.

[illegible] to the strain under which he had [illegible] for several days, James [illegible] of the Huntsville [illegible] company, killed himself [illegible] home at Huntsville, Ala., [illegible] a bullet through his brain. Intimate [illegible] of the dead man say that he labored under high nervous [illegible] for several days and feared that a run would be made on his bank, and that there would not be enough money to weather the storm.

Abe Sumroll and Hank Lucas, negroes, were lynched at Vinegar Bend, Ala. Sumroll murdered Jules Bosz, a young Cuban, on Monday night last while he was trying to arrest him for burglary. Lucas' crime was the protecting of Sumroll from a police posse.

Joe Dean, an eighteen-year-old boy, called Julia Johnson, a girl in her teens, to the door of her boarding house at Norfolk, Va., and shot her through the abdomen. He then shot himself in the temple. Both will die. Jealousy is said to have been the cause

Ernest W. Angell, twenty-five years old, of Ithaca, Mich., is under arrest at Detroit, charged with having embezzled over $9,000 from the Ann Arbor railway while acting at the road's agent at Manistique.

R. E. Weber, a sergeant in the United States army, stationed at the Columbus Barracks, Ohio, was killed by Edward Mitchell, a negro, who came home unexpectedly and found Weber in company with his wife.

Bedros Hamparzoomian, who shot and killed Hovanes Tavsanjian, a wealthy Armenian merchant in Union Square, New York, has been sentenced to die in the electric chair at Sing Sing during the week beginning Dec. 16.

Casualty.

The Jersey Central flyer was wrecked near Pittston, Pa. The engine and four cars tumbled over an embankment, killing Engineer Johnson and seriously injuring the fireman.

Oscar Dahl, a plumber, was found on a pile of rock in the Cedar river, near the east end of the Great Western bridge at Waterloo, Iowa, where he had evidently fallen to his death.

The burning of the breaker of the Fernwood colliery of the Erie Coal company at Scranton was the cause of the death of two men who came in contact with electric light wires.

Thomas Hough and Charles R. Knutson, laborers employed by a contractor in Chicago, were electrocuted while operating a derrick, the steel cable of which came in contact with a trolley wire.

Police headquarters of Buffalo was practically ruined by fire discovered in the lavatory and which spread rapidly through the two top floors. All of the thirty prisoners were removed in safety.

Fire at Kingston, N. Y., destroyed the tugboat John H. Cordes, belonging to the Cornell Steamboat company, the company's coal pockets containing 1,800 tons of coal and five cars loaded with coal. The loss is said to be $150,000.

Two large bulk freight steamers met in a head-on collision in the St. Clair river opposite Algonac. The steamer Rels was sunk in twenty-six feet of water, and the steamer Monroe C. Smith was beached to prevent her sinking in deep water. So far as known none of the crews of either vessel was injured.

From Other Shores.

A royal proclamation announces that the British parliament is further prorogued from Nov. 16 to Dec. 26.

The cage of a coal mine at Collard, Belgium, fell 500 feet, killing, fatally injuring or maiming thirteen miners.

A violent earthquake occurred at Samarkand, but comparatively little damage was done. The inhabitants of Samarkand were panic-stricken and for some time great excitement prevailed.

Emperor William has conferred on Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, the German ambassador at Constantinople, who was head of the German delegation at the Hague peace conference, the order of the Black Eagle, the highest Prussian decoration, in recognition of his services at The Hague.

Crown Prince Frederick William is devoting himself with much energy to his new work in the ministry of the interior. He lives at Potsdam, about eighteen miles from his office, and to get there by 9 o'clock he must arise before 7 every morning. He comes in an automobile, and so far has been punctual.

The Frankfurter Zeitung of Berlin says the public prosecutor is taking preliminary proceedings against Prince Philip Eulenberg and three former army officers for offenses against the penal code. The action is the result of the case of Count von Moltke against Maximilian Harden, editor of Die Zukunft.

General News Items.

Huntington Smith, a wealthy resident of St. Louis and a member of various clubs in that city, died at his summer home in Castleton, Vt., following a stroke of apoplexy.

Frederick Webber, secretary general of the supreme council of sovereign grand inspectors general of the thirty-third degree, Ancient Scottish Rite Masons, Southern jurisdiction, is dead in Washington.

Cotton growers in all parts of Oklahoma and Indian Territory held secret meetings and decided to hold the 1907 pick until cotton prices have advanced to a certain point. It is rumored the minimum price was fixed at 16 cents.

Frightened by a cat which jumped through a window in the room in which she sat at work, alighting at her feet, Mrs. Alfred Purdy of Wabash, Ind., dropped dead. She was singing at the time and was in perfect health.

A certificate of incorporation has been filed at Albany, N. Y., for the Russell Sage Institute of Pathology of New York city. Its objects are stated to be the encouragement of scientific researches in lines of medicine and pathology, the investigation of the diseases and infirmities of advanced life and the maintenance of laboratories for these purposes.

A combination of independent cracker manufacturers, to be known as the General Biscuit company, is in formation at Baltimore. It is understood about twenty-five independent companies will be in the projected combine. The capital stock will be $330,000,000.

Surgery may be resorted to to brighten the minds of backward pupils in the Pittsburg public schools. It is planned to have physicians perform operations on pupils who are behind in their lessons and whose deficiency is found to be caused by physical ailments.

PLANT BREEDING WORK AT THE MINNESOTA EXPERIMENT STATION

The improvement of field crops by systematic methods of breeding was started at the Minnesota experiment station in 1892 by Prof. W. M. Hays, now assistant secretary of agriculture at Washington, D. C. The entirety of the problem was at that time hardly realized. The methods and the far-reaching results were simple and but little known. But as each year's work progressed new methods were achieved. They rendered the efficiency of the work more secure and greatly facilitated the detailed manipulation of seeds and machinery necessary to success. At first it was hardly supposed that varieties bred at the university farm would maintain their superior qualities when introduced into localities, north, south, east and west of the one in which they originated and were acclimated. The results, however, as hereinafter briefly stated, have very largely dispelled all fear in this direction.

The first "nursery breeding plot" plantings were made in rows, one or more feet apart, with seeds one foot apart in the row. When the plants were well up each hill was thinned to one plant. Thus each plant had an equal chance and comparisons between plants was made easy. This method was finally abandoned in 1898, for what seemed at that time and has since proved to be a far more satisfactory method. In this method the seeds in all breeding plots are planted in little plots (centgeners), one per hill, and the hills four inches apart each way. This makes a miniature field with conditions approaching very closely those of actual field conditions. A comparison of individual plants is here an easy matter and results more reliable.

The matter of breeding (in modern sense) is the selection of individuals possessed with characters of high quality and with the power of transmitting these characters in full value to the progeny.

In the row system first used the selection was based entirely upon the record of the individual itself. In the method now used the selection is based upon the performance of the progeny of the selected individuals. It is, therefore, apparent that in the former no account was made or could be made of the prepotency of the individuals, but in the latter case, by harvesting all the plants in the centgeners and ascertaining the average yield per plant a comparable measure is secured, by which the propetency of the selected plant can be ascertained. In short, to state the principles of breeding followed at university farm, it may be said that two laws are closely studied and used. These are the "law of variation" and the law "like begets like." To assist judgment in making use of these laws many data are recorded. With these data the first law enables the breeder to select the desired plants, while the second law is used after it has been proven whether or not the selected plants transmit those qualities or characters for which they were selected. If certain plants do transmit a high-breeding power, for instance, the seed from these plants is increased. Thus there has been obtained a pedigree stock or variety. The plant breeder and the farmer can rely upon its being superior to its parent variety or other common varieties.

In this connection it must be remembered that a highly bred variety of any plant must have more than "scrub" care if these improved characters are to be maintained. This means selection of seed, culture and soil fertility.

What Farmer Can Do.

It may seem that the average farmer could hardly afford to select or breed his own field crops, but such is not the case. There are many avenues open to him who will exert the energy and the thought necessary to the work; e. g., the fanning mill stands ready to separate the heavy, plump and sound seed from the poor seed and chaff, and the former is by far the best to use. Again a farmer can pick a few of his best heads from his field and by planting separately the seed from these, and increasing the quantity from year to year, obtain a strain superior to the common field. Once again, a farmer can by planting several hundred seeds in hills a few inches apart, and with one seed per hill, secure a selection of superior plants. With these as a foundation, improvement is rendered certain. It is needless to here point out the advantages a farmer may have by producing an improved variety. Such a work would require from three to five years perhaps, but would repay manyfold for the effort. Centgener breeding is not to be recommended for the average farmer.

One other class of breeding should be mentioned, but had best not indulge the average farmer. This is the crossing and hybridizing method of obtaining new stocks from which to select. Experiments conducted here show plainly that selected crosses (a progeny of two plants within a given variety) have greater power to yield than do the original stocks, also that hybrids (the progeny of two plants of different species or type) have greater power to yield than do the crosses. Since it takes from twelve to twenty years to get a hybrid secured, selected and typified, it is hardly wise to recommend such breeding practices to the farmer.

HYBRIDIZING.

To those who have spent years in plant breeding work marvelous results are not surprising. Time will bring about results that seem practically superhuman, but results already obtained warrant this statement.

A few of the results obtained at university farm will serve to illustrate the possibilities to be achieved and the immense value of such a work to the state.

Table Showing Average Yields of the New Varieties of Pedigree Crops.

	No. Yrs.	Yield, Bu.	a Ave.
Minnesota Wheat No. 163—	12	26.8	12.95
Minnesota Wheat No. 169—	12	27.2	.....
Minnesota Wheat No. 188—	12	28.2	.....
Minnesota Oats No. 6—	13	64.3	33.2
Minnesota Oats No. 26—	13	70.5	.....
Minnesota Barley No. 105—	8	52.9	26.4
Minnesota Flax No. 25—	5	17.8	h10
Minnesota Corn No. 13—	9	57.3	29.44
Minnesota Rye No. 2—	7	42.0	18.0

a Average state yields for ten years from United States Year Book.

h Estimated.

In 1899 the agricultural division at university farm distributed to farmers in various parts of Minnesota a new fife wheat, Minnesota No. 163. Two years later a new blue stem was distributed in a similar manner. In 1906 a new bearded wheat, a hybrid, Minnesota No. 188, was also distributed. Since that time there have been distributed two new varieties of oats, Minnesota No. 6 and Minnesota No. 26; a variety of yellow dent corn, Minnesota No. 13; a variety of barley, Minnesota No. 105; a variety of "seed" flax, Minnesota No. 25; and a variety of rye, Minnesota No. 2. These varieties are all improved by breeding and have met with favor in nearly every locality in which they have been grown. In the case of Minnesota No. 169 wheat, No. 25 flax and No. 13 corn the results have been exceptional. They have been successful and are highly prized in Minnesota's border states.

These varieties, if grown exclusively in all parts of the state, would add millions of dollars to the farm value of our field crops. Data gathered by the agricultural division show that the percentage increase in production of the improved varieties over their parents and the varieties commonly grown has been from 5 per cent to 25 per cent, the latter being that of No. 25 flax.

A Practical Demonstration.

It is ofttimes a very difficult matter to explain in a satisfactory way the fact that crop rotation and intelligent systems of cropping are immensely more profitable than continuous cropping to one class of crops. It is an indisputable fact that wheat grown continuously upon the same farm has proved a profitable practice. How long such a system of cropping may continue profitable is a question which years of experience only can solve. How much more or how much less wheat growing will net per acre when compared with a mixed farming practice depends upon a number of factors, but these cannot be here discussed.

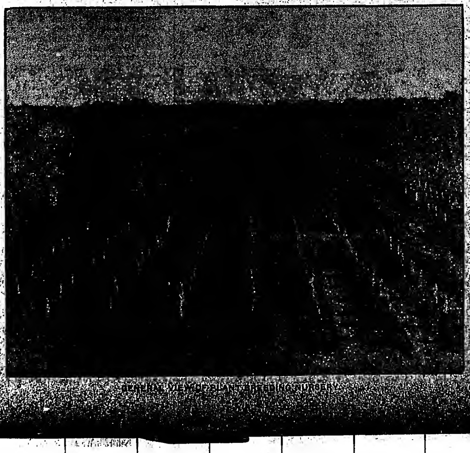
At the Minnesota experiment station there are upward of sixty plots set apart for rotation experiments. There are very few duplicates, so for the most part each plot or small field has a new story to tell. On some of these plots the same crops have been planted each year for the past thirteen years. Thus one plot is designated for wheat, another for corn, another for potatoes, etc. In still other plots these crops are included in rotations which are applied. Thus on these plots there is corn the first year, wheat the second year, meadow the third year, pasture the fourth year and oats the fifth year, or some such arrangement of crops, then wheat again the sixth year and so on through the rotation. The best evidence of the comparative value of wheat or corn in rotation and grown continuously on the same land is offered when the crops are growing. The next best evidence appears in the figures which represent the results of the crops in yield.

The following table gives the yield of wheat and corn grown under conditions just described:

Wheat continuously	18.56
Wheat continuously and 4 pounds clover seed annually	21.8
Wheat in rotation with corn and meadow	28.8
Corn continuously	21.38
Corn in rotation with grain and meadow	59.9
Difference in favor of wheat in rotation	10.24
Difference in favor of corn in rotation	29.52

While these are only a few of the results, it may be reasonably asserted that similar results attend the growing of any crop in rotation and continuously. Aside from these there remains another profit-bearing enterprise in connection with the rotation which is practically excluded by the practice of one crop system of farming. This is stock raising.

Other demonstration work of this sort is constantly carried on at the experiment station. The best time of plowing, of planting, of manuring have been thus worked out and likewise many methods of farm practices, all of which add an untold profit and pleasure to farming.



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TOO MANY SCHOOL BOARDS.

Town of Cove, Mille Lacs County, Is Having Trouble.

The town of Cove, School District No. 17, Mille Lacs county, is suffering from too much school board, and as a result the schools are closed and the district is in danger of losing its state aid next year. The attorney general has been asked to solve the problem for the district, as the conflict of authority between the two boards has resulted in completely tying up the schools.

The trouble grew out of a difference between two school officials, in which one of them sought to oust the other from office. The district took sides with their friends in the fight, and as a result the members of the old board of trustees resigned and new appointments were made. In the meantime, however, the old members withdrew their resignations and attempted to continue to act as the legal board.

This raised the question as to which of the two boards was authorized to appoint teachers, and with a prospect of having to appeal to the courts to get their salaries the teachers were not anxious to secure appointments from either board. The situation was further complicated when the county treasurer gave notice that he would refuse to pay any warrants drawn by either board until the question of the legality of the organization was determined.

C. S. Jelley, special counsel in the attorney general's office, is trying to find the answer to the problem and will probably suggest that the best way out of it is to have the two boards act together and agree on the appointments of the teachers and to have all warrants and all proceedings approved by the members of both boards. This would give them a temporary working basis for the operation of the schools and then quo warranto proceedings might be brought in the courts to have the questions judicially determined.

ACCUSED BY GIRL WIFE.

Bigamy Charged to Hubbard — Complainant Has Gone Back Home.

The deputy sheriff of Morrison county arrested Charles Hubbard in Brainerd on a warrant charging him with bigamy. Hubbard came to Brainerd about three months ago with a girl wife, aged fifteen, whom he married in Little Falls last spring. They quarreled continually, the police having been called in several times to restore order. About a week ago they had another quarrel and the girl left, threatening to throw herself into the river. She was found about two miles from the city by her mother, who came up from Little Falls. She took her things and went to the home of her mother in Little Falls, where she now is.

The deputy sheriff came up yesterday afternoon and arrested Hubbard on a statutory charge. According to the story told he had married a girl in Wisconsin several years ago and was so cruel to her that she left and returned to her parents. No divorce was ever secured and he married the girl in Little Falls. It was on the complaint of the latter that he was arrested.

When taken he was "hatching it" with the brother of the girl making the complaint. The brother went with Hubbard and the officer to Little Falls.

35 TAINTED COWS KILLED.

Since the enforcement of the recently enacted milk and dairy inspection ordinance at Mankato was begun 120 dairy cows have been given the tuberculosis test, and thirty-seven of these have been condemned. Thirty-five of the condemned cows were slaughtered in the presence of four members of the state sanitary board, several local physicians, dairymen, farmers and others, and the government inspectors at the packing house. A post-mortem examination revealed the fact that every one of the cows killed was afflicted with tuberculosis. Some were incipient cases and some were in the last stages, and might have been picked out as victims of the white plague by external signs. The slaughtered cattle were from six herds that have been supplying milk in the city. The persons present were convinced of the efficiency of the tubercular test, and several farmers expressed a desire to have their cattle tested. The local health authorities will continue to make tests as rapidly as possible, and condemnation will be enforced whenever sufficient numbers of condemned cows are got together. It is estimated that the milk of 700 cows is consumed in Mankato and all are to be tested.

WIFE ILL; HOME BURNS.

Farmers' Helpmeet Is Able Only to Drag Herself to Safety.

Ivanhoe, Minn., Nov. 12.—The residence of Ben Olsen, a prominent farmer of Royal township, burned to the ground during his absence. His wife, who was confined to her bed by illness, was practically alone in the house when she discovered that fire had started in the upper story. She dragged herself to the shelter of some trees, where she was found and cared for by some neighbors.

Has Many Copies of Burns' Works.

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In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Thomas Sumner has been arrested at Spooner by Deputy Game Warden Loman on a charge of shooting a moose out of season.

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Henry Gressman, son of H. Gressman of Brainerd, was drowned by falling from a boat at Trelipe lake, northeast of Longville, Cass county.

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Fire at Long Prairie destroyed the business places of C. W. Faust, feed store; S. McGuire, saloon, and the Long Prairie Packing company. Loss, $15,000.

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A young son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stonsley, aged about twelve years, was accidentally run over by a freight train at Faribault and one of the boy's legs was cut off.

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Despondent over business reverses, Louis Creswig, proprietor of the Akeley Grocery company at Akeley, hanged himself with a rope suspended from the ceiling of a warehouse at his place of business.

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State Inspector McDonald is making vigorous efforts at Minnesota Lake to stamp out glanders that have been introduced by horses shipped in from Western points. A number of horses have been shot.

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Peter Rasmussen of New Richland was suddenly stricken blind recently while at work. He started to pick up a sack of bran and his eyesight instantly left him. Doctors think that his affliction will be but temporary.

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The body of Victor Anderson was found torn into shreds on the tracks of the St. Paul railroad in Merriam Park, St. Paul. It is not known when the young man met death, but it is thought he was killed by a freight train during the night.

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D. J. Domboxey, a saloonkeeper of St. Cloud, was found guilty before Judge Donohue of selling liquor to a minor. He was fined $10 and costs. The case has established a precedent which may result in more prosecutions for the same offense.

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Eugene Brimsmaid has been arrested at Winona and taken back to Eyota by Marshal H. G. Smith of that place to answer to a charge of jumping a board bill at the hotel of George Gould, and also of obtaining money under false pretenses from George McCudden, an Eyota saloonkeeper.

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Carl Jensen, an aged gardener of Glencoe met with probably a fatal accident while moving his daughter's household goods. He mounted the loaded wagon and took his seat on the dashboard in order to drive. He lost his balance and fell to the ground, the wheels passing over him and breaking five ribs and crushing his hips.

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Mrs. Esther Knutson, aged seventy-seven, was fatally burned at St. Paul by the explosion of a lamp she was carrying. Her death followed a few hours later at the hospital. She was burned from head to foot. When assistance reached her the flames were burning away the last shreds of her clothing and roasting her flesh.

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Nicholas Lehnerty by accident was fatally wounded by his brother, John Lehnerty, while the two boys were hunting near Tyler. John raised his gun to take aim at a muskrat, and the weapon was discharged as it pointed at his brother. The charge of heavy shot entered Nicholas' back near the neck. The boy died fifteen hours after the shooting.

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The swine plague is said to be raging in the vicinity of Walters, in the eastern part of Faribault county, and the farmers of Freeborn county who live adjacent are more or less apprehensive lest their herds become infected. As a result many hogs poorly prepared for market are offered. The immediate effect of this is likely to be a reduction in price.

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Mrs. Shannon, seventy-six years old, who was traveling with her husband and a son-in-law from Waterloo, Iowa, to Odessa, stepped into the vestibule when the train reached Plato and accidentally fell from the train. A doctor on the train found that she had broken her right leg between the knee and the ankle. On reaching Glencoe she was transferred to the hospital.

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Ben Pinkham, it is alleged, assaulted Judge Clawson at Chatfield, cutting an ugly gash in his face. Pinkham was arrested and is now in custody awaiting trial. He was arraigned before Justice Follenstico and the case has been sent to Fountain on a change of venue. Pinkham became angry because Judge Clawson had sentenced a man to ninety days in the county jail for drunkenness.

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C. A. Drew of Lake City is dead of heart failure. He was sixty-five years old and was formerly a prominent business man of Northfield, going to Lake City a few months ago. He is survived by a widow and by a daughter, Mrs. R. C. Tennent, wife of Mayor Tennent of Lake City.

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Gust Johnson, aged eighteen, was run over by a switch engine in the yards at Minnesota Transfer at St. Paul and both arms were severed just below the elbow. There is little hope of his recovery.

Stillwater is to have a pork packing establishment. O'Neil Bros. will be the proprietors and they expect to do jobbing as well as supply the local demand.

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The Northern Pacific operator at Hawley, Howard Rice, was held up by two men and robbed of about $15 and a gold watch. The office safe was not disturbed.

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While returning home from a raccoon hunt in the town of Lafayette, Albert Rautenberg received painful injuries by the accidental discharge of a shotgun.

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Jock Shepord, an old soldier and pioneer, committed suicide at Owatonna. It is thought that he was unable to bear the thought of facing winter without means.

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The death of Former Senator E. D. Hammer, aged seventy-eight, occurred at Spring Valley and was due to a complication of diseases. He was a Grand Army man.

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Thomas McKay, aged sixty-two years, was found dead in an outhouse at Browerville. He had been missing for several days. The cause of death was heart trouble.

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Mrs. Fred Klett of Montrose, a pioneer resident of Wright county and a resident of Montrose for the last thirty years, died at her home in that village, aged eighty-two years.

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Odd Fellows' hall at Redwood Falls was broken into and about $70 worth of silver plated knives and forks and other tableware were carried away. There is no clue to the thieves.

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Demetrius P. Roussopoulos, secretary treasurer of the Northwestern Stamp works, shot himself at his home in St. Paul and died almost instantly. Ill health is assumed to be the motive.

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Fatal injuries were received by Mathias Larson of St. Peter in a fall from a load of hay early in the week. Mr. Larson fractured his right leg between the hip and the knee, and after he had been taken to a hospital blood poisoning developed.

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Carl Lemke, a clerk in a Vesta store, reached home too late for supper, so he went to a butcher shop and procured one dozen oysters, which he proceeded to eat raw. In one of them he found two pearls about the size of a small pea. He has been offered $500 for the gems.

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The commissioners of Freeborn county have just held a meeting and accepted ditch No. 9, as the work was all closed up by the contractor. This ditch cost those benefitted $11,943.44, and lies mostly in the township of Bancroft. It redeems a large tract of land and will permit many other tracts to be tilled.

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While laboring under the hallucination that he was being pursued by men who wanted his life, Joseph Schrafer, a laboring man, attempted to cut his throat at Funkley. The knife was taken from him, but not before he had severely lacerated his neck. He was committed to the insane asylum at Fergus Falls.

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Notwithstanding the currency situation and the depression in the prices of grain, the real estate movement in Lyon county has been unusually large the last two weeks. Seven farms, aggregating 1,280 acres, have been sold. The highest price paid was for 120 acres of land in Lynd township, and was sold for $60 an acre.

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The meeting of creamery inspectors and instructors held at Albert Lea last week came to a close after a permanent organization was effected. Officers were chosen as follows: President, C. P. Larson, Madison, Wis.; vice president, Helmer Rabild, Michigan; secretary B. D. White, Washington, D. C. It was recommended that the next meeting be held in St. Paul in March at the time of the national meeting of dairymen.

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Clyde Duffield, nineteen years old, of Redwood Falls, received a charge of heavy duckshot at point blank range while hunting near Wabasso. He was using his gunstock to push his boat and had his hand over the muzzle of the gun. In some manner the gun was discharged, badly shattering his hand and scattering shot in his arm and shoulder. It is thought that his injuries will not be fatal, but his hand will be more or less maimed.

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Three Italians were killed and two injured in a mysterious explosion of dynamite which occurred near Coleraine. Several Italians were keeping bachelors' quarters in a log cabin near the mine. The cabin was dynamited at 4 a. m. Three were killed, two others injured and the remaining two escaped unhurt. The men recently withdrew from the Western Federation of Miners, and it is suspected that some of the more violent have had something to do with the affair.

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After a week's suspension trading has been resumed on the Duluth board of trade, the members believing that that the financial situation had adjusted itself sufficiently to allow them to resume business.

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The building and ditching of roads is a big item of expense in Northern Minnesota. The village of Spooner has built a road to old Spooner, a distance of a mile. Every rod that was laid cost not less than $6 and some rods cost $10. The village spent more than $2,000 for the job.

Mrs. Schuyler Crowninshield.

As Told by an Old Salt

By Mrs. Schuyler-Crowninshield

How a United States Captain Tried to Steal a Confederate General—An Interesting Event of 1864 When Lieut. Cushing was Commanding the Monticello, a Plucky Little Craft with a Plucky Young Captain—The Wife of a Rear Admiral Tells the Story.

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(Mrs. Schuyler Crowninshield, wife of Rear Admiral Crowninshield, by reason of her talents, is quite as well known to the public as is the distinguished naval officer whose name she bears. Following the success of her earlier books Mrs. Crowninshield has won still wider recognition in the literary field by her "The Archbishop and the Lady," and its attractive sequel, "Valencia's Garden.")

"The man I speak of was Lieut. William Cushing. God forgive me for calling him just a man. A gentleman; every inch of him! An officer, every inch of him! And a daredevil, flesh, blood, mind, heart and soul! Now, I happened to be shipmates with Lieut. Cushing when he commanded the Monticello in 1864.

"Well, sir, to get down to my story, Lieut. Cushing was commanding the Monticello in February, '64, and, of course, he was her cap'n. I won't go into the hackneyed talk of 'how we all loved him.' Do you know how old he was? Just 24, as I'm a livin' sinner.

"For some time we hadn't found anything to do, and the days had hung rather heavy on our hands. We was always lookin' out for somethin' to turn up, but though we were under way and at anchor, going in close and drawing off again, dodging around Frying Pan shoals and steaming up and down off Fort Fisher and New inlet, those wretched blockade runners would douse the glim and slip by us in the night, over and over.

The Monticello was not a very big boat, but she was plucky, and her commander was a match for her. One day I noticed there seemed to be something going on. Preparations seemed to be making for a landing party.

First we saw the old man get in the gig and pull over to the flagship, askin' permission, maybe, and then, along about night, I saw that there seemed to be some sort of consultation and talk among the officers. I asked the signal quartermaster what was up, and he answered me politely that I could go and ask the cap'n. Then I asked the orderly who was round the cabin door to run errands and messages. He told me to go right in the cabin and ask the cap'n, and probably he'd tell me all about it. Then I asked an afterguard-sweeper what all the rumpus was, and he said he was darned if he knew, but he thought they was gettin' ready to go a-fishin'. Well, I felt pretty well snubbed, and by an afterguard-sweeper, too!

"So I watched and waited and pretended I had work to do around the cabin. I went aft and hung around the port. I heard Cap'n Cushing talking with some of his officers, and I found that they were goin' somewhere, but from their talk I judged that if they were goin' a-fishin' it must be for something as big as a whale or a sea serpent. One of the officers said:

"'Cap'n, I wish you'd let me take charge of the expedition.'

"'Who would look out for the ship?' asked the old man.

"'Why, pardon me, cap'n, I could go in your place.'

"Then I heard Cap'n Cushing laugh—the sort of laugh that says: 'I guess you don't know me.'

"'No, no,' said the cap'n. 'You have your work to do here. It's a great deal harder to stay behind, and that's why I choose you to do it. I know I'm selfish, but I always was in a case like this, and you'll just have to put up with it. Orderly!'

"I heard the orderly come running aft.

"'Tell Acting Ensign Jones that I wish to speak with him, and ask Acting Master's Mate Howorth to come into the cabin.'

"Then I knew that he was in for something desperate, for those were two as plucky officers as we had on board the old Monticello. I couldn't really say with justice that they were the most plucky, for there wasn't a pin's point, it seemed to me, to choose between any of 'em.

"Well, I stood and listened. Of course I knew it wasn't right, but I was bound to find out what they were up to. I heard the officer who had been urgin' that he might go along rise and sigh and go out of the door. Later, when I crept back to my station, I saw him walkin' up and down, up and down and lookin' on the deck and shakin' his head, and I heard him say: 'Just my luck! Just my luck!' From this you can see how many skeery ones there was in the ship.

"In a moment Acting Ensign Jones was in the cabin, and shortly after Mr. Howorth followed him. The ensign was out of breath.

"'O, cap'n,' he said, 'I hope you're going to take me.'

"'Take you where?' asked the old man. I could hear the smile in his voice.

"'Wherever you're going, cap'n. I know something's up, sir. I can't say what—I'll—do, but, I'll—I'll—'

"There was silence. I peeked in through the port. There was Mr. Howorth standin', his mouth working sideways like a dingey in the trough of the sea, and actually, if you'll believe me, his eyes were full of tears. He might have known he was goin', and cryin'. Dang me, if I didn't believe I should boo-hoo over the rail, too, if somehow or other I didn't get onto that boat.

"'Of course, you're going,' said the cap'n, 'and now whom shall we take along?'

"The men's names were discussed. There's so and so, and there's so and so. Finally they mentioned me. My heart actually stopped beating.

"'Well, they're all good fellows,' said the old man.

"'Suppose we call for volunteers,' said one of the officers.

"'They'd all volunteer, every man Jack of 'em,' said the old man. 'No, I shall have to select some. The trouble is that those on board will feel it a personal matter if they are left behind.'

"I nearly put my head into the port and shouted: 'Take me!' but I knew that such a breach of discipline would land me in the brig, with no going ashore for a week, perhaps, so I crept back to the fo'c'sle and waited.

"By and by I saw the bos'n's mate come aft and call a man from below. Then he called another and another. But I didn't hear my name. As each man's name was spoken the rest looked down-hearted enough, but kept their eyes fixed on the bos'n's mate, hoping their's would be the next name. At last all were called. Then the bos'n's mate began to walk away, the men following him.

"'Oh!' I said, 'is that all?'

"'That's all, my lad,' said the master-at-arms.

"I tailed on to the line and walked up with the others. That's where I considered myself just a leetle smarter than the rest of 'em. The men were marched up to the mast, where the cap'n and the first lieutenant stood.

"'My men,' said the cap'n., 'I'm going ashore on a rather dangerous expedition to-night. Do you want to go?'

"'Aye, aye, sir,' said every man, and I among them.

"'Who told you to come, youngster?' said the bos'n's mate to me.

"'Don't send me back,' said I. 'If you won't, I'll give you all my tobacco for months to come.'

"'You can't bribe me,' said the bos'n's mate. 'You haven't got your eyes open yet. Go back to your quarters.'

"'What is that, bos'n's mate?' said the old man.

"'I'm only telling him that he isn't needed, sir,' said he. 'We have all that you called for. I've chosen the biggest and oldest and those who have had the most experience.'

"'May I speak to the cap'n?' said I.

"'No; get back to your—'

"'What is it, my lad?' asked the cap'n.

"I just gave one glance at the bos'n's mate. Now, wasn't that like him—our cap'n, I mean? I can see him now, hardly more than a lad, looking at me as if he was 50.

"'Let me go! Oh, do please, sir, let me. Oh, do! Oh, do! Oh, sir, please, cap'n, sir!'

"The cap'n laughed. 'The spirit of the ship!' he said.

"If it was the spirit of the ship, I knew who put it there.

"'Have we room for one more, bos'n?' asked the cap'n, turning to where the bos'n was ordering the boats lowered.

"'Yes, sir,' said the bos'n, 'if he'll stow himself in the bows.'

"'Very well, then, my man,' said the cap'n.

"While the boats were being lowered I ran below just to tell my gun's crew and crow over the rest of 'em, and was on deck again quicker than you could say Jack Robinson.

"We got over the side and stowed ourselves away. There were two boats, three officers and 20 men, and perhaps because I was so young the cap'n ordered me to get into his boat. We none of us knew what the old man was up to, but we had heard the word Smithville, and we knew that Gen. Herbert's headquarters were there, and the report said that there was about a thousand men under arms in the barracks. We didn't right understand it, but we knew it was all right if Cap'n Cushing said it was.

"I can tell you we were as quiet as mice as we passed the forts at the mouth of the river and rowed quietly up to the town. As we passed the forts a steamer was coming down the river. Her lights were extinguished, but we heard her paddle wheels and the throb of her engines, and presently the black mass loomed up just ahead of us. I felt the boat give a sudden lurch, as the cap'n ported his helm to get out of the way of the great thing which would have run us down as easily as I could crush a fly. When we had steered clear of her I heard the old man say: 'That was the Scotia. I meant to try her first if she had been at the wharf, but it would have been foolhardy while she was under way, and perhaps would have separated us from the other boat. I should like very much to call upon the captain of the Scotia. I shall try it, I think, when she returns.'

"The Scotia was a blockade runner which we had often hoped to catch and burn. And now that she was out of the way, I wondered what plan our commanding officer had in his head. As we pulled ashore I saw a big building looming up, which some one said was the hotel. There were one or two lights in it, and I wondered if it was full of confederate officers and soldiers, and if our captain expected to capture 'em with two officers and 20 men, all told.

"We got out of the boats, and the cap'n ordered the men to hide themselves under the bank. Some of us he ordered to come with him, and you may be sure I didn't stay behind. If there was going to be fun, I was going in for it. The first thing we did was to capture some negroes who were at the salt works.

"I heard the cap'n ask: 'Where is Gen. Herbert?' to which the men replied: 'Right up dah, sah, in de hotel, sah!'

"Cap'n Cushing then left some of our men to guard the boats. He said: 'I don't want too many. They would hinder me. I'll take you with me, Jones, and you, Howorth, and one seaman.' He chose, of course, a brawny old fellow who had been with him in various expeditions, but though I was not asked to accompany 'em, I crept along after, for I meant to be in it now, as I told you, if there was to be any fun. The others walked quietly up through the garden, and I followed. The first thing I heard was a window being pushed up gently. I stepped upon the piazza and looked into the room. Cap'n Cushing was already in the room and so were Mr. Jones and Mr. Howorth. There was a lamp burning low. A figure rose up in the bed.

"'Who's there?' said a voice.

"'Gen. Herbert, you may as well get up and come with us,' said Cap'n Cushing.

"'I am not Gen. Herbert,' said the man in the bed.

"'Not Gen. Herbert? Who are you, then?' said the old man, pretty sharply, too. Perhaps you can imagine the tone in which Cap'n Cushing said this. I never heard a voice so full of disappointment in all my life.

"'I am the chief of the engineer forces here.'

"'Where is Gen. Herbert?'

"'He has gone to Wilmington,' said the engineer.

"'Gone to Wilmington!' echoed Cap'n Cushing. 'Well, if we can't find the principal we will have to take one of his accessories. What is your name, sir?'

"'Capt. Reilly, at your service.'

"'Very well, captain. Get up, if you please, and dress, for you must go with us.'

"Just here there was a rush of some one down the stairs outside the door. There was a dash at the window and a quiet scuffle began and a general set-to, and then I saw some one jump off the end of the veranda and run out into the garden. I thought it might be the general, and I sprang out after the fleeing figure, but I looked in vain. I could see no one, the night was so dark. I heard only a rustling among the trees and shrubs and then the person dashed away into the woods near the house. I thought of pursuing him, but I now heard the rest of my party passing through the garden and out of the gate, and, thinking that anything else that I could do would only annoy and delay 'em, and that the person who had dashed out of the window had gone to give the alarm and turn out the whole thousand soldiers upon us, I decided to follow the old man and the officers.

I found out afterward that the person who had run away was the adjutant general, and he was so flabbergasted at being waked up with the noise that he really took to the woods and forgot to give the alarm.

"But, now, just think of a youngster like Cap'n Cushing starting on an expedition with only two boats and 20 men, rowing in past the forts, landing, capturing prisoners and going into the stronghold of the enemy with the purpose of capturing the general commanding. I thought of it as I walked down to the boats and I could hardly believe that had been the cause of our expedition. We went back to the boats and got silently in. The prisoner was, you may be sure, well guarded, with a pistol at his head. Had he cried out it might have been bad for us, but worse for him, for he would have dropped dead in his tracks before we took to our boats.

"When it comes to deliberately sacrificing your life for your country where nothing much is to be gained, a man hesitates. The prisoner hesitated and was saved. The sentry on the wharf was not 50 yards away from us, and we were about 50 yards from the Smithville fort. They were brave men, of course. No one ever belittled our enemy of the confederate army, and it was only that it never occurred to them what daring and dash Cushing possessed that the place was not better guarded. We got silently into our boats and floated down the river.

The men all pulled quietly and steadily. Not a word was spoken, but suddenly a light flashed out from Fort Caswell. A signal light! Ah, then they had discovered us? They had at least discovered that strange boats were in the harbor, and their shots rang out, but wide of the mark. We heard 'em splashing in the distance, but not one came near us. I heard the cap'n say that the papers he captured were not important, but he had the engineer officer in safe keeping enough, and he sent him on the first opportunity to Acting Rear Admiral Lee, at Hampton Roads, Virginia.

"Now, it happened that a short time after this some prisoners were to be exchanged. I was on deck, snoopin' 'round as usual, as the boat pushed off. I didn't ask to go in that boat. Exchangin' prisoners was dull work, for we were protected by a flag of truce all the way to the shore and all the way back again. I noticed few volunteers there were, and just those men were sent whom the first lieutenant picked out and ordered to go. As one of the officers was going over the side with the last instructions Cap'n Cushing called out:

"'Oh, by the way, will you be kind enough to hand Gen. Herbert my card?' The officer seemed surprised, but of course he turned round, saluted, and said: 'Yes, sir,' waiting while the old man fumbled in his pocket for a card. At last he found it. Then he felt for a pencil, and I had the bad manners to cast my eye over his shoulder as he wrote. The card looked like this:

LIEUT. W. B. CUSHING,
United States Navy,
Commanding U. S. S. Monticello.

"Then I saw him scribble over the top of his name 'Compliments of' and underneath the words 'U.S. Navy' I saw that he wrote the words:

"'Very sorry you were not at home when I called. Hope for better luck next time.'

"Now think of that from a lad of 24 to a general commanding a garrison!

"You see, sir, I told you the truth. I had no heroic deeds to relate of myself, for I only looked on and followed where a youngster led. [illegible]

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A NEWSPAPER wit speaks of it as the vague peace conference.

WHY is Cleveland like Minneasota? That's easy. She can't get "too much Johnson."

ALASKA has gone for Taft. Somehow we expected Fairbanks to carry the polar regions solidly.

THE financial stringence will not be without its compensations if more people learn the value of a bank account.

UNTIL confidence is fully restored THE GAZETTE will continue to accept checks for subscriptions, job work, advertising or old newspapers.

THE Duluth Herald observes that Governor Johnson's Thanksgiving proclamation proves, among other things, that the Governor is a poet.

BOND issues spell bad news for the party in power. Grover Cleveland is still hearing curses for adopting war measures in a time of peace.

FRANK M. EDDY, former congressman from this district, has branched out as a temperance lecturer, and will make a tour of northern Minneasota.

THE St. Peter Herald states a great truth briefly: "Tear down the high tariff walls and the problem of curbing the combines will cease to be a problem."

HENRY WATTERSON says that the United States would be Mexicanized by electing Roosevelt for a third term. Well, there are worse governments than Mexico's.

THE Oklahoma people are going to keep out liquor until the state is twenty-one years old. There'd be fewer drunkards and ruined lives if this practice became more general.

FRANK M. EDDY says that drinking whiskey is the most foolish habit in the world, and Mary McFadden adds that the worst of it is that the drink habit encourages all the other bad ones.

IN the prospective political upheaval a whole lot of fellows formerly securely fastened to a government job are wondering what the future has in store. The panic of 1893 put 6,000 and 7,000 majorities in the dump heap, and there's likely to be a repetition.

WE have a faint recollection that President Cleveland was severely critizised by the opposition press for issuing bonds in a time of profound peace. And yet there was'nt anything else to do.

KIPLING's son has discovered a "white man's burden" in Canada, and beats the old man when it comes to weird and wandering word-painting. Listen:

"To wait in heavy harness
On fluttered folk and wild."

JIM NANAHAN gives it out cold that none but dyed-in-the-wool Bryan men will go to the national convention from Minneasota. The rest of us seem to be satisfied to let the state convention settle the matter.

THE New Ulm Review very tritely says that James T. McCleary, before making up his mind to again run for congress should not over look the fact that John Lind is still within hailing distance for a speech or two.

THE Stillwater Gazette observes that while it is unfortunate not many of the newspaper men are supplying the needed coin during the flurry that is just passing into history, yet they are doing their share to restore confidence among the people by explaining the true state of affairs and extinguishing all foolish and absurd rumors. The average newspaper man has'nt much coin, but most of them have a little common sense and fairly good nerve.

MARY McFADDEN, the Catholic editress of the "News and Comments" columns of the Duluth News-Tribune, says that "Pope Pius X is quoted as saying that American young people enjoy too much liberty. Some one has been misinforming his holiness. The virtue of women in countries where chaperones are a necessity is not as highly rated generally as that of girls who are given good ideals and are taught early the importance of taking care of themselves."

AN exchange says that if it is true that American girls who have married titled foreign husbands have taken abroad $900,000,000 of American money why not take a hint from the Bank of England and mark up the girls 7 per cent? But the proposition is dishonest. Any body who would mark up the value 7 per cent, or girls who are foolish enough to marry the titled profligacy and poverty of Europe should be promptly arrested for doing business under false pretenses.

Gareeau & Zaiser have some interesting information for the ladies in their adv this week regarding seasonable wearing apparel. It will pay those who contemplate buying a new garment this winter to look in upon this firm and reap some of their bargains.

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EXCHANGE ECHOES

Appleton Press: John D. Rockefeller says he must "answer to the Almighty." We hope the Lord won't have the trouble finding him that the Ohio constables had.

Hallock Enterprise: There will have to be a show down pretty soon by the republican players in the presidential jackpot, for Taft and Cortelyou are both intent on raising the limit, and forcing President Roosevelt to lay down or show his hand.

St. Hilaire Spectator: There is a moral in the recent panic. Don't monkey with the trust magnate when he is skinning the public; it makes him ugly. Just take your medicine and say you like it, and maybe they wont take quite all you have saved.

Flandreau Review: A Sioux Indian named Isaac Buffalo has filed a petition of bankruptcy in the United States court at Sioux Falls. He gives his liabilities at $2,350, and resources as $85. This is but another instance of the Indian's adoption of the white man's methods of doing business.

Hibbing Tribune: While plotting its next great raid into the north country and dreaming of the spoils thereof, it might be well for southern Minnesota to take thought that in the last republican state convention it had a majority of but one vote.

Wheelock's Weekly: It is a rare and beautiful thing to see us editors unite enthusiastically in a resolution demanding that print paper and wood pulp be put on the free list—and then go home and write able editorials in favor of the protective tariff system.

Alexandria Post-News: There is quite a difference of opinion as to whether the duty on lumber affects the prices of the Canadian product. The best way to settle the controversy is for congress to place lumber on the free list and test the matter. It can do no harm and no one will object to the good which might be accomplished.

Stillwater Gazette: While it is unfortunate not many of the newspaper men are supplying the needed coin during the flurry that is just passing into history, yet they are doing their share to restore confidence among the people by explaining the true state of affairs and extinguishing all foolish and absurd rumors. The average newspaper man hasn't much coin, but most of them have a little common sense and fairly good nerve.

Albert Lea Standard: Governor Johnson is powerless to stop the talk connecting his name with the democratic nomination for president. The idea seems to have taken possession of the country that he can get more votes and carry more states than any other man in the democratic party, and that is why his name is on the lips and in the hearts of members of his party who are anxious to win.

Gems In Verse

MASTER RAIN.

STRIDING, striding over the sea,
Calming the rage of the waves
goes be,
Lulling the moan of the mighty
main,
Assuaging Master Rain!

Marching, marching over the land,
Scattering wide with a lavish hand
Drafts for the thirsting seed of the
grain,
Bountiful Master Rain!

Never, never a wanderer long;
Ever, ever a-brim with song—
A plaintive, pleading, pleasuring
strain—
Musical Master Rain!

Welcome thou when the shadows sleep!
Welcome thou when the dreams are
deep!
Bearing peace to peasance and pain,
Merciful Master Rain!

Old as the host of the hills of earth,
Yet as young as the soul of mirth,
Fain we are of thee all of us, fain,
Brotherly Master Rain!

—Clinton Scollard.

HUDSON.

ROLL to the sea,
Bright river of the mountains!
Poured through the hills
From Adirondack crags,
Buoying the waifs
Of tributary fountains,
Rocking the fleets
That fly a hundred flags!

FORESTS are thine
And fair embowered islands,
Cities are thine
Whose towers touch the skies.
Curve grandly down
Thy goblin haunted highlands;
Lave, silver waved,
The vale where Irving lies.

DEEP breasted stream,
What tales thy hills have told
me!
Playmate and friend
In days of youthful glow,
Now, as of old,
In crystal arms enfold me;
Take me again
Within thy cooling flow!

PLUNGING, I watch
Thy deeper waters changing,
Gold lighted green
To amethystine shade;
Strong armed and free,
Thy boundless bosom raging,
My heart in thine
Beats warm and unafraid.

—Arthur Guiterman.

Whose Witness?

When Rufus Choate was United States district attorney, three sailors were before his court for the robbery from their ship of a bag of specie, and one of them turned state's evidence as follows:

"Well, sir, arter feelin' round a bit, they ses to me, ses they; 'Come on, Jack, nu' jine us. It's dead easy, an' it'll make us all rich. So as if we do git ketched we can hire Choate, an' he'll clear us if they find the money in our boots.'"

One could never forget the seriocomic expression on that naturally grave face as Choate, amid suppressed laughter, in which both court and jury had to join, busied himself with the papers upon his table and, turning to the defending counsel, with as much dignity as the situation permitted, said, "He's your witness."

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Gems In Verse

OLD FAVORITES.

NATURE.

AS a fond mother, when the day is
o'er,
Leads by the hand her little
child to bed,
Half willing, half reluctant to be
led,
And leave his broken playthings on the
floor,
Still gazing at them through the open
door,
Nor wholly reassured and comforted
By promises of others in their stead,
Which, though more splendid, may not
please him more:
So Nature deals with us, and takes away
Our playthings one by one, and by the
hand
Leads us to rest so gently that we go
Scarce knowing if we wish to go or stay,
Being too full of sleep to understand
How far the unknown transcends the
what we know.

—H. W. Longfellow.

HE NEVER SMILED AGAIN.

THE bark that held a prince went down,
The sweeping waves rolled on.
And what was England's glorious crown
To him that wept a son?
He lived, for life may long be borne
Ere sorrow break its chain.
Why comes not death to those who
mourn?
He never smiled again!

THERE stood proud forms around his
throne,
The stately and the brave,
But which could fill the place of one—
That one beneath the wave?
Before him passed the young and fair
In pleasure's reckless train,
But seas dashed o'er his son's bright
hair—
He never smiled again!

HE sat where festal bowls went round,
He heard the minstrel sing,
He saw the tourney's victor crowned
Amidst the knightly ring.
A murmur of the restless deep
Was blent with every strain,
A voice of winds that would not sleep—
He never smiled again!

HEARTS, in that time, closed o'er the
trace
Of vows once fondly poured,
And strangers took the kinsman's place
At many a joyous board;
Graves, which true love had bathed with
tears,
Were left to heaven's bright rain,
Fresh hopes were born for other years—
He never smiled again!

—Felicia Hemans.

THE POLAR QUEST.

UNCONQUERABLY men venture
on the quest
And seek an ocean amplitude
unsailed,
Cold, virgin, awful. Scorning
ease and rest
And, heedless of the heroes who have
failed,
They face the ice floes with a dauntless
zest.

The polar quest! Life's offer to the
strong!
To pass beyond the pale, to do and dare,
Leaving a name that stirs us like a song
And making captive some strange Otherwhere,
Though grim the conquest and the labor
long.

Forever courage kindles, faith moves
forth
To find the mystic floodway of the north.

—Richard Burton.

OLD FOLKS AT HOME.

WAY down upon de Swanee
ribber,
Far, far away,
Dere's wha my heart is
turning eber,
Dere's wha de old folks stay.
All up and down de whole creation
Sadly I roam,
Still longing for de old plantation
And for de old folks at home.

All de world am sad and dreary
Eberywhere I roam.
Oh, darkies, how my heart grows
weary,
Far from de old folks at home!

All round de little farm I wandered
When I was young;
Den many happy days I squandered,
Many de songs I sung.
When I was playing wid my brudder
Happy was I.
Oh, take me to my kind old mudder;
Dere let me live and die!

One little hut among de bushes,
One dat I love,
Still sadly to my memory rushes,
No matter where I rove.
When will I see de bees a-humming
All round de comb?
When will I hear de banjo tumming
Down in my good old home?

All de world am sad and dreary
Eberywhere I roam.
Oh, darkies, how my heart grows
weary,
Far from de old folks at home!

—Stephen Collins Foster.

The other day a young man gave a reason for not dancing, the spirit of which might be made to apply to a good many failures in life. "I should like to dance," he said, "and I should dance, only the music puts me out and the girl gets in my way."—London Tatler.

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A Lesson For Two.

There is a legend in a certain daily newspaper office which is instructive. Arrives an article in the composing room from a well known reviewer. Not a man there can read it. The "copy" is returned as impracticable to the editor. In a fit of impotence he sends it back to the writer. "Unless clearly written no further contributions can be received." The reviewer politely replies: "I have received back my manuscript with an undecipherable scrawl attached. May I request an explanation?" Editor and contributor now both employ a typewriter

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"Hospital nurses have many peculiar requests made of them by their patients," said a staff nurse of an east side hospital, "and one of the funniest came to me the other day. In my ward was an old woman who had, among her other troubles, a badly swollen knee, for which the doctor prescribed an ice bag. I was preparing to put it on when the patient saw the bag and shivered in anticipation.

"'Must I have that cold thing on me?' she asked.

"I told her it was the very best treatment for her, but she protested still.

"'It is the cold of it I hate,' she said. 'If you must put it on, nursie, dear, please warm it a bit.'"—New York Press.

A Significant Prayer

"May the Lord help you make Bucken's Arnica Salve known to all," writes J. G. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. It quickly took the pain out of a felon for me and cured it in a wonderfully short time." Best on earth for sores, burns and wounds. 25c at W. A. Schreiter's drug store.

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While the late Lord Goschen was chancellor of the exchequer under Lord Salisbury it was proposed to bring out one pound notes. Mr. Goschen, as he was then, was rather doubtful of the value of such notes, and he consulted a well known financier as to the advisability of the innovation. "It would be a great mistake," said the financier. "Why?" queried Mr. Goschen. "Well, you see, you can toss with a sovereign, but you can't with a one pound note," was the reply, and the one pound notes were shelved.—Bellman.

He Fought at Gettysburg.

David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes: "Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For several years I had stomach trouble and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose, until I began taking Electric Bitters. I would not take $500 for what they have done for me." Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alterative and body builder; best of all for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter, druggist. 50c.

Could Not Interfere.

Coroner—So you found our poor friend hanging in the barn?

Yokel—Yes, sir, yer 'onor.

Coroner—And what did you do?

Yokel—Well, yer 'onor, I takes a good look at 'un and goes straight off for constable.

Coroner—But you cut the poor fellow down first?

Yokel—Oh, no, yer 'onor—couldn't do that.

Coroner (horrified)—Why not?

Yokel—Well, it's like this, zur. When I found 'un, he worn't quite dead!—London Outlook.

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When the Time Came.

Maud—Oh, Ethel, and what did you say to him when he proposed to you? Did you say what you said you were going to the other day? That was a noble speech, just suited to crush the boldest man. And did he slink away like a whipped dog?

Ethel—Well, not exactly. You see, I didn't say just that. I [illegible]—well, you see, I said "Yes."—London Express.

I ain't feeling well today,
Something wrong I must say.
Come to think of it, that's right,
I forgot my Rocky Mountain tea
last night.—W. A. Schreiter.

Strangely Worded.

Some of the applications for relief sent to the local committees by sufferers from bush fires are strangely worded, says the Melbourne Argus. Here is an extract from one by a widow: "I have in family four dairy cows, two pigs, a horse and three children, all these being by my first husband, and two goats in full milk and a baby by my second husband. All of the animals was lost in the fire."

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Gems In Verse

A SONG TO LYDIA.

I KNEW that you were coming back!
Shall I tell you how?
Today a wild bird swung and sung
On a blossomed bough.
Far and high his greeting rose
Gainst the sunrise flame,
And all the notes of all his song
Tangled in your name.

I knew that you were coming back!
Shall I tell you why?
Today a new rose broke in bloom
'Neath the noon blue sky.
Rare and red it beckoned me,
Bending as I came,
And all the sweet of all its bloom
Only breathed your name.

I knew that you were coming back!
This is how I knew:
Bird and rose and earth and air
Gave me news of you.
Green leaves merry in the wood,
Glad waves on the sea,
And all the winds of all the world
Sang your name to me!
—Theodosia Garrison.

THE MAIDEN'S CHOICE.

GENTEEL in personage,
Conduct and equipage;
Noble by heritage;
Generous and free.

BRAVE, not romantic;
Learn'd, not pedantic;
Frolic, not frantic—
This must he be.

HONOR maintaining,
Meanness disdaining,
Still entertaining,
Engaging and new;

NEAT, but not finical;
Sage, but not cynical;
Never tyrannical,
But ever true.
—Henry Carey.

A WOMAN'S WISH.

WOULD I were lying in a field of clover,
Of clover cool and soft and soft and sweet,
With dusky clouds on deep skies hanging over,
And scented silence at my head and feet.

Just for one hour to slip the leash of worry,
In eager haste from Thought's impatient neck
And watch it coursing in its heedless hurry,
Disdaining wisdom's call or duty's beck!

Ah, it were sweet where clover clumps are meeting
And daisies hiding, so to hide and rest;
No sound except my own heart's steady beating,
Rocking itself to sleep within my breast.

Just to lie there, filled with the deeper breathing
That comes of listening to a wild bird's song!
Our souls require at times this full unsheathing—
All swords will rust if scabbard-kept too long.

And I am tired—so tired of rigid duty,
So tired of all my tired hands find to do!
I yearn, I faint, for some of life's free beauty,
Its loose beads with no straight string running through.

Aye, laugh, if you will, at my crude speech,
But women sometimes die of such a greed—
Die for the small joys held beyond their reach
And the assurance they have all they need!
—Mary Ashley Townsend.

MY BOOKS.

THEY dwell in an odor of camphor,
They stand in a Sheraton shrine;
They are warranted "early editions,"
These worshipful tomes of mine.

IN their creamy "Oxford vellum,"
In their redolent "crushed levant,"
With their delicate watered linings,
They are jewels of price, I grant.

BLIND, tooled and morocco jointed,
They have Zaehnsdorf's daintiest dress;
They are graceful, attenuate, polished,
But they gather the dust no less.

FOR the row that I prize is yonder,
Away on the unglazed shelves,
The bulged and the bruised octavos,
The dear and the dumpy twelves—

MONTAIGNE with his sheepskin blistered,
And Howell the worse for wear,
And the worm drilled Jesuits' Horace,
And little old chopped Moliere.

AND the Burton I bought for a florin,
And the Rabelais foxed and flead—
For the rest I have never opened,
But these are the books I read.
—Austin Dobson.

THE IRISH PIPES.

I HEARD the piper playing,
The piper old and blind,
And knew its secret saying—
The voice of the summer wind.

I heard clear waters falling,
Lapping from stone to stone;
The wood dove crying and calling,
Ever alone, alone!

I heard the bells of the heather
Ring in the summer breeze,
Soft stir of fir and feather
And quiet hum of bees.

The piper drew me yearning
Into the dim gray lands,
Where there is no returning,
Although I wring my hands.

There to the piper's crooning
I saw my dead again,
All in a happy nooning
Of golden sun and rain.

You piper kind and hoary,
Your pipes upon your knee,
If I should tell my story,
The things you piped for me,

The folk would leave their selling,
And blithe their buying go,
If I could but be telling
The things you let me know.
—Katharine [illegible]

DOUBT.

IN love, if love be love, if love be ours,
Faith and unfaith can ne'er be equal powers:
Unfaith in aught is want of faith in all.
It is the little rift within the lute,
That by and by will make the music mute,
And ever widening slowly silence all.
—Alfred Tennyson.

CREED AND CROWN.

A CREED is a rod,
And a crown is of night;
But this thing is God,
To be man with thy might,
To grow straight in the strength of thy spirit,
And live out thy life as the light.

Would Suit Him Better.

Aunty—Willie, an angel brought your mamma such a nice new brother for you last night. Wouldn't you like to see the dear little baby?

Willie—No; but I'd like to see the angel.—Punch.

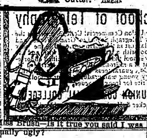
Why Take the Trouble to Kill and Stuff the Birds?

—Harper's Weekly.

The Next Time.

Friend—I sympathize most deeply with you on the loss of your wife. I regret so much that I was not able to attend the funeral.

Widower—Don't mention it, my dear fellow. Come next time.—[illegible] Rire.



Miss Brush—Is it true you said I was actually ugly?

Razor—I did.

Miss Brush—Well, I never thought you'd cut me like that.—Pick-Me-Up.

OLD SORES FED AND KEPT OPEN
BY IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD

Whenever a sore refuses to heal it is because the blood is not pure and healthy, as it should be, but is infected with poisonous germs or some old blood taint which has corrupted and polluted the circulation. Those most usually afflicted with old sores are persons who have reached or passed middle life. The vitality of the blood and strength of the system have naturally begun to decline, and the poisonous germs which have accumulated because of a sluggish and inactive condition of the system, or some hereditary taint which has hitherto been held in check, now force an outlet on the face, arms, legs or other part of the body. The place grows red and angry, festers and eats into the surrounding tissue until it becomes a chronic and stubborn ulcer, fed and kept open by the impurities with which the blood is saturated. Nothing is more trying and disagreeable than a stubborn, non-healing sore. The very fact that it resists ordinary remedies and treatments is good reason for suspicion; the same germ-producing cancerous ulcers is back of every old sore, and especially is this true if the trouble is an inherited one. Washes, salves, nor indeed anything else, applied directly to the sore, can do any permanent good; neither will removing the sore with caustic plasters or the surgeon's knife make a lasting cure. If every particle of the diseased flesh were taken away another sore would come, because the trouble is in the blood, and the ***BLOOD CANNOT BE CUT AWAY.*** The cure must come by a thorough cleansing of the blood. In S. S. S. will be found a remedy for sores and ulcers of every kind. It is an unequalled blood purifier—one that goes directly into the circulation and promptly cleanses it of all poisons and taints. It gets down to the very bottom of the trouble and forces out every trace of impurity and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. changes the quality of the blood so that instead of feeding the diseased parts with impurities, it nourishes the irritated, inflamed flesh with healthy blood.

I was afflicted with a sore on my face of four years' standing. It was a small pimple at first but it gradually grew larger and worse in every way until I became alarmed about it and consulted several physicians. They all treated me but the sore continued to grow worse. I saw S. S. S. advertised and commenced its use and after taking it a while I was completely cured. My blood is now pure and healthy from the effect of S. S. S. and there has not been any sign of the sore since S. S. S. cured it.

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Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate Under Judgment of Foreclosure.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Red Lake. } ss.
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Citizens National Bank of Worthington,
Plaintiff
vs.
George Miller, Catherine Miller and Blanche L. Matteson,
Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a judgment and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 6th day of November, 1907, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, the undersigned, sheriff of said Red Lake County, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the 28th day of December, 1907, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the west front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, in one parcel, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree, to wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northwest fractional quarter of section five (5) township one hundred fifty-two (152), range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Dated November 8th, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.

J. A. [illegible]n,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated December 26th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, January [illegible], 1905, at [illegible] o'clock p. m., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on Page [illegible] whereby Peder A. Lybeck and Thore Lybeck his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24) and the north half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) all in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $15.90, to which should be added the taxes on said land paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.73, making the total amount due at the date of this notice on said mortgage and note, thirty-eight dollars and sixty-three cents, ($38.63.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
George W. Wishard.

H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated October 13th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, October 19th, 1904, at 1:40 o'clock p. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 439-440, whereby Jens L. Bolstad and Helene Bolstad, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the northeast quarter (ne¼) of section twenty-one (21) in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $31.[illegible], to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.[illegible], making the total amount due at the date of this notice [illegible] three dollars and eighty-four cents ($[illegible]).

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls in said county to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
George W. Wishard.

H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of forty-eight and 40-100 dollars with interest on said amount since the 20th day of February, A. D., 1907, at the rate of 5½ per cent per annum since that date.

And whereas, the terms and conditions of mortgage hereinafter describes provides that if default shall be made in the payment of said sum of money, or the interest, or any part thereof at the time and in the manner in said mortgage specified, the said mortgagee, his heirs, executors and assigns are authorized to declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage immediately due and payable.

And whereas the assignees of said mortgage have declared the whole amount secured by said mortgage due and payable prior to the time of giving this notice.

That there is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice on said mortgage hereinafter described the sum of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Andrew O. Letvig, as administrator of the estate of Mary Jane Letvig, deceased, mortgagor, to Andrew A. Olson, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1907, with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota on the 23d day of February, 1907, at [illegible] o'clock p. m., in book 14 of mortgages, on pages 252-253.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Andrew A. Olson to Sabille Garceau and Geo. F. Hennings by a written assignment bearing date the 11th day of October, 1907, and recorded in the office of said Register of deeds on the 18th day of October 1907, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. in Book [illegible] [illegible] proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: The Northeast Quarter of section numbered twenty-five (25), in township numbered one hundred [illegible] ([illegible]) North, Range [illegible] ([illegible]) west of the 5th P. M. in the state of Minnesota less the Railway Right-away and other lands of said quarter sold during the life time of said Mary Jane Letvig, leaving a balance in said above described premises of 124 and 71-100 acres, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State, on the 7th day of December, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of [illegible] hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, with interest, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of forclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

October 23d, 1907.

SABILLE GARCEAU,
GEO. F. HENNINGS,
Assignees of Mortgagee.

[illegible], Attorney for Assignees of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
o-24-n28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by [illegible] Zenor, a single man, mortgagor, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of February, A. D., 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the [illegible] day of March, A. D., 1905, at [illegible] o'clock [illegible] in Book 35 of mortgages on page 332 and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

[illegible] claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Forty-three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted, at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The east half of the east half of section twenty-seven (27) in township one hundred fifty (150) North of range forty-three (43) west of 5th Principal Meridian, containing according to the United States survey one hundred sixty (160) acres, be the same more or less in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments [illegible]

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"Hospital nurses have many peculiar requests made of them by their patients," said a staff nurse of an east side hospital, "and one of the funniest came to me the other day. In my ward was an old woman who had among her other troubles a badly swollen knee, for which the doctor prescribed an ice bag. I was preparing to put it on when my patient saw the bag and shivered in anticipation.

"'Must I have that cold thing on me?' she asked.

"I told her it was the very best treatment for her, but she protested still.

"'It is the cold of it I hate,' she said. 'If you must put it on, nursie, dear, please warm it a bit.'"—New York Press.

A Significant Prayer

"May the Lord help you make Bucklen's Arnica Salve known to all," writes J. C. Jenkins, of Chapel Hill, N. C. It quickly took the pain out of a felon for me and cured it in a wonderfully short time. Best on earth for sores, burns and wounds. 25c at W. A. Schreiter's drug store.

Couldn't Toss With Them.

While the late Lord Goschen was chancellor of the exchequer under Lord Salisbury it was proposed to bring out one pound notes. Mr. Goschen, as he was then, was rather doubtful of the value of such notes, and he consulted a well known financier as to the advisability of the innovation. "It would be a great mistake," said the financier. "Why?" queried Mr. Goschen. "Well, you see, you can toss with a sovereign, but you can't with a one pound note," was the reply, and the one pound notes were shelved.—Bellman.

He Fought at Gettysburg.

David Parker, of Fayette, N. Y., who lost a foot at Gettysburg, writes: "Electric Bitters have done me more good than any medicine I ever took. For several years I had stomach trouble and paid out much money for medicine to little purpose, until I began taking Electric Bitters. I would not take $500 for what they have done for me." Grand tonic for the aged and for female weaknesses. Great alterative and body builder; best of all for lame back and weak kidneys. Guaranteed by W. A. Schreiter, druggist. 50c.

Could Not Interfere.

Coroner—So you found our poor friend hanging in the barn?

Yokel—Yes, zur, yer 'onor.

Coroner—And what did you do?

Yokel—Well, yer 'onor, I takes a good look at 'un and goes straight off for constable.

Coroner—But you cut the poor fellow down first?

Yokel—Oh, no, yer 'onor—couldn't do that.

Coroner (horrified)—Why not?

Yokel—Well, it's like this, zur. When I found 'un, he worn't quite dead!—London Outlook.

Constipation, indigestion drive away appetite, and make you weak and sick. Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea restores the appetite, drives away disease, builds up the sysem. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. A. Schreiter.

When the Time Came.

Maud—Oh, Ethel, and what did you say to him when he proposed to you? Did you say what you said you were going to the other day? That was a noble speech, just suited to crush the boldest man. And did he slink away like a whipped dog?

Ethel—Well, not exactly. You see, I didn't say just that. I—I—well—er—er—well, you see, I said "Yes."—London Express.

I ain't feeling well today,
Somthing wrong I must say,
Come to think of it, that's right,
I forgot my Rocky Mountain tea
last night.—W.A. Schreiter.

Strangely Worded.

Some of the applications for relief sent to the local committees by sufferers from bush fires are strangely worded, says the Melbourne Argus. Here is an extract from one by a widow: "I have in family four dairy cows, two pigs, a horse and three children, all these being by my first husband, and two goats in full milk and a baby by my second husband. All of the animals was lost in the fire."

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Gems In Verse

A SONG TO LYDIA.

I KNEW that you were coming back!
Shall I tell you how?
Today a wild bird swung and sung
On a blossomed bough.
Far and high his greeting rose
'Gainst the sunrise flame,
And all the notes of all his song
Tangled in your name.

I knew that you were coming back!
Shall I tell you why?
Today a new rose broke in bloom
'Neath the noon blue sky.
Rare and red it beckoned me,
Bending as I came,
And all the sweet of all its bloom
Only breathed your name.

I knew that you were coming back!
This is how I knew:
Bird and rose and earth and air
Gave me news of you.
Green leaves merry in the wood,
Glad waves on the sea,
And all the winds of all the world
Sang your name to me!

—Theodosia Garrison.

THE MAIDEN'S CHOICE.

GENTEEL in personage,
Conduct and equipage;
Noble by heritage;
Generous and free;

BRAVE, not romantic;
Learn'd, not pedantic;
Frolic, not frantic—
This must he be.

HONOR maintaining,
Meanness disdaining,
Still entertaining,
Engaging and new;

NEAT, but not finical;
Sage, but not cynical;
Never tyrannical,
But ever true.

—Henry Carey.

A WOMAN'S WISH.

WOULD I were lying in a field of clover,
Of clover cool and soft, and soft and sweet,
With dusky clouds on deep skies hanging over,
And scented silence at my head and feet.

Just for one hour to slip the leash of worry
In eager haste from Thought's impatient neck
And watch it coursing, in its heedless hurry
Disdaining wisdom's call or duty's beck!

Ah, it were sweet where clover clumps are meeting
And daisies hiding, so to hide and rest;
No sound except my own heart's steady beating,
Rocking itself to sleep within my breast.

Just to lie there, filled with the deeper breathing
That comes of listening to a wild bird's song!
Our souls require at times this full unsheathing—
All swords will rust if scabbard-kept too long.

And I am tired—so tired of rigid duty,
So tired of all my tired hands find to do!
I yearn, I faint, for some of life's free beauty,
Its loose beads with no straight string running through.

Aye, laugh, if you will, at my crude speech,
But women sometimes die of such a greed—
Die for the small joys held beyond their reach
And the assurance they have all they need!

—Mary Ashley Townsend.

MY BOOKS.

THEY dwell in an odor of camphor,
They stand in a Sheraton shrine,
They are warranted "early editions,"
These worshipful tomes of mine.

IN their creamy "Oxford vellum,"
In their redolent "crushed levant,"
With their delicate watered linings,
They are jewels of price, I grant.

BLIND tooled and morocco jointed,
They have Zaehnsdorf's daintiest dress;
They are graceful, attenuate, polished,
But they gather the dust no less.

FOR the row that I prize is yonder,
Away on the unglazed shelves,
The bulged and bruised octavos,
The dear and dumpy twelves—

MONTAIGNE with his sheepskin blistered,
And Howell the worse for wear,
And the worm drilled Jesuit's Horace,
And little old chopped Moliere,

AND the Burton I bought for a florin,
And the Rabelais foxed and flea'd—
For the rest I have never opened,
But these are the books I read.

—Austin Dobson.

THE IRISH PIPES.

I HEARD the piper playing,
The piper old and blind,
And knew its secret saying—
The voice of the summer wind.

I heard clear waters falling,
Lapping from stone to stone;
The wood dove crying and calling,
Ever alone, alone!

I heard the bells of the heather
Ring in the summer breeze,
Soft stir of fir and feather
And quiet hum of bees.

The piper drew me yearning
Into the dim gray lands
Where there is no returning,
Although I wring my hands.

There to the piper's crooning
I saw my dead again,
All in a happy nooning
Of golden sun and rain.

You piper kind and hoary,
Your pipes upon your knee,
If I should tell my story
The things you piped for me,

The folk would leave their sellin
And bid their buying go,
If I could but be telling
The things you let me know.

—Katharine Tynan.

DOUBT.

IN love, if love be love, if love be ours,
Faith and unfaith can ne'er be equal powers.
Unfaith in aught is want of faith in all.
It is the little rift within the lute
That by and by will make the music mute
And ever widening slowly silence all.

—Alfred Tennyson.

CREED AND CROWN.

A CREED is a rod,
And a crown is of night;
But this thing is God:
To be man with thy might,
To grow straight in the strength of thy spirit
And live out thy life as the light.

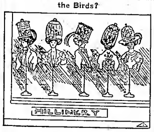
—Swinburne.

Would Suit Him Better.

Aunty—Willie, an angel brought your mamma such a nice new brother for you last night. Wouldn't you like to see the dear little baby?

Willie—No; but I'd like to see the angel.—Punch.

Why Take the Trouble to Kill and Stuff the Birds?



—Harper's Weekly.

The Next Time.

Friend—I sympathize most deeply with you on the loss of your wife, and I regret so much that I was not able to attend the funeral.

Widower—Don't mention it, my dear fellow. Come next time.—Ne Pour Rire.

Old Cutter.

Miss Brush—Is it true you said I was actually ugly?

Razor—I did.

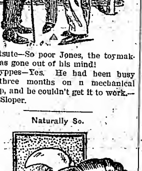
Miss Brush—Well, I never thought you'd cut me like that.—Pick-Me-Up.

Lifelike.

Lytsute—So poor Jones, the toymaker, has gone out of his mind!

Stryppes—Yes. He had been busy for three months on a mechanical tramp, and he couldn't get it to work.—Ally Sloper.

Naturally So.



Says She—You are positively awkward, sir!

Says He—Yes, I know it! I seem to go at everything backward.—Philadelphia Press.

OLD SORES FED AND KEPT OPEN
BY IMPURITIES IN THE BLOOD

Whenever a sore refuses to heal it is because the blood is not pure and healthy, as it should be, but is infected with poisonous germs or some old blood taint which has corrupted and polluted the circulation. Those most usually afflicted with old sores are persons who have reached or passed middle life. The vitality of the blood and strength of the system have naturally begun to decline, and the poisonous germs which have accumulated because of a sluggish and inactive condition of the system, or some hereditary taint which has hitherto been held in check, now force an outlet on the face, arms, legs or other part of the body. The place grows red and angry, festers and eats into the surrounding tissue until it becomes a chronic and stubborn ulcer, fed and kept open by the impurities with which the blood is saturated. Nothing is more trying and disagreeable than a stubborn, non-healing sore. The very fact that it resists ordinary remedies and treatments is good reason for suspicion; the same germ-producing cancerous ulcers is back of every old sore, and especially is this true if the trouble is an inherited one. Washes, salves, nor indeed anything else, applied directly to the sore, can do any permanent good; neither will removing the sore with caustic plasters or the surgeon's knife make a lasting cure. If every particle of the diseased flesh were taken away another sore would come, because the trouble is in the blood, and the ***BLOOD CANNOT BE CUT AWAY.*** The cure must come by a thorough cleansing of the blood. In S. S. S. will be found a remedy for sores and ulcers of every kind. It is an unequalled blood purifier—one that goes directly into the circulation and promptly cleanses it of all poisons and taints. It gets down to the very bottom of the trouble and forces out every trace of impurity and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. changes the quality of the blood so that instead of feeding the diseased parts with impurities, it nourishes the irritated, inflamed flesh with healthy blood. Then the sore begins to heal, new flesh is formed, all pain and inflammation leaves, the place scabs over, and when S. S. S. has purified the blood the sore is permanently cured. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores. Write for our special book on sores and ulcers and any other medical advice you desire. We make no charge for the book or advice.

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THOS. OWEN.
West Union, Ohio.

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Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate Under Judgment of Foreclosure.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake. }
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Citizens National Bank of Worthington,
Plaintiff
vs.
George Miller, Catherine Miller and Blanche L. Matteson,
Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgement and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 6th day of November, 1907, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned, sheriff of said Red Lake county, will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the 28th day of December, 1907, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the west front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, in one parcel, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northwest fractional quarter of section five, (5) township one-hundred fifty-two (152), range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Dated November 8th, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.
J. A. Town,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
n14-d19

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated December 26th, 1904 and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, January 12th, 1905, at 3:10 o'clock p. m., in Book 33 of Mortgages, on Page 631-632 whereby Peder A. Lyheck and Thore Lyheck, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard,) mortgagees, the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24) and the north half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) all in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $15.90, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.73, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, thirty-eight dollars and sixty-three cents. ($38.63.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
George W. Wishard.
H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated October 13th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, October 19th, 1904, at 1:45 o'clock p. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 439-440, whereby Jens L. Bolstad and Helene J. Bolstad, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the northeast quarter (ne¼) of section twenty-one (21) in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $31.80, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.04, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, fifty-three dollars and eighty-four cents. ($53.84.)

Now Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

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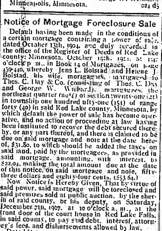

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of forty eight and 40-100 dollars with interest on said amount since the 20th day of February, A. D. 1907, at the rate of 5½ per cent per annum since that date.

And whereas the terms and conditions of mortgage hereinafter described provides that if default shall be made in the payment of said sum of money, or the interest, or any part thereof at the time and in the manner in said mortgage specified, the said mortgagee, his heirs, executors and assigns are authorized to declare the whole amount secured by said mortgage immediately due and payable:

And whereas the assignees of said mortgagee have declared the whole amount secured by said mortgage due and payable prior to the time of giving this notice.

That there is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice on said mortgage hereinafter described the sum of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, which said mortgage was duly executed and delivered by Andrew O. Letvig, as administrator of the estate of Mary Jane Letvig, deceased, mortgagor, to Andrew A. Olson, mortgagee, bearing date the 20th day of February, 1904 with the power of sale therein contained, was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, in the state of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of February, 1904, at 4:00 o'clock p. m., in book 14 of mortgages, on pages 251-253.

Which said mortgage together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said Andrew A. Olson to Sabille Garceau and Geo. F. Hennings by a written assignment bearing date the 11th day of October, 1907, and recorded in the office of said Register of deeds on the 15th day of October 1907, at 2:30 o'clock P. M. in Book 15 of mortgages at Page 410; and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be forclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz:

The Northeast Quarter of section numbered twenty five (25), in township numbered one hundred fifty two (152) North of Range forty five (45) West of the 5th P. M in the state of Minnesota less the Railway Right-away and other lands of said quarter sold during the life time of said Mary Jane Letvig, leaving a balance in said above described premises of 124 and 71-100 acres, with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Conrt House in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said County and State on the 7th day of December, 1907, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of nine hundred sixty-two and 86-100 dollars, with interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and twenty-five dollars attorneys' fees, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale as provided by law.

Dated October 23d, 1907.

SABILLE GARCEAU,
GEO. F. HENNINGS,
Assignees of Mortgagee.
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Assignees of Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
o-24-n28

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by L. L. Zenor, a single man, mortgagor, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of February, A. D., 1903, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, A. D., 1903, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 35 of mortgages on page 112 and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Forty-three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The east half of the east half of section twenty-seven (27) in township one hundred fifty (150) north of range forty-three (43) west of 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey one hundred sixty (160) acres, be the same more or less in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesote, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock a. m., on that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of one thousand three hundred forty three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and seventy five ($75.00) dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated October 27th, A. D., 1907.

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BULLETIN

Great Northern Railway

CHANGE IN TIME

Winter Schedule

The winter schedule on the Great Northern railway went into effect Sunday, Nov. 17th. Connections from Greenbush line are the same as heretofore—passengers for St. Paul and the east connecting at Crookston with trains 6 and 8.

Train 6 leaves Crookston at 10.05 p. m. arriving St. Paul 10.20 a. m. Train 8 leaves Crookston 10.28 p. m., arriving St. Paul 7.20 a. m. Trains 153 and 154 between Barnesville and Crookston are discontinued, train 5 and 6 making these stops.

There is no change of any consequence in west bound transcontinental trains 1 and 3, which will continue to depart from St. Paul at 10.30 a. m. and 3.00 p. m. respectively.

J. L. TRACY, Local Agent.

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Gems In Verse

OLD FAVORITES.

NIAGARA.

THE thoughts are strange that crowd into my brain
While I look upward to thee! It would seem
As if God pour'd thee from his hollow hand
And hung his bow upon thine awful front
And spoke in that loud voice which seem'd to him
Who dwelt in Patmos for his Saviour's sake
"The sound of many waters," and had bade
Thy flood to chronicle the ages back
And notch his centuries in the eternal rocks.

Deep calleth unto deep—and what are we
That hear the question of that voice sublime?
Oh, what are all the notes that ever rung
From war's vain trumpet by thy thundering side?
Yea, what is all the riot man can make
In his short life to thine unceasing roar?
And yet, bold babbler, what art thou to him
Who drown'd the world and heap'd the waters far
Above its loftiest mountains? A light wave,
That breaks and whispers of his Maker's might!

—John G. C. Brainard.

ANTONY AND CLEOPATRA.

I AM dying, Egypt, dying!
Ebbs the crimson life tide fast,
And the dark Plutonian shadows
Gather on the evening blast.
Let thine arm, O queen, enfold me;
Hush thy sobs and bow thine ear;
Listen to the great heart secrets
Thou, and thou alone, must hear.

Though my scarred and veteran legions
Bear their eagles high no more
And my wrecked and scattered galleys
Strew dark Actium's fatal shore,
Though no glittering guards surround me
Prompt to do their master's will,
I must perish like a Roman—
Die the great triumvir still.

Let not Caesar's servile minions
Mark the lion thus made low.
'Twas no foeman's arm that felled him,
'Twas his own that struck the blow;
His, who, pillowed on thy bosom,
Turned aside from glory's ray—
His, who, drunk with thy caresses,
Madly threw a world away.

Should the base plebeian rabble
Dare assail my name at Rome,
Where the noble spouse, Octavia,
Weeps within her widowed home,
Seek her; say the gods bear witness,
Altars, augurs, circling wings,
That her blood, with mine commingled,
Yet shall mount the thrones of kings.

And for thee, star eyed Egyptian,
Glorious sorceress of the Nile,
Light the path of Stygian horrors
With the splendors of thy smile;
Give the Caesar crowns and arches,
Let his blood the laurel twine;
I can scorn the senate's triumphs,
Triumphing in love like mine.

I am dying, Egypt, dying!
Hark! The insulting foeman's cry,
They are coming. Quick, my falchion;
Let them front me ere I die.
Ah, no more amid the battle
Shall my heart exulting swell.
Isis and Osiris guard thee—
Cleopatra, Rome, farewell!

—General W. H. Lytle.

SCYTHE SONG.

MOWERS, weary and brown and blithe,
What is the word methinks ye know,
Endless overword that the scythe
Sings to the blades of the grass below?
Scythes that swing in the grass and clover,
Something, still, they say as they pass;
What is the word that, over and over,
Sings the scythe to the flowers and grass?

HUSH, ah, hush, the scythes are saying,
Hush and heed not, and fall asleep;
Hush, they say to the grasses swaying;
Hush, they sing to the clover deep!
Hush—'tis the lullaby Time is singing—
Hush and heed not, for all things pass!
Hush, ah, hush! And the scythes are swinging
Over the clover, over the grass!

—Andrew Lang.

THERE IS NO UNBELIEF.

THERE is no unbelief.
Whoever plants a seed beneath the sod
And waits to see it push away the clod,
He trusts in God.

Whoever sees 'neath winter's field of snow
The silent harvests of the future grow
God's power must know.

Whoever lies down on his couch to sleep,
Content to lock each sense in slumber deep,
Knows God will keep.

Whoever says "Tomorrow," "The unknown,"
"The future," trusts the power alone
He dares disown.

The heart that looks on when eyelids close
And dares to live when life has only woes,
God's comfort knows.

There is no unbelief.
And day by day and night, unconsciously,
The heart lives by that faith the lips deny.
God knoweth why.

—Edward Bulwer Lytton.

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There Were Limits.

Nervous Old Lady—Do people lose their lives here very often?

Old Salt—No, mum; only about once!—Tatler.

They're a Majority.

He—I understand two of your sisters have joined the great majority.

She—Yes. One of them married a man named Jones and the other a man named Brown.—Evening Mail.

Grim Humor.

"I never do have any luck. Now a raging toothache has begun just at the moment that I was going to take my life, and the nearest dentist lives at least three leagues from here."—Pele Mele.

Taking No Chances.

Young Wife (who has cooked the dinner for the first time)—Whatever will my husband say when he sees that I have quite spoiled the joint? Come, Anna, we will toss who shall take it in to him.—Fliegende Blatter.

His Limitation.

"Your friend D'Auber is an artist, isn't he?"

"Yes, that fellow can draw anything."

"Indeed! I have heard it said that he hasn't drawn a sober breath for years."—Philadelphia Press.

Division of Labor.

"Excuse me, my good man, but are you sure you know the difference between edible mushrooms and poisonous ones?"

"Oh, that's nothing to me! I don't eat em; I sell em!—Squire.

Gems In Verse

CONSOLATION.

WE sigh for days that are no more,
We mourn the loss of passions dead;
We sing the threnodies of yore
And weep the tear of pleasures fled.

Yet o'er the pathways of today
Some lingering roses still may lean,
And where our doleful footsteps stray
Sweet flowers be springing, all unseen.

Alert, the ear may catch the trill
Of bird song caroled in the tree,
And voices from the air to fill
The soul with present ecstasy.

Above the dreaming, did we hear
The sterner tone of duty's call
To sympathy with things anear
That wait our joyance more than all—

Soon would we breathe the purer thought
That sets the stagnant pulse amove,
And to our lifted hands, unsought,
Will come the answering touch of love!

—John Troland.

AN ENCOUNTER.

WHO cares for the burden, the night and the rain,
And the steep, long, lonesome road,
When at last through the darkness a light shines plain,
When a voice calls hail, and a friend draws rein
With an arm for the stubborn load?

THOUGH his way lie over the prairies green
And mine up the sunrise hill,
Though no more in my path may his light be seen
And I never may travel the leagues between,
His succor aids me still.

FOR life is the chance of a friend or two
This side of the journey's goal,
Though the world be a desert the long night through.
Yet the gay flowers bloom and the sky grows blue
When a soul salutes a soul.

—Harriet Monroe.

THE HAPPY KING.

THE king of Spain is happy—not because he wears a crown;
Not because he walks on velvet and his paths are shod with down;
Not because he wields a scepter and is greeted as "Your grace"
By the silver gartered gentlemen of high and haughty place;
Not because the masses greet him with their glad "Long live the king,"
For in these jocund voices often sounds the traitor's ring!
The king of Spain is happy just because in dreams of rest
He saw a little baby dreaming on a mother's breast!

The king of Spain is happy, as all kings of men are glad
When the household rings with revel of the lips of Little Lad,
When babyhood in blossom pours the wonder of its bloom
Through the palace and the hovel like a rose of old perfume;
The king of Spain is happy that a little life in glee
Has come to hear the dreamy song and dance upon his knee,
And grow in strength around him and go forth with sword in hand
To keep the truce of kingship for the glory of the land!

The king of Spain is happy—not because his phalanx led
On the fields of splendid battle, treading down the kingly dead;
Not because his banners glistened o'er the ramparts of the foe
And there came a wind of wailing from the lips that wept in woe;
Not because he heard the trumpets waken on the hills of morn
The triumph of the pennants that his conquering hosts had borne:
The king of Spain is happy that the dawn of love has smiled,
And the tender hand that leads him is the hand of Little Child!

—Baltimore Sun.

THE SUNRISE NEVER FAILED US YET.

UPON the sadness of the sea
The sunset broods regretfully;
From the far, lonely spaces slow
Withdraws the wistful afterglow.

SO out of life the splendor dies,
So darken all the happy skies,
So gathers twilight, cold and stern,
But overhead the planets burn.

AND up the east another day
Shall chase the bitter dawn away.
What though our eyes with tears be wet?
The sunrise never failed us yet.

THE blush of dawn may yet restore
Our light and hope and joy once more.
Sad soul, take comfort, nor forget
That sunrise never failed us yet.

—Celia Thaxter.

THE LAND OF EVENING.

DOWN to lands of evening, where the little shadows fall,
Down to lands of evening when the bells of sunset call,
Down to lands of evening from the workhouse of the day,
Oh, lovely are the roses scattered all along the way!

Down to lands of evening, all so sweet and all so still,
The dew upon the meadows and the blue upon the hill;
Down to lands of evening with a love song in the breast,
And little rosy songsters waiting in the sweet home nest!

Down to lands of evening from the roaring traffic loom,
Dreaming through the buttercups and dancing through the gloam;
Down to lands of evening from the half forgotten strife,
To the little sweetheart mother and the bloom of baby life!

—Anonymous.

CROSS PURPOSES.

I LAID my plans with care
And meant to win and wear,
Despite the din and frown,
A fadeless laurel crown;
To carve my name deep, bold,
Upon the mount of gold.

I SEE within your eyes
An unconcealed surprise.
Sneer not, nor wonder why,
Dared I to aim so high.
I did not fail. Love came,
And I deserted fame!

—Times-Democrat.

MEASURE FOR MEASURE.

WHAT love do I bring you? The earth
Full of love were far lighter,
The great hollow sky full of love
Somewhat slighter.

EARTH full and heaven full were less
Than the full measure given—
Nay, say a heart full—the heart
Holds earth and heaven!

—Harriet Prescott Spofford.

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Just received a fine line of fancy cookies, at Franz Freund's.

Call at the Gazette office and see our fine line of fancy stationery.

Chas. Kankel has been quite sick the past week at his home in Terrebonne.

Miss Lena Tschirhart has returned from her visit among friends in Chicago.

Fresh lettuce, radishes, onions, and celery for Thanksgiving, at Freund's.

C. C. Bottineau is up in the Blackduck regions this week on business.

Mrs. J. J. Padden was the guest of Thief River Falls friends between trains Monday.

Don't forget the Thanksgiving dance at the opera house. Everybody will be there.

Mrs. W. A. Schreiter was the over-Sunday guest of friends at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs, Mrs. Harry Fritz are here from St. Paul visiting among relatives and friends.

We are headquarters for post cards. New consignment received every week.—Franz Freund.

Mrs. Jos. Salley and Master Donald were over Sunday guests of friends in Thief River Falls.

Two cars of nice soft coal just received by A. L. Roy, the drayman. Give him a call when in need.

K. E. Wing, representative for the Stone Music House of Fargo, was in the city Monday on business.

Grand ball at the opera house Thanksgiving eve, Nov. 27. Music by the Red Lake Falls orchestra.

$50,000.00 to loan on farms at lowest rate of interest. Call at the First State Bank, Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dupont, of Terrebonne, are the proud parents of a tiny babe since the 16th inst.

A dozen of photos in those new folders at Riechel's Studio will make 12 very acceptable Xmas presents.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall has had a new sidewalk put down in front of her north side residence property.

Frank Bagan, of Webster, N. D., was here last week to attend the funeral of his sister, Miss Eva Bagan.

Theo. Zaiser departed Monday evening on his tour of the west, with Denver as his first stopping point.

C. W. Johnson, clerk of court, and E. L. Quist, register of deeds, were up near Wylie Tuesday on business.

Geo. A. Ralph, state drainage engineer, was in the city Tuesday as a guest of his sister, Mrs. C. N. Bourdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan'l McNamara, of Jackson, were guests between trains Tuesday at the V. M. Higinbotham home.

John Mains, of Cohasset, and Jno. W. Aiton, of Grand Rapids, were in the Falls the first of the week attending court.

Harry Garceau came up from Carlton College last Friday to spend a few days under the parental Theo. Garceau roof.

Dan Linnihan was up from Omania over Sunday calling on the homefolks and getting acquainted with his family.

Skating on the river is reported good and large crowds are out every evening enjoying the pleasures of a moonlight glide.

Will give you six records and a Columbia talking machine for $6.00. Come and see them before buying elsewhere.—Franz Freund.

With every twenty-five cent purchase of laundry soap at Franz Freund's you can get a handsome picture 16x20 inches in size.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

Miss Anna Wylie, of Grand Forks was the over-Sunday guest of Mrs. Fred Borchers while enroute to her home in Wylie, for a brief visit.

Fred Behn received by express yesterday a fine short-horn bull from Albert Lea, and the same will be added to his herd and increase the high standard thereof.

Mrs. C. L. Grey has closed her millinery emporium at St. Hilaire for the winter and will devote her entire attention to the business here.

Just received a nice new lot of picture frame mouldings. Bring in your pictures and get them framed in suitable frames at Riechel's Studio.

Confirmation services will be held at the Scandinavian Lutheran church next Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. I. T. Aastad will be in charge.

We wish to thank our many friends who so kindly assisted us during our late sickness and bereavement.—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bagan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Bulmen, of Thief River Falls, have been guests at the home of Judge Tarrant the past week. Mr. Bulman is serving the court as bailiff.

Miss Mary Caldwell came down from Thief River Falls last Friday evening and has since been assisting with the rush of work in the register of deeds office.

City Clerk A. P. Toupin transacted business in the twin cities the latter part of last week and incidentially took in the Carlisle-Gopher foot ball game Saturday.

Mrs. Fred Williams, of Grand Forks, and Miss Munroe, of Crookston, were most welcome guests at the home of Mrs. Arthur Zaiser over last Thursday evening.

For Sale:—SE¼ and E½ SW¼ Sec. 9-151-43; 6 miles from Red Lake Falls and 7 miles from Plummer. Price, $10.00 per acre, easy terms. Enquire of S4, care Gazette office.

Theo. LaBissoniere has a large number of "Market Day Trailers" which he calls your particular attention in his ad this week. Look it up and profit by the bargains offered.

Mrs. W. B. Cheshire, wife of Cashier Cheshire of the First State Bank of Brooks, was in the Falls the first of the week, a guest at the L. C. Simons and C. N. Bourdon homes.

Mrs. J. C. Wander returned home yesterday from St. Anthony, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. H. Hoppe of Freeport, who will spend several days here a guest at the J. C. Wander home.

The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian church will hold a business meeting at the home of Mrs. F. E. Hunt on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members are earnestly requested to be present.

E. L. Norton, traveling freight agent for the Burlington route, was up from St. Paul the first of the week visiting at the Zaiser home and also looking after landed interests over near Plummer.

Ernest Gerlach, traveling representative for the American Tobacco company for Iowa and Wisconsin, arrived in the city last Friday evening for a brief visit at the parental home north of town.

Members of the Modern Brotherhood of America are cordially invited to attend the meeting at their hall in Kaus Block on Monday evening Nov. 25. Social dance after the meeting, for members only.

Miss Bertha Malmin, a compositor from Northwood, N. D., arrived in the city Monday for a visit at the C. E. Peterson home, and while here will assist with the holiday rush of work in the Gazette office.

Matt Skala, the popular north side merchant, has just received a large shipment of the Lanpher North Star furs and he calls particular attention to the same in his ad on another page in today's paper.

Omer Hall today received his new slide trombone and will assist the band with their concerts in the future. The new horn is a dandy and Omer will endeavor to make it "snap some" these chilly evenings.

Hugo Zaiser was up from St. Paul over Sunday, a guest among numerous young friends. Upon his return home Sunday evening he was accompanied overland to Crookston by H. H. Zaiser, Verne Healy and Will Ericson.

On Thanksgiving day, at the Woodman hall in Terrebonne, a basket party will be given for the benefit of St. Anthony's church. A musical program has been prepared and a great crowd is expected. All are welcome.

Marriage licenses were issued by Clerk of Court Johnson the past week as follows: Joe Severson to Sophie Olson, both of Thief River Falls; Johan Johanson, of Rocksbury, to Oline Ness; P. G. A. Stromberg to Hanna T. Berggren.

A meeting of the business men of Red Lake Falls is called for next Monday evening at seven thirty, to meet at the Gazette office. Let every merchant, banker and business man in the city be present as matters of vital importance are to be discussed.

Chas. Moller, principal of the schools at Shevlin, was the guest of numerous young friends at this place the latter part of last week, he driving over to Dugdale and taking the train from that place Sunday evening for his home and school duties.

Misses Maude Findeison and Margaret Kaus were down from Warren for an over Sunday visit at the home of their parents. They returned to Crookston Sunday evening to take the train for Warren to be in ample time for their school duties Monday morning.

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Word was received here Monday to the effect that J. H. Pratt, a conductor on the Canadian Northern, had been in a wreck and was seriously injured. No particulars has as yet been obtained. Mr. Pratt is related to the Zaisers and has many friends here who will regret to learn of his sad misfortune.

Mrs. E. F. Marshall entertained last Thursday in honor of her guests from abroad, and friends to the number of about twenty-five were present and participated in the festivities of the day. A very delightful time was had by those present and the dainty lunch served pronounced par excellent.

Wanted—Local representative for Red Lake Falls and vicinity to look after renewals and increase subscription list of a prominent monthly magazine, on a salary and commission basis. Experience desirable, but not necessary. Good opportunity for right person. Address Publisher, Box 59, Station O, New York.

Ramond Tebert, of near Terrebonne, had the misfortune Tuesday to break one of his arms. He was hauling hay and had stopped his team to fix something about the harness, when one of the horses shied, knocked him over and then starting up the wagon passed over his arm and one leg, the latter being quite serious injured.

County Superintendent H. T. McAnulty has removed his office from upstairs over the treasurer's office to the large and spacious room at the north end of the court room. Here he will have ample room for his office furnishings besides space upon the walls for the display of the numerous exhibits from the various schools.

The sale of millinery at the emporium of Mrs. C. L. Gray and daughter during fair week has been far above their expectations and they have decided to continue the sale for another ten days. Those desiring anything in the millinery line will find it to their advantage to look up the ad in another column and profit by its teaching.

Mrs. Nick Helm received a telegram last Wednesday from Minneapolis announcing the serious illness of her daughter, and she departed on the afternoon train to be at the bedside of the beloved child. Numerous Red Lake Falls friends will hope that the danger point is passed and that the invalid is now on the rapid road to recovery.

Rev. Philip A. Schwarz was at Blackduck Tuesday evening in at the installation of Rev. F. J. Barackman as pastor of the Presbyterian church at that place. Rev. Schwartz took part in the ceremony and delivered the charge to the pastor, who in return will be here next Tuesday evening and officiate at the installation of Rev. Schwartz as pastor of the Presbyterian church at this place.

Since publishing the state apportionment for the schools of Red Lake county we are informed the apportionment derived from the fines and one-half of the delinquent tax levy in the county is forty-five cents per capita, which added to that received from the state brings the amount up to $2.95 per capita. This aid will help the schools throughout the shire wonderfully and comes at a time when most needed.

This afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Ives, at St. Hilaire, Mrs. P. E. Pirath will entertain the ladies' aid of the Presbyterian church, and those responding to the invitation to participate in the affair are Mesdames J. L. Tracy, H. M. Kaus, E. M. Chamberlain, F. E. Hunt, C. N. Bourdon, Chas. Boughton, F. A. Grady, Jos. Salley, E. F. Marshall, J. C. Argue, L. C. Simons, Ovide Emard, Arthur Zaiser and Henry Hennemuth.

Mrs. Geo. L. Sauer and children departed last Saturday evening for Melrose, where they will spend several weeks as guests among relatives. Mr. Sauer will remain here some days looking after collections before joining his family, where he expects soon to embark in business. The Sauer family have resided in our midst for over five years last past and have a host of friends who will deeply regret their leavestaking but will wish for them unbounded success wherever they may decide to locate.

Mrs. P. E. Pirath was down from St. Hilaire over Sunday.

Tonsoralist J. P. Miller made a "flying" business trip to Crookston last evening.

John E. King was up from St. Paul over Tuesday evening looking after business interests.

I ain't feeling well today,
 Somthing wrong I must say,
Come to think of it, that's right,
 I forgot my Rocky Mountain tea
  last night.—W.A. Schreiter.

Our merchants are receiving large consignments of goods suitable for the holiday trade, and it is quite evident Santa Claus expects to make Red Lake Falls his headquarters this year.

Constipation, indigestion drive away appetite, and make you weak and sick. Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea restores the appetite, drives away disease, builds up the sysem 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. A Schreiter.

Parties cutting ice on the river should see to it that a fence is put up around the hole as it is not only dangerous to any who might be skating in that vicinity, but such an act is against the laws of the state. Due caution should be taken before some life is lost by drowning.

Harvesting in this neck o' woods is a thing of the past for this year, but the farmers are at a loss to know just what to do with their grain. Some are holding their wheat for a higher price, while others are taking the bull by the horns and using their own best judgment about the matter.

Last Saturday was "coffee day" at E. Chatel's Cash Grocery and it proved a great success in every particular. A demonstrator from the house of G. H. Conrad Co. was here and served hot coffee to the thirsty throng who flocked thither all day long for a cup of their most delicious brand of coffee. As a result of the "coffee spread" Mr. Chatel reports an exceptionally large sale on coffee, a fact we a pleased to note.

Next Thursday we will be called upon to give thanks for the many favors bestowed upon us during the past year, and while enjoying a sumptuous feast of roast turkey, cranberry sauce and mince pie, let us not forget the less fortunate and in some way seek to make them feel that the time has not been idly spent, even though the year has not been the most prosperous, but to hope that the future might be one of great joy and blessing to them.

LOCAL MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED TO DATE

Wheat, No. 1 Hard	$ 91
" No. 1 Northern	89½
" No. 2 Northern	87½
" No. 3 Northern	80½
" No. 4 Northern	72½
" Rejected	64½
Flax, No. 1	98
" No. 2	95
N. G. Flax	90
Barley, No. 4	58
" No. 5	52
" Seed	48
Oats, No. 3 White	38
" No. 4 White	36
" No. 3	34
Flour, Patent	3 00
" Straight	2 90
Shorts	24 00
Bran	23 00
Butter	25
Creamery Butter	33
Eggs	25

Have You Chosen Your Winter Apparel ? ?

If not, think these facts over

IT'S worth something to choose garments where there's nothing but best quality to choose from; and plenty of it. If you are undecided as to style and color, you may try garment after garment until your decision is spontaneous upon finding the right combination of fabric, color, pattern, weave, and shape. Our prices are no higher than others, hence the confidence of the public, which is the corner stone of our success.

We would call your special attention to our

BARGAIN COUNTER

where you will always find something desirable at a bargain price. New bargains are daily placed upon this counter for your consideration : : : : : : : :

Call and let us explain to you the details of our new cash coupon system.

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The Busy Store Red Lake Falls

Special Sale of Millinery Goods

Sale Will
Continue for Next Ten Days

Great Reduction in Prices on Hats

Call Early and Get the
Choicest of Bargains

Mrs. C. L. Gray
and daughter

Report of the condition of the

Merchants State Bank

of Red Lake Falls, at close of business on the 28th day of October, 1907:

Liabilities		Resources	
Capital	$ 15000 00	Loans & Discounts	$140651 75
Surplus	3000 00	Banking house, furniture & fixtures	6129 04
Undivided profits, net	4554 47	Other real estate	3496 70
Deposits	162062 61	Checks and drafts in transit	1368 04
		Cash on hand and in banks	32971 55
Total	$184617 08	Total	$184617 08

OFFICERS:

A. P. TOUPIN, Pres. THEO. LaBISSONIERE, Vice-Pres.
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Parties and Pumps.

The late Francis Muryphy, well known as a temperance advocate, had many an adventure in the course of his very useful life.

He once told of a case in which a man got a little the better of him in an argument.

The man was a clubman, a generous liver, famous for his wine cellar, and Mr. Murphy read him a strong lecture on the drink evil.

But the bon vivant only smiled, shook his head, and said:

"Well, Mr. Murphy, I have seen many a pleasant party around a table, but I have never seen one around a pump."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: James L. Coleman, Duluth, Minn., pulley; Chas D. Edwards, Albert Lea, Minn., grading machine; George Fink, Northfield, Minn., carrier; Edward L. Southwick, Mapleton, Minn., non-refillable bottle; Max Toltz, St. Paul, Minn., superheater; Annen Travland, Hoffman, Minn., bicycle boat; Charles E. Mapes, Havana, N. D., grain door for cars.

Blessed Are the Peacemakers.

The Wife—Where did you get all these terrible bruises?

The Husband—Oh, at the peace demonstration!

His Mind Relieved.

Mrs. Post—Both the cook and waitress have left.

Mr. Post—Good! Now I dare bring some of the fellows home for dinner.

HUNTERS' AND TRAPPERS' SUPPLIES
All kinds of Sporting Goods. Catalog free. Kennedy Bros. Arms Co., St. Paul, Minn.

A Discussion.

"Which am de greater feat, to steal a baff-tub from a house, er to steal a stove?"

"To steal a stove, oh co'se. It might be weeks befo' dey'd miss de beff-tub."

"GOLD SEAL" OVERSHOES
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When a man kisses a girl for the first time she tries to act so that he will think it is her first experience.

"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA
worth a dollar a lb. sold for 50c. Write Wm. McMurray, St. Paul, Minn., for free sample.

Some men imagine they are decent because they wear a clean collar every day.

HIGHER CREAM PRICES.
Write us to-day for particulars and tags. MILTON DAIRY CO., St. Paul, Minn.

Do all the work you can; there are lots of lazy men who will do the rest.

BABY'S ECZEMA GREW WORSE.

Hospitals and Doctors Could Not Relieve Him—But Cuticura Remedies a Speedy, Permanent Cure.

"Eczema appeared when our baby was three months old. We applied to several doctors and hospitals, each of which gave us something different every time, but nothing brought relief. At last, one of our friends recommended to us Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment. A few days afterwards improvement could be noted. Since then we have used nothing but Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment, and now the baby is six months old and is quite cured. All that we used was one cake of Cuticura Soap and two boxes Cuticura Ointment, costing in all $1.25. C. F. Kara, 343 East 65th Street, New York, March 30, 1906."

Going the Gaits.

"So Bangs is running for office?"

"He is and you bet it's going to be a walkover."

If it wasn't for getting her front hair mussed no girl would object to being kissed against her will once in a while.

SHIP YOUR CREAM
to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn. Write to-day for tags and prices.

Question of the Day.

Knicker—Weston is walking to Chicago.

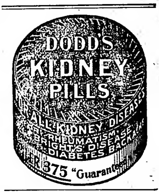
Bocker—Did his machine break down so far away from home?

"GOLD SEAL" IS THE ONLY SEAL
on Overshoes and Oil Clothing that indicates best made. If your dealer does not have goods bearing this brand apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

Some men keep their religion locked in a safe deposit vault six days of the week.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

A father's pride in his children's music is based largely upon what is cost him.



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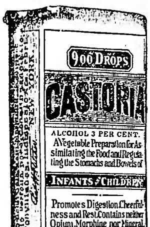
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POTTER'S PUNISHMENT

By JAY PALMER

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Eliot Potter was making an experiment this summer. He was sick of tutoring—he hated it, but had tried it during former vacations, because he determined by hook or crook to work his way through college and then study medicine; it was his one ambition, and it had been sufficiently strong thus far to overcome every obstacle.

Now, tired out from hard study and the examinations of his junior year, he welcomed an opportunity to recuperate among the White mountains and at the same time to earn a little by accepting a place as bellman at one of the large hotels.

At first, when the mountain wagons, with their sturdy four-in-hands and horns gayly tooting, rolled away bearing a merry party to the Profile or Flume, he felt it momentarily irksome to be "out of it all," but he sooned learned to regard such departures with equanimity. The people he really envied were the occasional pedestrians who tramped from pure love of it, for he was a hardy athlete and loved adventure. When one of these, always a transient guest, stopped there, bringing a story of a climb over a mountain or through a notch, it would set the blood tingling in his veins.

"I must do something," he thought, soon after his arrival, "to keep going, or I shall stagnate surely."

But what to choose? There was golf, to be sure—he had been scratch on the college team, but of course to play here was out of the question. He might caddy—the very thing! He would get exercise and fun out of it, too. The proprietor, knowing that an intelligent caddy would be always in demand, was willing—even glad to allow him a few hours daily for such a purpose; so he found himself speedily launched on a career.

Among the guests at the Star View was a handsome, quiet young fellow, Van Dyke by name, whom Potter rather liked. The fancy appeared to be mutual, for after employing him a few times as caddy Van Dyke engaged him regularly.

One day two ladies had arrived and Potter, after directing the men with the trunks to the rooms engaged, was hurrying through the hall to the office when he came face to face with the younger of the two arrivals—a slender, stylish girl of clear blonde type.

"Mr. Potter—oh, how delightful to see a friend here!" Bewitching was her smile and frankly friendly the little hand stretched out to greet him.

But in his confusion and embarrassment Potter did not seem to see it; he colored like a schoolboy and then went pale. "Here I am only the bellman, Miss Wenworth," he stammered.

"Oh!" the tone was icy as her hand dropped. "I shall take care to remember." She swept past him with the air of a princess.

"Idiot!" muttered Potter, as the door closed behind her. "Why did I say that? How shall I bear it to see Prof. Wentworth's daughter here?"

He knew now that his dream had been vain; of course, it was madness to think to win one so far beyond him; for she was very rich, being the sole heir to her mother's large fortune. The unexpected meeting had made him savage; and—she would never forgive him.

Indeed it semed so; for days afterward she did not appear to see him, nor would she allow her aunt, who had met him, to hold any converse with him. Then she suddenly changed her attitude and began to direct him, without preface, to do this or that as coldly and impassively as an icicle.

This was bad enough, but worse was to come. Van Dyke, the indifferent, fell under her spell—they all did, for that matter. But—Van Dyke must teach her to play golf—the artful coquette! As if he, Potter, had not on the college links superintended her first drive, tee-ed her balls, carried her clubs, and taught her so carefully that she could almost outplay her teacher.

It was gall and wormwood to Potter but he continued to caddy for Van Dyke—he was too proud to refuse, nor did he wish to; like the proverbial moth, he learned no wisdom from his singed wings. Of course, Miss Wentworth began an outrageous flirtation with Van Dyke, to the silent wrath of the unfortunate Potter.

"Van Dyke may whistle for a caddy to-morrow," Potter growled under his breath, one day. "Blest if I can stand it any longer!"

Accordingly the next afternoon he got leave to absent himself and started on a long tramp. He chose a path through the woods, which near the hotel led past the site of an old iron mine years since abandoned. It was an eerie place; he stopped as he always did to gaze down at the dark mouth of the old shaft, which opened from the side of a funnel-shaped excavation, now thickly overgrown with moss and ferns and asters. Farther along, away from the path, the walls of the tunnel had caved in in places, making dark chasms, at the bottom of which lay patches of white, for there the winter snows lasted far into the summer.

The neglected spot fitted into Potter's thoughts, and he lingered awhile before setting forth on his walk.

Turning back at dusk at the end of his journey, he had again to pass by the old mine. As he neared it he thought he heard a cry, from the hollow by the shaft opening it came faintly: "Help! Help!"

Peering down in the twilight he saw a white, upturned face among the ferns: "Miss Wentworth—Alice!"

"Eliot, is it you? I am so glad!"

He leaped down to her side, when to his astonishment two arms met tightly around his neck, and then—she fainted. Even in that awkward predicament Potter felt a strange exultation. How he was to get her out unless she could help herself a little he did not know; but for the moment that did not concern him. It was enough that she had wanted him—called him by his name, and that they two were there together.

But Miss Wentworth came to herself with disconcerting promptness. "I fell when reaching for some ferns; I must have turned my ankle or I could have climbed out alone," she explained. "The pain has made me faint, but I think I can get up now with your help—"

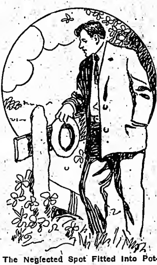
"I could go to the hotel for assistance," he suggested doubtfully, "and a carriage?"

"No, no; it would make a scene and frighten auntie; I had rather you would not."

So Potter half-carried, half-dragged her to the edge of the embankment, and lifted her into the path. Then, after a slow and silent journey broken by many pauses, during which each seemed to hear the other's heart beat, he brought her safely to the hotel and left her in her aunt's care.

On his return he found that Van Dyke had departed suddenly that afternoon. This fact, taken in connection with Miss Wentworth's change of manner, encouraged him to think that perhaps Van Dyke had "put his fate to the touch" and—lost it all. He sought his room that night with his mind in a strange tumult between doubt and hope.

"Anyway," he resolved, "bellman or not, I shall let nothing keep me from learning the truth from her own lips when I see her."



The Neglected Spot Fitted Into Potter's Thoughts.

The next day he received this dainty note:

> Dear Mr. Potter:—My sprain is not bad, but the doctor will not let me walk for awhile yet. Will you come to our parlor and let us thank you?
>
> ALICE WENTWORTH.

There he found a most gracious reception awaiting him from the aunt, and a shy one from the invalid. She looked very charming among her gay cushions, and seemed to be suffering from nothing more serious than an inconvenient color, which came and went unaccountably.

At length, when her aunt was called away, she burst out impetuously: "Can you forgive me, Mr. Potter, for my horrid behavior even since I came?—yes, I planned it all deliberately to punish you for your silly pride—but it was silly, now wasn't it?" she pleaded.

Potter was on his knees at her side. "Alice, can you love me? Will you wait and let me work for you? I will, indeed, I will be worthy of you?"

There was a moment of silence; then, from among the cushions where she had hidden her face came the answer in muffled tones: "Perhaps—I might—Mr. Bellman."

An Intelligent Dog's Record.

Joe Redfield Seville is the name of a big English setter with intelligent brown eyes who has led Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Seville, a blind couple, through 16 states without accident or injury.

The trio arrived in Denver the other day and Joe straightway led the way through the depot gate to the street and arm in arm the blind couple followed, confident Joe would lead them aright. His eyes suffice for all three and never does he make a mistake.

Seville's home is in Reading, Pa., and he and his silent, sweet-faced wife are on their way to California. They have made their expenses so far by selling pictures of their remarkable dog. Seville was a stonecutter and lost his sight 15 years ago. His wife was stricken blind when a baby.

Joe is intelligent to a remarkable degree. When his master is canvassing the stores of a city selling his pictures Joe will never lead him past a store that looks promising. When Joe guides his master into an office building he will ignore the stairs and head for the elevator. So deliberately does he go that one would scarcely suspect the man holding the leash was sightless.

Bombay claims the greatest density of population in the world, and its claim is only disputed by Agra, also in India. Bombay has 760 persons an acre in certain areas.

TO HAVE NEW HOME

HANDSOME STRUCTURE IS BEING BUILT FOR FRENCH EMBASSY.

Will Have Wings Divided from Main Roof by Portico, in Old Roman Style—Erected by Ex-Senator Henderson.

One of the imposing houses in process of erection on Sixteenth street is the home in which ex-Senator and Mrs. Henderson will build the French embassy. It will be a home for the ambassador and office of the embassy.

The plans call for a house of imposing style. The proposed arrangement can be likened to the homes of the rich Romans at the time of Caesar and Nero, where certain wings were divided from the main roof by a portico or colonnade, thus allowing both sides privacy, and at the same time convenience of reach. The plan will be followed in the part that will actually be used as the offices of the embassy and the home of the ambassador. It is held that such division will facilitate matters and will offer advantages. For instance, the wing given over to the offices is to be built for commercial purposes, while the other will retain all the comforts of the home, intended only for such use.

In planning the residence the architect chose the modern French style of architecture as the type of the new house. The exterior will be constructed of white marble and terra cotta.

New Home of French Embassy.

The main entrance will be on Sixteenth street and a side entrance on Kalorama avenue. The embassy offices will be arranged on the first floor, and will be finished in the refined style of a modern business office. The kitchen and minor rooms will also be located on the first floor.

A finely designed marble stairway, with balustrades of wrought iron, will lead to the second floor. On this floor there will be a small ante-room, a large drawing-room, 22x40 feet in dimensions, a smaller circular drawing-room, with windows on all sides, and a large dining-room, 20x38 feet in dimensions, with a breakfast room adjoining. The upper floors will be given over to bedrooms.

The drawing-room will be finished in modern French style, with woodwork in white and gold. The dining-room will be finished in brownish stain, with wall spaces for the hanging of tapestries, which will be furnished by the ambassador, who has a rare and valuable collection.

1907 A RED LETTER YEAR.

Right to Vote Won by Women in Four Countries of Europe.

Women all over the world are beginning to look upon 1907 as a red letter year for their sex. Their first notable step ahead this year was the granting of parliamentary suffrage to the women of Norway. Then Swedish women were made eligible for municipal office; next came the granting to the women of Denmark of the right to vote for and serve as members of boards of public charities, and now the British parliament has just passed the bill making women eligible as town and county councilors and aldermen.

In 1888 when the county councils were instituted in England it was thought that women were eligible, and three—Lady Margaret Sandhurst, Miss Jane Cobden and Miss Cons—were elected by the voters of London. Beresford Hope, who had been defeated by Lady Sandhurst, contested the election on the ground that women were not eligible. The litigation was prolonged and meanwhile the women were allowed to serve. One of the duties assigned to Lady Sandhurst was the supervision of 23 infant asylums. When Mr. Hope finally succeeded in ousting her one of the leading London dailies sarcastically remarked:

"It is to be hoped that the gentleman will find himself equal to mothering all those babies."

Indian Cigars Cheap.

Cigars are cheap in India. United States Consul Michael, of Calcutta, says: A firm in Madras advertises three of its best cigars at seven and one-half cents, one and three-fifths cents and two and one-half cents each, respectively. I suppose these cigars would sell in the United States at ten to 15 cents each, or two for a quarter. The men who grow the tobacco—that is, the laborers in the field—get ten to 12 cents a day and the men who make the cigars get from 13 to 20 cents a day—both classes boarding and lodging themselves. Nice-looking stogies are manufactured in Madras and sold at wholesale for 55 cents a thousand.

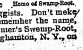
DO YOU GET UP WITH A LAME BACK?

Kidney Trouble Makes You Miserable.

Almost everybody who reads the newspapers is sure to know of the wonderful cures made by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy.

It is the great medical triumph of the nineteenth century; discovered after years of scientific research by Dr. Kilmer, the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is wonderfully successful in promptly curing lame back, uric acid, catarrh of the bladder and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root is not recommended for everything but if you have kidney, liver or bladder trouble it will be found just the remedy you need. It has been tested in so many ways, in hospital work and in private practice, and has proved so successful in every case that a special arrangement has been made by which all readers of this paper, who have not already tried it, may have a sample bottle sent free by mail, also a book telling more about Swamp-Root, and how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. When writing mention reading this generous offer in this paper and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles are sold by all good druggists. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



Home of Swamp-Root.

Life and Literature.

In the household department of a farm magazine we find the following communication:

"I am willing to exchange a well preserved copy of Browning's poems for some geraniums.

"I have a complete edition of Byron, containing all his poems and letters, which I will be glad to exchange for some watermelon seeds."

Saying "Hello" to Heart Throbs.

"It is a curious thing," said a prominent lecturer recently, "how some books have a strong radiating personality, so that you feel like saying 'Howdy' every time you come across them. Last Christmas I visited friends back at the old home on the farm. When the supper dishes had been put away, the chores done and the evening lamp lighted we gathered beside the organ for a good old-fashioned 'sing.' On the center table were strewn the Christmas remembrances taken from Christmas tree on the evening before. Glancing over them I suddenly exclaimed 'Hello! my good friend, Hello!' and as the others looked up with surprise, I picked up a copy of 'Heart Throbs' and read to them from its pages the 'piece' I spoke in school 40 years ago.

"That was enough to set in motion the friendly entertaining spirit of Heart Throbs, and the music was forgotten as we took turns reading the humorous and pathetic bits of prose and verse that have been preserved in this wonderful volume. Some books have great literary value, some have historical significance, but Heart Throbs is the only book I know that slaps you on the back in a friendly sort of way, suiting itself to your moods and proving faithful to every emotion. Next to my love of the Bible I love Heart Throbs. It is the most notable book of the times."

HOW TO WIN BATTLES.

Men Who Hit What They Shoot at Are the Determining Factor in War.

Other things being equal, good shooting is the determining factor in war. Poorly drilled and hastily organized bodies of men can give a good account of themselves if they know how to shoot and hit what they shoot at.

In our war for independence, says Army and Navy Life, the colonists were woodsmen. They carried and used their arms to supply their homes with food and to protect them from the savage. As marksmen they vastly outclassed the British, and that more than anything else gave Washington the final victory.

Again in our great Civil war, mark the effect of a general knowledge of firearms. In the South were sporting people; they were fond of riding and hunting, shooting at target and at game entered into their sports and pastimes. The North was commercial. Its men knew little or nothing of firearms, save the flintlocks of their grandfathers, objects of curiosity in their shops or homes, except in the far West, where the life of 1776 was still being lived. The result was that in the East the Southern troops were generally victorious for a couple of years until the Northern troops learned to shoot. What little success the North had was in the West, where they had little better than a stand-off.

PLEASANT SUMMER.

Right Food the Cause.

A Wis. woman says:

"I was run down and weak, troubled with nervousness and headache for the last six years. The least excitement would make me nervous and cause severe headache.

"This summer I have been eating Grape-Nuts regularly and feel better than for the six past years.

"I am not troubled with headache and nervousness, and weigh more than I ever have before in my life. I gained 5 lbs. in one week."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. [illegible]

Not Improbable.

"I understand in France a fine is imposed when a train is late."

"Do you believe they fine the train?"

"As to that I can't say. I know they always dock the boats."

The Reward of Virtue.

Magistrate (to prisoner)—It's some time since I saw you here.

Prisoner (virtuously)—Yes, sir; I've been quiet an' law-abidin' since the last time I was up before you, and that wer' 'bout six months ago.

Magistrate—Ah, yes. I remember, I gave you six months for stealing a ham. It's a year this time.

The Swan Song.

"The nature fake," said Dr. William J. Long, "is always harmful. A striking instance of this occurred not long since at a Zoo.

"You know the old nature fake about the swan—how this beautiful bird, silent all its days, bursts when dying into the sweetest song?

"Well, at a Zoo one day, a keeper saw a boy steal up behind a swan with a brick in his hand.

"'Here,' said the keeper, 'what are you going to do there?'

"'Ah, lemme alone,' snarled the boy, 'I wanter hear him sing.'"

Will It Come to This?

It was a bright Sunday morning in 1917. "John," called the impatient woman at the foot of the stairway, "please come on down. I have been waiting two hours for you to dress."

"Keep on waiting, Martha," shouted the gleeful husband, "you didn't think anything of making me wait for you to dress ten years ago! I told you then that men would some day wear shirt waists that button at the back and get even. Revenge is sweet."

TO PRETENDERS.

A Wholesome Word for Guidance.

Just a word to you, "Collier's" and other glaring examples of Modern Yellow Journalism and Cigarettes.

Environment gives you a view-point from which it is difficult to understand that some people even nowadays act from motives of old fashioned honesty.

There are honest makers of foods and healthful beverages and there are honest people who use them.

Perhaps you are trained to believe there is no honesty in this world. There is, although you may not be of a kind to understand it.

Some of you have been trained in a sorry class of pretenders, but your training does not taint the old fashioned person trained without knowledge of pretense and deceit.

These letters came to us absolutely without solicitation. We have a great many thousand from people who have been helped or entirely healed by following the suggestions to quit the food or drink which may be causing the physical complaints and change to Postum Coffee or Grape-Nuts food.

You are not intelligent enough to know the technical reasons why the change makes a change in the cells of the body. Your knowledge, or lack of knowledge, makes not the slightest difference in the facts.

You can print from old and worn plates all the cheap books your presses will produce and sell them as best you can, but such acts and your "learned" editorials are but commercial, and seek only "dollars" and much by pretence.

When you branch out into food values you become only ridiculous.

Stick to what you know. The field may be small but it is safe.

This first letter is from the President of the "Christian Nation", a worthy Christian paper of New York.

New York, Oct. 2, 1907.

Postum Cereal Co., Ltd.,
Battle Creek, Mich.

Dear Sirs:

I am, this morning, in receipt of the enclosed mighty good letter from one of my subscribers, which I forward to you, and which I am sure you will be glad to use. I am personally acquainted with this lady, and know that she has no object in writing, other than to do good.

Cordially,
John W. Pritchard, Pres.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 1, 1907.

Dear Mr. Pritchard:

Noticing Postum Food Coffee advertised each week in your reliable paper, I concluded to try it, and feeling it a duty towards those who may have suffered as I have from indigestion, desire to state what wonderful benefit I have received from Postum although using only a short time, and not do. I alone realize and appreciate its good effects, but friends remark, "How much I have improved and how well I look", and I tell the facts about Postum every time, for since using it I have not had one attack of indigestion; it is invigorating, healthful; does not affect the nerves as ordinary coffee, and if properly made, a most delicious drink. Although I have not had much faith in general advertising, yet, finding Postum has done so much better for me than I expected I am more inclined to "Prove all things, hold fast that which is good." I am so thankful for good health that I want it known what a blessing Postum has been to me. You may use these few lines as an ad. if you so desire and my name also.

Very truly yours,
Anna S. Reeves.

275 McDonough St., Brooklyn.

Coffee hurt her, she quit and used Postum. She didn't attempt to analyze but she enjoyed the results. Underneath it all "There's a Reason."

POSTUM CEREAL CO., LTD.

THE VALUE OF DURUM WHEAT AS AMERICAN PRODUCT

Acreage Devoted to Crop Increasing Each Year—By. J. A. Le Clerc, of Bureau of Chemistry.

The growing importance of durum wheat in this country, as shown by the ever-increasing acreage devoted to its culture (the season of 1906 yielding a crop of over 50,000,000 bushels), makes this kind of wheat a profitable subject of investigation. When one considers that it is only since 1899 that any systematic attempt has been made to propagate this valuable crop in the United States, the value of the investigation to our agricultural interests is evident.

Durum wheat (Triticum durum, in contradistinction to Triticum vulgare, under which name ordinary spring and winter wheats are known) is grown extensively in Russia, Algeria, Italy and Spain. In this country it flourishes remarkably well in the great plains areas of the middle west, where the climate is hot and dry, similar to that of those European countries whence this wheat was obtained.

Durum wheat is a hard, flinty, translucent grain, very rich in gluten and comparatively rich in sugars. The grain is long, and may be either dark or light in color, according to the variety and the conditions under which it is grown. It is somewhat poorer in gliadin than the best bread wheats. Like other good varieties of wheat, durum or hard wheat is one of the most nutritive and healthful of human foods, containing as it does protein and nonnitrogenous substances in almost the ideal ratio for maintaining the body in a normal condition, the gluten (protein) being used in repairing waste body tissue and the fat, starch, etc. (nonnitrogenous substances), furnishing the heat and energy required by the system. On account of its highly glutenous nature it is extensively used, especially in Italy and France, in the manufacture of macaroni, vermicelli and other edible pastes. For this reason it has been called "macaroni wheat." There is likewise a growing demand for durum wheat on the part of millers here and abroad, both for making straight durum flour and for mixing with the softer and less glutenous varieties in order to improve the quality of flour, making these wheats, therefore, valuable as bread wheats.

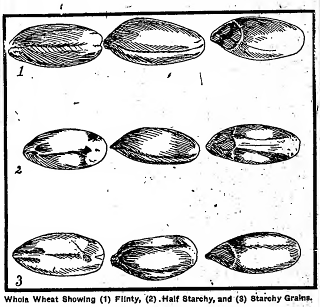
Prof. Shepard of South Dakota has recently issued a report on durum wheat, in which it is shown that Kubanka contains less bran than Red Fife, that more flour is made from Kubanka, and that the flour contains a larger amount of the proteid of the wheat than does flour made from northern spring wheat. Baking tests, however, show that spring wheat makes a larger loaf and contains a larger amount of gliadin in the gluten than is the case with Kubanka wheat. Taking it all in all, however, Prof. Shepard states that "for the yield, hardiness, flour yield, protein distribution, and the quality of both bread and macaroni, durum wheat, especially Kubanka, is to be recommended for general use."

Durum wheat grown in Algeria contains only from 8 to 10 per cent. of water. Common wheat grown in countries adapted thereto contains from 10 to 16 per cent. of water, according to the moisture of the atmosphere. The difference in the water content was sufficient to make the French officials investigate the advisability of buying wheat from dry-land regions, which wheats would contain less moisture, and thus not only a large saving would be made in the cost of transportation, but more wheat per bushel would be actually obtained.

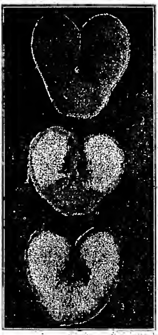
As climate is the great factor in influencing the composition of crops, and as we are powerless to change it in any way, it devolves upon us to make as wise a selection of our grains as possible, choosing those which are more apt to resist the unfavorable elements. Though we can not control rainfall, we are able in irrigated districts to determine how much water a crop shall receive by irrigation. As excessive irrigation tends to change the hard, flinty durum into a soft, mealy grain, thus robbing it of its most important physical characteristic, as well as lowering its nitrogen content below that of a true durum, it is important to carefully determine the amounts of water that should be given to a wheat crop and the times during the period of growth when it should be applied. This question is the subject of an investigation which is being conducted in cooperation with several of the western states where irrigation is practiced and facilities exist for irrigating with definite amounts of water at stated periods.

The photomicrographs shown represent cross sections of grain grown under dry-land farming and under irrigation. Fig. 1 represents a durum grown on land not irrigated, being flinty, hard, and translucent, and containing over 18 per cent. of protein. No. 2 is an intermediate grain, showing both the starchy and the flinty characteristics. No. 3 represents a grain from the same kind of seed as that which produced No. 1 and grown on adjacent land, but under excessive irrigation, the result being a soft, mealy, dull-looking grain, somewhat shorter than No. 1 and containing only 12 per cent. of protein. It has lost its durum characteristics entirely, and is no more suitable for making good macaroni than are soft wheats. Our other illustration is a drawing of an enlarged photograph of the whole wheat grains, and represents the same samples as are shown in the smaller picture showing the dark amber color of the flinty grain, No. 2 the intermediate sample, and No. 3 the light starchy grain.

In conclusion, it may be well to emphasize the fact that the countries which are the great buyers of wheat purchase generally on the basis of protein content, that is, on the basis of the weight per bushel and the weight per thousand grains, while in some localities wheats are bought on the basis of the chemical analysis itself. It is therefore of the utmost importance, in order to retain our foreign markets and maintain our commercial supremacy and national reputation as producers of high-grade wheat, that the closest attention be paid not only to the production of high-yielding wheats, but also to the cultivation of varieties having a high protein content, with a view to growing wheats which combine these two characteristics—high gluten content and large yields.



Whole Wheat Showing (1) Flinty, (2) Half Starchy, and (3) Starchy Grains.



PHOTOMICROGRAPHS OF CROSS SECTIONS OF WHEAT GROWN UNDER VARYING CONDITIONS.

(1.—Flinty wheat grain grown under dry farming. 2.—Half-starchy wheat grain. 3.—Starchy wheat grain grown under excessive irrigation.)

Remember.—The beginner should remember that starting with a flock of dunghills is like cutting a tree with a dull ax. Thoroughbreds pay when cared for.

TIED TO A CHAIR.

Unable to Move About On Account of Kidney Troubles.

Mrs. Anna Beebe, River and Monroe Sts., Anoka, Minn., says: "I had to sit in a chair day after day unable to move about on account of rheumatic pains in my back, hips and legs. I was short of breath and my heart would flutter, after the least exertion. I had dizzy spells and bearing down pains and the kidney secretions were much disordered. I thought I would not live long, but since using Doan's Kidney Pills I am a different woman, can do my own work and have no fear of those troubles returning."

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The Master of the House.

Wife—My husband did not come home at all last night.

Maid—Have you looked under the bed?

FITS, St. Vitus Dance and all Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for Free $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ld., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Wrong Idea.

Customer (at department store)—Where is your complaint department?

New Salesgirl—Complaint? Guess you've come to the wrong place, mister. This ain't no hospital.

HIDES, PELTS AND WOOL.

To get full value, ship to the old reliable N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Even a kleptomaniac may take the cake—in a bakery.

You never will find faith by running away from facts.

Time Was Money.

A clergyman not long ago received the following notice regarding a marriage that was to take place at the parish house:

"This is to give you notis that I and Miss Jemima Arabella Brearly is comin' to your church on Saturday afternoon nex' to undergo the operation of matrimony at your hands. Please be prom, as the cab is hired by the hour."

Wrath Averted.

The magistrate looked severely at the chauffeur.

"That makes two people you've killed in my jurisdiction," he said.

"Besides five crippled," suggested the chauffeur. "Why, that's a peach of a machine. They just can't get away from it."

"What did you say the make was?" inquired the magistrate, who liked an occasional spin himself.

Blessed Are the Peacemakers.

The Wife—Where did you get all these terrible bruises?

The Husband—Oh, at the peace demonstration!

"SQUARE DEAL" RUBBER BOOTS are serviceable. If your dealer does not have them, apply to Goodyear Rubber Co., St. Paul, Minn.

Time sometimes works rapid changes. That word "affinity," which went into 1907 looking like a lily, will emerge the complexion of soft coal.

Some men imagine they are decent because they wear a clean collar every day.

Some men keep their religion locked in a safe deposit vault six days of the week.

CREAM OF OIL

is the best kerosene, and does not smoke the chimney. Nor char the wick. Try it.

No great men needs a brass band to herald his coming.

Habitual Constipation

May be permanently overcome by proper personal efforts with the assistance of the one truly beneficial laxative remedy, Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, which enables one to form regular habits daily so that assistance to nature may be gradually dispensed with when no longer needed as the best of remedies, when required, are to assist nature and not to supplant the natural functions, which must depend ultimately upon proper nourishment, proper efforts, and right living generally. To get its beneficial effects, always buy the genuine

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WESTERN CANADA

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160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Some of the choicest lands in the grain growing belts of Saskatchewan and Alberta have recently been opened for settlement under the Revised Homestead Regulations of Canada. Thousands of homesteads of 160 acres each are now available. The new regulations make it possible for entry to be made by proxy, the opportunity that many in the United States have been waiting for. Any member of a family may make entry for any other member of the family, who may be entitled to make entry for himself or herself. Entry may now be made before the Agent or Sub-Agent of the District by proxy, (on certain conditions) by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

"Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the North-West Provinces, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less."

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PAXTINE cleanses and heals mucous membrane affections, such as nasal catarrh, pelvic catarrh and inflammation caused by feminine ills; sore eyes, sore throat and mouth, by direct local treatment. Its curative power over these troubles is extraordinary and gives immediate relief. Thousands of women are using and recommending it every day. 50 cents at druggists or by mail. Remember, however, IT COSTS YOU NOTHING TO TRY IT. THE R. PAXTON CO., Boston, Mass.

STOP WOMAN AND CONSIDER

First, that almost every operation in our hospitals, performed upon women, becomes necessary because of neglect of such symptoms as Backache, Irregularities, Displacements, Pain in the Side, Dragging Sensations, Dizziness and Sleeplessness.

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Third, the great volume of unsolicited and grateful testimonials on file at the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., many of which are from time to time being published by special permission, give absolute evidence of the value of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Mrs. Pinkham's advice.

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For more than 30 years has been curing Female Complaints, such as Dragging Sensations, Weak Back, Falling and Displacements, Inflammation and Ulceration, and Organic Diseases, and it dissolves and expels Tumors at an early stage.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation to Women

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to write Mrs. Pinkham, Lynn, Mass. for advice. She is the Mrs. Pinkham who has been advising sick women free of charge for more than twenty years, and before that she assisted her mother-in-law, Lydia E. Pinkham in advising. Thus she is especially well qualified to guide sick women back to health. Write today, don't wait until too late.

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$10,000 Bond Deposited with State of North Dakota.

Not Complimentary.

Miss Knox—Yes, he said you reminded him of his watch.

Miss Gabbie—Ah! I suppose that's his way of paying me a compliment.

Miss Knox—I don't think so, dear. He merely remarked, in explanation, that his watch was an "open face."

$100 Reward, $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Wise is the man who can distinguish between a woman's laugh of amusement and the one intended to show off a dimple.

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A substitute for and superior to mustard or any other plaster, and will not blister the most delicate skin. The pain-allaying and curative qualities of the article are wonderful. It will stop the toothache at once, and relieve Headache and Sciatica. We recommend it as the best and safest external counter-irritant known, also as an external remedy for pains in the chest and stomach and all Rheumatic, Neuralgic and Gouty complaints. A trial will prove what we claim for it, and it will be found to be invaluable in the household and for children. Once used no family will be without it. Many people say "It is the best of all your preparations." Accept no preparation of vaseline unless the same carries our label, as otherwise it is not genuine.

Send your address and we will mail our Vaseline Booklet describing our preparations which will interest you.

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They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

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SAVE YOUR MONEY

Don't Send Your Money Away from Home with Panic Times So Near.

O. E. Naegele, president of the Germania bank, calls attention to one source of financial drain upon the northwest which he thinks should be taken into consideration and a remedy applied. "In this remarkable situation," he said, "when everybody is prosperous and there is not enough currency to go round it is important that every dollar possible should be kept at home until the banking business is again on a cash basis. In the cities this is being done with a good degree of success, and the clearinghouse certificates and cashier's checks prevent a serious embarassment. But out in the country, where there are no clearinghouses, every dollar hoarded or sent away from home counts double.

"At this time the patronage of the foreign catalog houses is a factor that ought to be considered seriously. By their own reports two of these catalog houses located at Chicago, which deal in almost every commodity of use to the home or farm, do a business of $90,000,000 a year. This is $300,000 for each of the six business days of the week. This money comes largely out of the country towns within a radius of 1,000 miles of Chicago. These catalog houses do not sell to Chicago people. It is from the farmers and residents of towns of less than 5,000 population that 95 per cent of their business comes and at least a third of it is from the northwest. And remember, too, that there are other catalog houses and that the combined business done by them is at least $200,000,000 annually.

"I am informed that all through the state of Minnesota this competition of the foreign catalog houses has been very seriously felt by the merchants of small towns, to such an extent that some have been driven out of business entirely.

If this had been the case during the great prosperity of recent years when money was circulated freely, what must the effect be now when the currency is needed at home? Money spent with the local merchant is disbursed in the locality, at least the profits on his business are, but money sent to Chicago is lost from local circulation.

"Without going into the home trade question, it seems plain to me that those who buy from a foreign catalog house at this time are directly injuring themsolves, for this question of keeping money in home circulation involves people of all conditions".—Minneapolis Journal.

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Hamm's fulfills every requirement of a perfect beer.

It "Leads Them All."

Order the "New Brew."

Hamm's

BRAY.

It looks as if the farmers will not have a chance to plow any more this fall the way the "weather man" is cutting up things.

Chas. Lindquist drove to the Saintly city on Monday.

A large amount of work has been done lately on the roads in this neighborhood and if the township keeps it up for a couple of years more it is a safe bet that we will have as good roads as they have any where in the county.

Miss Hannah Johnson left for Crookston last Monday.

John Bugge of Numedal finished threshing at Mike Ault's last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Solum accompanied by Miss Hannah Solum Arthur Melin and Henry Nelson of Polk Centre were in Bray last Sunday.

Swan Scholin took a bunch of cattle to St. Hilaire Saturday which he sold at that place.

You can't beat Minnesota, no matter how you try. Just look at the nice weather we are having this time of the year.

Chas. Englund and Geo. Swanson transacted business at the Saintly City Saturday.

Among the Brayites who went to Wylie last Wednesday were Ernest Akerlund, Ralph Longair and Pete Johnson.

Everybody is now busy preparing themselves for the coming season which might swoop down upon us anytime.

O. P. Johnson drove to Wylie Tuesday.

The Bray creamery station takes the cream once a week to the St. Hilaire creamery now on account of the cooler weather.

Richard Melin of Polk Center was in Bray last Saturday.

Emil Larson transacted business at the county hub Saturday.

Talking about that the "deer season" is now open, but judging by the number of top buggies coming and going in the different directions it seems that the "dear season" must also be open. But wait boys another month and a half and the "dears" will be hunting for you. Many a woman has been known to be a better shot than lots of men so here's hoping that many of the bachelors may be hit with an arrow or twa.

The Actual Great Divide.

A certain ridge of the Rocky mountains has always been known as the backbone of our continent. Where railroads cross this ridge signs are put up to let the passengers know that they are crossing the "great divide," from which point water flows in two directions. On the east it runs down and eventually joins the tributaries of the Mississippi, flowing thence to the gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic ocean. On the west of these posts the water flows into the tributories of the Columbia river and later finds its way to the Pacific ocean.—New York Herald.

ENTERTAIN CROWD

Northwestern Minnesota Educators Met at Crookston Last Week.

The attendance at the convention of the northwestern Minnesota teachers held at Crookston last Thursday and Friday was the largest in the history of the association and upwards of three hundred instructors of the young ideas and members of the board of education were present to embibe to the fullest extent the unswerving truths of personal observation as disclosed by the address of Dr. George F. James, of the University of Minnesota, and the lectures and discussions of the several others who took part in the exercises.

The exhibits from the schools throughout the district were many and those displayed by Red Lake county caught the eye of all those present and elicited many words of praise from every lip. Much interest had been manifest in the work by the scholars and much time and attention was given to the arrangement of the display by County Superintendent H. T. McAaulty, who has the advancement of the schools under his supervision at heart and takes pride in the work done by their pupils thereof.

The attendance from the district brought forth all instructors who could possibly get away, and the election of officers resulted in the choice of our city superintendent E. W. Chamberlain, for president; Supt. Ingmar Boraas, of Ada, for vice-president, and Miss Elizabeth Sadley, of Crookston, for secretary and treasurer. The convention closed Friday evening a pronounced success and proved an occasion long to be remembered by those in attendance.

Hunting a Hatpin.

Did you ever hunt for a hatpin in a dusty country road when the young woman who lost the pin does not know exactly where it dropped out of the carriage? It is great sport. There were three other parties in the carriage who did not return to hunt for the pin, but left the young woman and the young man to trail back over the road. The persons in the carriage suspected that the hatpin affair had been made up by the couple hunting for it and so did not interfere, which was very good of them. After strolling back a mile and a half, so that the occupants of the carriage were dimly visible in the distance, the hunters started to return. The party in the carriage then began to realize that there might be something in the story, after all. They drove back, and everybody began to hunt. The hatpin was of a dull gold hue. With their noses in the dust the hunters hunted. Fate led the girl who lost the pin to pick it up herself. Then the suspicions of the remainder of the party were again aroused. They actually believed that it was a put up job. How suspicious some people are!—Columbus Dispatch.

Squirrels Reared by a Cat.

Among the interesting things shown at a recent meeting of the Zoological society were two young specimens of the English squirrel which had almost entirely changed in color from the usual chestnut brown to a light drab, the ears and feet only showing traces of the original color. It was stated that the animals had been taken from a nest when very young and put in charge of a cat, which acted as foster mother and successfully reared them. It was suggested that this fact might have caused the color change.—St. James' Gazette.

Gems In Verse

OLD FAVORITES.

WHATEVER IS IS RIGHT.

KNOW thy own point: This kind, this due degree
Of blindness, weakness, heaven bestows on thee.
Submit: In this or any other sphere
Secure to be as blest as thou canst bear,
Safe in the hand of one disposing power,
Or in the natal or the mortal hour.
All nature is but art unknown to thee;
All chance, direction which thou canst not see;
All discord, harmony not understood;
All partial evil, universal good:
And, spite of pride, in erring reason's spite,
One truth is clear—whatever is is right.
—Alexander Pope.

THE WAY TO SHADOWTOWN.

SWAY to and fro in the twilight gray;
This is the ferry for Shadowtown.
It sails away at the end of the day
Just as the darkness closes round.

REST, little hand, on my shoulder—so;
A sleepy kiss is the only fare.
Drifting away from the world we go—
Baby and I in the rocking chair.

SEE, where the firelogs glow and spark,
Glitter the lights of Shadowland.
The raining drops on the window—hark,
Are ripples lapping upon its strand.

THERE where a mirror is glancing dim
A lake lies shimmering, cool and still;
Blossoms are wavering o'er its brim—
Those over there on the window sill.

ROCK slow, more slow, in the dusky light,
Silently lower the anchor down.
Dear little passenger say "Good night."
We've reached the harbor of Shadowtown.
—Eugene Field.

THE RULER OF THE QUEEN'S NAVEE.

WHEN I was a lad I served a term
As office boy to an attorney's firm.
I cleaned the windows and swept the floor,
And I polished up the handle of the big front door.
I polished up the handle so care-ful-lee
That now I am the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

As office boy I made such a mark
That they gave me the post of junior clerk.
I served the writs with a smile so bland,
And I copied all the letters in a big round hand.
I copied all the letters in a hand so free,
And now I am the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

In serving writs I made such a name
That an articled clerk I soon became.
I wore clean collars and a brand new suit
For the pass examination at the Institute.
And that pass examination did so well for me
That now I am the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

Of legal knowledge I acquired such a grip
That they took me into the partnership.
And that junior partnership, I ween,
Was the only ship that I ever had seen,
But that kind of ship so suited me
That now I am the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

I grew so rich that I was sent
By a pocket borough into parliament.
I always voted at my party's call,
And I never thought of thinking for myself at all.
I thought so little they rewarded me
By making me the ruler of the queen's na-vee.

Now, landsmen all, whoever you may be,
If you want to rise to the top of the tree;
If your soul isn't fettered to an office stool,
Be careful to be guided by this golden rule—
Stick close to your desks and never go to sea,
And you may all be rulers of the queen's na-vee.
—William S. Gilbert.

HIGHLAND MARY.

YE banks and braes and streams around
The castle o' Montgomery,
Green be your woods and fair your flowers,
Your waters never drumlie!
There simmer first unfauld her robes
And there the langest tarry,
For there I took the last fareweel,
O' my sweet Highland Mary.

How sweetly bloomed the gay green birk,
How rich the hawthorn's blossom,
As underneath their fragrant shade
I clasped her to my bosom!
The golden hours on angel wings
Flew o'er me and my dearie,
For dear to me as light and life
Was my sweet Highland Mary.

Wi' mony a vow and locked embrace,
Our parting was fu' tender,
And, pledging aft to meet again,
We tore oursels asunder,
But, oh, fell Death's untimely frost,
That nipped my flower sae early!
Now green's the sod and cauld's the clay
That wraps my Highland Mary!

Oh, pale, pale now those rosy lips
I aft ha'e kissed sae fondly,
And closed for aye the sparkling glance
That dwalt on me sae kindly,
And moldering now in silent dust
That heart that lo'ed me dearly,
But still within my bosom's core
Shall live my Highland Mary!
—Robert Burns.

TWO SHIPS.

TWO ships of war met on the sea,
And each had sailors brave and free,
And the sun on high was shining.

But it was plain they were enemies,
For a shot from each boomed on the breeze,
While the sun on high was shining.

They roared and charged and hacked and swerved.
Each gave the other what he deserved,
And the sun on high was shining.

They shelled each other an hour or so,
And then they suddenly went below!
Yet the sun on high was shining!

And no one knew which ship had won!
And neither knew where the other had gone!
But the sun on high was shining.
—Unidentified.

TO A NEWBORN.

THERE, on thy nurse's lap, a newborn child
We saw thee weep while all around thee smiled.
So live that, sinking in thy last long sleep,
Thou still mayst smile while all around thee weep.
—Sir William Jones.

A Boston schoolboy was tall, weak and sickly.

His arms were soft and flabby. He didn't have a strong muscle in his entire body.

The physician who had attended the family for thirty years prescribed *Scott's Emulsion.*

NOW:

To feel that boy's arm you would think he was apprenticed to a blacksmith.

ALL DRUGGISTS: 50c. AND $1.00.

LANPHER FUR COATS

We have on display an elegant new line of Lanpher, Skinner & Co.'s North Star Furs and would be pleased to have you call when in need of anything in this line.

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H. O. Gjerberg, the popular Red Lake Falls tailor, has charge of our clothing department and will carefully look after your needs in this line.

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Red Lake Falls

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Sweet, Pure and Wholesome

"IT'S ALL THE WHEAT That's fit to Eat"

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Absolutely Pure

EVER TIE A TIN CAN TO A DOG'S TAIL AND SEE HIM GIT ? ? ? ? ? ?

There are no tin cans on the

'B. B.' and 'Lead' Cigars

but they are good goers just the same. QUALITY is what make them so popular. Made at home by the Brunelles.

Monarch
MALLEABLE
The "Stay Satisfactory" Range

When Preparing for Winter

the best stove will burn fuel fast enough, but the best fuel saver is the FAVORITE BASE BURNER, with three flues. This is something new and has proven a bonanza for the consumer.

Air-tights from $1.50 up

TRY A MONARCH MALLEABLE RANGE and be convinced you have the best stove on the market.

G. A. KANKEL
HARDWARE

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DO SHOPPING NOW

Christmas Only a Few Weeks Away—Do Shopping Early.

Less than three weeks remain before Christmas and the business men of Red Lake Falls are again facing the problem of inducing their customers to commence doing their Christmas shopping early so as to avoid the rush and endless annoyance that always result in eleventh-hour shopping. The business men have done their part to facilitate early shopping by getting their stock of holiday goods in ample time and every store is now prepered for Christmas business and have practically their full stock of Christmas goods on display. The request that the people do their shopping early is not a selfish one. As a matter of fact the shoppers are benefitted far more than the merchants, for if they begin to do their shopping now they have the full line to select from and moreover, ample time in which to make their selections. They will also avoid the hurry and jostling crowds that are always wearing and annoying and always in evidence during the last two weeks before Christmas. Shopping for Christmas always requires more time than necessary to make any other purchases. Few know what they want, and still fewer want to buy before they have seen everything shown in the lines of Christmas goods at the various stores. This inspection requires a vast amount of time and to derive the full benefit should be performed without haste. The clerks also then have more time and are able to give them uninterrupted attention, a thing that is impossible in the rush of the last two weeks.

And then as a final inducement and in order to give their patrons a real Christmas gift our merchants have set aside Saturday, December 21st, as a Christmas Shoppers' Day. At this time some special bargains will be offered and at prices that will cause you no hardship to make your friends a handsome Christmas present. No toys or holiday goods will be carried over if it is possible to dispose of them, and upon the 21st inst some rare bargains will be offered. Do your shopping as early as possible, and then on the 21st complete your purchases. Upon this date we hope to see the town crowded with Christmas shoppers. This will not only be a Shoppers' and Market Day, but Everybody's Day, so come and help swell the crowd and participate in the bargain offerings.

DAIRYMEN TO MEET

The Dairymen of Red Lake County will Meet at this Place the 21st.

A meeting of the dairymen of Red Lake and surrounding counties will be held in Red Lake Falls on Saturday, the 21st, at which time men prominent in the work will be present and address the assemblage. A fine program is being prepared and the care of the cow and cream, as well as the methods of manufacturing butter will be discussed. It is the desire of the association to receive as well as impart information, and the meeting will be one of general discussion. Every dairymen and farmer in the community is cordially invited to attend the meeting. The program and particulars as to the hour of meeting will be announced later.

Paving of Steel.

There is a section of the streets of Paris where steel paving blocks are being laid as an experiment. It is claimed that an advantage will be a uniform surface of great wearing resistance. New inventions are being perfected every day, but it is a question if anything will ever be manufactured that will equal golden grain belt beer in food value and tonic properties, or supplant it in favor as a home beverage. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Axel Thompson. Crookston.

FINE MUSICAL FEST

The Band Concert Last Tuesday Evening a Great Social Success.

That the people of Red Lake Falls appreciate the efforts of the band go without saying, for at the concert last Tuesday evening the attendance was unusually large and the affair proved a great success, both socially and financially. The boys were at their best and the selections rendered were well received and highly appreciated. Clement Brunelle proved himself a master cornet soloist in the rendition of the polka "Culver," while the cornet duet by Messrs. Brunelle and Freund was per excellent. Mrs. E. F. Marshall favored the audience with the beautiful solo, "For All Eternity," which was well received. The high school chorus sang a couple national airs, while "Young America" was very ably rendered by the junior band. This organization is progressing very nicely under the direction of H. G. Maxwell, who also has charge of the music training department in our public schools. These little lads readily take to band music and are quick to learn, and the big band will soon have plenty of able materiel with which to fill any vacancy that might occur in their ranks. It is from a junior the band master grew, and who is there that would not like to be a master musician?

These concerts are not only helpful to those who attend them, but to those who take part in the program it gives encouragement and stimulates a desire upon their part to become perfect. The attendance at this concert was exceedingly good and the band boys highly appreciate the interest the citizens manifest in their efforts to entertain. The next concert will be given during the holidays and the program will consist mostly of new music appropriate to the occasion. The date and program will be announced later.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

THE BIG STORE

Last Call for Cloaks

We have about 30 Ladies' Cloaks that we will close out a big reduction. Ladies' 50 in. long black broadcloth coats, braid trimming around collar,

$4.25

Ladies' heavy Kersey coats, Palmer make, 50 in., regular $15 coats, now

$9.90

Misses Cloaks will go at 20 per cent.

REDUCTIONS:

$4.00 Cloaks at $3.20—$5.00 Cloaks at $4.00

New Neckwear—50 dozen of new neckwear just arrived. All the latest things of the season, the swellest styles ever showed here.

Come in and look over our line of hand burnt leather goods in Wall Pieces, Pillows, Doilies, Purses, etc.—as swell goods as you will see anywhere. Japanese hand drawn work in dresser pieces, center pieces, doilies, table squares, etc,—the latest goods at the lowest prices.

We expect our line of Christmas China goods, decorated ware, Haviland, Japanese China, books, bric-a-bracs, etc., this week. Don't buy before you see our line.

As usual, our stock will surpass in quantity and quality anything shown by anybody else. We will as usual be headquaters.

Remember it pays to trade at Red Lake Falls' best store.

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CAUSE MANY FIRES

State Fire Marshal Peterson Calls Attention to a Few Facts.

Edward Peterson, state fire marshal, has issued a bulletin making suggestions for preventing fires. He says: "The amount of wealth which disappears from the state annualy because of carelessness with fire dangers is more then $3,000,000. The most important single source of loss is the defective flue, the word flue being used to indicate the stovepipe and chimney taken together. The fire waste from inattention to stovepipes and chimneys exceeds $200.000 a year. Three fourths of this amount would be saved if the occupant of each house would now, before the weather requires heaters to be crowded, inspect chimneys and stovepipes. Fires from defective chimneys, usually being in the attic, get a good start in the dryest of wood before the alarm is raised. Attics being difficult of access to one with a water bucket the fire is likely to get beyond control.

"The settling of a chimney foundation may open a crevice between the bricks or stones, so that sparks can escape. Sometimes a new chimney in setting forms a crack because one side of it is held by floor timbers. A chimney built up from joists or a bracket is always a source of danger because of the liability of cracks from springing of the timbers Chimneys so built often have as their base a plank and heat is a layer of mortar on it. Many fires result from this practise.

"A stovepipe must be cleaned. Jarring the soot out is not enough; a scraper should be used inside it to remove scales. Then it should be inspected, section by section, for rust holes which might permit sparks to fly outward instead of upward. A stovepipe should not pass where it cannot be seen, as through a lath and plaster partition, or through an attic or unused room, because openings in it may occur from rust or parting of a seam or joint. An elbow in a stovepipe lessens the liability of particles of kindling or fuel being drawn from the chimney top and alighting still red hot on the shingles."

Pointed Paragraphs.

Chicago News: Wise is he who knows when not to be patient.

Most men with swelled heads wear awful small hats.

There is mighty little poetry in the life of a poet's wife.

A man seldom gets more than a dime for a hard-luck story.

Even a stingy man opens up when it comes to giving advise.

It's hard for most of us to be good when we have a chance not to.

Chronic kickers keep hammering away until they finally knock themselves out.

Some one asks what becomes of all bad actors. Read the answer in the stars.

No matter how much a man dislikes a creditor, he is apt to ask him to call again.

We always feel sorry for a naturally talkative woman who has an impediment in her speech.

A man may think he is having a good time when he is killing time, but sooner or later time will get even by killing him.

COAL AT FOSSTON

Workmen Dig It from a Depth of Twenty-six Feet.

The importance of a discovery made a few days ago within a short distance of the business center of Fosston can only be imagined, says the Thirteen Towns. The fact remains that coal was actually dug from the ground at the depth of about 26 feet by Messrs. Canfield and Johnson while engaged in excavating a new well for John Vig on his residence property, Harrison avenue.

Mr. Nig is mysteriously reserved in regard to the surprising find but admits that coal was dug from the well as stated above and to verify his assertion has shown a piece of it measuring about twelve inches long and five or six inches in diameter. It is not of a kind ever brought into this locality and the truthfulness of the workmen and the owner of the ground cannot be questioned. It was taken from the earth close to where the clay overlays the quicksand. How much more there may be in the ground about is unknown but the possibilities should the coal be found in quantities here can scarcely be estimated. Further investigations will undoubtedly be made but for the present the possessor of this miniature mine holds his own council.

"DADS" MUST PAY

Contract Obligations Cannot Be Evaded Because of Technicalities.

Boards of County Commissioners in Minnesota cannot escape paying contractors for the construction of drainage ditches on the technical ground that the ditches were not completed within the time first set by the county engineer. according to a recent decision filed by the United States circuit court of appeals. This ruling was established in a suit brought by the Interstate Drainage & Investment Co. against the board of county commissioners of Freeborn county. Inasmuch as drainage ditching is being carried on extensively in this section of the state the above legal decision will be of general interest here. Not infrequently, especially in cases where drainage ditches are necessarily constructed with scrapers, adverse weather conditions often make it impossible for the contractor to complete his contract within the time limit, no matter how desirous he may be to do so. In instances where every possible effort has been made by the contractor to faithfully perform his duty, it is not reasonable to subject him to penalty when the elements over which he has no control have thwart him in his work, and caused him measurable inconvenience with the landowners interested.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: Too many blondes spoil the bleach.

Whether a child is a little fiend or merely restless depends only on whether it is yours or somebody else's.

A woman can have a better time shopping without having any money than having money but not shopping.

The kind of unselfishness you usually find is when a man will eat a thing he hates because if he did'nt somebody who likes it could have it.

It's much more sensible for a woman to stop square in front of every mirror she meets than for a man to twist his neck off trying to look at himself and pretending he isn't.

Will give instructions in Crepe and Tissue decorations, each afternoon. Call at 3rd door north of Paul's hotel.

Mrs. Theo. LaBissoniere and daughter, Miss Erin, departed Tuesday evening for Denver, whither the former goes for her health. They were accompanied as far as Crookston by the genial Theo., who is now left to do his own cookin', eatin' and sleepin.'

RURAL ROUTE NO. 1

Service on the New Rural Route was Established on Monday, the 2nd.

The first delivery of mail on the new rural route was made Monday and the service promises to give satisfaction all along the line. The regular carrier has not as yet qualified and Lewis Mathews is making the delivery for the present, or until the carrier has qualified. Not only does the service give the rural citizen an opportunity to receive daily his paper and market report, but it put him in closer touch with the local merchant. Should he desire to do some shopping and not caring to take the time to come to town, or the weather inclement, he sends the molasses jug or kerosene can to town by the carrier and for the trouble a small fee is paid, but under no circumstances is the carrier allowed to carry passengers or parcels mailable without the required postage thereon.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council, held at the city hall, November 14, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called.

Alderman all present except Brady.

Minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

John Drier, fire warden, etc	$20 50
Fred Cyr, special police	2 50
Nils Lindquist, "	2 25
D W Drown, judge of election 3rd ward..................	8 60
P E Pirath, judge of election 1st ward...........	9 30
John Marleau, judge of election 1st ward	8 60
J P Harren, judge of election 2nd ward....................	6 55
Chas E Boughton, clerk of election 2nd ward	3 05
J W Bourdon, judge of election 3rd ward....................	5 05
V M Higinbotham, judge of election 3rd ward......... ...	4 80
Al Brunelle, clerk of election 3rd ward..................	2 80
John Deforge, for street work..	19 80
Simon Paul, jr. " ..	6 00
Nick Tabon, " ..	4 50
Julius Kuehl " ..	9 75
Fred Borchers, secy, services by B Lafreniere	3 00
Robertson Lbr Co, for lumber etc........................	144 96

An ordinance granting the Standard Oil company permission to erect and maintain its oil tanks, etc., on the Great Northern right of way, was introduced and passed its first reading.

The council proceeded to canvass the returns of the city election held on November 5th, 1907:

For mayor—J A Duffy received 105 votes and was declared elected.

For treasurer—O Emard received 97 votes and was declared elected.

For alderman at large—H Hennemuth received ninety-five votes; T A Crompe received ninety-five votes. H Hennemuth and T A Crompe were each declared elected.

For alderman 1st ward—Jos Remick received 37 votes, J J Padden received 35 votes; Jos Remick was declared elected.

For aldermen 2nd ward—Fred Borchers received 17 votes and was declared elected.

For alderman 3rd ward—Simon Paul received 27 votes, P B Gaass received 16 votes; Simon Paul was declared elected.

For justices of the peace—S A Swanson received 92 votes, A P Toupin received 92 votes; S A Swanson and A P Toupin were each declared elected.

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Borchers, president.

Approved this 20th day of November, A. D., 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. Toupin,
City Clerk.

Thief River Falls News: Frank Grady, the Red Lake Falls attorney was a vistor in town last Monday, having come for the purpose of getting witnesses for a case that came off in the district court Tuesday.

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HEALTH Calumet is made of the finest materials possible to select, and makes light, easily digested Bread, Biscuits or Pastry; therefore, it is recommended by leading physicians and chemists.

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RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Washington.

Ths first closs of cadets at the military scodsmy probsbly will be graduoted in January, fivs months eorlier thon the ordinory dats of graduatloo. Tbs closs this year nnmbers 110 meo, and thess msn are needed, it is understood, bacause of the many vacancies in ths llet of commandlag nfficers of the ermy.

Shipplog circles interested in the progress of work on river and herbor improvements aro lodglog petitions with tbe war dspartment against the retirement of officers identified with that class of work and who are up before tho general retirlog bosrd becauso they dld not taks ths efficiency horseback rido directed by President Roosevelt.

Peopls Talksd About.

J. C. Blako was found deod in bed et Cedar Falls, Iowo, from uremic poisoning.

Moncure D. Conwny, tbo distinguished American author, is dead in Paris. His deoth wns sudden and unexpected.

Col. John S. Coopor, for many yeers a prominent sttorney of Chicogo, is deod. He mode a brillient record in the Civil wor oad was oas of the organizers of tho Minnesota Netional park.

Willlom F. Shiebler, who received the first mesaago over tho Atlantic coble, sent to President Buchenan by Queen Victoria, died in Brooklyn. He also received the messago from the front onnouncing tbo foll of Richmond at the closo of tbe Civil war. Mr. Shiebler was sixty-five yeors old.

Casualty.

Theron Rowo, the three-year-old son of Chester Rowe, was drowned in ths creek near their home at Waterloo, Iowo.

Seventeen persons wers injured, nooo fotally, in a heod-on collision at tho entranco to the new terminal tunnel in Wosbiogton.

Simon Kerstetier's right hand was cut off in a corn shredder while hs wns feeding ths machine on the E. B. Foss form, near Waterloo, Iowa.

Fivo mon wers killsd, ona fotally injured aad a number seriouely injured os tbn result of tbe sxplosion of s boiler in a planiag mill st Gelmorton, Norfolk county, Va.

Pierced by a flying splinter which struck him in a vital spot, Micheel La Breche, an Ishpsming, Mich., man, is dead as the result of a powder explosion at e New Mexican mine, of which hs woe foreman.

Albort Wood, sn ice dealer at Ceder Falls, Iowa, drank a plat of carbolic ocid and died two hours thsreafter. Ho had been drinklog during ths dey and etepped into a livery barn to take somo wbisky and got ths bottls of poisoo by mistake.

In o heod-on collision between s freight traia and an engine at Steubenville, Ohio, one man wos instantly killed, two perhape fatally injured and two others seriously hurt. A misunderstoodiog on tho part of one of ths crews is sold to hovs besu responsible for tbs accident.

After heing given up for dead Herbert Smith of Detroit was rescued in the woods seven miles from camp, where be hnd followed a dser. His clothing was in shreds and he was almost dead from exposnrs and hunger. Another night would bavs been fetal.

A young msn, identity nnknown, lost bis life by drowning at Lake Rowland, ncar Houghton, Mich. With several frieads he started to cross Twin lokes, over which a coating of ice formed during the night. When nbout midway the ice gavs way and the victim ond another were thrown into tho water. Tbo companion was rescued.

Groco Stacs of Indspendence, Iowa, was hurned to death while lighting a firo in her home. To save a match, sho held a peper saturated with kerosene nvsr a lighted lamp. The fiames spread to her clothing and hair and sbe ran from the house a living torch. Her invalid mother was the only other occupant of the honse and was unable to give her daughtsr aid.

From Other Shores.

The police of Graysqnil, Ecnador, nrrested several persons auspected of plotting ngainst tbe government.

A dispatch from Tnlhoku, Island of Formosa, says thet a band of ontlawe belonging to the Aipou trihe attacked the government offices and killed ten persons. The rebels wsre disparsad with great loss of life.

The recent census taken in Havana shows that olty has a population of 299,208, being an increasa of 45,860 over the censns of 1899.

President Cnstro is again in ill health at Los Tekues, and is confinad much of the tlma to his bed. Senora Costro left Caracas last week to nurse her husbsnd.

A pastoral lettar has heen issned by Archbishop Bruchesi of Montreal absolutely forbidding tha marriage of Catholics with Protestants in the archbishop's district. This is based nn the recent encyclical issned by the pope

Gen. Bagdani, Chief of Sultan Abdel Aziz's army, has met and defeated the troops under the command of Mulai Rachid, commander of the forces of Mulai Hafig, sultan of the South.

News has been received at Santiago, Chile, that the British eteamer Hazel Branch, from the west coast nf South America for England, is a total wreck in the Straits of Magellan. She carried a valuable cargo of metals.

A dispatch from Bokhara, Central Asie, says thet two officials of the Bokhera treasury were ettacked in that city, mortally wounded end robbed of $60,000. The robbers were captured, bnt the money was not recovered.

A monntain near Montpelier, France, called Mont Bringoesz, 2,100 feet high, is changing its poeltion as a result of having been nndarmined by the recent floods. It already has moved a dietance of 1,200 feet, and is sweeping everything bsfore it.

Three anarchists were engaged in Lisbon in the dangerons occupation of making bombs whsn the meterial with which they were working exploded. Two of the men were killed ootright and the third man was arrested hefors he could gst away.

Ernest Thompson Seton, the author, who has returned to the United Statee from his exploretion trip of eeven monthe through Northwest Canada into the greet plains of the Arctic region, is very enthusiastic over thet part of Canada below the Arctic zone.

Crimss and Criminsls.

Worry over tha financial situation caused Oscer Nelson, a weelthy business man of Rockford, Ill., to commit euicide by inhaling illuminating gas at his home.

Two policemen were injnred by bricks, five men were arrested and a number of persone clnbbed as the result of e riotous dsmonstration mada by striking street car employes and their friends at Louisville.

Dr. Charles C. Kahler, who conducted a saloon of chiropody, committed suicide in New York by slitting his throat with ona of tha razor-like instruments he used in his bnsiness. Illness is said to have resulted in despondency.

Mrs. Erosa Lindsills, wife of a patrolman of Chicago and devotee of spiritualism, shot herself in the temple. She had told several friends of lets that voices from the epirit world hed told her to join them. Doctors say the wound may not prove fetal.

J. H. Fowlkes, a Donothan farmer, was mnrdered and robbed of $1,000 in an Iron Mountain box car on a siding et Popler Bluffs, Mo. His heed was booten to a pulp and the car, in which his household goods were being moved from Donothan to Newberne, Tenn., wes set on fire.

Mrs. Ruth McCracken, who lived in e feehioneble residence on Connecticut evenue in Washington and who, it is elleged, secnred goode from Washington merchants emounting to $12,000 by false preteneee and then disappeared, wee errested in Baltimore, together with hsr two daughters and a son.

Domestic.

The switchmen's union et Chicago withdrsw the demand upon the Western railroads for an increase of woges amounting to 6 cents an hour.

The suit arislog out of the sffort to consolidste the cities of Pittsburg and Allegheny hee been decided by the United States eupreme court in fevor of consolidstion.

Becense hie wife persisted, deeplte his continued remonstrances, in going through his pockets at night, Devid Walker of Lawrsncs, Mass., has been granted e divorce.

The generel cnmmittes of the Home Mission end Church Extension of the Metbodist Episcopel church eppropri-eted $48,425 for the work of the distribution among colored people.

Over $700,000 in gold was ehipped from Fairbanks, Aleska, esrly in the month, consigned to benks in Seattle. It is the largest shipment evsr made from Aleska in the winter.

Jndge Sullivan of the superior court at Spokane hes rendered a decision holding thet the Washington anti-cigarette law is invalid inasmnch as the body end title of ths act conflict.

The Repnblican convention which met at Juneen, Aleska, anthorized the new territorial central committee to prepere e call for a convention in May st Ketchikan to nominate a delegate to Washington.

The Pennsylvania raod will make extensivs tests with three huge electric motors which ere now at Franklinville, N. J. The enginee each weigh 97,000 pounds and are guaranteed to do 100 milee an hour.

Attaches of the Chicago detective hureau contrihuted several dollars to aid a woman in distrese recently. Carrying e one-year-old baby and leading another child, aha applied for assistance in finding her husband, who deserted her after bringing her from Nnrth Dakota. She hed nnly 5 cents left.

Appraisers hava been appointed to claesify and appraise the valna of the land of the Flathead Indian reservation in Northwestern Montana, npen to settlement. The Flathead Indian reservation contains npward of 1,000,000 acres, and it is now believed that it will be opened to settlement early next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore P. Shonts announce the engagement of their daughter, Theodora, to Duc de Chaulnes at de Picquiny of France, tha wedding to take place at their New York home in January.

State News of Interest

VAST AREA OF FERTILE LAND.

Drainsgs Will Reclaim Soil of Extreme Richness.

A. P. Meade, a membsr of ths reclemetion ssrvice of ths United States geological department, hss spsnt ths pest summer in chergs of the work which the government is cerrying on in Northern Minnesota. Hs hss been in cherge of e crew of men who hsve mede e complete survey of the ceded Indian lands in Northern Minneeote with a view of dreining thess lande. This work was done at the instigetion of Congreseman Steenerson of Crookston, and ths survey deta will be used by Mr. Steenerson in his campeign for federel aid in draining the swamp lsnds of the Northwsst, e meesure which he will push at ths next session of congress.

Mr. Mesde pssssd through Crookston recently en route to Beltimore, where hs will attend ths netioosl drainsge convention. Whils in Crookston he talked very interestingly ebout the work which hae heen done during the past two yesrs in Northern Minnesota. Ths snrvey wes started this yeer whsre it wes stopped in 1906, and they heve surveysd ell of the land ceded by the act of January, 1889. This covers an immenee tract or territory. It hegins et Rnseeu county on the west and extends to the Big Fork river and almost to Internetionel Falls on the east and north, and from ths Canedian boundery to Red leke.

Mr. Mesde reports thet thsre is a fell of 112 feet to the north between Red lake and the Lske of the Woods, and that on eccount of the meny rivers flowing north all of that north country can be very eesily and cheaply drained.

Hs found the mukkeg to be from three to four feet desp, and under thet he found e good eolid clay soil without psst. Hs reports thet ths land in the vicinity of America, Minn., is excsllent for reising celery and corn, end thst it is soms of ths most fertile land in the United Stetee.

Others who will go to ettend the netional drainsge convention et Baltimore ere George Ralph, etate drainege engineer, and Mr. Arpin, representative of the Northweet Dreinsge company.

VETERANS AND WIVES' HOME.

G. A. R. Women Erect Fifth Cottage at Anoka.

The home boerd of the Ledies of the G. A. R. of Minneeota hae completed a fifth cottage on their grounde et Anoka. The cottege wae built at a cost of ebout $2,800, and hes the prettiest sxterior of any. The front has e wide porch with cement floor and heavy pillers, enpported by cement blocks. It will be used eepeclelly as a hospital, being equipped with ell tha modern convsnlecee, eo thet the elck mey be given every ettention necessery. Mrs. A. T. Anderson nf Minneepolie, who is e member of the home bnsrd, wae very ective in planning end erranging the hospital, and it has been named for her. Mrs. Mery M. Bigelow of San Diego, Cal., is the matron in charge. The cottage contains elsvsn roome besidss the beth rooms, trunk roome and closets and linsn wardrobe. Evsry hit of eveilable epece has been ntilized and tha roome are very conveniently arrangsd. A lergs hall runs the length of the first floor, from which all othsr rooms open. The hall ie finished and frescoed in a beautiful reddish brown tint, whila the othsr rooms ere frescoed in ecru for the side walls, with cream cellings. The woodwork throughout ie birch and the floors are of the eame wood. The cottage is heeted by e fnrnace, has hot and cold weter and telephone. The basement is commodious and will be nsed as a laundry. All in ell, the cottage is a model of simplicity, beauty end convenience. The Ladies of the G. A. R. of Minnesota may justly bs proud of all their cottages. Anoka is the only piece in the state where this plan is being carried ont of providing homes for the old soldier and his wife when they become unable to care for themselves.

Big Land Deal Closed.

Willmar, Minn., Nov. 23. — A deal has been closed here whereby Charles N. Wood of Minneapolis became the owner nf all of section 28, township of St. Johns, this county, and J. E. Pulkrabek bacame the owner of aaven qnerter eections of land in Alberta, Can. The consideration paid by Mr. Wood was $45 an ecre, while Mr. Pulkrabek pail $17 per ecre for the Alberta land. Tha deal aggregated $50,000.

FIRM ROBBED OF $20,000.

Man Empinyad Sinca Last March ia Arrested.

New York, Nov. 23.—Jamea S. Haslam, manager and confidential man for Edey, Brown & Sanderson, bankers and brokers, was arreeted yesterday on a charge of larceny from his employers. Herbert F. Brown, a member of the banking firm, said that thefts aggregating $20,000 will be charged against Haslam. Haslam has been in the employ of the company only since March.

VAST GAIN IN BUTTER OUTPUT.

Minnesota Probably Will Make 100,000,000 Pounds This Year.

Minnesota buttermakers probably will produce mors than 100,000,000 pounds of bntter thie year, eccording to the estimste nf the state dairy and food depertment. While no definite figures ere to be had on the production so fer this year, it ie known thet there hes been e lsrge incrsase, so it is confidsntly expected thet when ths reports ars all in the total will be fully up to the estimete.

The establishment nf co-operetive cresmeries in thie etate has given the butter industry a great impetue. As far beck as in 1904 thsre were twenty-fivs countiee in the state which produced more than 1,000,000 pounds of butter in thnt yeer. Sscretary W. W. Well of ths commiesion has prepared the following report nn the growth of the industry:

"On Juns 16, 1890, the first co-operative cresmery in Minneeota was established et Clark's Grove, Fresborn county. On July 21, 1892, there were 265 creamerlee in our state, and only twelve nf thess were co-operetive. On March 1, 1894, our records ehow thet there were 253 creameries doing businese within our boundariee, being twslve lees than thsre wsrs in 1892; hut the number of co-operetive creameriee hed increased from 13 to 154, pleinly ehowing the evolution of the great industry In 1896 thers were 445 creemerles, of which 302 were co-operative. This is e good showing, as there were 148 more co-operetive creemeriee in 1896 than there wers in 1904.

"Taking the record of 1898 we find there were 551 creemerles in Minneeota, of which nnmber 419 were conducted on the co-operetive basie. This is e gain nf 117 in two years, showing the eteady growth of the co-operetive idee emong our fermers. The biennial psriod from 1898 to 1900 was not productive of eo large en increaee in the total number of creemeriee, there being only 582, but 30 more were operated than in 1898. The number opereted on the co-operetive basie increased from 419 to 438. During the two years from 1900 to 1902 onr crsameriee increeeed from 582 to 690, e gein of 108, and there wse e gein of 89 in the co-operetive clase.

"The hiennial nf 1904 givee the total number of creemerlee et 770, of which 572 were co-operative. In 1906 the total number of creemeriee reporting to this depsrtmsnt was 926, of which 719 were co-operative. The increaee in the production of creamery butter hae been quite phenomenai, as the following table proves:

Year.	Pounds.	Paid Patrons for Milk.
1900	44,007,933	$6,959,914,55
1902	63,726,808	10,941,466,88
1903	72,266,348	12,988,688,21
1904	74,455,459	12,994,460,55
1906	89,756,260	13,747,422,80

"With the addition of eome thirty-fivs new crsemeries in this state this yesr, end the everage increase in nntput by the old establiehed plents, it is confidently expected thet the total product of our crsamsries for 1907 will exceed 100,000,000 pounds. We are pleased to note thet the Minneeota creamsriee were ewerded the firet and second prizes at the recent netional dsiry ehow in Chicago, where the entries numbered 370 tubs in the competition. Our etate etands first in quelity, and et our rste of increase will soon lead in quantity. No better or more promising field is open to the industrioue home builder, and all will find a welcome to the North Star state."

DECREASE IN OUTPUT.

Rsport on Canneries in State Shows Falling Off.

According to tha report of August A. Anderson, inspector of canneries for the state dairy and food department, there was e large falling off in the outpnt of the canneries of the etate this year. One explanation given ie thet one of the companiee engaged in the business and operating four plants got into financial difficulties last winter and was unable to get matters edjusted in time to operate any of its plants thie year.

The total ontpnt of ell kinds during thie year was 4,842,450 cans, as compared with 6,392,700 in 1906. The largest increase was in pumpkina. The output this year was 160,200 cane, as compared with 10,000 last year. Corn showed a heevy loss, falling frnm from 5,455,000 cans last year to 2,988,450 this year. Peas ehowed a gain over lest year, the figures being 331,100 last year and 642,000 thie year. A loss in the ontput was shown in most of the other prodncts.

STATE NOT ENRICHED.

Gets but 35 Cents From Ona County Tax Sala.

State Treasurer C. C. Dinehart got a check recently for 35 cents, the state's share of the proceeds of a forfeitad tax sale held in McLeod county Nov. 1. This check has to be split np among the different state funds, so the revenue fund gets 14 cents, soldiers' relief [illegible] cents, funding tax fund 4 cents, general school fund 12 cents and general university fund [illegible] cents.

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Mrs. Frank White of Chaska is dead of consumption, aged 45 years.

Mrs. H. H. Eddy of Whitefield died et the ege of 76 years of heart failure.

The residence nf Ole Hange et Frost, ten milee eoutheast nf Blue Earth, was burned.

The Sundey echools of Cerver county held their annuel convention et Cheeka lest week.

A C. Smith of Perkers Prairie, charged with running a blind pig, entered a plea of guilty and paid e fine of $150.

E. O. Plummer, a bueineee man of Rochester, is deed et Albuquerque, N. M., where he euccumbed to coneumption.

Mrs. J. L. Atkineon and denghter and their gueet, Mrs. C. W. Aust of Supsrior, Wis., were serioualy injured in e runewey accident et St. Cloud.

Raymond Bailey, ths five-year-old son of C. E. Bailey of Little Fells, wes kicked in the ebouldsr and on the top of the heed by e horse and killsd.

The fire which destroyed the Murphy herdwere store et Forest Leke elso destroyed the meet merket of B. Hiller, who piecee hie loee at $3,000.

Michael Hewkine, e railrosd employe, wes caught bstween two cars in St. Peul and so bedly crushed that he died a few hours leter in a hospital.

A team ran ewey et Cambridge and Erick Norman nf North Cembridge was run over and eeriously injured. Five ribs wers broken on hie left elde.

Gustaf Beumann, aged fourteen yeere, was killed by a etray bullet from a rebbit hunter's gun in the woods nesr Beumann's home, north of Goodhue.

Cornelius Cene, eeventy-one yeers old and employed as a freight handler in the Minneeota Trenefer yards, et St. Paul, had his right foot cut off by a trsin.

J. E. Sullivan, a brakemen, was ceught between two traine in the Northern Pacific tunnel at St. Paul and ssriously crushsd. Hie injnries ere not fatal.

The State Benk of Holland, Pipestone county, was visited by burglars during the night. The eefe wes bedly ehettered, but they did not gain eccees to the money.

Frank Merkel, foreman at the Minnssota Transfer company'e derrick in St. Anthony Park, St. Peul, fell deed in the sheck thet houeee the gaeoline engine of the derrick.

Thomes O'Brisn, who wes indicted for running e blind pig et Parkers Prairie, pleeded guilty in the dietrict court et Fergus Felle, and Judge Baxter impoeed a fine of $100.

Aug. Grebau'e eon, fourteen years old, and a neighbor'e boy were out hunting neer Spring Valley when a gun wee eccidentally diecherged, killing young Grebau instantly.

Cept. Roeld Amundeen, discoverer nf the Northweet pasesge, Norwegian explorer, arrived in Minneapolie lest week and wes eccorded an enthuslestic welcome by 2,000 people at the union depot.

A speciel election wes held et Sherhurn to vote on a propoeition to purchese and operate the electric light plent. Although the isene creetsd much interest, municipal ownership feiled by 3 votes.

Charles Anderson, a eection foremen, while returning from a wedding celebretion et Darling with George Schimmerhorn on a hand cer, was run into by a paseenger train near Dsrling and instantly killed.

Bronlelava Mlynezask, the fonr-year old deughter of Alhert Mlynezek of Winona, hed her clothes eet on fire hy burning prairie grasa esst of the city end was eo horribly burned thet she died a few hours later.

Leo Jaater, the fnur-year-old son of Alex Jaster nf Melrose, fell into a tub of boiling water while his mother was doing the washing and was so severely scalded that he died after suffering for over twenty-four hours.

The atore of Mr. Johnson of Winnipeg Jnnction was entered by thieves, who gained entrance by emeehing the reer window. They secured $1.60 in emall change from the till. They also took several nvercoats.

The condition of Jndge Lovely of Alhert Lea is leee satisfactory to relatives than for eome weeks. He hee much trouble with his heart, especially if he undertakes exercise. His mind is not yet cleer, so that he can attend to businee to any extent.

An error in permitting two trains in the aame block ie nttributed as tha cause of a collision between the Rock Island and St. Paul road trains near the high bridge in St. Paul in which Henry T. Bohn, a brakeman, was bnrned to death and three freight cars were wrecked and then burned.

The city anthorities of Crookston have ordered tha opera honse closed because it does not comply with the state fire laws, and it is atated on good anthority thet it will never be opened as a theater nr public meeting hall again.

Filling a boiler on a stove with kerosene, which he mistook for weter and which afterward became ignited and exploded, an employe of the Hotel Fowlds in Fowlds, caused a fire which destroyed the hotel and nearly all of its contents, entailing a loss of more than $[illegible]000.

Mrs. Atherton's Views of Men and Women

Any woman can marry any man she wants.

We have fsvers for them that lest a few weeks, and then we become maternal and endure them. We women never love men as we imagine that we could love.

Conquests pall on a woman in sevsn years. In tims other things also cease to satisfy—books, and dreams, and sunset, and liberty. When this finishes shs will suddenly dsmand happiness—ths real thing. Then shs will lovs.

When clever womsn realizs that they ars e sex epert, and wait until their first youth at least is over before selecting a companion among men, thsn will the world have taken its first step towards rsal happiness.

First lovs is merely a sort of curtain raiser. In marriage it may develop into something worth while, but in itself amounts to nothing—except as meteriel for poets.

There is a sort of highly bred woman who hes ell ths secret fear and antagonism of her sex for the other, a profound resentment of the male instinct for possession, and the deeper terror that what the man may find will make her life wholly his.

Life is packed with little unheard-of dramas of the eternol duet of sex; nothing elss keeps it going.

A woman incapable of passion is neither more nor less then a failure.

From the beginning of time the misery of ths world has been caused by the superstition that love was all.

Love is the furious determination of the sex tn persist.

Real happiness may lis in forgetting that love is selfish.

If one can he heppy without lnvs, why run ths risks?

Fres love end experimental matrimony are mere excuses for a sort of sensuality that is shallow end inconstant.

The thought of merriage leaves some women resentful of bondage—of the surrender of self. Thet is ths reason these never marry.

Theories upon love by a man past his prims ars as valuslsss as thoss of a girl.

Ths happiness of women depends upon relegating love to the proper place.

A woman in lovs is eagerly psychological; she longs to discover onçs for all her sex and hsrself.

It is not possibls for a woman to define ons man's fascinetion to another man.

To hs marrisd and have ten children has kept mors women up to the correct standard then anything else, except poverty.

Women invariably substitute the word misunderstood for fellure to occept their point of view.—From Ancestors (Harper's), by Gertrude Atherton.

Highly Suspicious.

"It is a rule, to which good lawysrs usually adhere," says a Philadelphia attorney, "nsver tn tsll more than one knows. There was an instance in England, not many years ago, wherein a lawyer carried ths ruls to the extreme.

"Ono of the agents in a Midlond revision court ohjected to a person whose name was on the register on the ground that hs was dead. Ths revision attorney declined to accept the assurance, however, and demanded conclusive testimony on ths point.

"The agent on the other side arose and gave corroborative evidence as to the decease of the man in question.

"'But, sir, how do you know the man's dead?' demanded ths harristsr.

"'Well,' was the reply, 'I don't know. It's very difficult to prove.'

"'As I suspected,' returned ths barrister. 'You don't know whether hs's dead or not.'

"Whereupon the witness coolly continued: 'I was saying, sir, that I don't know whether he is dead or not; but I do know this, thsy buried him about a month ago on suspicion.'"—Harper's Weekly.

To Regulate Tips.

Persons are grumhling at ths excessive tips necessary in fashionahle hotels. Ths proprietors themselvss, recognizing the ahuses, are proposing solutions. Ssveral decided upon 10 per cent of the hills, which guarantee is tn he distributed proportionetsly among the employss, who are forbidden to receive money direct.

Another system meeting approval is that the proprietors hand a hlank printed slip to travelers to fill out as they wish, to be handed with the money to th cashier tn distrihute.—Paris Cahle to New York Herald.

Saved by Tomatoss.

John Vaughn of Mercerville, a rural letter carrier, was driving along a road when an anto plunged into his light rig from hehind. Vaughn was tossed in the air to alight in a load nf tomatoes in a wagon twenty fest ahead. His rig was dsmolished, but the soft tomatoes saved him from serioua injury. The quashing of the tomatoss dig not save Vaughn from the ire of the wagnn's owner. The driver of the automobile sped on with a grin.—Kansas City Journal.

But It Did't.

As we trudged out of Indianapolis, we met a man driving a substantial wain.

"Odds hoddikins!" bawled we. "Likewise, gadzooks! Wnuld'st give us a lift, varlet?"

"Wouldst not," rsplied the man, whipping up his horses.

We were chagrined. We had expected thia particular dialect to make a big hit in Indiana, the home of the historical novel.

Somewhat Severe.

"Let me read you this passage from Henry James," said the soulful boarder. "Perhaps you can tell me what it means."

"I can tell ynu without ynur reading it," responded the grouchy boarder. "It doesn't mean anything."

He Saw.

"The wavea ran mountain high," wrote the beginner.

"That expression is old," objected the experienced writer. "It was all right twenty years ago, but it won't do to-day. [illegible] everything is higher now."

The Dark Skinned Woman's Achievements

By Marion E. Stockton

Woman's Share in Early Art—Even the Primitive Woman Had Certain "Rights"—Brilliant Dark Haired Heroines of the Past—Women Aid in Founding a Religion—Some Interesting Facts About What Has Been Accomplished by the Sisters of the Pale Faced Races The Important Part they Played in Early Civilization.

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(Marian E. Stockton, widow of the late popular story writer, Frank R. Stockton, was closely associated with the work of her gifted husband. Any reader of the "Rudder Grange" stories, for example, will realize that she was a valuable assistant to him. She was joint author with him in writing "The Home," one of his earlier books. Mrs. Stockton is a member of a prominent South Carolina family.)

So much has been written about women of the fair-skinned races, of their part in the making of the history of the world, of what they have done and ought not to have done, of what they are doing and ought not to do and to what they should do, that it may be of interest to catch here and there in this world's history what their dark-skinned sisters have done in bringing about the conditions of the life we are now living and the social, religious and geographical distinctions which prevail at present.

It is not my intention in this article to exploit the famous dark-skinned women of recorded history—we will glance at them in their proper places. They were types, it is true, but they could not have been and have acted their great parts had not the women whom they represented been endowed, in some measure, with their gifts. Such women do not spring full-fledged from a sordid environment. But they were exceptional and individual in their careers; and, after all, it is from the ordinary women of a race or nation that progress comes.

The portraits the ethnologists give us of the primitive woman are not captivating, but the poets represent her as being almost divine, floating in ethereal beauty fresh from the hand of her Creator. Whether the scientist has arrived at the truth through long and laborious stages of investigation, or whether the poet has divined the truth through inspiration, I do not pretend to decide. But they are both agreed upon one thing—that her complexion was of a "sun-kissed" hue according to the latter and of a "dark pigment," according to the other.

From the investigations of science and the reports of explorers, and from other sources we have a good deal of information, if not in relation to this very primitive woman to her not distant descendants in a state of savagery. And even in the very lowest of these primeval races we find that women played an important part. They were slaves, it is true, because they knew nothing better. If they had had the least glimmering sense of woman's rights they were quite capable of asserting themselves even at that period of time. And here it may be well to correct a misapprehension.

Men did not make slaves and beasts of burden of their women merely because the man was wicked or lazy, or both—they had affection (of a sort) for their wives. But they realized with great force that man was a superior being, the lord of the earth and all it contained, including woman, and that she was an afterthought of the gods created for his benefit, and therefore made of very inferior material. Consequently it was considered as degrading in a man to do woman's work as it is now for him to wear petticoats. If it chanced that it came into a man's mind to relieve his weary wife of some part of the load she was carrying on her back, he would reject the thought instantly, not so much because he did not want the burden, as because by so doing he would make himself the laughing stock of the tribe.

And what did these mighty lords of creation do toward the improvement of the world they claimed? Absolutely nothing! Fishing, hunting, trapping, fighting, the necessities of the present; the implements to accomplish these purposes, and there the record ends. Meantime, as the years went on and generation succeeded generation, the women were using their brains and improving social life with all sorts of inventions to assist them in their manifold labors and to add new comforts to a rude existence.

Sewing. Consider how patient they must have worked to get a thread from a rawhide and the cleverness of evolving a needle from a bone. Tanning and dressing leather. To turn a dirty, hairy, tough skin into a clean and soft material suitable for clothing. Fashioning with deft fingers this clothing to their special needs. Agriculture of the simplest sort, but mostly the experiments of women. Spinning. The records of the human race go not back to a time when the spindle was unknown, worked out from a woman's brain which grasped the idea that the long fibers of the flax she was cultivating ought in some way to be made more adaptable for thread than the unwieldy skin with its slow and painful process. Hence, the stick twirled in the fingers. Weaving. Not a long journey to the loom after arriving at the spindle and cloth, so much easier than skins to work into clothing. Besides, the birch-bark basket weaving had been done long before with the fingers and it was only necessary to steady the threads on wooden rollers.

And this brought about woman's share in early art. So many plants yielded beautiful-colored juices; hence the dyeing, and later, the painting of cloth and skins. Some of these savage adornings may be seen at the present day with colors still vivid and with attractive designs.

And so I might go on through all the industries that have come down to us—all suggested by dark-skinned women.

It has never been decided by the learned whether fire was a direct revelation from God, or whether man discovered it accidentally. In the absence of any authentic information on the subject I venture the opinion it was discovered by a dark-skinned woman. As she was the one who had the most use for fire it is reasonable to suppose that she it was who chanced (in a fit of temper, perhaps) to rub two of her stone knives together with great violence and velocity and was surprised with the divine spark. However this may be, it was women who immediately availed herself of this all-important discovery, and being tired of meat and fish dried in the sun, conceived the brilliant idea of laying it on the hot coals. And thus she started in a long career down the ages the roasts and ragouts and chowders and fricandeaus that have given pleasure and dyspepsia to millions of her descendants of all colors.

There is literally no end to this branch of the subject, but I have said enough to convince any rational mortal that a creature capable of all this could not have been held in utter contempt by contemporary men. Inferior she was considered, as a matter of course, and she was, to a great extent, a commodity to be bought and sold; but, running through all the savagery, there is found a strong thread of respect for women. Even in the lowest tribes they had some rights which they were not at all backward in enforcing; and among the more advanced peoples they had many well-defined rights which no man could in any case take from them. The men privately sought their advice to take the council and exploit it as their own wisdom; they were admitted to some of the solemn feasts; and, sometimes, they armed themselves and went to the battlefield. This, however, seems rarely to have occured in the very early ages.

Such was the dark-skinned primitive woman and such were her achievements.

Drifting down the long stream of time, we suddenly come upon the brilliant vision of the queen of Sheba. Out of the darkness of the dark continent she emerges, robed in splendor, invested with power, endowed with wit and fancy, moved by an intelligent curiosity—a woman capable of appreciating not only the glory of Solomon but his wisdom also. She dazzles us for a brief moment and then disappears into the darkness whence she came and leaves no trace. But it requires no imagination—simply common sense—to follow her into that mysterious land and find a nation of women, not so exceptionally endowed, perhaps, as this great queen, but women of strong character, and vigorous intellect, capable of dealing with the problems of their time. Otherwise there could have been no queen of Sheba.

In the twilight of history we note the appearance of a remarkable Assyrian queen or, more plausibly, several successive queens, who were new types in that olden world. They were not only successful warriors, but they were engineers, mathematicians and architects. They turned the courses of rivers, spanned them with bridges and confined their waters within bounds; they raised great monuments and built temples and public edifices. The name Semiramis is synonymous with every kind of greatness.

Coming down to the Christian era, we find one of the most interesting studies of womankind of any color or any age in the Arabians. Those dark-skinned women, with no possible way of cultivating intellect, the women of a brutal race of men, in a degrading environment, fenced in with customs hostile to them, changed the face of the habitable globe and founded a great religion! Mohammed himself declared, persistently and often, that he would never have been able to achieve success but for his wife Cadijah. This plain, faithful, sensible woman never faltered in the darkest hour, encouraging in weakness and restraining in excess. And when the creed he taught was accepted by the Arabs all the women threw themselves into it with such energy that nothing could stand before them.

They even organized companies of women soldiers and, leading them into battle, fought with a savage cruelty that might have been expected, but also with a heroism most surprising. And all through the Mohammedan conquest women are prominent; sometimes like unto the judicious Cadijah; sometimes like the beautiful and wicked Ayesha, who came near dividing the armies into hostile camps; sometimes like the savage Henda drinking the blood of the enemies of the faith. It is all wonderful. And, as the Christian woman reads the record, she marvels how it was possible that so much good and evil purpose, so much that is noble and heroic, could have been expended with such energy on a religion that does not tend in any way to exalt womanhood.

I have not space to tell of the Chinese woman whose story we glean from legends and glimpses into the histories of their dynasties, while she herself looks at us out of the past with an impressive silence. Nor to dwell upon the East Indian woman, who, with her seductive charm and romantic, poetical nature, conquered great conquerors and ruled through them.

We pass down the centuries and enter, at last, into our own land to be immediately confronted by a dark-skinned maiden whose name and history are familiar to every school child.

Was there in all this newly discovered country but one Pocahontas? She happened to be the one who fell in love with a white man, and, thus, moved to save from destruction the little white colony, has become immortalized. Whether or not this is to be regarded as a meritorious act on the part of this Indian maiden depends upon the point of view, whether that point be Indian or English. But there is no doubt that she was intelligent and attractive and of a sweet nature—a very loveable creature. If you find a well-molded and decorated vase standing in the midst of crude ugly pottery of a past age, you may be reasonably certain that a further diligent search will reveal similar vases. And so, while Pocahontas may have been somewhat more highly gifted than the other young women of her tribe, she was of their kith and kin and not a solitary figure. There has arisen no Cooper for the Indian woman.

It is probable that the Indian tribes in the east with which the early settlers were familiar were less cultured then those found on the Pacific coast at a later date. Among these their women—subject and inferior, of course were of much importance. They had so improved the comforts of existence by quite a range of culinary preparations, clothes and blankets for warmth and various devices for increasing the happiness of their lords, that they had won a position of some dignity and exercised a large and beneficent influence, not asserted and probably not publicly acknowledged, but far-reaching in its effects in civilizing their race.

COMPLAINT IS NOT NEW.

Other Ages Have Said "There is No Time for Leisure."

"Leisure," a woman declared the other day, "is neither a fact nor a possibility—it is scarcely even an ideal. It is a word that in the dictionary should be marked obsolete."

Whether or not the majority of people would agree with her in considering leisure no longer an ideal, it can not be denied that leisure is a rare possession in the first decade of the twentieth century. The common theory seems to be that we have bartered it for telephones and automobiles, for speed and society and business.

Fifty years ago, we say, or a hundred, or a hundred and fifty, life was much simpler and less hurried. Yet, as a matter of fact, a hundred years ago exactly the same complaint was made. It was in 1797 that the famous Mrs. Grant, of Laggan, wrote of that "insatiable love of change—that restlessness, which is, I think, a great and growing evil of the age," and complained that the hours of her young friends were so "engrossed and divided" that there was no time for reading and conversation. Doubtless, could we but look back, we should find the same complaint made in the eighth century as in the eighteenth.

So far from leisure being less possible now than in past years, the average woman, as a recent economic writer has pointed out, never before had so good an opportunity to enjoy it. Gas and electricity, ready-made clothing, prepared foods and numberless household inventions have reduced her work to a fraction of that done by her grandmother. Instead of candle and soap-making, spinning and weaving, salting down the year's meats and making her husband's shirts by hand, she spends hours each week in shopping, amusements, study, fancy work or society, according as inclination and opportunity dictate.

Yet—she has no leisure. After all, is it not frequently because she does not desire leisure so much as she wishes for some other things? The "simple life" is an achievement, not a chance gift, and leisure, to quote another woman's definition, is "merely the art of having time."—Youth's Companion.

The Revolt of Betsy.

Two-score years ago there lived in a Pennsylvania town an ill-mated couple, both as to size and compatibility. The wife was much the larger and stronger, and, in the words of their narrator, "the husband, though a small man, was a nagger and a pestarer." He always provoked the quarrel, and when he went too far his irate spouse would revolt. She would retaliate with such splendid vigor that the husband would call in the neighbors as arbiters, and when they began to take evidence he would invariably thus explain matters: "I struck Betsy in all pleasantness and she got mad," or "I poured water down Betsy's back in all pleasantness and it made her mad."

Scotsman Wanted.

Scotsmen are immigrants of the finest quality, and they bring abundant cash in the pockets as well as begin to accumulate cash as soon as they arrive. This is the type of immigrant Australasia needs, and as both New Zealand and Australia can offer vastly more than Canada, we ought, sooner or later, to see a stream of canny Scotsmen with the hardy bodies, shrewd brains and the well-lined pockets of their race setting in our direction.—Melbourne Life.

CLUBS FOR RAILWAY'S EMPLOYES VIEWED AS SAFETY APPLIANCES

Clear Heads and Healthy Bodies Are the Aim of the Chain of Institutions Along the Southern Pacific.

> "I hereby certify that I am a bona fide employe of the Southern Pacific company, and I hereby agree to conduct myself as a gentleman while enjoying any of the privileges of the club."

This is the only certificate of membership to be required of the men who will use the chain of clubhouses that the Southern Pacific company is building along its lines in Nevada, California, Arizona, New Mexico and Texas. Railway clubs are no new thing, but the Southern Pacific's are different. There is nothing of the conventional, the severe, or the hideous about the clubhouses. No expense is spared to make them beautiful as well as useful and comfortable, both without and within. Usually the style of architecture is determined by the surroundings. There will be a hint of old Spanish architecture in one, and of the log cabin in another.

The explanation as to why the company is spending thousands of dollars on these clubhouses is simple. The expenditure might properly be charged up to improvement of service and safety appliances. Modern railroading requires men with clear heads and strong muscles. The railroad believes that it will be more likely to keep its men in this condition if it provides comfortable quarters for them, with opportunities for healthy recreation and companionship.

The bed rooms of the clubs, arranged so that they may be darkened during the day for men who have night runs, are spread with immaculate linen. The bath rooms, toilets and washrooms are models of inviting cleanliness. There are card rooms, writing and reading rooms, billiard, pool and lounging rooms, all artistically furnished. Mr. Harriman is the Carnegie of the Southern Pacific railway club, which are supplied with books, as well as periodicals and daily papers. The fiction department of the library, which contains practically every current book of importance, is operated on a circulating system and gives each club the benefit of a large number of volumes.

Club stationery is furnished for members, and an effort is made to induce the men to keep in touch with their families and to continue home ties, however much their employment may keep them away from their own towns. Opportunities for study are offered and every inducement is made to the men who take advantage of these opportunities to improve their education.

In competition with the railway clubs, the saloon, which was formerly the only place the men had to go, has proved a failure, the best testimony to this effect being found in the consistent opposition of saloonkeepers wherever clubs are located. There is the same freedom in the railway club that the man formerly found in the saloons—and a great deal more comfort. No iron-clad rules are made. The men meet in the clubs on the equal footing of gentlemen. There are no membership fees and no deductions from the pay-roll for club maintenance. Trifling fees are charged for beds, bath and billiard room—about enough to cover wear and tear and no more.

A Southern Pacific official who has from the start been closely associated with the establishment of the clubs, sums up their purpose in this way:

"The object is to raise the tone and character of the men by offering opportunities for healthful and moral recreation, and to make them feel that their own success, the success of the company, and the safety of the people who are served depends on each individual doing his part well, not because he has to do it, or is paid to do it, but because it is right."

RECREATION AS WELL AS HEALTH AND COMFORT Are Provided for in the Southern Pacific Club Houses.

MODERN INDIAN ROMANCE.

Will the Girl Educated at Carlisle, Refuse to Be Brought for Four Ponies?

Unsuccessful in his suit to win the hand of an Indian maiden, who is in the Carlisle Indian school, Charlie Red Horse, whose name in the Ute language is unpronounceable, sat in the Union depot last night awaiting the departure of an east-bound train, having in his pocket a scrawled letter from the girl's parents on the New Mexican Ute reservation telling that the girl had been sold to him for the sum of four ponies. The question now arises, and Charles has evidently overlooked it, whether or not the girl who has enjoyed four years' schooling in Carlisle will be willing to marry him, simply because the Indian went through the primeval custom of handing over four ponies to the girl's parents, who are in need of stock.

There is much of Indian romance connected with the story of Charlie and his fair Ute maiden of Carlisle, whose name he pronounced in the Ute language, but did not know the English interpretation. Both were children together on the reservation years ago. The girl was placed in the Carlisle school when she was fifteen years old, while Charlie was appointed as one of the Indian police on the reservation. When Charlie concluded that it was about time for him to marry, he began looking for a bride among the maidens of the Utes on the reservation, and, finding none whose beauty compared with she who had gone to the Indian school years before, he concluded that he must win the affections of the girl at Carlisle. Consequently, two months ago he went to the school, obtained a hearing with the girl, received no encouragement, and concluded that the best thing for him to do was to work in the American way, and with the sanction of the prospective parents-at-law. In consequence he hurried to the reservation, looked up the poor and aged parents of the girl and set about winning their sanction to his marriage with their daughter.

The contract was finally made through the handling over by Charlie of the girl and set about winning their vation. With the letter from the parents in his pocket he is now on his way to the Indian school, where he will present the written wishes of the parents to the girl with the hope that she will return with him. Charlie says that he can care for her in the best manner, and this is not doubtful, as the police on the reservation are usually the most prosperous of all the Indians. Anyway Charlie left Denver last night with high hopes of his ultimate success. It is Charlie's intention to bring the girl back to the reservation, presupposing that she is willing to come, for it is hardly probable that a sale such as Charlie concluded with the parents will hold good with a girl who is about to graduate from the great school.

Triumphant Wooing.

Manager—For heaven's sake, fraulein; what have you done? You've gone and accepted the hero's proposal in the first act, instead of in the fifth!

The Star—But he begged so nicely! And—why can't I just refuse him in the fifth act?

Quo Vadis?

Nurse—Come indoors at once, Master Richard, and be a good boy. You won't go to heaven if you're so naughty.

Master Richard—I don't want to go to heaven; I want to go with father!

Dining With a Vegetarian Duchess.

The duchess of Portland and her daughter are strict vegetarians. "I always feel so greedy when I dine with her grace," confessed a friend of the duchess once. "She drinks no wine and eats only vegetables. It makes one appear a perfect cannibal."

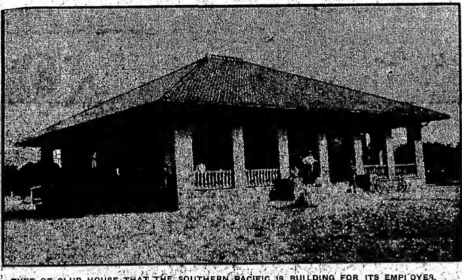
Skim milk, biscuits, butter and cheese are the only items on her grace's menu at lunch, while invariably for breakfast, more skim milk, lettuce and a boiled egg from her daily repast year in and year out.

That Law Again.

For miles and miles the through passenger train has plodded along in the wake of the slow freight. The travelers grow irksome and even petulent.

"Conductor," says one of the boldest of them, "why do you not get that freight to take a siding while we go by it?"

"Under the new Hapburn law," explains the conductor, sadly, "we are not allowed to pass anything."



TYPE OF CLUB HOUSE THAT THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC IS BUILDING FOR ITS EMPLOYES. This One is at Tucson, Ariz.

A Desirable Fault.

"One more question," said the trust magnate to the applicant. "How is your memory?"

"Very hazy," replied the latter.

"Good," cried the magnate. "The job is yours."

Joys of Absence.

"Aren't you awfully lonesome without George?"

"I haven't time to be. I spend the mornings reading his letters and the afternoons answering them."

Amenities of the Loop.

"That's a magnificent voice of yours," said the sarcastic passenger. "You ought to have it trained."

"I am having it trained, sir," said the guard; "elevated railroad trained. Step lively!"

The Important Feature.

Miss Knox—What! She certainly wouldn't have the face to wear a bathing suit like that?

Miss Newitt—I don't know, but she thinks she has a figure.

No Great Danger.

"I risk my life every time I appear," declared the acrobat, who had gone into vaudeville.

"It ain't that bad with me," admitted the monologue artist. "I do tell some awful old ones, but still——"

Not Likely.

"Can't Dick and Mabel patch up their quarrel?"

"I'm afraid not. I proposed they should patch it up, but Dick said he didn't care a darn."

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SINCE "In God We Trust" has been taken off of our gold coin why not put it on the cleaning house certificates.

IT is easy for William J. Bryan to get a nomination. It is too bad that some of this phenomenal success does not appear on election day.

SENATOR FORAKER is out in the open as a candidate for president. He will likely stay there. No one seems desirous of taking him in.

LAFOLLETTE is not popular with the predatory politicians of Minnasota, and this ought to be a strong endorsement with the rank and file.

IF the government is going to guarantee bank deposit the Brown's Valley Tribune suggests that it also guarantee subscription accounts. Why not?

THE Windom Citizen says it is mighty convenient to have a local merchant who will trust you when you can't get the currency to send a catalog house.

THE Hartford Courant suggests that instead of "In Gcd Wo Trust," on our coins wo substituto something containing maro truth—"The lovu of money is tho root of all evil."

THE Hibbing Tribuna describes a Johnson republican as "a particularly zealous democrat." Then we might us well give up the old-fangled notion that Minnesota is a republican state.

A NEW YORK man has discovered a way to mako clothes out of paper. But, that's nothing compared with the feat of New York bankers in finding a method to make money out of paper.

IT is one of the inexplicablo problems of high financo how Wall street is able to buy $50,000,000 worth of Panama canal bond and yet cannot furnish $10,000,000 to move tha western crops.

THE panic offers a good excuso to the standpatters for refusing to revise the tariff. But, perhaps, it is just as well. Nobody would want such a revision as tho present congress would give.

VICE-PRESIDENT FAIRBANKS is in hard luck. On the heels of the cocktail incident comes the announcement that Senator Platt has risen from the grave long enough to endorse his candidacy.

A PASTOR at Bluffton, Ind., discouraged by the indifferenco of his congregation, and having exhausted other means of bringing tho recalcitrant within hearing of tho gospel in the early evening bogan tolling the church bell. The people hastening from every quarter to ascertain who was dead, but there was noone physically dead, but thero wero many who were spiritually defunct from every appearance. The actions of this ingenious pastor might be fallowed with good effect by othera in many communities.

MR. DOOLEY asked Mr. Hennessey whother he thought that Roosevelt wants a third term and he answered. "I do not. But he's a good deal like Hogan. I wanted him to stay an' keep me comp'ny wan night. 'I've got to go,' says he. 'It's just as well,' says I. 'Dorsey says he's comin' around at ten to throw ye out,' says I. 'Thin I'll stay,' says Hogan. As th' matther stands at prisint th' on'y people that can't ilect him are those that are agin him." Dooley seems to know the president quite as well as he does Hogan.

THE commercial club of St. Paul ought to ha able to find more important things to take its attention than to get up a big banquet for John D. Rockefeller, one whose smallest of offences was to go into hiding for several months to escape tha sheriff armed with a subpoena says tho Fairmont Sentinel. Of coursa we all understand that the object of tha banquet is merely to give President Roosevelt a backhand slap and to try to bolster up tho bell weathers of predatory wealth. The samo old gang have started in to discredit President Roosevelt by the same methods they used to discredit Bryan a decado ago.

A. B. STICKNEY: The national bank system, with its public examination has been landed by congressmen, senators and president as tha acme of safety, entitled to the confidence of all individual depositors, yet during the forty-five years of their existance, the congress have never provided, and the presidents have never recommended, legislation which would permit the government funds to be deposited in such banks upon the same terms that they urge the people to deposit their money in such banks. Again I say, "let congress provide a system of banks which are good enough to hold the funds of the government on deposit as well as the funds of the peoplo."

J. W. OLSON, state superintendent of instruction, believes that the school children of Minnesota are entitled to as much fresh air as the state demands for those confined in tha eleemosayary and penal institutions, and he is going to see if they are getting it. The graded and high schools of this state are to be examined as to this feature and for the purpose he has provided Inspectors Aiton and Challon with the necessary testing instruments. The purity of the air is also to be inquired into. Tests so far made show that in many of the schools the air in the school rooms is not at all what it should be. Where found to be extremely bad, demands for improvement will be made at once. In other cases suggestions will be made. Good ventilation is one of the requirments under the state aid law, and where it is not provided tho aid can be denied.

A Dangerous Deadlock,

that sometimes terminates fatally, is the stoppage of liver and bowel functions. To quickly end this conditinn without disagreeable sensations, Dr. King's New Life Pills should always be your remedy. Guaranteed absolutely satisfactory in every case or money back, at W. A. Schreiter's drug store. 25c.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Owatonna Journal-Chronical:—Judging from the fuss made by a lot of the state newspapers over the attorney general's affort to enforce the new freight rate legislation the standard of official conduct in Minnesota must have fallen pretty low. Otherwise why such excitement over an official's doing something when, had he left it undone, there would have been a still bigger row raised, and he knew it.

North Branch Review: An eastern dispatch says that the landlords of buildings on Wall street have determined to rout out all swindlers from their premises. There will be lots of rooms to rent.

Aurora News: Through it all there is one consolation. The two or three promoting breweries will not be so anxious to put in new blind pigs.

Eveleth Star: The mining check passed in Eveleth with the same ease and smoothness that the glittering gold has always passed during the pay day season.

Virginia Enterprise: Down in Michigan it is proposed to limit the number of saloons to one for each 1,000 inhabitants. In Virginia we have about seven or eleven to the thousand, and each one separately and all collectively think they should run the affairs of the city to suit themselves. And under the present administration they have certainly made their "think" stick with admirable success.

Ortonville Herald Star: Absolute fairness requires the admission that Canada suffered no more in proportion to her location from the past rather unfavorable season, than many parts of the United States. But why seek a location that must of necessity be in constant danger when so much other country is open to settlement where less strenuous conditions are the exception and not the rule?

Zumbrota News: We are not so vitally interested as to what the president rubs off a $10 gold piece as we are in the fact that they dont go half so far with the paper trust as they used to.

Hibbing Mesaba Ore: A report comes floating up from the Twin Cities that the Republicans are to "get together" and reorganize the Republican party of Minnesota. The Ore would respectfully suggest that the job be let out to others than Twin City politicians.

Stillwater Gazette: We beg to announce that not a dollar of our superfluous or other cash is concealed in cast-off socks, old teapots, vacant or unused chimneys, discarded stoves or old boots, but all—yes, all—is deposited in the banks of this city. Patronize home institutions.

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THE SCULPTOR TURNED.

His Answer to the Art Critics In Rural France.

At Chalon-on-the-Saone stands the monument executed by Morcean-Vauthier and Berard to commemorate the national defense—a superb cuirassier who carries across his saddle the body of a color bearer who yet clasps in his arms his broken standard.

On the eve of the unveiling the municipal council, presided over by the mayor, repaired to the foot of the statue to examine and see if it should be accepted.

"Are you not going to clean off this green mold?" asked the mayor of the sculptor.

"But, monsieur," replied the sculptor, "that is verdigris."

"Verdigris! Verdigris!" said the mayor. "I understand that very well. Parbleu! I know that this is verdigris, but it is dirty. If I had a kitchen outfit of that color I would have it scoured. That must be cleaned up. You'll have to make that shine."

"But, monsieur" —

At that moment, a member of the council having struck the body of the bronze horse with his cane, they all cried out, "This sounds hollow!"

"Your bronze is hollow, monsieur," said the mayor.

The unhappy sculptor then took great pains to explain that all bronze statues were hollow. The mayor maintained an air of defiant incredulity and as he passed around the monument said, "It appears to me you have hardly detailed the hair in the tail."

This was too much for the sculptor. "I wished," he said, "to screw natural hair into his tail like the hair used in children's hobbyhorses. It would have taken six months to have done so, and I reflected that it would have cost you too much."

And the municipal council of Chalon agreed with the justness of this observation.—Paris Cor.

A Real Wonderland

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

Told of President McKinley.

The love which Mrs. McKinley bore her husband was so much the ruling passion of her life that she was extremely sensitive about him. In spite of herself she was jealous even of the demands which the public made upon his time. Her love was matched by a most unusual devotion on the part of the president, as this incident illustrates. Colonel John N. Taylor of East Liverpool, O., a lifelong friend of Mr. McKinley, who was known in Washington as "the man who had a latchkey to the White House," took his little granddaughter, Pauline Taylor, aged three, to the executive mansion for a visit.

She climbed upon Mr. McKinley's knee and soon discovered his watch. Then she pried open the back of the case, as if looking for something.

"Why, Mr. President," she lisped, "it's empty! My papa has my mamma's picture in his watch."

Mrs. McKinley's face fell on the instant, but the president was not found wanting.

"I carry my wife's picture in my heart, Pauline," he said quietly, and Mrs. McKinley was all smiles again.—New York Tribune.

Badly Mixed Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me, so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 50c.

Miss Smith—I see that the legislature has passed a law prohibiting the women from wearing stuffed birds or feathers on their hats. Aunt Maria—It ain't fair. I've heard of how the men in the cities wear swallowtailed coats, and they never say a word against it.—Bohemian.

Why Do Doctors Differ?

As an illustration of the old saying that "doctors will differ" the following is related by a physician of unquestioned veracity: In the course of a lecture which he was delivering before a number of students he had brought in by the mother a child six months old, which, he stated, was suffering from a very peculiar affection, and he requested five of the students present each separately to diagnose the case.

The first gave it as his medical belief that the child was suffering from incipient pneumonia; the second, after examination, pronounced it incipient diphtheria; the third staked his reputation upon its being peritonitis; the fourth called it marasmus, while the fifth said it was malaria. When they had each made a careful examination the lecturer said:

"Well, gentlemen, have you anything further to say in regard to the case?"

"Nothing more than has been already said," was the reply from each.

"Well," said he, taking the little one and holding it before them, "this is a child that has never had a day's illness since its birth. It is the most perfectly healthy child that I have ever seen."—London Answers.

Churches.

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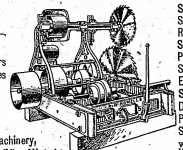

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The Way an Employer Got Square With a Faithless Assistant.

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The proprietor thought it all over for a long while and then sent for the engineer. When that functionary arrived the following dialogue took place:

"Ah, John! Good morning, John. How long hof you been vorking by this place?"

"Fifteen years."

"Ach, so. And vot are your wages?"

"Twenty-five dollars a week."

"M-m-m. Vell, after today it vill be $5 a veek more."

The engineer thanked his employer profusely and withdrew. A week later the old gentleman sent for him again and the same conversation ensued, ending with another $5 a week raise. The third Saturday he sent for the engineer again, and after the same questions and answers he raised his salary another $5 a week.

On the fourth Saturday the engineer was again summoned before the boss.

"How long have you been vorking here, John?" asked the proprietor.

"Fifteen years," replied the engineer, who by this time had grown to expect the weekly question and salary raise as a regular thing.

"And how much voges are you getting?"

"Forty dollars a week."

"Ach, so? Vell, you are fired."

"Fired!" exclaimed the engineer, almost fainting. "Why, you have been raising my salary $5 at a clip for the last three weeks."

"Sure I have," roared the Teutonic boss, all his indignation flaring out at once. "And the reason that I did it vas that it shall make it harder for you for vhen I fire you, you loafer!"—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

SILVER KING OF THE SEA.

The Feats That a Tarpon Will Perform When Hooked.

If you have never seen a tarpon imagine the Mediterranean sardine that you take from the box for lunch lengthened out to six or seven feet. Give it two enormous staring black eyes, a supercilious lip of the most grotesque shape coming down and twisting up again, a mouth that can be thrown so wide open that thirty feet distant when the fish is in the air you can see blue sky down its throat and out through the arched gills. Give the fish a greenish back and a long spine at the dorsal, a powerful sardine-like tail and equip its belly and sides with scales which look more like newly minted trade dollars than anything else, dollars often twice their natural size, into which the purest molten silver has been dropped, scales that flash thousands of rays in every direction, scales that gleam, corruscate and in the full glare of the sun form so many sunbursts to dazzle the eye and confuse the excited angler.

I have taken the "sabalo" under various circumstances and have seen it leap along the outer Florida reef and down by the Rio Grande, where it forms in gigantic schools and moves south in winter, and everywhere it is the same sensational equilibrist, the same air climber and sky scraper when hooked or snared. What the sensations of the tarpon are when hooked it would be difficult to say, but I fancy it is frightened and leaps in the direction away from the pole center, and no two leaps are alike.

It may go directly up into the air, carrying a big wave with it, and lash the air, or it may go out of the water head first, rising like a ray of light ten or fifteen or more feet, then fall gracefully. Every possible position I have seen the frightened tarpon take, from standing on its tail as upright as a soldier to exactly the opposite direction, and an old angler informed me that he had seen a tarpon make a lateral leap of thirty feet.—Charles F. Holden in Recreation.

A Little Too Original.

"You New Yorkers are wonders," said the man from the west here for a brief stay and seeing everything from the Bronx to the Bowery. "Nothing is impossible here—at least I saw vines twined across the sky last night. It was in a restaurant in Forty-second street," he continued. "The ceiling is painted sky blue, and there are little electric lights set to look like stars. Also there are the clouds floating about, but then there are the vines that kill the otherwise very neat illusion. Originality is all right, but vines hitched to a sky is too much for a man from the west."—New York Globe.

The Main Point.

Mrs. Scrapleigh—They say, my dear, that the new rubber plant, the Ficus pondurata, is extremely beautiful. It has a glossy velued leaf— Mr. Scrapleigh (who has strained his back lugging the house plants around)—I don't care anything about its glossy velned leaves. What does the dum thing weigh?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Great Financier.

Cholly—Harry is a great financier. Chapple—Yass! Cholly—He borrowed sixpence from me yesterday to take him to the city to see a man that he knew he could borrow a pound from, and with that pound he flew off to stand a dinner to another man whom he borrowed a hundred from.—London Telegraph.

ALL HALLOW EVE.

A Tradition Handed Down From the Ancient Druids.

The observance of Halloween, or All Hallow eve, is a tradition handed down from the ancient Druids, who celebrated their harvest festival on the last day of October. The next day was All Hallows' or All Saints' day, and so they called the festival All Halloween.

The gay games of modern times are not much like the solemn rites of the Druids, but a connection may be traced between the supernatural beliefs of the ancients and the burlesque attempts to pry into the mysteries of the future which our own Halloween fun represents.

Long after the time of the Druids simple minded country people continued to believe in charms and witchcraft and especially claimed that on the night of Oct. 31 witches and goblins held revel and fairies danced about in the woods. From these spirits or their manifestations it was believed that the future could be foretold and human destinies discovered. As our celebration of the occasion is merely a whimsical adaptation of all this, there is one thing clear at the outset—to a successful Halloween party the young guests must bring a large stock of imagination, a zest for merriment and an unfailing fund of good humor, for many Halloween tricks result in turning the laugh on one or another, and this must be accepted in a gay, good natured spirit. Old fashioned Halloween parties were held in the kitchen, and where this is practicable it is a good place for many of the games. But all of the rooms used should be decorated with trophies of the harvest. Pumpkins, apples, grain stalks and autumn leaves offer materials for beautiful and effective trimming, and if desired draperies of red and yellow cheesecloth and ornamentations of red and yellow crape paper may be added. Jack-o'-lanterns are of course a necessity.—Carolyn Wells in St. Nicholas.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by James Sutor and Wanda Sutor, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1905, with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. in Book 12 of mortgages at page 31, and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Six Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five and no 100 Dollars ($6285.00.), and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely; The East Half of the South West Quarter (E½ SW¼), West Half of the South East quarter (W½ SE¼), the West half of the North East quarter (W½ NE¼), and the East Half of the North-West quarter (E½ NW¼) of section number twenty-three (23), and the South-East quarter (SE¼) of section number fourteen (14), all in township one hundred and fifty-two (152), north of range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing four hundred and eighty (480) acres according to the United States Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county, in the State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Six Thousand Two Hundred and Eighty Five and no one-hundred Dollars ($6,285.00), and interest, insurance, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated November 23, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank),
Mortgagee.
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. n28-j9.

Order for Creditors to Present Claims Within Three Months.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake. } In Probate Court:

In the matter of the estate of Pehr Bengtson, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Pehr Bengtson, deceased, late of the Town of Polk Centre, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to Hjalmar Johnson.

It appearing on proper proof by affidavit of the executor, Hjalmar Johnson, made and filed herein as provided by law, that there are no debts against the estate of Pehr Bengston, deceased.

It Is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date on this Order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased, if any there be, are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said county, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It Is Further Ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of February, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., at a Special Term of said Probate Court, to be held at the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And It Is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1907.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
(Court Seal) n29-d12 Judge of Probate.

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Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate Under Judgment of Foreclosure.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake. } ss.
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Citizens National Bank of Worthington,
Plaintiff
vs.
George Miller, Catherine Miller and Blanche L. Matteson,
Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgement and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 6th day of November, 1907, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned, sheriff of said Red Lake county, will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the 28th day of December, 1907, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the west front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, in one parcel, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northwest fractional quarter of section five, (5) township one-hundred fifty-two (152), range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Dated November 8th, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.
J. A. Town,
Plaintiff's Attorney. n14-d19

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated December 26th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, January 12th, 1905, at 3:10 o'clock p. m., in Book 33 of Mortgages, on Page 631-632 whereby Peder A. Lybeck and Thore Lybeck, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard.) mortgagees, the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-four (24) and the north half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-five (25) all in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $15.90, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.73, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, thirty-eight dollars and sixty-three cents, ($38.63.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

—THOS. C. DAY & CO.,
By Thos. C. Day,
George W. Wishard.
H. C. Gilbert, Attorney
Minneapolis, Minnesota. o24 d5

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage containing a power of sale, dated October 13th, 1904, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, October 19th, 1904, at 1:40 o'clock p. m., in Book 14 of Mortgages, on page 439-440, whereby Jens L. Bolstad and Helene J. Bolstad, his wife, mortgagors, mortgaged to Thos. C. Day & Co. (consisting of Thos. C. Day and George W. Wishard), mortgagees, the northeast quarter (ne¼) of section twenty-one (21) in township one hundred fifty-one (151) of range forty (40) in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, by which default the power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured thereby, or any part thereof, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage and note at the date hereof, $31.80, to which should be added the taxes on said land, paid by the mortgagees, as provided in said mortgage, amounting, with interest, to $22.04, making the total amount due at the date of this notice, on said mortgage and note, fifty-three dollars and eighty-four cents. ($53 84.)

Now, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of said power, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, by the sheriff of said county, or his deputy, on Saturday, December 7th, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., at the front door of the court house in Red Lake Falls, in said county, to pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees, and disbursements allowed by law.

Dated Oct. 1st, 1907.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

ESTATE OF CHARLES G. CARLSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Charles G. Carlson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Sofie Carlson, Axel Carlson and Oscar H. Carlson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedant, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of December, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the honorable, N. W. Tarrant, judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 25th day of November, 1907.

(Court Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Probate Judge.
Fred L. Farley,
Attorney for Petitioner.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by L. L. Zenor, a single man, mortgagor, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of February, A. D., 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 35 of mortgages on page 332, and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Forty-three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The east half of the east half of section twenty-seven (27) in township one hundred fifty (150) north of range forty-three (43) west of 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey one hundred sixty (160) acres, be the same more or less in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock a. m., on that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of one thousand three hundred forty three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and seventy five ($75.00) dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated October 27th, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank—(The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank).
Mortgagee.
Wm. J. Brown,
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Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

H. H. Zaiser was in Grand Forks over Tuesday evening.

Gust Erickson, of near St. Hilaire, was in the Falls last Thursday.

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W. H. Morrissette, of Plummer, was in the Falls Monday shopping.

The G. A. Kankel family were over Sunday guests of Fertile friends.

Banker C. L. Hansen, of St. Hilaire, spent Thanksgiving day in the city.

Mrs. J. J. Paddan was a passenger to Theif River Falls Monday morning.

John Hanen has commenced the erection of a new cottage in "Klondike."

Mrs. E. F. Marshall was the guest of Theif River Falls friends last week.

Attorney F. A. Grady transacted business in Crookston Tuesday evening.

Harry Gareeau and Will Hunt made an over-land trip to Fertile Sunday.

Chas. and Swan Johnson, of Wylie were in town Monday doing some shopping.

Marcus Johnson was up from St. Paul Tuesday looking after business interests.

E. Chatel was in Blackduck looking after business interests the first of the week.

Mrs. Paul Cyr has been quite ill the past week, but is much improved at this writing.

Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson was up in Marshall county the first of the week on business.

Theo. Zaiser returned home rather unexpectedly last Thursday from his western trip.

Our lumber dealers report sales in their line exceedingly good for this time of year.

Miss Amelia Burget was the guest of Crookston friends over Tuesday evening.

Don't forget that Franz Freund's is headquarters for post cards, both comic and fancy.

Franz Freund has just received a large assortment of the famous Lillibridge chocolates.

Sunday papers, with comic supplements, received every Sabbath at Franz Freund's.

Leo Steiaort was a passenger into St. Paul last Thursday evening on business bent.

The Northern Pacific "brass collar" were up this way last week on a tour of inspection.

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J. W. Bourdon and wife partook of Thanksgiving turkey with friends in Detroit last week.

Miss Irene Caldwell spent Thanksgiving with the home folks in Thief River Falls.

Misses Hazel Healy and Ethel Bourdon were guests of Miss Ina Phillips in Crookston.

Miss Celestin Caldwell, of Thief River Falls, was a guest of friends in the city over Sunday.

Register of Deeds E. L. Quist spent Thanksgiving at his home up near Thief River Falls.

Miss Mary Caldwell is spending a few days at the home of her parents in Thief River Falls.

Miss Ada Foote, of Grand Forks, was an over-Thanksgiving guest among friends in the Falls.

Two cars of nice soft coal just received by A. L. Roy, the drayman. Give him a call when in need.

P. E. Pirath has been spending several days the past week at the H. E. Ives home in St. Hilaire.

County Attorney and Mrs. Thos. Germo were guests of Crookston friends over Tuesday evening.

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Father Adolph was down from Theif River Falls the fore part of the week, a guest of Father Ambrose.

Ole H. Olson was down from St. Hilaire last Wednesday evening in attendance at the Thanksgiving ball.

Miss Ruth Donaldson spent the Thanksgiving vacation from school duties with the home folks in Moorhead.

Abner Fletcher, who is a student at the "U" at Grand Forks, was a Thanksgiving guest under the parental roof.

Mrs. Geo. Tibbitts enjoyed a Thanksgiving visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Davidson, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kipp, of Perham, were welcome guests at the A. G. Groshoag home the latter part of last week.

Misses Clara Marchand and Iza Tibbitts came down from Fosston last Thursday for a brief visit with the home folk.

Three Hickory mouse traps for 5c, or three rat traps for 25c, at G. A. Kankel's. These are regular 5c and 15c traps.

The general health of the community is good for this time of year, and but little sickness is reported by the local physicians.

We are informed that Dan Linnihan's father died last week at his home in Waseca, but have been unable to learn particulars.

Franz Freund has made arrangements with Santa Claus whereby his store will be headquarters for Christmas toys of all kinds.

R. E. Hartman, representative for the Minnesota Type Foundry company, was calling upon the craft in the Falls yesterday.

Lew Padden, the Thief River Falls tonsoralist, was a guest over last Thursday evening at the home of his brother, J. J. Padden.

Postmaster and Mrs. Thor Smidesang, of Wylie, are the proud parents of a winsome little daughter since the first. We extend congratulations.

Mrs. John Beaudro and daughter departed last week for their new home in St. Paul, soon to be followed by the genial John who has employment there.

A basket social will be held at the Suttor schoolhouse, three and one-half miles northwest of town, next Friday evening, the 13th. Everybody invited.

Messrs. and Mesdames Ed Bray, Oliver Belair, Joe and Sam Miller broke turkey bones with the Nap Miller family at St. Hilaire last Thursday noon.

Miss Alice Ericson closed a very successful term of school out at Louisville last Wednesday, and after the holidays expects to attend normal at Mankato.

Misses Stella Heanemuth, Ella Krueger and Mayme Linnihan took a vacation from school studies at the Moorhead normal and spent Thanksgiving with home folks.

Mrs. C. L. Gray and daughter Miss Katherine, departed Monday evening for Osakis to spend the holidays. Miss Katherine expects to take up trimming in a large wholesale house in Minneapolis after the holidays.

The construction of the new steel bridge across the Clearwater in Emardville township is progressing rapidly, and weather permitting will be completed in about three weeks.

H. K. Lutz, of St. Paul, was a most welcome guest at the Arthur Zaiser home on Thanksgiving. Upon his return home he was accompanied by Arthur, who went into the city on business.

James Hance, who for some years past has had charge of the elevator at this place for the milling company, is now looking after their interests on the road. Ed Brouillet has taken his place at the elevator.

C. H. Martz, superintendent of highways for Red Lake county, was in the city last Saturday conferring with County Auditor O'Brien regarding the proposed steel bridge across the Clearwater in Garnes township.

The so-called county seat case came up before Judge Watts last week and after hearing the arguments on both sides, the Judge announced that he would take the case under advisement, rendering a decision only after reflection.

Misses Maude Fiadeison and Margaret Kaus came down from Warren last week to partake of Thanksgiving turkey with the home folks, and remained over until Sunday evening, driving over land to Crookston and taking the train from there home.

The board of county commissioners will meet at ten o'clock next Saturday morning, December 14th, to act upon the bond issue for Judicial Ditch No. 4, and also for such other business as may legally come before the board.

Three St. Hilaire school ma'ams, Misses Hulda Gigstad, May Plownson and Olga Olson, transferred at this place Monday morning from the Northern Pacific to the Great Northern train while enroute to resume their school duties after spending Thanksgiving abroad.

You know as well as anyone when you need something to regulate your system. If your bowels are sluggish, your food distresses you, your kidneys pain, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It always relieves. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.—W. A. Schreiter.

The Red Lake Falls orchestra furnished music for a dance at Thief River Falls last Thursday evening, and echos of praise for the music have been floating down river since The boys furnish most excellent dance music and are having numerous calls this fall.

A basket social was given at the Patnode school last Friday evening and a large number from town were in attendance. The affair was a financial success and much praise is due the teacher, Miss Irene Caldwell, for the manner in which the social was conducted.

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P. Feldsing, president, and Geo. F. Carpenter, secretary of the Maple Bay Manufacturing company of Crookston, were in the city the fore part of last week in an auto of their own manufacture. They were here on business and when they started home the auto "went some".

Dr. F. F. Fletcher was over from Grand Forks last week paying the home folks a brief visit, and on Saturday piloted his brother Abner and father out into the woods on a deer hunt. When they returned in the evening they brought in three fine venson. Pretty good for a day's outing.

Clerk of Courts C. W. Johnson reports the issuance of marriage licenses to the following parties during the past week: Seth Jones of Meator to Rose Quesnel, of Terrebonne; Oswald Daniel Guerin, and Elizabeth Rose, both of Red Lake Falls; Elisha ElmegGoar, of Stephen to Gunda A. Wedmer, of Thief River Falls.

Clerk of Court C. W. Johnson and family broke turkey bones under the parental Chas. Johnson home over in Polk county, and then in the evening were in attendance at the marraige of Carl Emil Eckstrom to Miss Hedda A. Adolphson. There were also present Messrs. and Mesdames O. F. Post, Leonard Holmes, and H. C. Adams and Gunder Lindquist, of St. Hilaire.

Generally speaking, everybody had many blessings for which due thanks were offered last Thursday. The year was one of peace and plenty—universal peace, and plenty almost beyond the capacity of the country, and with fine weather and unabated business prosperity even in the midst of a "panic", the people of this locality have been highly favored in material blessing.

At a meeting of the M. B. A. lodge Monday evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Sam'l Gibeau; Vice President, Lillian Belair; Treasurer, Franz Friend; Secretary, Frank Brouillet; Conductress, Mary Bray; Chaplin, Alexine Gibeau; Watchman, Frank Busch; Sentinel, Arthur Demerais. The installation of officers will be held at their first meeting in January.

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At court last week the case of Delia Fournier vs. Louis Paranteau, administrator of the estate of Alexis Fournier, in which suit was brought for $1,500 and an appeal taken from Probate Court, the plaintiff was given about half the amount. The case of Matt Skala, to have certain land set aside from city of Red Lake Falls was argued and agreed by counsel to be tried by court at Crookston.

The town of Numedal controversy came up before Judge Watts last Thursday evening. After hearing all the evidence in the case the Judge took the matter under advisement. Some time next week, probably, he will decide which supervisors are to act in the affairs of the town. Those who attended session of court were, M. Winberg, E. Alhue, E. Journdal, John Waslie, Olof Olson, O. B. Olson, Peter Bugge, and Nels Berglund.

Last Thursday morning as Master Pete Majeres was driving down Main street with a load of hay, the horses became frightened at a train standing at the depot and started to run. Theo. Majeres was near at hand and started after the team, but they succeeded in "unloading" the hay, boy and wagon near Joe Salley's residence, and then were caught near the Clearwater bridge. Mr. Majeres was truly thankful that day inasmuch as his son escaped injury.

Andersch Bros., at Minneapolis, have one of the largest and best equipped fur and hide houses in the world. This reliable firm, which has been in business for 18 years, has adopted the policy of buying furs and hides direct from trappers and other producers, and selling only to manufacturers. Anyone who has hides or furs to sell should write to this firm for their liberal price quotations, and also inquire about the "Hunters' and Trappers' Guide."

The marriage of Oswald Daniel Guerin to Miss Elizabeth Rose was solemnized at the St. Joseph's chapel last Thursday evening about six thirty; Father Fayolle pronouncing the words that united these two loving young hearts. Only relatives and a few invited friends were present to witness the ceremony, after which all repaired to the Guerin home where a bountiful supper was served. The young couple will take up residence in the Pouliot house, and in the new life they have chosen all friends join with the Gazette in wishing for them much joy and happiness.

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glee,
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Protect yourself, from disease be
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Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain
Tea.—W. A. Schreiter.

The Widow's Wail.

(Heard in the Probate Court.)

"If John had only made a will;
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Capital	$ 15000 00	Loans & Discounts	$140651 75
Surplus	3000 00	Banking house, furniture & fixtures	6129 04
Undivided profits, net	4554 47	Other real estate	3496 70
Deposits	162062 61	Checks and drafts in transit	1368 04
		Cash on hand and in banks	32971 55
Total	$184617 08	Total	$184617 08

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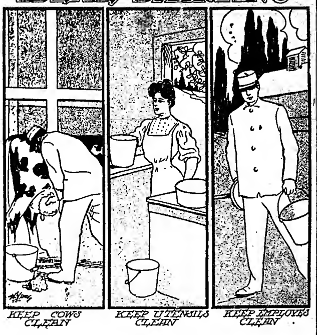


I understood "ideal dairying" to mean the condition of the milk producing industry that we would like to see in vogue. My ideal therefore is practical. It refers to the great bulk of market milk and not to a dairy herd and those whose trade is limited or whose owner can as well run it at a loss as a profit. I mean no criticism of certified milk or other such high class dairies. They have their useful place and they are increasing in importance, but they are beyond any ideal that we may expect to realize in the production of the great bulk of market milk for some years to come.

Milk production is an industry in which many thousands of citizens are making their living. Its methods of conduct have been about the same for many years. It represents an investment of hundreds of millions of dollars. Radical changes cannot be made suddenly in such an enormous enterprise. For a present-day ideal I would describe conditions that are now to be found on some of the better dairy farms that are sending milk to the general market and doing so at a profit. The fact that a dairyman must make a profit from his business is often overlooked. Many people seem to think he should be a philanthropist—or at least carry on his business at a loss.

The production of milk may be discussed conveniently under five headings, representing five distinct points that should be guarded. These are:

1. The health of the cow.
2. The cleanliness of the cow and her surroundings.
3. The condition of the utensils.
4. The cleanliness of the employes (including their health).
5. Cooling and storing the milk.

1. Cows that produce milk for human food should be in good health. A competent dairyman can usually tell if a cow is not in good health and he will recognize any of the common cow ailments except tuberculosis, and he should always withhold from the market any milk given by such a one. He should have a veterinarian pass upon the health of his herd at least once a year. The value of the tuberculin test is well known and it should be used by a rapidly increasing number of dairymen. But it would be unwise, in my judgment, to compel its use in all dairies within a short time. There are not enough competent veterinarians to test all cows in a short period of time, nor are our laws so effective now that unreliable work and recontamination can be sufficiently guarded against. Here is an instance where cow owners need to know the facts. When they understand the true value of tuberculin and how its use may save them from heavy losses, as well as assure safer milk, they will want this test.

Measures for protecting the health of the herd include light and ventilation in the stables. Every stable should have an abundance of direct sunlight and fresh air. If dairymen understood the importance of these agents, new windows and ventilators would be installed at a rapid rate. It would be well if every dairyman knew the details of some carefully conducted experiment along these lines, which has shown the better results in a dairy where light and fresh air were abundant as compared with another where these aids to health were lacking.

2. The cow and her surroundings should be kept clean and this requires intelligent labor or expert supervision. Wholesome milk cannot be produced in dirty places. Many producers are honest in their belief that a little foreign matter falling into milk does no harm if the milk is well strained. They do not know that organic matter is laden with objectionable types of bacteria and these organisms constitute the chief harm and that the soluble part of the contaminating material is next in importance and the stuff that cannot get through the strainer is the least important. If dairymen did but appreciate what it means to plant a lot of bacteria in milk as well as they appreciate what it means to let a lot of weed seeds get into their fields—then it would be easier to enforce the simple rules of cleanliness.

It is not necessary here to tell how to clean a cow or a stable but these are the things of importance rather than the breed of cow or the cost of the stable. Some rich but misguided people have spent fortunes on prize winning animals and fancy buildings and are yet unable to produce good milk—because they or their employes do not know what it means to keep a clean dairy. Unless one has studied the subject he will overlook many a point that seems trivial but is vital. The dust in the air is one of these. For good results special care must be taken to keep the air free from dust. It is very bad practice to brush cows just before milking, or to feed dry hay at that time. Loose ceilings and partitions are responsible for quantities of dust that are invariably found in too many stables. If dairymen knew the "raft theory" of Tyndoli by which the carriage of bacteria on particles of dust floated in the air is made very plain, then it would be easy to reduce this objectionable condition.

3. The kind of utensils used and their care are factors having much to do with the quality of milk. The chief trouble is in the lack of cleaning and sterilization. All utensils should be thoroughly cleaned and exposed to live steam or boiling hot water until practically sterile, and then cared for in a way to prevent further contamination.

Many persons merely rinse with warm water, which does little good, or they may sterilize the utensils carefully, then expose them to dust. Such defects are due more often to ignorance than to willful negligence. Frequently it is found that with the same amount or less work better directed, much better results can be had. It is very important to avoid the use of contaminated water for any dairy work. Disease germs have sometimes been transmitted to milk by impure water used for cleaning.

I must not omit mention of one utensil that is coming into use in the interest of ideal milk. It is the small-top milking pail. Most of the stable contamination finds its way into milk when the pail is under the udder. This can be largely excluded by reducing the size of the opening through which it falls.

4. The employes must, of course, be healthy. They should have clean hands and wear overall suits when milking. It is found by experiment that a quiet milker gets cleaner milk than one who is rough and vigorously shakes the udder and surrounding parts.

5. Some would say that the cooling of the milk is the most important of all requirements. It is vital but not more important than the other four headings. The milk should be cooled promptly to 50 degrees Fahrenheit or lower and kept cold until delivery. Unless an exceptionally cold spring is available every dairy which sends milk to the market should be provided with ice.

Very briefly I have given my idea of what would be ideal milk production for our cities and towns, but this is only half of the story. Good milk must be properly cared for after it leaves the hands of the producer or its chief value is lost. We need ideal transportation and ideal delivery. We need also ideal care of milk in the homes where milk is bought by the pint or the quart and where many of the troubles charged against the dairymen have their origin.

And again, we want purchasers who want ideal milk. For a moment look at the question from the dairyman's standpoint. Many dairymen are in position to ask why they should exercise greater care and increase expense of production (labor or closer attention to details is money) when they cannot improve their market one cent's worth by so doing. We need milk consumers and milk dealers who will show some appreciation of ideal milk.

The saddest and most astonishing exhibit of disregard of the fact that some milk may be better and more wholesome and worth more than other milk is shown by most of our public institutions which buy milk. Especially are the hospitals remiss in this matter.

TUBERCULOSIS A COMMON DISEASE AMONG SWINE

Comparative Effects of Infected and Pasteurized Skim Milk When Fed to Healthy Pigs.

Tuberculosis is of frequent occurrence in hogs, and, apparently, the number of hogs so affected is on the increase. So true is this in some sections of the country that packers are cautious about buying hogs from those localities. The carcasses of tuberculous animals are often so thoroughly infected with the disease as to be unfit for food, and consequently are a source of loss to the packer. Where animals are slaughtered without being subjected to careful inspection the diseased meat is very certain to be unwittingly used for food. A knowledge of the sources of infection is of primary importance to those who must undertake the responsibility of checking it.

It is known that the same bacillus which produces tuberculosis in cattle also produces the disease in hogs. The exact extent to which cattle are the cause of its presence among hogs is, however, not known. Naturally, milk is commonly considered one of the main carriers of the disease. Many instances can be cited of droves of hogs fed at some time in their lives on whole milk, skim milk or buttermilk that when slaughtered have shown a large proportion infected with tuberculosis.

At present there is a great deal of interest taken in all that concerns milk as a source of tuberculous infection. The importance of pasteurizing milk to be used for pig feeding is demanding considerable attention.

For the purpose of investigating some phases of this subject directly associated with the use of milk, an experiment was undertaken by the Iowa Agricultural college, under the direction of W. J. Kennedy, E. T. Robbine and F. W. Bousko of the college faculty.

In this investigation the following objects were sought:

1. To test the effect of feeding to pigs skim milk known to contain virulent bacilli of bovine tuberculosis.

2. To test the effect of feeding pasteurized skim milk to pigs.

3. To determine whether there is any difference in the susceptibility of pigs fed tuberculous milk on pasture and in small dry yards.

Forty pigs were divided into four lots of ten each and fed from July 24, 1906, to February 5, 1907, each lot being fed a ration of corn meal and shorts equal parts by weight with the following differences in the treatment of the lots:

Lot 1 was kept on timothy pasture and fed pasteurized skim milk.

Lot 2 was kept on timothy and fed skim milk containing bacilli of bovine tuberculosis.

Lot 3 was kept in a small dry yard and fed pasteurized skim milk.

Lot 4 was kept in a small dry yard and fed skim milk containing bacilli of bovine tuberculosis.

The skim milk fed to each lot of pigs was pasteurized at the Randall creamery. The heating was done by steam, the temperature only and not the time being controlled. The temperature is usually 200° F. All the lots were fed equal quantities of every lot of milk used. All the infected material, therefore, fed in the milk of lots two and four was purposely introduced for this experiment. It was the original plan to use only pure cultures of the bacilli of bovine tuberculosis for infecting the milk, but as these could not be obtained in sufficient quantity and of undoubted virulence, fresh, tubercular bovine animal tissue was also used. In this way there could be no doubt that the pigs of lots two and four actually ingested virulent tubercle bacilli. The milk fed these two lots was not all infected, but only at intervals of a few days or weeks. Each time the infectious material was thoroughly mixed with the milk in the trough just before the pigs were turned to it so none of the utensils except the troughs of the infected lots were contaminated. Altogether, infected milk was fed to lots two and four seven times—on the following dates: September 25, September 27, October 18, November 1, November 12, November 14 and November 19.

One feed of milk was infected with one liter of glycerin broth culture of bovine tubercle bacilli 500 c. c. being used for each lot of hogs. The other feeds of milk were infected with bovine tubercular tissue, mostly lungs and livers. Microscopic examinations of the tubercles were made to verify the disease. This material was hashed in a meat chopper and mixed with the milk at the rate of three to five pounds to a feed.

The results of the inspection, after slaughter, show that the pigs fed infected milk were all affected with tuberculosis; also that lot one, fed pasteurized milk on timothy pasture had two infected pigs, one case being so severe that the carcass was condemned.

Although the pigs of lots three and four were always in adjoining pens, with only an open fence to separate them, none of the pigs of lot three had tuberculosis, while all of lot four had it, so it seems that the disease is not likely to spread beyond the limits of the pen in which the infected animals are kept. The pigs of lot one were separated by a lane a rod wide from the pigs of lot two, so it does not seem probable that they received their infection from lot two. It is possible that the pastures on which the pigs of lots one and two were kept had been previously infected with the tubercle bacillus from pasturing other stock so affected, and that the two infected pigs of lot one contracted the disease in that way. Or, it is possible that they may have obtained it through the pasteurized milk, although if they did it is strange the infection was not more general, as every lot of milk was equally divided among the four lots of pigs. Frequent tests of the milk showed that the pasteurization had been thoroughly done, so that this source of infection is not at all probable. Of course, it should be borne in mind that although the pigs were probably free from tuberculosis at the beginning of the experiment, it is not absolutely certain that none were affected. So, while the exact source of infection of the two pigs of lot one cannot be determined, it seems most probable that, since none of the pigs similarly fed in dry lot were infected, the blame should be attached to other stock that may previously have frequented the pasture of lot one. The results indicate, however, very clearly that pigs in a dry lot are no more likely to contract bovine tuberculosis than are pigs in pasture, either from yards in which cattle have previously been kept or from infected pigs occupying adjoining quarters.

There was, in a general way, about the same degree of infection among the pigs of lot two on pasture and lot four on dry lot, so that the more favorable conditions for general thrift and growth of the pigs on pasture apparently had no influence with the disease. Noting the infection of the individual pigs, it is seen that every pig infected at all at time of slaughter was affected in the glands of the cervical region; all but one were affected in the bronchial region; about 80 per cent. were affected in the portal and mesenteric glands; one-half had affected livers, while only 20 to 30 per cent. had affected spleens; 20 per cent had tuberculous areas on the insides of the ribs and other parts of the body, and only 20 per cent. had affected lungs. It is, indeed, characteristic of the disease in hogs that it is present in the cervical glands if it is present at all, and it is not at all certain to be found in the lungs.

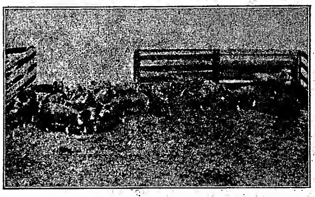
As has previously been noted, the records of the weights, feeds and gains of the pigs in the several lots indicate that, while pigs affected with bovine tuberculosis may show by their outward appearance no perceptible difference from healthy pigs, their feeding qualities are nevertheless to some extent injured, so that they make smaller gains and are likely to require more feed for 100 pounds gain than healthy pigs. The gains made by the infected pigs enforce the same thought.

The results of this experiment indicate:

1. That pigs fed milk containing virulent bacilli of bovine tuberculosis are very likely to become quickly and seriously infected with the disease.

2. That properly pasteurized creamery skim milk is a safe feed for pigs.

3. That pigs confined in small dry yards are no more susceptible to tubercle bacilli taken in the food than are pigs on pasture, while at the same time they are fully as resistant as are pasture-fed pigs to tubercle bacilli from other sources.



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Impossible.—Don't expect a butter maker to make first-class butter from second class cream or don't expect a second class butter maker to make first-class butter from any kind of cream.

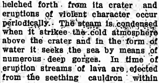
Bran Mash for Horses.—Bran mashes several times a week are helpful after the horses get on dry feed.

PRIVATE CAR FOR FISH.

From Vehicle Commissioners Will Distribute Finny Tribe.

The new Minnesota game and fish commission car is expected to arrive in St. Paul next week, when the side track running to the fish hatchery is completed, says the St. Paul Pioneer Press. The grading for this track is now being done and the Burlington road has agreed to put in the siding at once. A house also will be built in which to store the car when not in use.

The car is 70 feet long and dark orange in color. The compartment in which the cans of fish will be kept is 32 feet long and has a tank at the front end in which a supply of fresh water will be kept. Adjoining this is the refrigerator, where ice will be stored to be used in keeping the water in the cans cold. Pipes will be run from the water tank around the car so that they can be replenished with a fresh supply of water when needed. The car has a capacity of 200 cans and the water tank is above the level of the tops of the cans as they stand on the floor of the car.



Minnesota Fish Car.

Beyond them is the engine room from which a supply of air will be provided for the cans. Next come the kitchen, toilet room, heater and then the parlor compartment with five berths and the dining-room.

The car is equipped with six-wheel trucks, according to specifications approved by railroad engineers for passenger coaches.

At present the commission can ship only 20 cans at a time, and this keeps the men on the road much of the time, while with the new car they can haul 200 cans at a load and supply the demand along one line of road in a single trip.

RAILROAD AROUND A VOLCANO.

Stretch of Track That Will Cost Much Money to Build.

The stretch of road that runs from Tuxpan in the state of Jalisco to Colima, Mexico, is one of the most expensive pieces of railroad building in America. It will cost more than $3,000,000 gold to build this forty-three miles of road. The unreliable antics of the Colima volcano had to be taken into consideration in selecting the route. Jets of steam are constantly belched forth from its crater and eruptions of violent character occur periodically. The steam is condensed when it strikes the cold atmosphere above the crater and in the form of water it seeks the sea by means of numerous deep gorges. In time of eruption streams of lava are ejected from the seething cauldron within the mountain and this molten mass follows the courses marked out by the waterways and pours down upon the more level land far below. The gorges, or barrancas, as they are called in Mexico, are 300 to 600 feet in depth and 100 to 2,000 feet across.

It has been a stupendous task to get the necessary machinery, such as steam shovels, into the almost impenetrable region. All machinery had to be knocked down and carried along narrow mountain trails upon the backs of burros. Frequently when impassable barrancas were reached the loads had to be let down to the bottom of the gorges by means of ropes, and carried across to the other side by Mexican laborers, and then hoisted to the trail on the other side, to resume the journey upon the backs of the patient burros.—W. D. Hornaday in Moody's Magazine.

New Cars Were Lost.

Several years ago the Lehigh Valley road invested in a bunch of new box cars of a certain pattern and in the shipment there was a shortage of three cars. They could not be traced. Seven months after the shipment one of these cars was discovered in Chicago and had made two trips to San Francisco. It was a year before the second car was rounded up, well worn, while months later it was discovered that the third missing car had been smashed in kindling in a wreck.

It is a wonder to the ordinary observer that these knight errant box cars ever get back home. Some of the cars are gone for months, and it has been charged that in times of shortage many of the roads are not particular about sending cars back home.

British Railroad Figures.

From the official railway returns issued at London it appears that British railway capital last year increased by only £2,500,000, the smallest number recorded since the construction of railways began. The total capital invested in British railways amounts to £1,286,000,000. On this the average interest paid last year was 3.46 per cent—not a large return.

Road Grows Own Ties.

The Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railroad has gone into tree growing in order to provide for its future supply of crossties. The Santa Fe has adopted the eucalyptus as the most suitable species for the purpose because of its rapid growth, great density and durability, and is now planting 100 acres in a ranch of 8,000 acres in southern California to eucalyptus seedlings.

A VALUABLE HOME RECIPE.

Will Break Up a Cold in 24 Hours or Cure Any Cough That Is Curable.

Mix one-half ounce of Concentrated oil of pine with two ounces of glycerine and a half pint of good whisky. Shake thoroughly each time and use in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours.

The renowned throat and lung specialist who established a camp for consumptives in the pine woods of Maine, and whose remarkable cures there attracted international attention, declares that the above formula is one of the very best remedies obtainable for an acute cold and that it will strengthen the lungs, relieve coughs and heal the bronchial tubes. Also, that it will cure any case of lung trouble not too far advanced if the patient will assist by plenty of outdoor exercise, inhaling deep, long breaths every few minutes.

The ingredients are procurable of any good prescription druggist and easily mixed at home and should take its place as one of the most valued remedies in the family medicine chest.

Inquiry at one of the leading druggists elicited the information that Concentrated oil of pine is put up for dispensing only in half-ounce vials securely sealed in round air tight cases intended to protect it from heat and light. The oils sold in bulk and the patent medicines put up and labeled "Oil of Pine," are to be avoided because owing to their impurities they produce nausea and are useless as a medicine, besides they sometimes leave permanent kidney trouble.

From the Deep.

First Fish—What's the latest news?

Second Fish—I haven't heard, but there's a man on the shore now who is going to drop me a line.

BABY ITCHED TERRIBLY.

Face and Neck Covered with Inflamed Skin—Doctors No Avail—Cured by Cuticura Remedies.

"My baby's face and neck were covered with itching skin similar to eczema, and she suffered terribly for over a year. I took her to a number of doctors, and also to different colleges, to no avail. Then Cuticura Remedies were recommended to me by Miss G—. I did not use it at first, as I had tried so many other remedies without any favorable results. At last I tried Cuticura Soap, Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent Pills, and to my surprise noticed an improvement. After using three boxes of the Cuticura Ointment, together with the Soap and Pills, I am pleased to say she is altogether a different child and the picture of health. Mrs. A. C. Brestlin, 171 N. Lincoln St., Chicago, Ill., Oct. 20 and 30, 1906."

THE CAFE REVOLUTIONIST.

He Isn't Doing Business Any More in Havana and Is Discouraged.

Maj. Herbert J. Slocum of the Second United States cavalry has been detailed in Cuba for some years. It was he who brought the guardia rurale in that country up to a point of efficiency, so that the island is safer now than ever before.

He and his guard have been very keen after the persons who plot insurrection, and as a result the few remaining recalcitrants have had a miserable time of it recently.

Some one commented upon the fact that there were no more parties of revolutionists to be seen about the cafes in Havana talking blood and drinking coffee.

"No, we've stopped the cafe revolutionist," said Maj. Slocum.

"How do they like the change?" he was asked.

"They don't like it at all. They don't think we play the game fairly.

"Every well conducted revolutionist thinks that a cafe is the place to plot in. But since we've driven a few of them out to the mountains in the rainy season revolutions have dropped away off in popular favor.

"It isn't such fun plotting in the wet and there's no one around to see what a hero you are."

You know how worthless are the "tips" you give out? Well, the "tips" given out by others are equally valueless.

WHAT WAS IT

The Woman Feared?

What a comfort to find it is not "the awful thing" feared, but only chronic indigestion, which proper food can relieve.

A woman in Ohio says:

"I was troubled for years with indigestion and chronic constipation. At times I would have such a gnawing in my stomach that I actually feared I had a—I dislike to write or even think of what I feared.

"Seeing an account of Grape-Nuts I decided to try it. After a short time I was satisfied the awful thing I feared but was still bad enough. However, I was relieved of a bad case of dyspepsia by changing from improper food to Grape-Nuts.

"Since that time my bowels have been as regular as a clock. I had also noticed before I began to eat Grape-Nuts that I was becoming forgetful of where I put little things about the house, which was very annoying. But since the digestive organs have become strong from eating Grape-Nuts, my memory is good and my mind as clear as when I was young, and I am thankful." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book,

WESTERN CANADA A WINNER

THE CROP OF 1907 IS AN EXCELLENT ONE.

Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Farmers Doing Well.

Tho interest that Western Canada has aroused for some years past is growing in intensity. The conditions of the crop of 1907 are such that results can be spoken of with some degree of certainty. The yield of grain will be about 80,000,000 bushels and the price the farmers will realize for it will be upwards of seventy million dollars. The oat crop was good in most places, and the crop of barley will be very remunerative. Those who know of the generally unsatisfactory conditions during the seeding, growing and ripening period in the United States during the past season, will look with righteous distrust on any statement intended to give the impression that Western Canada conditions were so much different. Generally, they were not, but the conditions of a highly recuperative soil, long and continuous sunshine, are conditions possessed by Western Canada and not possessed by any other country on the Continent. This is why it is possible to record today a fairly successful crop, when in most other places the opposite is the case. The yield in all grains is less than last year, but the higher prices obtained more than offset any falling off in the yield. Take for instance the Province of Saskatchewan the wheat crop will be worth $21,135,000. Last year the same crop was 35 per cent. larger and the quality better. The yield was worth $24,000,000. Oats and barley are very important factors in all three central Provinces. At Gladstone, Manitoba, returns from one farm were $27 per acre from the wheat land, $35 per acre from oats, and $30 per acre from barley. The yield of wheat at Dauphin, Manitoba, was 20 to 24 bushels to the acre but not of a very good grade, but the yield of barley in that section was good and so was the quality and price. At Meadow Lea, Manitoba, 15 to 20 bushels to the acre were thrashed, bringing a round dollar on the market. At Oak Lake, Manitoba, on some fields where 21 bushels were expected, twelve and fifteen was the result; others again where twenty was looked for gave twenty-two to twenty-five. One special patch south of town on J. M. McFarlane's farm went as high as thirty bushels to the acre. At Sbcho, Saskatchewan, oats yielded from 60 to 65 bushels to the acre. Sem Wunder threshed 2,500 bushels from forty acres. The sample is good and weighs well. At Lloydminster, Saskatchewan, W. Bibby threshed 97 bushels of oats to the acre, and two others were but little behind. Wheat here reached 35 bushels. At Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, from a quarter section all in crop, Alex. McKinnon of Ingleside threshed an average of 33 bushels No. 1 Northern. I. J. Grant had 190 acres, yielding 6,000 bushels of the same grade. These illustrations taken from widely distant districts (and thousands of others could be produced) show that the year 1907 has not felt the serious effects from severe winter, late spring, or unfavorable conditions during the growing season that might have been anticipated. In order to learn more about this country write to the Canadian Government Agent whose address appears elsewhere, and get a copy of the new Last Best West, which he will be pleased to mail you free.

Guarantee of Good Faith.

"Say, Peleg," declared the county editor, "I can't print this hailstone and hen-egg story of yours unless you leave a few for a sample."

"Hailstones?"

"No; hen's eggs."

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury,

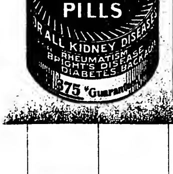
as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.
Sold by Druggists. Price, 75c. per bottle.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Wherefore.

Melodrama is popular because the villain always gets what's coming to him. In real life, after the third act, he is too apt to claim and secure immunity.

FITS, St. Vitus Dance and all Nervous Diseases permanently cured by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. Send for Free $2.00 trial bottle and treatise. Dr. R. H. Kline, Ld., 931 Arch St., Philadelphia, Pa.

When we are traveling, the nearer we approach a large town, the smaller we feel.



ECONOMY IN DRESS

WELL-DEFINED PLAN IS FIRST REQUISITE.

With This It Is Quite Possible to Be Smartly Gowned on All Occasions at Comparatively Small Expense.

The woman who wants to dress well and modishly on a moderate allowance must follow a well-defined plan. She should first take account of the present articles in her wardrobe, then decide on what she will need to enable her to look well turned out on all occasions for the coming season. Her first list will be apt to be far too long and costly for her resources, but by cutting off nonessentials and managing for combinations that will fit in with her several gowns or suits, considerable variety of effect will be possible with a very limited number of independent toilets.

This "cutting of the coat to suit the cloth" need not result in any apparent economy; on the contrary, it often produces a distinct gain in style and individuality, but the women who practices it must be able to say "no" to her inclinations when their indulgence clashes with her plan, and she must understand her limitations. Her color range should be quite limited, and, above all, becoming and suited to the demands of her environment. She cannot afford to indulge in freak fashions or in extremes of any sort, but she should take advantage of every bit of up-to-date modishness in small accessories such as hats, gloves, boots and neck fixings that her means will permit, only remembering that a few really nice well-selected articles give much better results than many things of a more ordinary sort.

Every one knows one or two people who manage to appear as smartly turned out as their more opulent friends at a fraction of the cost. Very often, indeed, their costumes will possess a certain distinctive charm that the others are unable to purchase at any price, and paradoxical as it may sound, these women are not the ones who spend the most time in contriving their outfits. A well-defined plan of dressing saves time as well as money.

Consciously or otherwise, the women who dresses exceptionally well at little cost has reduced the matter to a science. She buys only what she considers essentials, though these may often take the form of very smart fripperies. A well-chosen veil may be expensive, but enable a last season's hat to do further service when otherwise new headwear would be necessary, and her smart small belongings are what enable her to make her few gowns fit in well for any of the many occasions where they must serve.

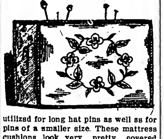
There is no haphazard in her well-considered scheme, and she patronizes bargain counters only when their wares will fill a definite want in her wardrobe.

Probably experience has impressed her, as it has failed to do in the case of less clever women, with the folly of purchasing anything simply because it is cheap. She knows that this form of buying is both extravagant and annoying if indulged in without sufficient consideration.

BEST FORM OF PIN CUSHION.

Mattress Design Certainly Offers the Most Conveniences.

Of all the many different forms in which pin cushions are made, the oblong mattress shape, thoroughly well stuffed, is always one of the most successful, possibly because it can be utilized for long hat pins as well as for pins of a smaller size. These mattress cushions look very pretty covered with detachable linen cases, which can easily be removed for washing from time to time. A mattress cushion of this kind is shown in our sketch covered with very pale blue linen, and adorned with a wreath of wild roses and foliage worked in pale shades of pink and green; a pale green cord outlines the cover. The same idea can be carried out, of course, in linen of any shade, or in silk or satin, if preferred, embroidered either with flowers or with initials.



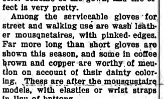
NEW GLOVES AND SLEEVES.

Models of the Past Season Still Remain in Fashion.

For novelty's sake, it is well to have one or two frocks or separate bodices made with the long, close, wrinkled sleeve, but the short bodice sleeve, the three-quarter sleeve and all the rest of near-elbow models are as modish as they have been for a year past.

Gloves will be a question of interest as long as the discussion over sleeves continues. The smartest models are, as usual, of glace or suede in pale grays and fawns and in cream and white. It is strange that, despite the purple craze, comparatively little is shown in this tint in fashionable armwear. Where one is faithful to the one-color scheme to the minutest detail, of course, the gloves follow the color scheme of the gown, and the effect is very pretty.

Among the serviceable gloves for street and walking use are wash leather mousquetaires, with pinked edges. Far more long than short gloves are shown this season, and some in coffee brown and copper are worthy of mention on account of their dainty coloring. These are after the mousquetaire models, with elastics or wrist straps in lieu of buttons.



The vogue of the short skirt has a great deal to do with the strong demand for attractive footwear this season.

Though the shoes and hosiery shown for the long skirt are perhaps more elaborate than they have been for seasons, yet the woman in the short skirt is more particular about having her footwear faultless.

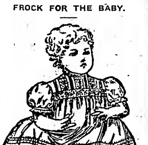
A surprising number of smartly gowned women are displaying high French heels and sheer silken hose, with gowns of ankle length, while others prefer the Cuban heel and hose a trifle more substantial.

Low shoes will be worn as long as the weather permits, and, from one extreme to the other, the high boot will take its place.

Suede boots having 15 buttons are shown and are one of the sensational innovations for winter.

Judging from the display in the custom shoemakers' windows the extremely high shoe will be the fancied style during the winter season.

FROCK FOR THE BABY.



Veiling, Viyella, cashmere, silk, lawn and many cotton materials are suitable for making this little frock. The skirt is gathered to a square yoke under a band of insertion. The yoke is composed of strips of the material tucked, each strip being divided by insertion. The foot is trimmed above the hem with insertion and three tiny tucks.

Materials required: One and three-fourths yard 40 inches wide, and about three yards insertion.

Braiding Must Be Black.

No matter what color your winter frock may be the braiding must be black, and a touch of some black, flat fur will give it all the chic of an imported gown.—Vogue.

Simple Corset Cover.

In these days of the lace, net and lingerie waist one's corset covers must be pretty and well fitted. The slipover corset cover is one which suits many figures and it is easy to make.

The front is made without any tucks and the fullness is obtained when the corset cover is tied in front and at the waist. The neck and sleeves are finished with beading and lace. The back of the corset cover reaches just to the waist and is fastened in a belt made of strong embroidery beading through which ribbon an inch wide is run.

The front of the corset cover reaches a little below the waist line and is held in place by the ribbon, which is tied around the belt. This corset cover is made in two pieces, front and back. As one can tell by its name, it slips over the head and has no opening either front or back.

Old Gowns.

If you are going to freshen up an old gown, or, for that matter, an "old room," don't use trimmings or materials that look new. The beauty of real rugs, tapestry, and hangings, and fine brocade is that they never look new and they never look old. Always match in color the oldest part of a gown that needs freshening up or a room that needs going over, and you need never fear the sunlight or the eyes of the critic.

One of the Essentials

of the happy homes of to-day is a vast fund of information as to the best methods of promoting health and happiness and right living and knowledge of the world's best products.

Products of actual excellence and reasonable claims truthfully presented and which have attained to world-wide acceptance through the approval of the Well-Informed of the World; not of individuals only, but of the many who have the happy faculty of selecting and obtaining the best the world affords.

One of the products of that class, of known component parts, an Ethical remedy, approved by physicians and commended by the Well-Informed of the World as a valuable and wholesome family laxative is the well-known Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all leading druggists.

Cat Rearing Rabbits.

A Wareham man named Wellsteed found four blind baby rabbits on his holding and took them home to his cat for food. Pussy was nursing her one kitten, and instead of eating the rabbits she proceeded to nurse them, and under her fostering care they are doing well.

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Levi M. Churchill, Minneapolis, Minn., hose-supporter; Platt W. Lyon, Minneapolis, Minn., order-blank holder; Edward M. Loftus, St. Paul, Minn., gas-burner; Gunda H. Hefta, Leeds, N. D., wagon-loading device; Edward B. Mann, Mankato, Minn., letter-carrier; Edd O. Oliver, Minneapolis, Minn., speed-indicator.

Qualified.

"I noticed last night that you alluded to Dingletown as an earthly paradise."

"Yes. They haven't a single lawyer there—and milk is 7 cents a quart."

Important to Mothers.
Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher
In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

A Practical Person.

"I don't care for a fall overcoat. Do you, Billy?"

"Not when I have none. I've got one this fall."

HIDES TANNED FOR ROBES, COATS
etc. Oldest tanners in N. W. Send for prices
Foster Robe & Tanning Co., Minneapolis.

Laughter may be beautiful, but it must be a serious matter to be tickled to death.

SICK HEADACHE

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

Positively cured by these Little Pills.

They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.

SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
Genuine Must Bear
Fac-Simile Signature
Brent Good
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

New and Liberal Homestead Regulations in

WESTERN CANADA

New Districts Now Opened for Settlement

160 ACRE FARMS IN WESTERN CANADA FREE

Some of the choicest lands in the grain growing belts of Saskatchewan and Alberta have recently been opened for settlement under the Revised Homestead Regulations of Canada. Thousands of homesteads of 160 acres each are now available. The new regulations make it possible for entry to be made by proxy, the opportunity that many in the United States have been waiting for. Any member of a family may make entry for any other member of the family, who may be entitled to make entry for himself or herself. Entry may now be made before the Agent or Sub-Agent of the District by proxy, (on certain conditions) by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of intending homesteader.

"Any even numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the North-West Provinces, excepting 8 and 26, not reserved, may be homesteaded by any person the sole head of a family, or male over 18 years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less."

The fee in each case will be $10.00. Churches, schools and markets convenient. Healthy climate, splendid crops and good laws. Grain-growing and cattle raising principal industries.

For further particulars as to rates, routes, best time to go and where to locate, apply to

CHAS. PILLING,
Clifford Block, Grand Forks, North Dakota.

Child Life in France.

Modern France is the stronghold of the family system. See a French family at dinner in a restaurant, or for that matter at home. You will never see a gayer, livelier function. There is such a frank and unassumed sense of community about the whole thing. The boys adore their mother, the girls their father, the parents take such a whole hearted delight in their children and the children are so happy and respectful. It is a sight of which every Frenchman may be proud of.

Then, again, French parents love to play the part of a lesser Providence to their children. Nowhere in the world are so many or such varied toys for children made and sold as in Paris. The stranger is often astonished at the fact that no child ever crosses his path who does not bear something novel, something ingenious in the shape of a plaything.

WE PAY TOP PRICES FOR CREAM.
Cash every day. Write for prices and tags.
MILLER & HOLMES, St. Paul, Minn.

A Narrow Escape.

There is at least one man who learned a lesson without losing any money during the recent financial upheaval. It is probable, however, that he lost some sleep. He was a curb broker, and he had a "hunch" that the bank in which he kept his money was about to follow in the wake of the Knickerbocker Trust company. So he withdrew his account and put it into the Trust Company of America, and the next day came the run on that bank. There are fewer details to be had from the broker than if his "hunch" had turned out otherwise."

Going Some.

Monday Aaker's Business college sent Miss C. Johnson into a position as stenographer in the office of Attorney Lesell, LaMoure; to-day, Tuesday, Gudrun Lund goes into a similar position in the office of President Bogstad, Moorhead. Six A. B. C. students have gone into positions the last few days. The department of telegraphy is also proving a great success, and it should; it is the best equipped and has the only experienced teacher of telegraphy in the state. For catalogue address the school at Grand Forks or Fargo.

Proof Positive.

It was grand opera in English.

After listening for two acts we were quite certain of this.

It said so on the program.

HIDES, PELTS AND WOOL.
To get full value, ship to the old reliable N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

From the viewpoint of a woman in front of a mirror, an honest man isn't the noblest work of the Creator.

SAVE 40 PER CENT OF YOUR FUEL.
Write for price list and testimonials.
Economy Fuel Saver Co., Minneapolis.

The larger a man feels the smaller he appears to other men.

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

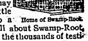
Don't waste time hunting trouble; it will find you soon enough.

Women as Well as Men Are Made Miserable by Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Kidney trouble preys upon the mind, discourages and lessens ambition; beauty, vigor and cheerfulness soon disappear when the kidneys are out of order or diseased.

Kidney trouble has become so prevalent that it is not uncommon for a child to be born afflicted with weak kidneys. If the child urinates too often, if the urine scalds the flesh, or if, when the child reaches an age when it should be able to control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first step should be towards the treatment of these important organs. This unpleasant trouble is due to a diseased condition of the kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as most people suppose.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble, and both need the same great remedy. The mild and the immediate effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold by druggists, in fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also a pamphlet telling all about Swamp-Root, including many of the thousands of testimonial letters received from sufferers cured. In writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and mention this paper. Don't make any mistake, but remember the name, Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y., on every bottle.



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We enjoy fall more than any other season. In the fall we can confidently look forward to big crops next year.

SHIP YOUR CREAM
to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn.
Write to-day for tags and prices.

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"OLD COUNTRY" CEYLON TEA
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Times come to every optimist when he has to lie a good deal to live up to his reputation.

HIGHER CREAM PRICES.
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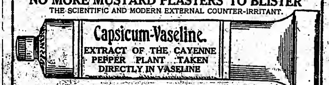
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Wheat,	No. 1 Hard	$ 93
"	No. 1 Northern	92½
"	No. 2 Northern	89½
"	No. 3 Northern	87½
"	No. 4 Northern	74½
"	Rejected	66½
Flax,	No. 1	95
"	No. 2	93
N. G. Flax		87
Barley,	No. 4	72
"	No. 5	66
"	Seed	62
Oats,	No. 3 White	39
"	No. 4 White	27
"	No. 3	35
Flour,	Patent	3 30
"	Straight	2 90
Shorts		24 00
Bran		23 00
Butter		25
Creamery Butter		33
Eggs		25

The skull of a human being grows rapidly up to the age of seven years and then very slowly up to the age of twenty. After that its growth ceases.

A Helping Hand.

When the foreign missionary had concluded his talk he made the usual appeal for contributions, however small. Coming up to the platform with several others, a small boy mounted to the level of the lecturer and, hastening toward him, said:

"Please, sir, I was very much interested in your lecture, and—and"—

"Go on, my little man," said the missionary encouragingly. "You want to help in the good work?"

"Not exactly, sir," said the boy. "What I want to know is, have you any foreign stamps you don't want?"—Success Magazine.

An Easy Mark.

Theodore—It's all right, darling; I have met your father and we took to one another at once. He even went so far as to borrow £10 of me. Surely he can't refuse me your hand after that. Edith—Dory, I'm afraid you've made a mess of it. Pa told me about the £10 and said I'd better give you up; that you were too easy going.—London Scraps.

Her Opportunity.

"I've come to give notice, ma'am."

"Indeed?"

"And would youse give me a good reference, ma'am? I'm going to Mrs. Jones, across the way."

"The best in the world, Maggie. I hate that woman."—Life.

Courage, like cowardice, is undoubtedly contagious, but some persons are not liable to catch it.—George D. Prentice.

About the only thing a man can do without trying is to fall.—Chicago Record-Herald.

"Hear! Hear!"

The parliamentary "Hear, hear!" was not always an expression of approval. So one learns from Dr. Murray's dictionary. The phrase was originally "Hear him, hear him!" used as an exclamation to call attention to a speaker's words. We have a record of its use in 1689 and as late as 1763. A member of the house of commons in 1768, being interrupted in a speech by a "Hear!" retorted, "That very word, 'Hear!' I dread of all others," and a member in 1770 referred to its use as "disorderly." The unabridged form, "Hear him!" was in use so late as the beginning of the century. Lord Stanhope tells us, in his "Life of Pitt," that when that statesman reappeared in the house of commons in May, 1803, after a long absence in opposition, he was hailed as he passed up the gangway with cries of "Hear him!" Francis Horner, who was in the strangers' gallery, noted as a remarkable thing that when Pitt rose to deliver his memorable speech on that occasion he was cheered—met with cries of "Hear him!"—before he had uttered a word. We have warmer blood nowadays.—London Chronicle.

It Looked Suspicious.

Five-year-old Lewis had on several occasions successfully evaded his nurse and paid surreptitious and delightful visits to the workmen on an apartment house in process of building at the corner of his block. As the result of his observations there he unconcernedly and without prejudice emitted a choice and varied assortment of profanity at the luncheon table. His shocked mother tried to impress upon him that never, never again must he repeat such words. But Lewis either lacked discrimination or his parent's warning had not been sufficiently impressive, for a few days afterward he vented a notable addition to his vocabulary of expletives. His mother this time waited not for speech, but promptly and firmly seized the young man and washed his mouth out with soapsuds, which she had already demonstrated as an effectual spiritual cleanser.

A few days afterward Lewis was watching the nurse giving his six-weeks-old sister her bath, and when nurse carefully washed out the little mouth Lewis asked interestedly, "Nurse, has baby been saying naughty words?"—New York Times.

When the Time Came.

Maud—Oh, Ethel, and what did you say to him when he proposed to you? Did you say what you said you were going to the other day? That was a noble speech, just suited to crush the boldest man. And did he slink away like a whipped dog?

Ethel—Well, not exactly. You see, I didn't say just that. I—I—well—er—er—well, you see, I said "Yes."—London Express.

Hunting a Hatpin.

Did you ever hunt for a hatpin in a dusty country road when the young woman who lost the pin does not know exactly where it dropped out of the carriage? It is great sport. There were three other parties in the carriage who did not return to hunt for the pin, but left the young woman and the young man to trail back over the road. The persons in the carriage suspected that the hatpin affair had been made up by the couple hunting for it and so did not interfere, which was very good of them. After strolling back a mile and a half, so that the occupants of the carriage were dimly visible in the distance, the hunters started to return. The party in the carriage then began to realize that there might be something in the story, after all. They drove back, and everybody began to hunt. The hatpin was of a dull gold hue. With their noses in the dust the hunters hunted. Fate led the girl who lost the pin to pick it up herself. Then the suspicions of the remainder of the party were again aroused. They actually believed that it was a put up job. How suspicious some people are!—Columbus Dispatch.

A Painful Possibility.

When the teacher called the class for geography she noticed that Eben Wilkins, her dullest pupil, wore a particularly cheerful smile.

"You look as if you knew your lesson today," she said encouragingly.

"Yes'm, I do," he answered briskly. "The answer to the first question is 'north,' and the next is 'Alaska,' and the next is 'United States,' and the next is"—

"But that is not the way to learn your lesson, Eben," and the teacher struggled for a properly severe expression. "You must skip about. That is what I shall do in asking the questions."

Eben looked as if the joy of living had departed once for all.

"But supposing I didn't skip about just the way you do," he said plaintively, "then I'd be all mixed up."—Youth's Companion.

They Won't Talk Shop.

"There is just one line of trade that men cannot be induced to talk about in public places," said the city salesman. "That is women's fashions. I saw a man in the car a little while ago that I wanted to interview the worst way, but I knew it would be impossible to get a word out of him. He deals in cloaks and suits, and, like all the rest of the men who handle women's garments, he fights shy of the subject in street cars on the ground that nothing makes a man look quite so ridiculous in feminine eyes and the eyes of other men as to discuss from a business standpoint the length of women's coats, the color of their gowns, the shape of their hats and the size of their sleeves."—New York Globe.

The Walking Delegate.

When it first became a part of my duty to come in constant and direct contact with employers and trades union men, it was with little comprehension of the intensely human elements that persist, however the industrial environment changes. For example, it was a cause of much surprise to hear a very active business agent—"walking delegate," if you like—in telling the story of a labor trouble he had been handling and upon which a good deal depended remark that he couldn't follow it up on a certain day because it was his last chance to buy Christmas presents for the babies. Previously looked upon as a sort of impersonal economic automaton, he suddenly became understandable in the light of what he really is—simply an honest, somewhat narrow, tender hearted, pugnacious, jolly good fellow.—H. Robbins in Atlantic.

Poor Portugal.

Poor, proud, sunken Portugal! It is difficult for her to realize that she was ever an intrepid nation, and there is something distinctly pathetic in the manner in which a present day Portuguese will revert several centuries in his pride of patriotic achievement. Vasca da Gama was Portugal's and Camoen. There can be no doubt that she has been great. Let her people derive from the fact such solace as they may. Yet in spite of this natural national feeling and the many evidences of past glory still existing throughout the land the Portuguese, with a very few exceptions, have no true appreciation of their ancient treasure. When questioned about anything archaeological or historical they invariably say that it is muito antigo (very ancient), apparently quite satisfied themselves with such vague assurance.—Isabel Moore in Atlantic.

Here's Good Advise.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of LeRaysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good twenty years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions. 25c at W. A. Schreiter's drug store.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the second day of November, 1903, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 29th day of March A. D., 1904, at five o'clock p. m., in book twenty-nine (29) of Mortgages on page three hundred fifty-five (355), whereby John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, who were the mortgagors therein, mortgaged and conveyed to L. S. Hackney, who was the mortgagee therein, the following described property, situate in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, to-wit:

> The south half of the ne¼ of section number five (5) in township number one hundred fifty-three (153), north of range number forty-four (44), west of the fifth principal meridian containing eighty (80) acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof,

to secure the payment of the sum of four hundred ($400) dollars and interest thereon, at the rate of seven (7 p. c.) per cent per annum, according to the terms of their certain promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage and payable five years after date, with interest at the rate of seven (7 p. c.) per cent per annum, payable annually.

Said mortgage contained a provision, that should any default be made in the payment of any annual installment of interest due thereon or in the payment of any taxes thereafter to be assessed thereon, previous to the day appointed for the sale of lands for state taxes in the state of Minnesota, then and thereupon the whole sum, for the security of which said mortgage was given, shall become immediately due and payable at the election of the said mortgagee.

Said mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of the sum of four and 81-100 ($4.81) dollars of the annual interest due thereon, on the second day of November, 1906, and in the payment of the sum of twenty-eight ($28) dollars, being the entire installment of interest due thereon, on the second day of November, 1907, and in the payment of the taxes assessed thereon for the year 1905, and are still in default therein.

There is claimed to be and is actually due on said note and mortgage, at the date of this notice, the sum of four hundred ($400) dollars, principal; thirty four and 35-100 ($34.35) dollars interest; nine and 45-100 ($9.45) dollars paid by said mortgagee for the taxes of 1905 after said premises had been sold for taxes, with sixty five cents interest thereon; twenty-five ($25) dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, in all, amounting to the sum of four hundred sixty-nine and 45-100 ($469.45) dollars, due thereon at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale, in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the property above and therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, and state of Minnesota, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 18th day of January, 1908, to satisfy and pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees and the costs and expenses of said sale.

Dated November 25th, 1907.

L. S. HACKNEY,
Mortgagee.

BRYAN & COFFMAN,
Attorneys for Mortgagee
1003 Pioneer Press Bldg.,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

ESTATE OF FRED SCHONECKER.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake —In Probate Court.

The State of Minnesota to Marie Schonecker and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court rooms in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of December, 1907 at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of December, 1907.

N. W. TARRANT,
[Seal] Probate Judge.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner. d5-19

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

ESTATE OF AMELIA KORTKE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake —In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Amelia Kortke, Decedent.

Letters of administration having been granted to E. W. Chamberlain;

It Is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Wednesday, the 3rd day of June, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Red Lake Falls Gazette, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, as provided by law.

Dated December 3rd, 1907.

N. W. TARRANT,
(Probate Court Seal) Judge of Probate.

SILVERWARE SPECIALS

For Christmas Shopper's Day
Saturday, November 21, '07

TO give our customers the benefit of Christmas shopping we will put on sale one gross of Silver Knives and Forks, warranted 12 cwt. pure at less than factory prices.

Silver knives and forks, per set of 6 each, worth $5.50 Xmas shoppers... $3.25

NUMEROUS other bargains for Christmas shoppers in Silverware and Graniteware are shown daily and you will find it to your interest to buy everything in the hardware line at

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LANPHER FUR COATS

We have on display an elegant new line of Lanpher, Skinner & Co.'s North Star Furs and would be pleased to have you call when in need of anything in this line.

Friend Bros.' Clothing

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H. O. Gjerberg, the popular Red Lake Falls tailor, has charge of our clothing department and will carefully look after your needs in this line.

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Sweet, Pure and Wholesome

"IT'S ALL THE WHEAT That's fit to Eat"

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THE BIG STORE

20 per cent Off on Overcoats

Don't go out of town for your clothes. You can do better at home. The mild season has been a little hard on the Overcoat business, but they will have to go any way. Our assortment is still very good, so we guarantee you a good selection.

Our assortment of *MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS* is still very good, and if you are not already rigged out for the Holidays you had better come in now.

Xmas Goods

This store as usual is headquarters for Holiday Goods. You will find shopping here a pleasure. The great problem usually is: What will I buy? People usually know what they want to pay, but they have not decided what the article will be. We have arranged

...... 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c COUNTERS ......

where you will find hundreds of articles suitable for Xmas Presents for young or old. Every article marked at bargain prices, many of them sold at sugar profits—prices that will bring us the holiday business and clean up everything in a short time. On these counters you will find

Fancy China Cups and Saucers, Pitchers, Sugar and Creams, Salads, Berry Sets, Milk Sets, Vases, Smokers Sets, Japanese Ware of every description, Toy Banks, Children's Books from 5c up, Tops, Dominoes, Games, Rubber Balls, Child's Set of Knife, Fork and Spoon for 25c, Candle Sticks, Toy Watches, Mugs, Xmas Candies, Xmas Tree Goods, Ornaments, Etc., Etc.

Each counter loaded with new "what you want" goods. If you know what you want to pay you will find what you need in a minute. We also have an

ART COUNTER

where you will find rich, high-class China and Decorated Goods, Haviland China, Shelf Pieces, etc. We have also arranged a FANCY WORK BOOTH, where you will find all kinds of Hand Embroidery, Fancy Stitched Pieces, Leather Goods, etc. You will find this store full of suggestions that will relieve you from the worry attending Christmas shopping. Don't wait till the last minute. Buy now and we will hold the goods for you. Don't fail to come to Santa Claus' headquarters.

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USE PRINTER'S INK

The Local Merchants have Received their Xmas Goods and so Advertise.

The local dealers have been busy the past few days unpacking their holiday goods and putting the same on display that Christmas shopping may be made easy. The store windows about town show art and taste in their display, and those passing along the streets are sure to stop and let the eyes feast upon the many beautiful articles of seasonable selection. Among those who have made a special effort to supply their trade with toys and articles suitable for seasonable tokens, and who are anxious that the trade should know of their offerings, are

Henry W. Anderson, the popular jeweler, who has on display a handsome line of jewelry and silverware suitable for Christmas tokens and "friendship retainers." He is also offering his odds in Japanese chinaware at cost to close out to make room for a new line of hand painted china.

Brunelle Bros., the local cigar manufacturers, are busy these days supplying the trade with holiday boxes of cigars, the brands of which they call particular attention in an enlarged space.

E. Chatel, the Cash Grocer, tells of the fine assortment of new goods just received, and calls special attention to his chinaware and crockery, and to the chromos to be given away.

The First State Bank has enjoyed a prosperous and steady growth during the past year and they solicit your banking business with the assurance of safety and reliability.

"The Christmas Store" is that of Franz F. Freund, and he is headquarters for everything in candies, fruits, nuts, toys, post cards, fancy chinaware, etc.

The First State Bank of Brooks has their financial statement for the perusal of our readers this week.

Gercenu & Zaiser, the Busy Store, have some special bargains in groceries, cloaks, ribbons, etc., for the shopping day trade. You can well afford to wait for this event.

The Hunt Hardware Co. are preparing for inventory and have a number of "specials" for Christmas Shoppers' Day, besides a special discount in various lines.

Special offerings in silver knives and forks is the theme of G. A. Kankel's advertisement, and none should fail to read it carefully.

Theo. LaBissoniere, of the Big Store, has numerous special offerings for the holiday trade, besides a special discount on clothing.

The Merchants State Bank gives a comparative statement showing a steady growth, which goes to show that conservative banking merits increased patronage.

J. N. Nimesgern, the north side general merchant, has special offerings in Columbia graphophones, toys, dishes, etc.

The Red Lake Falls creamery will run all winter, and they want ALL the cream of the country tributary.

W. A. Schrieter, as usual, will be headquarters for Santa Claus and has his drug store packed with holiday goods suitable for all needs.

Matt Skale, the north side general merchant and traders' friend, has a few words calling your attention to his mammoth stock of furs, clothing and furnishings suitable for Christmas presents.

W. T. Spillane has his confectionery store packed with toys, candies and novelties to please the older ones as well as the children.

Reflections of a Bachelor.

New York Press: When a man will diet it's with something he won't eat anyway.

The more a girl's photograph looks like an angel the more surprised her family would be to know it.

A woman can never get so fat that she doesn't wonder how some other woman's dressmaker can fit her.

It's the man who hasn't any balance in the bank who makes the most fuss about it cashing only small checks.

Even when a man is in such a hurry at breakfast that he can't look at his newspaper he believes it helps him to catch his train not to let anybody else touch it.

A Chemical Mystery.

Some years since a meteor that fell in Mexico attracted attention from scientists all over the world because there was some reason for thinking that it might be a fragment of a lost comet. A scientific investigation proves that golden grain belt beer is rich in nutrition and nerve food and a pure, wholesome drink that aids digestion. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

XMAS SHOPPER DAY

It Promises to be an Occasion when Bargains in all Lines are Rife.

Our merchants are busy these days waiting upon the trade that usually precede a Christmas rush, and are working overtime preparing for Christmas Shoppers' Day, which promises to be a great success and the crowning event over all market days which have been held in Red Lake Falls during the past two seasons. The stores are packed with holiday goods of every variety and shopping so far has been far in advance of former years, and as Saturday, the 21st, draws near the assortments become broken and selecting presents the last few days before Christmas will become more difficult. However, the day set aside for Christmas shopping will find on display the many specials designated by our dealers in their advertisements prior thereto, and all who avail themselves of these opportunities will find "Christmas presents in their stockings," so to speak.

Special inducements are offered those from a distance who do their trading in Red Lake Falls, and a ready market for all grains and produce is always to be found here. Wood, also, has been selling readily this fall at good prices, so none need hesitate about making Saturday, December 21st, their Christmas shopping and trading day. Watch continually the advertisements of our merchants and let not distance stand between you and "Santa's headquarters" when it comes to doing your holiday shopping. Bring the little tots in and let them feast their eyes upon the holiday displays about town, and then so far as possible see that their letters to Santa Claus are properly "stamped" so none will be disappointed Christmas eve. Remember how longingly you waited from year to year for Christmas to come when a mere lad, and if you have prospered this year make glad the hearts of your children by some token appropriate to their age. Christmas Shopper's Day provides these tokens, so remember the date, come early and bring your family.

PRONOUNCED INSANE

Judge Tarrant was Summoned to Act on Case.

Probate Judge N. W. Tarrant was summoned to Thief River Falls on Monday to decide upon the sanity of one Joe Wickum, who was held in custody by the police awaiting the Judge's arrival. This was the third time the fellow was brought before the board and while he seemed rational both times before, he was off his balance right Monday. He was pronounced insane and on Tuesday evening was conveyed to the hospital at Fergus Falls by Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson, assisted by Patrolman Jas. Farr, of Thief River Falls. On their return home yesterday morning Sheriff Nelson and Mr. Farr arrested a young woman at Crookston for stealing, and she was taken before Judge Bishop, of the Municipal Court at Thief River, and given a hearing, but we failed to learn of her disposition ere going to press.

NEW DITCH LAW VOID.

Unconstitutional to Take Property for Private Purposes.

The ditch law passed by the last legislature was laid away on the shelf last week in an opinion handed down by the supreme court, in which Justice E. A. Jaggard declares chapter 191 of the laws of 1907, the new ditch law, to be unconstitutional and void.

The new law gave the owner of wet lands the right to drain them across a neighbor's land. If the men whose land was affected by the drain offered an objection it was up to the town supervisors to appraise the damage.

William Pautzke of Rockwood attempted to dig a ditch across the land of Charles Schubert, who entered a protest, on the ground that the new law permitted the taking of private property for private purposes.

BANKS SHOW GAIN

Southern Red Lake County Shows No Signs of Financial Distress.

Red Lake can justly lay claim to bring one of the most prosperous counties in the state. The bank statements issued this week in response to the call by the superintendent of banks shows unusual growth of deposits and resources. This condition can be accounted for on no other theory than that the people of the county have had a favorable year.

In Red Lake Falls the two banks exhibit total resources of $411,881,77 while the deposits aggregate $356-721,16. This is an increase in resources of $41,000 since last spring.

The First State Bank of Brooks, the newest bank in the county, is a lusty infant, showing resources of $56,901.59, and deposits of $45,662.-44.

At St. Hilaire the Merchants State Bank, managed by C. L. Hansen, has resources of $135,689,04 and deposits of $121,769.05.

The First State Bank of Plummer has resources of $49,086.24 and deposits of $36,642'97.

The statements of the Thief River banks are not at hand, but we understand they show about the same ratio of growth.

The five banks of southern Red Lake county have total resources of $653,558,54; total deposits of $560,-895,62, and total cash assets of $140,777.59. This is a growth of about 18 per cent in the last six months.

This condition of our local financial institutions is gratifying, and is abundant proof that our people are becoming well-to-do.

The local bank have never suspended cash payments, and money for any legitimate purpose is paid out as freely as before the beginning of the financial flurry.

Call at the Gazette office and see our fine line of fancy stationery.

PRE-INVENTORY SALE

We want to reduce our stock of hardware before Inventory Jan'y 1st. and for the balance of this year we will give 5 per cent cash discount on all cash sales excepting only: Barbed wire, Nails in Keg lots, and a few items where selling prices are arbitrarily made by the manufacturers and goods on which special sale prices have been made

For Christmas Shoppers' Day, Beginning Saturday, December 21st., we shall put on sale:

Lot 1—2 doz No. 9, 14 oz nickel plated copper tea kettles, usually sold for 1.50, this sale price only 99c

Lot 2—1 doz Mrs. Potts pattern, nickel plated sad irons, this sale only 93c

Lot 3—6 doz 3 coat enameled wash basins, 1st quality, large size, 45c value, this sale only 23c

Lot 4—1 doz Extra hollow ground razors everyone fully warranted by us, this sale only $1.23

Look at our mark down prices on wall paper--we must make room for spring stock. Examine our fine line of Rockester nickel plated ware---you get 5 per cent discount on this line to cash buyers

Hunt Hardware Co.

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NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Washington Notes.

R. F. Duckworth of Atlanta, Ga., chairman of the executive committee of the National Farmers' union, and C. T. Ladson met President Roosevelt and Secretary Cortelyou and discussed remedies for financial depression.

The consul at Lourenzo Marquez reports that the governor general will soon publish a decree calling attention to a law and giving all missionaries teaching in schools six months in which to qualify for teaching in the Portuguese language.

The establishment of at least one brigade post is foreshadowed in the authorization of Quartermaster General Aleshire of the equipment of Fort D. A. Russell, Wyoming, with accommodations for one regiment of cavalry and one of mountain artillery.

At a meeting of senators from Oregon, Washington, Idaho and Montana an amendment of the interstate commerce law was agreed upon in response to the demand of the shippers of lumber of the northwest, prohibiting any increase of railroad rates until such shipper shall be given an opportunity to be heard.

"You can bet your North American life that the battleship fleet will sail from Hampton Roads on its voyage to the Pacific on the morning of Dec. 16. The vessels will get under way just as soon as I receive the president's order to set sail." In this characteristic manner Admiral Robley D. Evans answered the reports recently current that there would be a delay in the assembling and consequent departure of the fleet from the date originally set.

Personal.

Capt. E. K. Dorn, now on the retired list of the navy, has been appointed governor of Guam, vice Commander T. H. Potts.

Dr. Arnold Schwyzer of St. Paul has been appointed Swiss consul to Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Wyoming and Montana.

May Yohs, the former Lady Hope, who eloped with Putnem Brodlee Strong of New York, and went to Japan, is now playing in a 10-cent vaudeville theater at Sacramento, Cal.

Grant Richards, one of the best known of London publishers, has arrived in New York. Mr. Richards said he believed the time was coming when American writers would be as popular in England as Englishmen.

Henry I. McCrea, son of Capt. Henry McCrea, one of the best known American naval officers, now in command of the battleship Georgia, has resigned from the navy, in which he held a commission as paymaster, to go on the stage.

Addison C. Gumbert, known to all old-time followers of baseball, may be the first mayor of Greater Pittsburg. Gumbert during the time he was a ballplayer, pitched for the Boston, Chicago and Pittsburg clubs. Since he retired from baseball, ten years ago, he has been prominent in politics. He is now sheriff of Allegheny county.

The United States national museum at Washington has placed on exhibition a specimen "leaf" of a thornless cactus developed by Luther Burbank of California. The perfecting of a cactus without thorns means the providing of a valuable forage plant which will grow as well in arid as in moist regions.

Crimes.

Three men were assassinated as they stepped from a train at Clio, Ark. The murderer is unknown.

Roy Pell, convicted of the murder of John Lepley of Gifford, Iowa, was sentenced to twenty-five years in the Fort Madison penitentiary.

Louis M. Dyke, president of the defunct Atcila National bank, charged with misappropriation of funds, pleaded guilty at Birmingham, Ala., and was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary.

Physically wrecked through excesses, George F. Miller, aged forty-eight years, once a brilliant lawyer and private secretary to Samuel J. Randall of Pennsylvania, committed suicide at St. Louis by taking a dose of whisky and morphine.

J. E. Reeves, head of a chain of supply stores and cotton warehouses at Griffin, Vaughn, Jackson, Glenville and Nurcroee, Ga., has absconded, carrying with him a sum of money supposed to be over $100,000, the larger portion of which he procured by selling cotton stored in his warehouses by farmers. A large reward is offered for his apprehension.

The federal grand jury at Des Moines ordered an indictment drawn against Sears, Roebuck & Co. of Chicago, charging them with using the mails illegally. The investigation leading up to the indictment was instituted by the Des Moines Retail Merchants' association.

Horace S. Davis, fifty-three years old, a prominent business man of Kalamazoo, Mich., was shot through the heart and killed by a burglar. Davis had grappled with the intruder when the latter threatened to kill Mrs. Davis.

Maddened by the belief that her husband's affections had been stolen from her by Mrs. Sallie Brown, Mrs. Annie B. Maith of Baltimore shot and killed Mrs. Brown.

Peter Steffenson, the Fort Keogh, Mont., soldier who was on trial here for cutting Frank Cassy with a knife about a month ago, was acquitted. He admitted using the knife, but pleaded self-defense.

Steve Adams, the jury in whose trial for the murder of Fred Tyler reported a disagreement, was admitted to bail at Rathdrum, Idaho. Bail was fixed at $20,000. Attorney Darrow for the defense announced the bond would be provided within a few days.

The jury in the case of Louis Serre, charged with murder in the first degree, returned a verdict of not guilty at Great Falls, Mont. The killing with which Serre was charged occurred last August in All Nations saloon, where Serre shot Leon Neveux, proprietor of the saloon, killing him almost instantly. Serre pleaded self-defense.

Accidental Happenings.

In defense of his mother, Peter Lindermier of New York, aged seventeen years, grappled with his father, and during the scuffle the elder man was shot and killed.

The tug Escort of Port Dalhousie, Ont., was struck by the barge Harrison in tow of the steamer Westmount, off Niagara point, and sunk. Three of the crew were drowned.

An unidentified woodsman was struck by a work train on the Atlantic & Lake Superior railroad near Atlantic, Mich., and killed. The man evidently had gone to sleep on the track.

Alpheus Stotbewer, halfback on the Wellington, Kan., football team, ran into a buggy on the side line in a game in his home town and suffered concussion of the brain. The injury may prove fatal.

One man was killed, several persons were injured and traffic on the upper end of the Lenox avenue branch of the subway in New York was blocked as a result of a collision between two eight-car trains.

Fire originating from an unknown source burned two infant children of Patrick Mason of Menominee, Mich., while the mother was away from home. The oldest child, aged three years, died several hours later, while the younger child may recover.

From Other Shores.

The government of Guatemala has issued a special decree prohibiting the return to that republic of Chinese who leave it.

The second trial of Maximilian Harden, editor of the Berlin Die Zukunft, charged with libeling Count von Moltke, has been fixed for Dec. 16.

Sig. Tittoni, the Italian minister of foreign affairs, has presented to the chamber of deputies for ratification the Italo-Mexican general treaty of arbitration which was concluded during the last Hague peace conference.

John Harley, a Britisher who went to Japan in 1864, has brought suit against the Japanese government for 1,000,000 yen damages for having impounded opium imports by him in 1875 while allowing Dutch firms and other foreigners to import the drug.

Under instructions received from Washington data regarding the French postal savings bank system are being compiled at Paris for the American postmaster general, Gen. von L. Meyer, in connection with his recommendation for the establishment of postoffice savings banks in the United States.

A special dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Lisbon by way of the frontier describes the capital as being outwardly calm as a result of the royal decrees forbidding political gatherings and newspaper comment on the political situation, but, says the correspondent, it is extremely difficult to foresee what may happen.

General News Items.

Nine troops of the First cavalry and two troops of the Sixth cavalry will sail for the Philippines Dec. 5 on the transport Thomas.

The revised Chilean tariff will go into effect Jan. 1. The bill authorizes the president to reduce by 50 per cent the import duties on woolen and flaxen textiles, footwear, galvanized iron and sugars.

Dress reform, proposed by the faculty of the Nebraska state university, was defeated at a meeting of the students. The women voted solidly against the elimination of ribbons and gay colors.

"With New Mexico admitted to the Union as a state by itself, the project of a ship canal from the Great Lakes to the Gulf of Mexico will be advanced by the votes of its United States senators and congressmen," declares Gov. Curry of New Mexico.

History repeated itself on Franklin field at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania winning the annual football game with Cornell, the score this year being 12 to 4. It was Pennsylvania's thirteenth victory in fifteen games played with the Ithacans.

A clock has just been installed in the observatory of the Case School of Applied Sciences in Cleveland, the mechanism of which is so accurate that the clock will not vary more than fifteen one-thousands of a second from the exact time in twenty-four hours.

During the Thanksgiving ball of the Mercantile club, an exclusive Hebrew social organization of Wheeling, W. Va., while the guests were enjoying a waltz, Ollie Reed, an insurance agent, suddenly clutched the arm of his partner, grew pale and dropped to the floor dead.

THE STATE DAY BY DAY

News of Interest.

MACALESTER TO ENTERTAIN.

State Oratorical Association Meeting Will Be Held in St. Paul.

Macalester college at St. Paul has been selected by the State Oratorical association to entertain the association when the annual contest is held this year. J. Todd Guy of Macalester is the president of the state association, and will preside at the contest.

A committee composed of W. M. Fisk, chairman, and John McEwen and Robert S. Wallace, with W. M. Hobart, president of the local association, and Mr. Guy, as president of the state association as members ex officio, will have immediate charge of the contest.

The colleges represented by the State Oratorical association are St. Olaf, Carleton, Gustavus Adolphus, Hamline and Macalester. Each college will send a representative selected by its local oratorical association.

The committee will endeavor to secure the St. Paul Auditorium for the occasion, and thus give the speakers the benefit of the largest building in the Northwest. A special train will be arranged from Northfield to accommodate students from Carleton and Gustavus Adolphus. Bands and glee clubs from the colleges will furnish the music.

CROP YIELD GREATER.

Insane Hospital Farm Productions Is Reported.

The crops on the insane hospital farm at Fergus Falls have generally fallen below last year's average, although some lines show an increase. The farm, which is the largest in the state, raises practically everything in the garden line required by the 1,550 patients, supplies them with milk and furnishes a partial supply of beef and other articles. The report of the year's products has just been filed with the superintendent and shows the following amounts of the various lines of produce: Asparagus, 550 bunches; beets, table 955 bushels; cabbage, 7,400 heads; celery, 1,200 bunches; sweet corn, 360 bushels; field corn, 1,200 bushels; cucumbers, 200 bushels; peas, 90 bushels; parsnips, 540 bushels; rhubarb, 14,225 pounds; tomatoes, 220 bushels; onions, 725 bushels; potatoes, 9,000 bushels; ensilage, 300 tons; hay, 312 tons; pumpkins, 300; horseradish, 300 gallons; barley 2,000 bushels; oats, 4,400 bushels; pork, 38,000 pounds; veal, 870 pounds; beef, live weight, 41,700 pounds; milk, 49,600 gallons.

SPOUSE DEMANDS MONEY.

Wife Says Husband Threatened Her Life When She Refused.

Because his wife would not consent to put a little money she had left to her in the bank in her husband's name, Albert Glaser was in court at Winona on the charge of threatening to kill her. He was compelled to furnish bonds in the sum of $100 to keep the peace for six months. He is a bricklayer and earns good wages, and Mrs. Glaser thinks she should keep her own money in her own name. Because she held to this opinion, she alleges, he beat her severely and then threatened to kill her. Mrs. Glaser said she did not want her husband punished, but wanted such action taken as would assure her safety.

FIND JOBS FOR MANY.

State Free Employment Bureaus All Do Big Business.

The three state free employment bureaus are all doing a big business, according to Labor Commissioner W. H. Williams. They placed 3,300 people during the month of October. Since Aug. 1, when the St. Paul and Duluth bureaus were started, the three places have found work for over 19,000 people.

Conditions now are the reverse of what they were a short time ago. Up to Nov 1 the demand for labor exceeded the supply. Now the supply is in excess, and the bureaus are accumulating waiting lists. Owing to the labor demand on the iron range and on the lakes, the Duluth bureau bids fair to do the bigger business of the three being operated.

MANY STUDENTS BELOW.

First Warnings Are Sent to Those Who Are Deficient.

Warnings have been sent to the university students who have been below in their studies so far this year. The first three months of the college year has been completed and several students have failed in such large percentage of their work that unless they brace up by the end of the semester they will be dropped from the rolls. In the academic department thirty-seven students have failed in three or more subjects, which is enough to cause them to be dropped. In the same department 135 more have failed in two subjects. In the engineering department 14 out of 137 students have failed in the physic classes.

State Loans Funds.

The state board of investments met at the capitol and approved loans to school districts aggregating $35,025. One loan of $12,000 to a Crow Wing county school district was for refunding a loan made some years ago, and the others were all for school purposes. The loans authorized were as follows: Beltrami, $500; Aitkin, $1,600; Wright, $175; Marshall, $1,000; Mille Lacs, $1,000; Clay, $1,600; Douglas, $500; Yellow Medicine, $1,000; Murray, $12,000; Red Lake, $1,050; Stearns, $3,000; Crow Wing, $12,000.

TO REORGANIZE THE GUARD.

It Is Suggested That the State Have Three Regiments.

Officers of the national guard of Minnesota were in conference with Gov. Johnson and Adjt. Gen. Wood recently looking to the reorganization of the guard so as to bring it up to the requirements of what is known as the Dick law.

Gen. Joseph Bobleter, Col. C. C. McC. Reeve, Maj. Spear and Gen. Lambert were present.

The three regiments in Minnesota at present consist of nine companies each, and to bring them up to the requirements of the Dick law necessitates the organization of three more companies for each regiment, or nine in all. Without them Minnesota cannot secure the $43,000 aid which the federal government gives.

Under the old arrangement the regiments and companies were located in a haphazard manner, but now a reorganization is contemplated by Gov. Johnson that will make their location more uniform. He suggests a regiment, the First for the Twin Cities; another, the Second, for the southern part of the state, and the Third for the northern section. This would wipe out one company of the Third, now located in St. Paul. It would be transferred to the First instead. Because of the absence of armories in the smaller cities the formation of the nine additional companies and the location of the same is somewhat of a task. To reduce the number it was suggested at the conference to make a company of infantry out of the company of engineers now located in St. Paul, which would give the two cities five companies each, but it met with vigorous opposition. The artillery are against the change as they now have a battalion, with Maj. Lambert as the officer in charge.

No decision as to the changes contemplated or the location of the new companies to be created was decided upon, but it is expected that arrangements will be decided upon this week. The work must be done before the first of the year.

Though the Twin Cities have the largest armories in the state, even they are lacking in room. In the case of St. Paul the drill hall is in use every night, being apportioned out to the six companies. Any addition will call for new facilities. It is expected that three of the new companies will be assigned to the two cities.

STOP SALE OF SICK CATTLE.

State Board Adopts More Stringent Regulations.

A number of changes in the regulations of the state live stock sanitary board were made at a special meeting in the secretary's office in the old capitol at St. Paul. The principal changes relate to tuberculosis in cattle and hog cholera.

The change in the tuberculosis regulation is for the purpose of fighting more effectively the progress of this disease. It is now provided that whenever any cattle have been inspected and found to be free from tuberculosis, or when so tested have been found to contain any tuberculosis cattle which are removed, the owner of the cattle shall not introduce any new cattle into the herd which have not been tested with tuberculin and found free from tuberculosis, either by the state board or the local board having jurisdiction in the territory in which such cattle are usually kept.

The owners are also required within ten days after the removal of the infected cattle to disinfect those parts of the interior of the building in which the infected cattle were kept.

The regulations also require that all cattle which show clinical symptoms of tuberculosis must be quarantined at once and the entire herd tested with tuberculin within thirty days. Owners of cattle affected with tuberculosis shall not receive any compensation from the state for cattle killed on account of this disease when the owners have failed to comply with the regulations.

Under the new regulations all hogs shipped for breeding purposes must be inspected for hog cholera before shipment. This does not apply to hogs shipped to stockyards for slaughter, because they are inspected at the destination before being killed. The regulations also prohibit the taking of breeding hogs out of railroad shipping points, where they have been sent for the purpose of sending to the stockyards for slaughter.

While there have been a number of outbreaks of hog cholera this year, Dr. M. S. Whitcomb, secretary of the board, states that the number is less than last year, and that with the new regulations he feels that the board will be better equipped than ever for stamping out or reducing the number of cases of this disease.

LAYING THE FOUNDATIONS.

State Building Dirt Roads, Later to Be Surfaced With Gravel.

State roads built this year under supervision of the highway commission are only foundations for permanent surfaced roads. George W. Cooley, state highway engineer, is busy checking up the reports and inspecting roads, and says that about thirty counties have used the highway commission funds this year for building state roads. He inspected two miles of road in Traverse county recently. It is a good graded and drained road, which may be surfaced with gravel later. It cost about $1,000, of which the state puts in $300. This is the style of work generally being done under the state supervision. All culverts put in on these roads are permanent structures of either steel or concrete.

Counties that have not spent any money on roads get none of the state help, and the money apportioned to them will go back in the fund for distribution next year. Counties that set no money aside for this purpose will get none of the state distribution next year, and the counties that are awake on the proposition will benefit accordingly.

Mr. Cooley heard from L. W. Page director of the department of road building in the agricultural department at Washington. He agrees to give government co-operation and some money for the experiment in improving a sand road by cultivating clover and forming a loam. The department of plant industry will also take a hand to suggest other vegetation that may give good results when rotted and mixed with sand.

CONVENTION OF CLUBS.

To Perfect Federation of Commercial and Business Organizations.

Plans for a convention of the commercial clubs and business organizations of the state, to be held for the purpose of forming a federation, have been nearly perfected by Secretary C. P. Stine of the St. Paul Commercial club. A meeting has been called for Jan. 16 at 10 o'clock, when delegates from the different organizations will gather at the old capitol.

Invitations are now being sent out by Secretary Stine, who is being heartily seconded in his efforts by Gov. Johnson and Mayor Smith, as well as by members of the local Commercial club. Every commercial club and business organization in the state is being invited to send two delegates to the convention. An attractive and instructive program has been arranged, and it is expected the convention will last about two days.

The object of the meeting is to perfect a permanent federation of all the commercial and business organizations of the state in order that they may cooperate for the development of the state as a whole. Working together, it is believed they can accomplish much towards advertising the state, attracting immigrants, promoting drainage and in other ways benefiting the whole commonwealth.

Both Gov. Davidson and Mayor Smith have written letters strongly indorsing the movement and expressing their willingness to co-operate in every way possible towards making it a success.

STACY REPORT IS TRIMMED.

State Board of Audit Says Little Is Material.

Recommendations for legislation and criticisms against county officers are not matters for the state board of audit, as the board decided at a lengthy session in St. Paul.

This board consists of the governor, secretary of state and attorney general. Its duty is to examine the state treasurer's office four times a year to see that state funds are intact and the books properly kept. The public examiner is supposed to examine the treasurer's office every year. This time the board of audit asked E. N. Stacy, deputy public examiner, to make the examination. His report finds the state money and accounts in good shape, but criticises the delay of counties in remitting state collections, and also the lack of uniformity in computing interest on state deposits. It also finds flaws in the bonds of several banks.

The meeting was held in the governor's office and was executive. Mr. Stacy was present and explained his report. The members of the board agreed that there were some good things in the report, but that very little of it had any place in the records of the board of audit.

RAILROADS HAVE A GOOD YEAR.

Gross Earnings in Minnesota Show Increase of More Than $7,000,000 Over Preceding Year.

The gross increase of the railroads during the fiscal year ending on June 30, 1907, on business credited to Minnesota show an increase of more than $7,000,000 over the same figures for the preceding fiscal year, according to the railroad reports to the railroad and warehouse commission. The gross earnings for last year were $88,666,374.56, as compared with $81,584,237.05 for 1906, a gain of $7,082,137.51 in spite of the fact that the reduced merchandise rates were in effect for the greater part of last year and the 2-cent passenger fare rate was in effect for two months of that period.

The gross earnings of the railroad operating in Minnesota on the business of their entire lines also shows a large increase over the preceding year. The gross earnings for the year just ended were $480,423,972.06, while for 1906 they were $433,355,683.33, a gain of $47,068,288.73.

While the gross earnings tax is based on the earnings for the calendar year and not the fiscal year, if this increase is maintained for the rest of this year, the increase in the gross earnings tax paid by the railroads for this year will be about $280,000, based on an increase of $7,000,000.

That the increase in earnings was general on all of the roads with hardly any exceptions is shown by the following table of the comparative Minnesota earnings of the roads for the last two years:

Two Years Compared.

	1906.	1906.
St. Paul	$10,041,840.81	$9,761,575.0
Northwestern	3,272,589.03	3,245,025.1
Omaha	4,568,280.12	4,291,348.41
Duluth & Iron Range	8,171,484.00	7,757,635.88
Duluth, Misabe & Northern	10,981,893.61	8,368,489.01
Great Northern	21,246,369.54	20,030,398.91
Northern Pacific	14,551,116.47	13,505,142.24
Soo	5,131,814.12	4,487,813.17
Minneapolis & St. Louis	2,713,869.30	2,654,632.31
Chicago Great Western System—		
Chicago Great Western	1,556,762.02	1,455,433.56
Mason City & Ft. Dodge	131,755.96	124,313.15
Wis., Minn. & Pacific	681,861.51	738,810.20
Willmar & Sioux Falls (G. N.)	1,086,624.90	1,125,902.08
Minn. & International (N. P.)	644,213.44	614,453.37

DRAINAGE LAW VALID.

Decision in Case Where Owner of Land Enjoins Digging of Ditch.

The constitutionality of chapter 230 of the Laws of 1905, the general drainage law, was upheld by the supreme court in the case of M. J. and W. S. Millar against Jorgen Jensen and others, appealed from Clay county. This was an action to restrain the defendants from digging a ditch through the plaintiff's land. An injunction against the defendants was issued by a court commission, and the district court ordered the injunction dissolved, from which order the plaintiffs appealed, the supreme court affirming the lower court.

The defendants had entered into a contract with the county commissioners of Clay county to construct this ditch which ran through the plaintiff's land diagonally. The plaintiffs allege that to farm their land to the best advantage all parts of it must be readily accessible to the buildings, a condition not possible with the ditch as planned. They asserted that the purpose of the ditch was not to benefit the public health, but to drain agricultural land bordering on their land.

The defendants alleged that the ditch had been established in accordance with chapter 230 of the Laws of 1905, by the county commissioners on a finding that its construction would be of public utility and conducive to the public health. The condemnation proceedings were tried in the lower court, and the damages to the plaintiffs were assessed by a jury, and the plaintiffs' motion for a new trial was still pending when the injunction was granted.

The supreme court holds that it was within the discretion of the lower court to dissolve the injunction and affirmed the order of the lower court.

NEW TAX FORMS.

Commission Asks County Auditors for Suggestions.

The state tax commission has issued some new forms for applications for abatement of real and personal property taxes. They are being sent out to the county auditors for examination with a request that the auditors criticise them and make such comments and suggestions as they feel proper. The forms are of those applications which will be submitted to the tax commission after the tax lists have been passed upon by the town or city boards of review. The new forms are arranged with a view to getting all of the necessary information in concise form without any unnecessary detail.

Mrs. A. Banhoft, residing on a farm two miles east of Trosky, hanged herself. She was a widow with a family of children. The family arose as usual and the children went out to do the chores. They returned soon after daylight to find no breakfast, but their mother hanging from a bedpost.

David T. Lambertz, fifty years old, a laborer, committed suicide on the old Fort Snelling reservation at St. Paul. Capt. Day found the body hanging from the limb of a tree.

Beaten.

Hereupon the widows and orphans whom we had plundered proceeded to call down the customary curses upon our heads.

"And upon your children and your children's children, unto the fourth generation!" they cried.

We gave them a rude stare and burst out laughing.

"Ever hear of a family as rich as we are now become having any children?" We sneered, and you should have seen how beaten they looked.

A Case of Beer.

"I'm not expecting any package," said Mrs. Hamlet to the driver of the delivery wagon, who was persistent.

"This is the number," insisted the driver, looking at his book again. "Name's Hamlet, ain't it?"

"Yes."

"No. 74?"

"That's our number."

"Then it's for you."

"I think not. It must be a case of mistaken identity."

"No, mum. It's a case of beer."

"Those financial investigations are very interesting." "They are," answered the man who is selfishly ambitious, "only there are too many explanations of how the trick was done and nothing reliable about what the next good things will be."—Washington Star.

CONGRESS HEARS FROM PRESIDENT

MESSAGE DISCUSSES RECENT FINANCIAL STRINGENCY AND ITS CAUSES.

FINANCIAL REFORM IS NEEDED

ANTI-TRUST LAWS, INTERSTATE COMMERCE AND TARIFF DISCUSSED.

The following is a synopsis of the president's message:

In opening his message the president refers to the financial stringency as follows:

"No nation has greater resources than ours, and I think it can be truthfully said that the citizens of no nation possess greater energy and industrial ability. In no nation are the fundamental business conditions sounder than in ours at this very moment; and it is foolish, when such is the case, for people to hoard money instead of keeping it in sound banks; for it is such hoarding that is the immediate occasion of money stringency. Moreover, as a rule, the business of our people is conducted with honesty and probity, and this applies alike to farms and factories, to railroads and banks, to all our legitimate commercial enterprises.

"In any large body of men, however, there are certain to be some who are dishonest, and if the conditions are such that these men prosper or commit their misdeeds with impunity, their example is a very evil thing for the community. Where these men are business men of great sagacity and of temperament both unscrupulous and reckless, and where the conditions are such that they act without supervision or control and at first without effective check from public opinion, they delude many innocent people into making investments or embarking in kinds of business that are really unsound. When the misdeeds of these successfully dishonest men are discovered, suffering comes not only upon them, but upon the innocent men whom they have misled. It is a painful awakening, whenever it occurs; and, naturally, when it does occur those who suffer are not to forget that the longer it was deferred the more painful it would be. In the effort to punish the guilty it is both wise and proper to endeavor so far as possible to minimize the distress of those who have been misled by the guilty. Yet it is not possible to refrain because of such distress from striving to put an end to the misdeeds that are the ultimate causes of the suffering, and, as a means to this end, where possible to punish those responsible for them. There may be honest differences of opinion as to many governmental policies; but surely there can be no such differences as to the need of unflinching perseverance in the war against successful dishonesty."

Interstate Commerce.

"No small part of the trouble that we have comes from carrying to an extreme the national virtue of self-reliance, of independence in initiative and action. It is wise to conserve this virtue and to provide for its fullest exercise, compatible with seeing that liberty does not become a liberty to wrong others. Unfortunately, this is the kind of liberty that the lack of all effective regulation inevitably breeds. The founders of the Constitution provided that the national government should have complete and sole control of interstate commerce.

"Only the national government can in thoroughgoing fashion exercise the needed control. This does not mean that there should be any extension of federal authority, for such authority already exists under the Constitution in amplest and most far-reaching form; but it does mean that there should be an extension of federal activity. This is not advocating centralization. It is merely looking facts in the face, and realizing that centralization in business has already come and cannot be avoided or undone, and that the public at large can only protect itself from certain evil effects of this business centralization by providing better methods for the exercise of control through the authority already centralized in the national government by the Constitution itself. There must be no halt in the healthy constructive course of action which this nation has elected to pursue, and has steadily pursued, during the last six years, as shown both in the legislation of the congress and the administration of the law by the department of justice. The most vital need is in connection with the railroads. As to these, in my judgment there should now be either a national incorporation act or a law licensing railway companies to engage in interstate commerce upon certain conditions. The law should be so framed as to give to the interstate commerce commission power to pass upon the future issue of securities, while ample means should be provided to enable the commission, whenever in its judgment it is necessary, to make a physical valuation of any railroad.

The Anti-trust Law.

The president points out the need for additional legislation looking to the proper control of business concerns engaged in interstate commerce, this control to be exercised for their own benefit and prosperity no less than for the protection of investors and of the general public. He says:

"The anti-trust law should not be repealed; but it should be made both more efficient and more in harmony with actual conditions. It should be so amended as to forbid only the kind of combination which does harm to the general public, such amendment to be accompanied by, or to be an incident of, a grant of supervisory power to the government over these big concerns engaged in interstate business. This should be accompanied by provision for the compulsory publication of accounts and the subjection of books and papers to the inspection of the government officials. A beginning has already been made for such supervision by the establishment of the bureau of corporations.

"The anti-trust law should not prohibit combinations that do no injustice to the public, still less those the existence of which is on the whole of benefit to the public. But even if this feature of the law were abolished, there would remain as an equally objectionable feature the difficulty and delay now incident to its enforcement. The government must now submit to irksome and repeated delay before obtaining a final decision of the courts upon proceedings instituted, and even a favorable decree may mean an empty victory. Moreover, to attempt to control these corporations by lawsuits means to impose upon both the department of justice and the courts an impossible burden; it is not feasible to carry on more than a limited number of such suits. Such a law to be really effective must of course be administered by an executive body, and not merely by means of lawsuits. The design should be to prevent the abuses incident to the creation of unhealthy and improper combinations, instead of waiting until they are in existence and then attempting to destroy them by civil or criminal proceedings.

"A combination should not be tolerated if it abuse the power acquired by combination to the public detriment. No corporation or association of any kind should be permitted to engage in foreign or interstate commerce that is formed for the purpose of, or whose operations create, a monopoly or general control of the production, sale or distribution of any one or more of the prime necessities of life or articles of general use and necessity. Such combinations are against public policy; they violate the common law; the doors of the courts are closed to those who are parties to them, and I believe the congress can close the channels of interstate commerce against them for its protection.

Prohibit Unhealthy Competition.

"Among the points to be aimed at should be the prohibition of unhealthy competition, such as by rendering service at an actual loss for the purpose of crushing out competition, the prevention of inflation of capital, and the prohibition of a corporation's making exclusive trade with itself a condition of having any trade with itself. Reasonable agreements between, or combinations of, corporations should be permitted, provided they are first submitted to and approved by some appropriate government body.

"The congress has the power to charter corporations to engage in interstate and foreign commerce, and a general law can be enacted under the provisions of which existing corporations could take out federal charters and new federal corporations could be created. An essential provision of such a law should be a method of predetermining by some federal board or commission whether the applicant for a federal charter was an association or combination within the restrictions of the federal law. Provision should also be made for complete publicity in all matters affecting the public and complete protection to the investing public and the shareholders in the matter of issuing corporate securities. If an incorporation law is not deemed advisable, a license act for big interstate corporations might be enacted; or a combination of the two might be tried. The supervision established might be analogous to that now exercised over national banks. At least, the anti-trust act should be supplemented by specific prohibitions of the methods which experience has shown have been of most service in enabling monopolistic combinations to crush out competition. The real owners of a corporation should be compelled to do business in their own name.

"To confer upon the national government, in connection with the amendment I advocate in the anti-trust law, power of supervision over big business concerns engaged in interstate commerce would benefit them as it has benefited the national banks. In the recent business crisis it is noteworthy that the institutions which failed were institutions which were not under the supervision and control of the national government. Those which were under national control stood the test.

Would Benefit All.

"National control of the kind advocated would be to the benefit of every well-managed railway.

"Those who fear, from any reason, the extension of federal activity will do well to study the history not only of the national banking act but of the pure food law, and notably the meat inspection law recently enacted. The pure food law was opposed so violently that its passage was delayed for a decade, yet it has worked unmixed and immediate good. The meat inspection law was even more violently assailed. Two years have not elapsed, and already it has become evident that the great benefit the law confers upon the public is accompanied by an equal benefit to the reputable packing establishments. The latter are better off under the law than they were without it. The benefit to interstate common carriers and business concerns from the legislation I advocate would be equally marked."

Pure Food Law.

"Incidentally in the passage of the pure food law the action of the various state food and dairy commissioners showed in striking fashion how much good for the whole people results from the hearty co-operation of the federal and state officials in securing a given reform. It is primarily to the action of these state commissioners that we owe the enactment of this law, for they aroused the people, first to demand the enactment and enforcement of state laws on the subject, and then the enactment of the federal law, without which the state laws were largely ineffective. There must be the closest co-operation between the national and state governments in administering these laws."

Currency Laws.

The president again calls attention to the condition of our currency laws and urges on congress the need of immediate attention to this matter. He says:

"We need a greater elasticity in our currency; provided, of course, that we recognize the even greater need of a safe and secure currency. There must always be the most rigid examination by the national authorities. Provision should be made for an emergency currency. The emergency issue should, of course, be made with an effective guaranty, and upon conditions carefully prescribed by the government. Such emergency issue must be based on adequate securities approved by the government, and must be issued under a heavy tax. This would permit currency being issued when the demand for it was urgent, while securing its retirement as the demand fell off. It is worth investigating to determine whether officers and directors of national banks should ever be allowed to loan to themselves. Trust companies should be subject to the same supervision as banks; legislation to this effect should be enacted for the District of Columbia and the territories.

"Yet we must also remember that even the wisest legislation on the subject can only accomplish a certain amount. No legislation can by any possibility guarantee the business community against the results of speculative folly any more than it can guarantee an individual against the results of his extravagance."

The income account of the nation is in a most satisfactory condition. Nevertheless, the president says, there is an evident and constantly growing feeling among our people that the time is rapidly approaching when our system of revenue legislation must be revised.

The Tariff.

"This country is definitely committed to the protective system and any effort to uproot it could not but cause widespread industrial disaster. In other words, the principle of the present tariff law could not with wisdom be changed. But in a country of such phenomenal growth as ours it is probably well that every dozen years or so the tariff laws should be carefully scrutinized so as to see that no excessive or improper benefits are conferred thereby, that proper revenue is provided, and that our foreign trade is encouraged. There must always be as a minimum a tariff which will not only allow for the collection of an ample revenue but which will at least make good the difference in cost of production here and abroad.

The question should be approached purely from a business standpoint; both the time and the manner of the change being such as to arouse the minimum of agitation and disturbance in the business world, and to give the least play for selfish and factional motives. The sole consideration should be to see that the sum total of changes represents the public good. This means that the subject cannot with wisdom be dealt with in the year preceding a presidential election, because as a matter of fact experience has conclusively shown that at such a time it is impossible to get men to treat it from the standpoint of the public good. In my judgment the wise time to deal with the matter is immediately after such election."

Income Tax and Inheritance Tax.

"When our tax laws are revised the question of an income tax and an inheritance tax should receive the careful attention of our legislators. In my judgment both of these taxes should be part of our system of federal taxation."

Compulsory Investigation of Industrial Disputes.

"Strikes and lockouts, with their attendant loss and suffering, continue to decrease. For the five years ending Dec. 31, 1905, the number of strikes was greater than those in any previous ten years and was double the number in the preceding five years. These figures indicate the increasing need of providing some machinery to deal with this class of disturbances in the interest alike of the employer, the employe, and the general public. I renew my previous recommendation that the congress favorably consider the matter of creating the machinery for compulsory investigation of such industrial controversies as are of sufficient magnitude and of sufficient concern to the people of the country as a whole to warrant the federal government in taking action."

National Inspection of Grain.

"The grain producing industry of the country, one of the most important in the United States, deserves special consideration at the hands of congress. Our grain is sold almost exclusively by grades. To secure satisfactory results in our home markets and to facilitate our trade abroad, these grades should approximate the highest degree of uniformity and certainty. The present diverse methods of inspection and grading throughout the country under different laws and boards result in confusion and lack of uniformity, destroying that confidence which is necessary for healthful trade. Complaints against the present methods have continued for years and they are growing in volume and intensity, not only in this country but abroad. I therefore suggest to the congress the advisability of a national system of inspection and grading of grain entering into interstate and foreign commerce as a remedy for the present evils."

Forestry.

On the subject of forestry the president says:

"We are prone to speak of the resources of this country as inexhaustible; this is not so. The mineral wealth of the country, the coal, iron, oil, gas and the like, does not reproduce itself, and therefore is certain to be exhausted ultimately, and wastefulness in dealing with it to-day means that our descendants will feel the exhaustion a generation or two before they otherwise would. But there are certain other forms of waste which could be entirely stopped—the waste of soil by washing, for instance, which is among the most dangerous of all wastes now in progress in the United States, is easily preventable, so that this present enormous loss of fertility is entirely unnecessary. The preservation or replacement of the forests is one of the most important means of preventing this loss. We have made a beginning in forest preservation, but it is only a beginning.

"Every business man in the land, every writer in the newspapers, every man or woman of an ordinary school education, ought to be able to see that immense quantities of timber are used in the country, that the forests which supply this timber are rapidly being exhausted and that, if no change takes place, exhaustion will come comparatively soon, and that the effects of it will be felt severely in the every-day life of our people. Surely when these facts are so obvious there should be no delay in taking preventive measures.

Inland Waterways.

"The conservation of our natural resources and their proper use constitute the fundamental problem which underlies almost every other problem of our national life. We must maintain for our civilization the adequate material basis without which that civilization cannot exist. We must show foresight, we must look ahead. As a nation we not only enjoy a wonderful measure of present prosperity but if this prosperity is used aright it is an earnest of future success such as no other nation will have. The reward of foresight for this nation is great and easily foretold. But there must be the look ahead, there must be a realization of the fact that to waste, to destroy, our natural resources, to skin and exhaust the land instead of using it so as to increase its usefulness, will result in undermining in the days of our children the very prosperity which we ought by right to hand down to them amplified and developed. For the last few years, through several agencies, the government has been endeavoring to get our people to look ahead and to substitute a planned and orderly development of our resources in place of a haphazard striving for immediate profit. Our great river systems should be developed as national water highways; the Mississippi, with its tributaries, standing first in importance, and the Columbia second, although there are many others of importance on the Pacific, the Atlantic and the gulf slopes. The national government should undertake this work, and I hope a beginning will be made in the present congress; and the greatest of all our rivers, the Mississippi, should receive especial attention. From the Great Lakes to the mouth of the Mississippi there should be a deep waterway, with deep waterways leading from it to the East and the West. Such a waterway would practically mean the extension of our coast line into the very heart of our country. It would be of incalculable benefit to our people. If begun at once it can be carried through in time appreciably to relieve the congestion of our great freight carrying lines of railroads. The work should be systematically and continuously carried forward in accordance with some well-conceived plan.

"I have appointed an inland waterways commission to study and outline a comprehensive scheme of development along all the lines indicated. Later I shall lay its report before the congress."

Panama Canal.

"Work on the Panama canal is proceeding in a highly satisfactory manner."

Postal Affairs.

"I commend to the favorable consideration of the congress a postal savings bank system, as recommended by the postmaster general. The primary object is to encourage among our people economy and thrift and by the use of postal savings bank to give them an opportunity to husband their resources, particularly those who have not the facilities at hand for depositing their money in savings bank. Viewed, however, from the experience of the past few weeks, it is evident that the advantages of such an institution are still more far-reaching. Timid depositors have withdrawn their savings for the time being from national banks, trust companies, and savings banks; individuals have hoarded their cash and the workingmen their earnings; all of which money has been withheld and kept in hiding or in the safe deposit box to the detriment of prosperity. Through the agency of the postal savings banks such money would be restored to the channels of trade, to the mutual benefit of capital and labor.

"I further commend to the congress the consideration of the postmaster general's recommendation for an extension of the parcel post, especially on the rural routes."

Presidential Campaign Expenses.

"Under our form of government voting is not merely a right but a duty, and, moreover, a fundamental and necessary duty if a man is to be a good citizen. It is well to provide that corporations shall not contribute to presidential or national campaigns, and furthermore to provide for the publication of both contributions and expenditures. There is, however, always danger in laws of this kind, which from their very nature are difficult of enforcement; the danger being lest they be obeyed only by the honest, and disobeyed by the unscrupulous, so as to act only as a penalty upon honest men. The need for collecting large campaign funds would vanish if congress provided an appropriation for the proper and legitimate expenses of each of the great national parties, an appropriation ample enough to meet the necessity for thorough organization and machinery, which requires a large expenditure of money. Then the stipulation should be made that no party receiving campaign funds from the treasury should accept more than a fixed amount from any individual subscriber or donor; and the necessary publicity for receipts and expenditures could without difficulty be provided."

The Army.

Of the army the president says:

"Its standard of efficiency and instruction is higher now than ever in the past. But it is too small. There are not enough officers; and it is impossible to secure enough enlisted men. We should maintain in peace a fairly complete skeleton of a large army. A great and long-continued war would have to be fought by volunteers. But months would pass before any large body of efficient volunteers could be put in the field, and our regular army should be large enough to meet any immediate need. In particular it is essential that we should possess a number of extra officers trained in peace to perform efficiently the duties urgently required upon the breaking out of war."

The Navy.

In the opinion of the president it would be most unwise for us to stop the upbuilding of our navy, in view of the fact that the proposition for the limitation of armaments met with no favor at all at the Hague conference. He says:

"To build one battleship of the best and most advanced type a year would barely keep our fleet up to its present force. This is not enough. In my judgment we should this year provide for four battleships. But it is idle to build battleships unless in addition to providing the men, and the means for thorough training, we provide the auxiliaries for them, unless we provide docks, the coaling stations, the colliers and supply ships that they need. We are extremely deficient in coaling stations and docks on the Pacific, and this deficiency should not longer be permitted to exist. Plenty of torpedo boats and destroyers should be built. Both on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, fortifications of the best type should be provided for all our greatest harbors."

IN MINNESOTA.

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Mrs. Ellen Nelson committed suicide at the insane hospital at Fergus Falls by hanging herself.

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Fire from a kitchen chimney burned Andrew F. Fredrickson's house, four miles from Goodhue. The loss is $2,000 and insurance $1,500.

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Mrs. Charles Hendrickson, forty-five years old, committed suicide by hanging herself in the attic of her residence in Southeast Brainerd.

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The large store building of Robert Stewart, with its contents, at Oak Hill, burned to the ground. No cause is known for the fire. The goods invoiced $11,000.

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The one-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Knudson of Henning died as a result of falling into a pan of boiling water and being terribly scalded a few days ago.

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The lid is on at Minnesota Lake. The Mayor has given notice that all slot machines, card tables and dice must go and that he intends to enforce the state law.

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The Stearns and Benton County Medical society held its regular session at St. Cloud. Dr. Beatty, Dr. C. B. Lewis and Dr. P. C. Pilon of Paynesville read papers.

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Leo Bowe, a teamster in the employ of Wes Wright of Bemidji, was run over and instantly killed while hauling stock to the Bemidji Handle company from South Bemidji.

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Several farmers in Mansfield township, Freeborn county, who have low land on their farms have united, hired an engineer and will have about three miles of ditch constructed.

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The newly completed St. John's Episcopal church, built on the bank of Baudette bay, at Spooner, one of the beauty spots of nature, has been dedicated by Bishop J. D. Morrison of Duluth.

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Earl Loomis, nine years old, was drowned in a deep pond south of Madelia. While playing on the ice he went out too far and broke through. It took two hours' searching to recover his body.

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Four years ago a stranger jumped a board bill of $11 at Max Reinhert's boarding house at New Ulm. Last week he turned up and paid the bill, although Reinhart had nearly forgotten the occurrence.

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A Finnish laborer whose identity has not been learned committed suicide at Scanlon by leaping from the railroad bridge into the river. While temporarily out of work he became drunk and ended his life.

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A disastrous prairie fire swept the country six miles east of Warren. A strip three miles wide and ten miles long was burned. Many persons lost hay and some small farm machinery, but no dwellings were destroyed.

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William Steemberg, forty-five years old, of Red Wing, drank the contents of a four-ounce bottle of carbolic acid. He lived but a few minutes and died in great agony. Steemberg had been failing in health for several months.

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William Jagow of Halloway, Swift county, who with his wife and two daughters was on his way to visit relatives in North Dakota, was held up in the union depot in St. Paul, and robbed of $80 and his railroad tickets.

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Ore shipments from the Vermillion range for the 1907 season ended last week, the Pioneer mine at Ely being the last to cease shipping. The Duluth & Iron Range railroad has taken off its crews working between Ely and Tower Junction.

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An Austrian named Grublesch is lying in the hospital at Eveleth at the point of death with a bullet in his head, while a countryman whose name is given as Elias Malaturvish is a fugitive from justice and is being sought by deputy sheriffs.

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Chairman McVey of the state tax commission addressed the Men's club at Winona. He announced that the months of March and April will be devoted by the commissioners to visiting every county in the state to address assessors on their work.

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Daniel Cheeney and Albert Hahe were sentenced at Faribault to serve seven years each in the state prison for holding up and robbing a farmer named Brown about a month ago. Both pleaded guilty. Cheeney has served in the prison before, and Hahe has been at the reform school.

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Victor Nordin, twelve years old, of Mora, was accidentally shot by a playmate with a 22-caliber rifle. The bullet entered near the nose, under the left eye and is lodged in the head. The boy is recovering, although surgeons are unable to locate the bullet.

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Deer hunting in the northern part of the state has been unusual [illegible] this year. Many hunters went out early and looked up favorable locations, and in nearly every instance they have returned with the full number [illegible]

IN THE SCANDINAVIAN NORTH

Gleanings of Important News of Norway, Sweden and Denmark, with Occasional Comments.

BY MARTIN W. ODLAND.

NORWAY.

Bjorn Bjornson, the son of Bjornstjerne Bjornson, has resigned his position as director of the National theater of Christiania and will spend the winter in Rome with his famous father. He has proven himself, according to all reports, a son worthy of his father, having labored with distinguished ability to elevate the theatrical art to a high plane, just as his father has labored to elevate the literary standards of his country. His position as director of the National theater was an exalted one and has been held in the past by his father, Henrik Ibsen and other great men. Perhaps none is in a better position to champion high artistic ideals than the director of that theater, just as in the United States no one can do more in raising the standard of art—music and the drama—than the directors of the great theaters of New York—the theaters that set the pace for the rest of the country.

Like Michelsen, Bjorn Bjornson resigned his position because of ill health, and as in the case of the great statesman, the people of Norway are earnestly hoping for his speedy recovery, as he is one of the men that his fatherland needs. If restored to health by next summer, it is probable that he will visit the United States and make a lecture tour among his countrymen on this side of the Atlantic.

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A most interesting dispatch from Christiania deals as follows with the tourist traffic of Norway:

Since Prof. Yngvar Nielsen, in 1886, made an estimate of the money spent annually in Norway by foreign tourists, no such reports have been prepared until a few days ago, when the director for the Tourist Traffic association sent out a report covering 1906. Prof. Nielsen, for 1886, estimated the number of visitors at 14,000, who spent 5,500,000 kroner. In 1906 the number was 34,350, and the money more than 12,000,000 kroner ($3,216,000).

"This sum is, in the report, divided into several groups. Norwegian steamers crossing the North sea received as their share of the sum about 450,000 kroner for passage and board. For hotel accommodation and traveling in the country some 7,370,000 kroner were used.

"The large foreign tourist steamers ('floating hotels' as they are called) and private pleasure yachts brought in about 1,200,000 kroner. Fourteen of these floating hotels visited the country during the year. Of these six were British, five German, one Danish, one French and one Dutch. Together these fourteen steamers made fifty-one trips and brought about 8,500 passengers. The chief purchases made by such ships consists of fresh meat, fresh fish, canned goods, fresh fruit and berries and vegetables. Such purchases are estimated at 2,000 kroner for each ship or 102,000 kroner in all, whereto must be added about 100,000 kroner for coal. The purchases made ashore by the passengers of such steamers are estimated at 470,000 kroner, and their trips across the country and minor excursions to some 380,000 kroner. For the privilege to hunt and fish foreigners paid during the year about 1,400,000 kroner, and for other purchases spent some one and a half million kroner. The Norwegian mail and telegraph made 85,000 kroner on the visitors. The largest portion of the money is, of course, taken in during the summer season. Only some 300,000 kroner is credited to the winter season.

"As to nationality the British is still leading, with the Germans as a good second. Their numbers were 12,700 and 7,500, respectively. Every third tourist was an Englishman, the report says.

"Divided according to occupations there were 1,870 in public service of their respective countries, 1,240 lawyers, 540 clergymen, 2,800 professors and teachers, 1,355 physicians, 1,325 military officers, 1,580 artists and musicians, 1,370 large manufacturers, 2,470 industrial managers, architects, engineers, etc., 5,270 merchants, 4,240 people of independent means (coupon-cutters), 2,620 students, etc.

"For the year 1907 no report has been published as yet, but despite the nasty summer, they all claim that the results of this year's tourist traffic are sure not to be below, rather above, those of 1906."

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The search for gold continues in Finnmarken, and the government is lending a helping hand. But, while the prospects are brighter than they were last year, no rich ore has yet been found.

SWEDEN.

On account of the damage to the crops by heavy rains, the districts of Vesternorrland and Vesterbotten, in Northern Sweden, are facing a food famine. According to an official report the rye harvested there this year weighs only 54 kilograms per bushel as against 112, the standard weight. Consequently the bread made from such rye is black and almost worthless as food. Furthermore, it is announced, there is no milk, as the cows have been slaughtered to supply food. The authorities in those districts have requested that the government abandon the grain toll this year and take other steps to aid the stricken territory.

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I mentioned last week the fact that there is dissatisfaction in Sweden over the treaty recently entered into by Norway and the four great powers of Europe—England, France, Germany, Russia—guaranteeing the integrity of Norway as a free and independent nation. Now I am able to present an editorial from the Dagblad, one of the leading papers of Stockholm, which gives in a frank and manly manner the Swedish point of view in this matter. The Dagblad says:

"This is Norway's own concern, but it must not be ignored that a general feeling of dissatisfaction has been evoked here by the idea that the treaty is, directly or indirectly, aimed against Sweden. The enlightened public opinion of Europe will doubtless accept the word of our government when it reiterates and emphasizes its honest and peaceful intentions. M. de Trolle, the Swedish minister for foreign affairs, a short time ago made the definite declaration that it was not Sweden's policy which rendered necessary the guarantee sought by Norway. As we are not in possession of the text of the treaty, or of the documents bearing on the negotiations preceding its signature, we cannot judge with certainty whether and to what extent the four great powers have deemed it necessary to intervene against Sweden in the policies of the Scandinavian peninsula. But, in any case, the appearance of such a treaty is a serious obstacle to the future improvement in the relations of the two countries which is the aim of Swedish and Norwegian statesmen and which is always the aim of the Swedish government.

"If they cannot work together they must at all events work on parallel lines. Looking at the matter from this standpoint, Sweden can only regard with regret the efforts of Norway to place herself under the guarantee of the powers, for the fact remains that these powers will be able to find occasion to control Norway's relations. While negotiations were in progress with Norway, the question was asked by one power whether Sweden did not also desire a guarantee. This question was answered definitely in the negative by the Swedish government, which has the whole nation with rare unanimity behind it. In view of the observations made on the Swedish side, as well as abroad, it was to be expected that a guarantee treaty made without Sweden would be regarded as directed against Sweden. The justice of this statement is as difficult to deny as to deny that Sweden has long given real and binding tokens of loyalty to Norway, while Norway on her side has found no occasion for showing her loyalty to us."

It may be added that the press of Norway is by no means silent on this subject, and the editorial pages of the leading journals of the two countries will probably contain considerable interesting reading matter on this subject during the next few weeks.

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DENMARK.

The old and antiquated firearms borne by the veterans of the wars of 1848 and 1864 have been distributed among those venerable heroes, but the government had too few of them to go around. This was a grateful act on the part of the government and is highly appreciated not only by the veterans thus remembered, but also by the Danish people in general.

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Prince Erik, the third son of Prince Valdemar and Princess Marie, who is 17 years of age, has announced that, unlike his two elder brothers, Aage and Axel, he will not enter the Danish navy, but will make agriculture his profession. This is something new for the royalty of Denmark, but the parents of the boy and King Frederick are going to let him have his way. They have not yet decided, however, where he shall begin his agricultural studies, for study he must, of course, and that most thoroughly, as in Denmark agriculture is recognized as a science.

Sunburned and Sultry.

"Look here," complained the old farmer, "you said if I advertised for city boarders in your paper they would come like hot cakes. I haven't seen but six so far."

"Oh, that's all right," laughed the rural editor. "They came like hot cakes [illegible]

"How do you make it?" [illegible]

Just Like Him.

"My friends assure me," said Staylate, "that I'm quite an expert at chess. Don't you believe it?"

"Yes, indeed," replied Miss Patience Gonne. "I'm told an expert chess player will just sit for hours and never make a move."

About Right.

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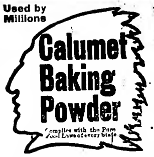

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Yon A. Yonson.

Since I have strike these country,
For twenty yar ago;
I have see gude many people
Vat een't so werry slow.
Dar is old Ka-nute Nelson
Have made big hit, by yee:
But Yon A. Yonson
Is gude enough for me.

Now dar is Villiams Yenning Bryne,
I got no fault to find,
For ven it come to saying tings
He leave dem all behind.
And dar is Teddy Rosyvelt,
A cracker-yack is he,
But Yon A. Yonson
Is gude enough for me.

Now Moses vas an Iraelites
Vat grew beside de Nile;
He did a rushing business
Ven he vas yust a shile,
And Noah vas a sailor
Vot sail a vorld-vide sea;
But Yon A. Yonson
Is gude enough for me.

Dar vas vonce a man named Cesar
Vat hat a lot of Gaul,
But Brutus he got busy
And made him lose it all.
Napoleon like to clime de Alps
And yump on Italee,
But Yon A. Yonson
Is gude enough for me.

Red Erick find dese country
Ven de dagoes vas asleep,
Yon Erickson have build a ship
Vat sunk de rebel fleet.
And Battling Nelson like to eat
Men twice as big as he;
But Yon A. Yonson
Is gude enough for me.

—Willard Dillman, Minnetonka Record.

THE man who predicted a mild winter seems to have the best of the argument so far.

A MAN doesn't mind losing a hundred dollars on a bet, but ten dollars in taxes is a big item.

IF the prohibition wave is going to sweep over Minnesota, the proposed inland waterway may become an absolute necessity.

SOME wag reports that real money is so scarce in New York that the babies are cutting their teeth on clearing house certificates.

THE Duluth Herald remarks that Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois and Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island are again in session at Washington.

BUSINESS seems to be pretty well disturbed anyway, so why not revise the tariff? Might as well get rid of all the cankers at one operation.

A DECLINE of about $7,000,000 in the treasury receipts for November shows that the financial disturbance has affected even Uncle Sam's income.

THE papers all speak of the president's message as "a subdued utterance." The panic seems to have taken a good deal of the strenuosity out of Teddy.

THE Princeton Union suggests leaving the politicians at home and sending the country editors to the national conventions. How fortunate that none of the editors is a politician.

A REPUBLICAN newspaper suggests the nomination of S. R. Van Sant for governor, advancing the argument that he is the only man the republican party has been able to elect in recent years.

ANDREW H. OSTREM, of Bagley, has received the appointment of inspector of steam heaters and steam boilers of the Sixty-first senatorial district to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of H. E. Zimmerman of Ada.

IF the prohibitionists get real busy in congressional affairs next year two or three republican members from Minnesota may have cause for uneasiness. For instance Jim Tawney will have trouble enough over the tariff issue without losing the votes of a couple of thousand republican anti-saloonists.

THE Fairmont Sentinel professes to believe that Cortelyou will be the republican candidate, but possibly the wish is father to the thought. We cannot believe the republicans so absolutely bereft of judgment. Cortelyou would be as badly beaten as Parker. The sign is not right for the reactionary.

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY, the Indiana poet, declares that the panic has not hurt him but coin has become so scarce through Indiana that the babies are now cutting their teeth on certified checks. Because of the hardship worked upon the infants, Mr. Riley believes that a special session of congress should be called or some other extraordinary measure undertaken to afford relief to the little ones.

BOB DUNN'S Princeton Union declares:

"To be consistent the republican newspapers that are urging Governor Johnson as a suitable candidate for the presidency must support him for a third term as governor, provided he is a candidate. If Mr. Johnson is the right man for president he certainly is good enough for a third term as governor of Minnesota. In the improbable event of the governor securing the democratic nomination for president he ought to have the electoral vote of Minnesota."

It isn't hard to follow this sort of reasoning. If Johnson is good enough for president, he is good enough for governor again. And as he ought to have the electoral vote of Minnesota in the event of his nomination for president, he ought to be given the popular vote for governor. The Union presents convincing proof that Governor Johnson has "made good."

CONFIDENCE is all right up to a certain point, but beyond that we must have cash, says the Adrian Democrat. The country has discovered that it cannot continue to do business on confidence alone. Checks and clearing house "currency" are all very well for a time, but money talks. It takes the "long green" or the rattling silver to buy bread and meat in the last analysis. The panic through which we have been passing is the result of frenzied finance. People borrowed more than they could pay. Mad speculation was rife on every hand; we were becoming a nation of plungers. Everybody joined in the mad rush for wealth, thinking there was no bottom to the alleged "prosperity." Every dollar of idle money was enlisted in the chase for more riches, and when the money was exhausted, credit was invoked to the very limit. James J. Hill a year ago sounded the alarm and foretold sure financial disaster. He was laughed at and called a "croaker," but he accurately forecasted the financial condition. The day of liquidation has come. Pay day has arrived, and happy is the man who has not risked all his money and credit too. Those who have not been enticed into the financial bog by the will-o'-the-wisp of mad speculation will come out of the crucible unscorched. Those who have used their credit up to and beyond the limit of safe and sound financiering, will suffer.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Austin Transcript: There is a good deal of local option talk among the politicians just now. In the language of a well-known advertisement, "There's a reason."

Perham Enterprise: The LaFollette presidential boom was successfully launched in St. Paul last week. Better have it LaFollette and Johnson as the opposing candidates in the presidential race next year, and the northwest will have no cause to complain, no matter which wins.

Preston Times: Already some of Frank Eddy's over-zealous friends are booming him for governor, but it is hoped that with the return of his reason and former good common sense he will clasp the lid across the mouths of these rattle brains. Glad as the people of this state are that Frank has turned from the wine that is red, and anxious as they are to encourage him in his good resolutions, they will gladly hand him the gubernatorial nomination—not yet. Mr. Eddy can do much good on the lecture platform, and his influence should not be neutralized by making him a seeker after official honors.

Wadena Pioneer Journal: Senator Thomas Platt of New York recently doffed his burial robes long enough to declare that he was for Vice President Fairbanks for president. Mr. Fairbanks is certainly having hard luck in launching his presidential craft. Somehow the breezes are not from the right quarter, nor are the surface or under currents what he or his friends expected. Then, to cap the unfortunate climax, along comes Senator Platt. His endorsement will likely prove to be the last straw.

Bemidji Pioneer: The "greatest show on earth" sold to a rival circus firm for only $400,000! And we gave $20,000,000 for the Phillipine zoo.

Anoka Free Press: The 1-cent daily papers of New York have been forced to raise the price from 1 cent to 2 cents per copy, as a result of trust prices for print paper. Thus it will be seen that it is the people who pay the freight. And yet it is the people who, by their votes, place in power the party that breeds and fosters the trusts.

Little Falls Transcript: A story has been telegraphed from the East to St. Paul to the effect that several Minnesota state senators have met and planned a campaign to send delegates to the Republican national convention which will favor Governor Hughes of New York for president. That is hardly the best start that a candidate could get in Minnesota.

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HORSE WHISPERERS.

Men Who Can Control the Most Vicious Animal by Voice.

The horse whisperer might be an unknown quantity in England and Ireland today, but there are not a few men who exercise a wonderful control with their voices over horses which when the dominating influence is absent are apt to literally kick over the traces. In the thoroughbred stables of England and Ireland today there are not a few stablemen and jockeys who succeed in holding in check the vice in horses which in demonstrative manner show that they cannot tolerate the presence of the grooms or attendants.

Nimrod claimed for Count Duval the power and influence of the human voice over the brute creation, but that power was backed up by a lecture to the horse with "his clinched fist in his face."

But the horse whisperer of today avoids all gesticulations and trusts entirely to a combination of sounds or words. There is no bullying done, and the whisperer can face a mad horse with his hands behind his back and apparently at the mercy of the beast that has to come under the charm. One means of keeping remount horses quiet in stations during the South African war was that employed by the yeomen, who sat in a ring of head to head horses singing as loudly as possible and riveting the ears and attention of the otherwise sprawling and hungry animals.

One of the first whisperers to acquire absolute control over fractious equines was Con Sullivan, who migrated in his youth from Kilmallick, where he could trace his genealogy through a long line of snafflers, and became almost exclusively employed by Lord Doneraile. The whisper of this man made an indelible impression upon any horse, bringing the pupil to a degree of docility unattainable in the ordinary course of discipline.

The race horse King Pepin, a famous racer, vicious and reputed to have killed two grooms at the Curragh, once came under his charge. He was wanted to win a race at Mallow, but when saddling time came it found him in one of his unmanageable moods. He reared, plunged and flung out fore and aft until he completely cowed groom and jockey. It was at this crisis that some one recommended that he should be "whispered." As it was the only chance left of taming him in time for the start, his owner gladly availed himself of it, though warned that horses were sometimes thrown into a state of stupor by the process.

Sullivan was soon found, and he was delighted at the opportunity of "whisperin' before so much quality from all parts." "Show us the wild baste," he said, "and we'll soon tache him manners."

When he got within the circle—and a wide one it was—in which King Pepin was playing his antics he walked up to him, approaching the horse from behind. He mumbled some words as he walked which, though not quite inaudible, were as unintelligible as a sermon in the unknown tongue, but they had a most magical effect on the horse, for he stood stock still. Sullivan then patted him on the neck, while he whispered a word or two in his ear, whereupon King Pepin went on his knees and incontinently lay down.

The whisperer then stretched himself on him at full length, took out a pouch containing pipe and tobacco, flint and steel, struck a light and blew a cloud as he lounged on the stomach of this high mettled colt with as much composure as if he were seated on a bench in his favorite taproom. After two or three puffs he got up, beckoned the nag to his legs, saddled him and walked off to the starting post, the horse following and fawning upon him like a dog. He won the race in a canter.—London Live Stock Journal.

Great Falls of the Potomac.

The Great Falls of the Potomac are about fifteen miles above Washington, but the neighboring country has remained so wild and undeveloped that the falls have been difficult to reach. The famous Conduit or Aqueduct road, so called because it is built over the big conduit which brings the national capital its water supply, leads about up to the falls on the Maryland side and there stops. It is famous as one of the best roads in the country, and it is a favorite drive with Washington people and visitors. About halfway up this road crosses a deep gulch by means of the Cabin John bridge, a majestic stone arch built by the government and until recently the longest single masonry span in the world, about 220 feet. This bridge was begun just before the civil war, and a tablet was inserted in its side, giving the name of Jeff Davis as secretary of war. During the war his name was mutilated by soldiers, and now it is entirely cut off.—Pathfinder.

Dawn on the Prairies.

While we ate the eastern sky lightened. The mountains under the dawn looked like silhouettes cut from slate colored paper. Those in the west showed faintly luminous. Objects about us became dimly visible. We could make out the windmill and the adobe of the ranch houses and the corrals. The cowboys arose one by one, dropped their plates into the dishpan and began to hunt out their ropes. Everything was obscure and mysterious in the faint gray light. I watched Windy Bill near his tarpaulin. He stooped to throw over the canvas. When he bent it was before daylight; when he straightened his back daylight had come. It was just like that, as though some one had reached out his hand to turn on the illumination of the world.—Stewart Edward White in Outing Magazine.

John Seemed to Make His Point, but Missed the Chicken.

The old couple were eating their first meal with their son after his return from college.

"Tell us, John," said the father, "what have you learned at college?"

"Oh, lots of things," said the son as he recited his course of studies. "Then," he concluded, "I also studied logic."

"Logic," said the old man. "What is that?"

"It's the art of reasoning," said the son.

"The art of reasoning?" said the father. "What is that, my boy?"

"Well," replied the son, "let me give you a demonstration. How many chickens are on that dish, father?"

"Two," said the old man.

"Well," said John, "I can prove there are three." Then he stuck his fork in one and said, "That is one, isn't it?"

"Yes," said the father.

"And this is two?" sticking his fork in the second.

"Yes," replied the father again.

"Well, don't one and two make three?" replied John triumphantly.

"Well, I declare," said the father, "you have learned things at college. Well, mother," continued the old man to his wife, "I will give you one of the chickens to eat, and I'll take the other, and John can have the third. How is that, John?"—Judge.

MEXICAN CARRIERS.

The Cargadors Can Carry Enormous Loads on Their Shoulders.

Just as one finds the rickshaw everywhere in India, so one finds the cargador in Mexico. He is a beast of burden. In general he is a comparatively small man, with broad shoulders and stout arms and legs. To look at him one would not think he would be able to carry heavy burdens. But the weight he can carry is surprising. You have a trunk you can scarcely move, for instance. You send for a cargador. He gets it upon his back, high up on the shoulders, and he marches off with it as easily as though it were a plaything. A life dedicated to carrying heavy burdens has made this work easy for him. A slightly built Mexican will carry over 500 pounds on his shoulders for short distances.

Until recent years almost everything in the City of Mexico and everywhere else throughout the republic was carried upon the backs of cargadors. If you wanted to move your household furniture you hired a certain number of cargadors. For house moving they generally work in pairs, each pair having a hand truck, which they pick up and carry when it is loaded, for it has no wheels. In the City of Mexico there are still hundreds of these hand trucks, though one may now find plenty of carts, wagons and heavy moving trucks.—Mexican Herald.

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JOHN MAKES A HIT

Gridiron Speech Puts Governor Again in the Limelight.

The streets and hotel corridors of Washington are full today of echoes of the Gridiron dinner Saturday night, and Governor Johnson's wonderful speech there, says W. W. Jermane, Washington correspondent of Minneapolis Journal. It created a sensation such as the club has never witnessed in the twenty three years of its existence, say the old members, and has had the effect of bringing Johnson once more to the fore as a presidential possibility. This may sound strange in view of the mortgage Bryan seems to have on the nomination but nevertheless it appears to be true.

One of the guests at the Gridiron dinner was Colonel Nelson, proprietor of the Kansas City Star, the greatest newspaper in the Missouri valley. He has announced publicly that he is now for Johnson for the nomination and will do all that he can in his newspaper and otherwise to break Bryan's hold on Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma and Kansas.

Similarly Charles H. Grasty, editor and principal owner of the Baltimore News, the chief afternoon in that city, announced that he, too, is for Johnson for the nomination, and will start a movement for him in Maryland and Virginia at once. Grasty was at the Saturday night dinner.

Governor Johnson made a similar impression upon all the guests that he made upon Nelson and Grasty, As he sat down after concluding his speech, Senator Foraker, who sat fifty feet away. from him, hurried up, reached over the table and extended his earnest congratulations He was quickly followed by Senators Lodge, Senator Paynter of Kentucky, Senator Johnston of Alabama and a score or more of democratic house members.

Then came Secretary Cortelyou, who said he very much desired to be introduced to the governor, and after Cortelyou came Secretary Straus, who also wanted to be introduced. The reception was an ovation, and continued until long after the dinner was over, and it is estimated that of the 250 guests 75 per cent personally congratulated the governor on his speech and on the very favorable impression he had made.

All this, of course, may amount to nothing in a presidential way, but it ought to be very interesting reading to the governor's many friends in Minnesota. It shows clearly the desire of the democratic leaders to break away from Bryan if possible and it shows also the high respect in which prominent republicans hold the governor.

The Washington Herald says editorially today that Gov. Johnson is not an illustration of the old saying that distance lends enchantment to the view, but that the closer one gets to him the better one likes him.

The Only Place He Cared About.

"There was a French count," said a lecturer in the midst of a little sermon on selfishness, "who was traveling from Paris to Monte Carlo. On his journey he stopped at Mentone, where he sent for his valet, who had preceded him and was to have met him at that point. 'Alas, monsieur,' exclaimed the count's courier, 'poor Francois! I have just looked my last upon him. He was killed in a railway accident. His corpse lies on the outskirts of Mentone, cut in a hundred pieces!' 'Ah!' murmured the count, regretfully. 'Then just go back and fetch me the piece that contains my trunk keys.'"

The Old Way and the New.

The young lady from Boston was explaining. "Take an egg," she said, "and make a perforation in the base and a corresponding one in the apex. Then you apply the lips to the aperture and by forcibly inhaling the breath the shell is entirely discharged of its contents."

An old lady who was listening exclaimed:

"It beats all how folks do things nowadays. When I was a gal they made a hole in each end and sucked."—Judge's Library.

What the Poet Says.

After their honeymoon to Niagara falls they came back and settled on the old farm.

"Gracious, Sila!" said Cynthia. "Why are you in such a bad humor?"

"Making butter is blamed hard work," grumbled Silas, removing the beads from his brow.

"Oh, cheer up, Sile! Don't the poet say that it is 'love that makes the world go round?'"

"Yes; but, by gosh, it don't make the churn go round."—Chicago News.

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The Discovery of Iron.

The stone age, bronze age and iron age so overlap one another it is impossible to say just when one begins or ends. Men began to use both bronze and iron long before stone had ceased to be used. In fact, America was in the stone age so late as its discovery by Columbus 400 years ago. It is safe to say that history proper and the iron age were born together anywhere from 8,000 to 10,000 years ago. It is more than likely that men gained their first information concerning the properties of iron through experiments with the pieces of it that had fallen from the sky in the shape of meteors.—New York American.

Energy.

Aubrey de Vere, an Irish poet and gentleman, mentions in his "Recollections" that when ten years old he had a tutor who constantly inculcated in him rectitude, purpose and energy.

The tutor's praise of energy was expressed by the saying:

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Headed Him Off.

"My wife," began Hicks, "dropped in to see me at the office today and"—

"Sorry, old man," interrupted Wicks, "but my wife held me up before I left home; I can't lend you a cent."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Destitute.

Hungry Hank—I feel sorry fer de lady wot lives in dat mansion on de hill. She is absolutely destitute. Sauntering Saul—Destitute? Hungry Hank —Yes. Destitute uv generosity.—Exchange.

The Whole Show.

Visitor—And what is the special distinction of this theater? Actor—I.—Fliegende Blatter.

A little neglect may breed great mischief.—Chesterfield.

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Overdrafts			1,460.47
Banking house, furniture and fixtures			7,600 00
Other real estate			1,442 13
Due from banks		$15,828.95	
Checks and cash items		3,046.78	
Cash on hand, items below		13,806 41	
Currency	$10.455 00		
Gold	2,715 00		
Silver	521.50		
Other	114 91		
Total cash assets			32,682.14
TOTAL			$235,336.71

Liabilities:

Capital stock		$ 25,000.00
Surplus fund		5,000.00
Undivided profits, net		1,247.37
Deposits subject to check	$ 58,384 49	
Demand certificates	4,376.69	
Total immediate liabilities	$ 62,761.18	
Time certificates	138,564.87	
Total deposits		201,326.05
Other liabilities		2,763 29
TOTAL		$235.336.71

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RAISED HIS WAGES.

The Way an Employer Got Square With a Faithless Assistant.

A story is told in Milwaukee concerning an elderly German who conducted a good sized manufacturing plant on the south side. He had an engineer at his factory who had been with him for fifteen years and the old gentleman had implicit confidence in him. It was with a profound shock that he discovered finally that the trusted engineer was "grafting" most shamefully.

The proprietor thought it all over for a long while and then sent for the engineer. When that functionary arrived the following dialogue took place:

"Ah, John! Good morning. John. How long haf you been vorking by this place?"

"Fifteen years."

"Ach, so. And vot are your wages?"

"Twenty-five dollars a week."

"M-m-m. Vell, after today it vill be $5 a veek more."

The engineer thanked his employer profusely and withdrew. A week later the old gentleman sent for him again and the same conversation ensued, ending with another $5 a week raise. The third Saturday he sent for the engineer again, and after the same questions and answers he raised his salary another $5 a week.

On the fourth Saturday the engineer was again summoned before the boss.

"How long have you been vorking here, John?" asked the proprietor.

"Fifteen years," replied the engineer, who by this time had grown to expect the weekly question and salary raise as a regular thing.

"And how much vages are you getting?"

"Forty dollars a week."

"Ach, so? Vell, you are fired."

"Fired!" exclaimed the engineer, almost fainting. "Why, you have been raising my salary $5 at a clip for the last three weeks."

"Sure I have," roared the Teutonic boss, all his indignation flaring out at once. "And the reason that I did it vas that it shall make it harder for you for vhen I fire you, you loafer!"—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

SILVER KING OF THE SEA.

The Feats That a Tarpon Will Perform When Hooked.

If you have never seen a tarpon imagine the Mediterranean sardine that you take from the box for lunch lengthened out to six or seven feet. Give it two enormous staring black eyes, a supercilious lip of the most grotesque shape coming down and twisting up again, a mouth that can be thrown so wide open that thirty feet distant when the fish is in the air you can see blue sky down its throat and out through the arched gills. Give the fish a greenish back and a long spine at the dorsal, a powerful sardine-like tail and equip its belly and sides with scales which look more like newly minted trade dollars than anything else, dollars often twice their natural size, into which the purest molten silver has been dropped, scales that flash thousands of rays in every direction, scales that gleam, corruscate and in the full glare of the sun form so many sunbursts to dazzle the eye and confuse the excited angler.

I have taken the "sabalo" under various circumstances and have seen it leap along the outer Florida reef and down by the Rio Grande, where it forms in gigantic schools and moves south in winter, and everywhere it is the same sensational equilibrist, the same air climber and sky scraper when hooked or snared. What the sensations of the tarpon are when hooked it would be difficult to say, but I fancy it is frightened and leaps in the direction away from the pain center, and no two leaps are alike.

It may go directly up into the air, carrying a big wave with it, and lash the air, or it may go out of the water head first, rising like a ray of light ten or fifteen or more feet, then fall gracefully. Every possible position I have seen the frightened tarpon take, from standing on its tail as upright as a soldier to exactly the opposite direction, and an old angler informed me that he had seen a tarpon make a lateral leap of thirty feet.—Charles F. Holden in Recreation.

A Little Too Original.

"You New Yorkers are wonders," said the man from the west here for a brief stay and seeing everything from the Bronx to the Bowery. "Nothing is impossible here—at least I saw vines twined across the sky last night. It was in a restaurant in Forty-second street," he continued. "The ceiling is painted sky blue, and there are little electric lights set to look like stars. Also there are the clouds floating about, but then there are the vines that kill the otherwise very neat illusion. Originality is all right, but vines hitched to a sky is too much for a man from the west."—New York Globe

The Main Point.

Mrs. Scraplelgh—They say, my dear, that the new rubber plant, the Ficus pandurata, is extremely beautiful. It has a glossy veined leaf— Mr. Scraplelgh (who has strained his back lugging the house plants around)—I don't care anything about its glossy veined leaves. What does the dum thing weigh?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Great Financier.

Cholly—Harry is a great financier. Chapple—Yass! Cholly—He borrowed sixpence from me yesterday to take him to the city to see a man that he knew he could borrow a pound from, and with that pound he flew off to stand a dinner to another man whom he borrowed a hundred from.—London Telegraph.

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Statement May 20, 1907:

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts	$116,410.47
Banking house and real estate	8,276.17
Cash on hand and in banks	34,436.67
TOTAL	$158,723.31

LIABILITIES:

Capital and surplus	$ 18,000.00
Undivided profits	270.79
Dividends unpaid	2,250.00
DEPOSITS	138,202.52
TOTAL	$158,723.31

Statement Dec. 3, 1907:

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts	$133,875.83
Banking house and real estate	9,694.79
Cash on hand and in banks	32,974.34
TOTAL	$176,544.96

LIABILITIES:

Capital and surplus	$ 18,000.00
Undivided profits	3,149.85
Dividends unpaid	750.00
DEPOSITS	154,645.11
TOTAL	$176,544.96

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What a Priest Says.

Advancing the cause of Socialism is not the work of factions and giddy heads, as some think who see a scarecrow in every new movement, but is the progress of humanity. I call Socialism the doctrine of love and justice which was taught by Christ. Socialism does not mean tumult and ruin, but food and work for all, a home and clothing for all, a living assured to all, happiness and justice for all.—Father Mario Oddarin, Italy.

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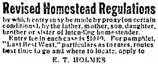

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Responsibility is a great power developer. Where there is responsibility there is growth. People who are never thrust into responsible positions never develop their real strength. This is one reason why it is so rare to find very strong men and women among those who have spent their lives in subordinate positions, in the service of others. They go through life comparative weaklings because their powers have never been tested or developed by having great responsibility thrust upon them. This thinking has been done for them. They have simply carried out somebody else's programme. They have never learned to stand alone, to think for themselves, to act independently. Because they have never been obliged to plan for themselves they have never developed the best thing in them—their power of originality, inventiveness, initiative, independence, self reliance, their possible grit and stamina. The power to create, to make combinations, to meet emergencies, the power which comes from continuous marshaling of one's forces to meet difficult situations, to adjust means to ends, that stamina or power which makes one equal to the great crisis in the life of a nation, is only developed by years of practical training under great responsibility.

There is nothing more misleading than the philosophy that if there is anything in a youth it will come out. It may come out and it may not. It depends largely upon circumstances, upon the presence or absence of an ambition arousing, a grit awakening environment. The greatest ability is not always accompanied by the greatest confidence or the greatest ambition.

There is at this moment enough power latent in the clerks or ordinary employees in almost any of our business houses to manage them as well or better than they are managed today if the opportunity and necessary emergency came to call out this dynamic force.

But how can clerks who remain behind counters measuring cloth, selling shoes or hosiery, year in and year out, ever know what latent power for organization or executive ability, what initiative they possess? It is true that some of the more ambitious and courageous get out and start for themselves, but it does not follow that they are always abler than those who remain behind. Sometimes the greatest ability is accompanied by great modesty and even timidity. Then, again, employees conscious of great ability are often deterred from taking the risk of launching out for themselves because of possible disaster to those depending upon them for daily bread. But thrust great responsibility upon a man, drive him to desperation, and the demand will bring out what there is in him. It will call out his initiative, his ingenuity, his resourcefulness, his self reliance, his power to adjust means to ends. If there are any elements of leadership in him, responsibility will call them out. It will test his power to do things.—Success.

The Last Execution at Tyburn.

The last execution at Tyburn took place on Friday, Nov. 7, 1783, in the person of John Austin, convicted on the preceding Saturday of robbing John Spicer and cutting and wounding him in a cruel manner. In Walford's "Old and New London" it is erroneously said that "the last criminal executed here was one Ryland, who was hanged (sic) for forgery in 1783." William Ryland was executed on Aug. 29, two months before the date of Austin's conviction, and many a poor wretch made the fatal pilgrimage to Tyburn in the interval, hanging by wholesale being the rule in those days. The long procession westward had been attended by such disgraceful scenes that the authorities resolved to hang criminals henceforth outside Newgate prison, straight from the condemned cell. Accordingly on Dec. 3, 1783, the recorder ordered the erection of a scaffold in front of the jail, of which a notice and descriptive engraving appear in the Gentleman's Magazine for the same month, and on the 10th the new hanging place was inaugurated by the execution of ten malefactors.—London Notes and Queries.

Fake Telephone Calls.

The second day after the new maid came the mistress had company. Just before the callers arrived the maid said confidentially:

"Shall I go out and telephone to you while they are here?"

"Telephone?" exclaimed the mistress. "What on earth should you telephone to me about?"

"Oh, anything," responded the maid. "I always did it at the last place I worked and the place before that. The ladies wanted me to. It gave the impression that they were very popular and were overrun with engagements."

But the mistress, remembering many suspicious telephone calls that had interrupted the conversation when she herself had been calling, declined to purchase popularity on those terms.—New York Press.

Fishes That Are Lost.

It is pretty well established that the common mackerel, for example, lays some 50,000 eggs and that out of the number not more than two come to the reproduction stage. Presumably the loss is equally great in the eggs of other fishes. The greater part of this loss occurs, of course, while the young are too small to look out for themselves. By hatching the eggs artificially and maintaining the young until they can shift for themselves it is claimed that in place of one in 25,000 one in a dozen may live to maturity.

Convenient Banking.

The bank examiners of the treasury department have some odd and amusing experiences during their investigations of country banks. At one small and primitive institution an examiner found a deficiency of $100. Of course an explanation was demanded. The cashier made a brave attempt to look wise. Finally he took $100 from a private money drawer. "There, that will fix it," he said.

"How will you enter that to make good the balance?" asked the examiner.

The cashier looked bewildered, but finally said he would not enter it at all.

"You see," he remarked, "that drawer I just went into to make the balance is what we call the 'outs and over' drawer. Whenever we're out of balance we go to 'outs and over' to make things right. Then, again, when the sheet shows more cash than we ought to have the surplus goes to the drawer. Funny the city banks never thought of that scheme."—Harper's Weekly.

Some Notes on "Origins."

"Humpty Dumpty Sat on a Wall," etc., has come down to us from the days of King John. "The Babes In the Woods" dates from the fifteenth century, being founded upon facts, an old house near Wayland Wood, Norfolk, having the whole story in carvings on a mantelpiece. "Little Jack Horner," "Little Miss Muffet, "Old Mother Hubbard," "Mother Goosey" and "Goosey, Goosey Gander" are each traceable to the sixteenth century.

"Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat, Where Have You Been?" belongs to the reign of Queen Elizabeth." Three Blind Mice" first appeared in a music book dated 1609. "A Froggie Would a-Wooing Go" was licensed to be sung as far back as 1609. "Boys and Girls Come Out to Play" and "Lucy Locket Lost Her Pocket" both hail from the period of Charles II. And, last of all, "Cinderella," "Jack the Giant Killer," "Bluebeard" and "Tom Thumb" were published by their author, Charles Perrault, in the year 1697.—London Notes and Queries.

Fish Stories.

Mr. Towngay—How long does a fish grow in a year? The Guide—Waal, it depends on who's tellin' it an' his eddication an' nateral inventiveness.—Chicago News.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF MERCHANTS STATE BANK, at Red Lake Falls, Minn., at close of business on Dec. 3, 1907.

Date of call by Supt., Dec. 3, 1907.
Date of report by bank, Dec. 7, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts			$133,239.03
Overdrafts			636.80
Banking house, furniture and fixtures			6,129.04
Other real estate			3,565.75
Due from banks		$22,859.87	
Checks and cash items		3,404.17	
Cash on hand, items below		6,710.30	
Currency	$4,804.00		
Gold	1,000.00		
Silver	850.00		
Other	56.30		
Total cash assets		32,974.34	32,974.34
Total			$176,544.96

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$15,000.00
Surplus fund		3,000.00
Undivided profits, net		3,149.85
Dividends Unpaid	$750.00	
Deposits subject to check	44,799.59	
Demand certificates	1,138.47	
Cashier's Checks	334.79	
Due to banks	481.16	
Total immediate liabilities	$47,504.01	
Time certificates	107,891.10	
Total deposits	$155,395.11	155,395.11
Total		$176,544.96

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, ss:
I, John A. Duffy, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN A. DUFFY, Cashier.

Attest: (Two) Directors.
THEO. LABISSONIERE.
SAMUEL GIBEAU.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of December, A. D. 1907.

(Seal) P. F. POULIOT,
Notary Public, Red Lake County.
My commission expires March 13, 1908.

FIRST STATE BANK OF BROOKS.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF FIRST STATE BANK OF BROOKS, at Brooks, Minn., at close of business on Dec. 3, 1907.

RESOURCES:

Loans and discounts			$32,805.09
Overdrafts			11.64
Banking house, furniture and fixtures			2,925.24
Other real estate			2,440.37
Due from banks		$13,282.48	
Cash on band, items below		5,436.77	
Currency	$4,008.00		
Gold	950.00		
Silver	371.00		
Other	107.77		
Total cash assets			18,719.25
TOTAL			$56,901.59

LIABILITIES:

Capital stock		$10,000.00
Surplus fund		1,010.00
Undivided profits, net		129.15
Deposits subject to check	$23,497.41	
Demand certificates	4,651.70	
Total immediate liabilities	$28,149.11	
Time certificates	17,613.33	
Total deposits		45,762.44
TOTAL		$56,901.59

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, ss:
I, W. B. Cheshire, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. B. CHESHIRE, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of December, 1907.

A. LANIEL.
Justice of the Peace, Red Lake Co.
Attest: L. C. Simons, director.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

ESTATE OF CHARLES G. CARLSON.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Charles G. Carlson, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Sofie Carlson, Axel Carlson and Oscar H. Carlson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 21st day of December, 1907; at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the honorable, N. W. Tarrant, judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 25th day of November, 1907.

(Court Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Fred L. Farley, Probate Judge.
Attorney for Petitioner. n28-d11

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the second day of November, 1903, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 29th day of March A. D., 1904, at five o'clock p. m., in book twenty-nine (29) of Mortgages on page three hundred fifty-five (355), whereby John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, who were the mortgagors therein, mortgaged and conveyed to L. S. Hackney, who was the mortgagee therein, the following described property, situate in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south half of the ne¼ of section number five (5) in township number one hundred fifty-three (153), north of range number forty-four (44), west of the fifth principal meridian containing eighty (80) acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof,

to secure the payment of the sum of four hundred ($400) dollars and interest thereon, at the rate of seven (7 p. c.) per cent per annum, according to the terms of their certain promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage and payable five years after date, with interest at the rate of seven (7 p. c.) per cent per annum, payable annually.

Said mortgage contained a provision, that should any default be made in the payment of any annual installment of interest due thereon or in the payment of any taxes thereafter to be assessed thereon, previous to the day appointed for the sale of lands for state taxes in the state of Minnesota, then and thereupon the whole sum, for the security of which said mortgage was given, shall become immediately due and payable at the election of the said mortgagee.

Said mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of the sum of four and 81-100 ($4.81) dollars of the annual interest due thereon, on the second day of November, 1906, and in the payment of the sum of twenty-eight ($28) dollars, being the entire installment of interest due thereon, on the second day of November, 1907, and in the payment of the taxes assessed thereon for the year 1905, and are still in default therein.

There is claimed to be and is actually due on said note and mortgage, at the date of this notice, the sum of four hundred ($400) dollars, principal; thirty four and 35-100 ($34.35) dollars interest; nine and 45-100 ($9.45) dollars paid by said mortgagee for the taxes of 1905 after said premises had been sold for taxes, with sixty five cents interest thereon; twenty-five ($25) dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, in all, amounting to the sum of four hundred sixty-nine and 45-100 ($469.45) dollars, due thereon at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale, in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the property above and therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, and state of Minnesota, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 18th day of January, 1908, to satisfy and pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees and the costs and expenses of said sale.

Dated November 25th, 1907.

L. S. HACKNEY,
Mortgagee.

BRYAN & COFFMAN,
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
1003 Pioneer Press Bldg.,
St. Paul, Minnesota. d5-j9

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

ESTATE OF FRED SCHONECKER.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake—In Probate Court.

The State of Minnesota to Marie Schonecker and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court rooms in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of December, 1907 at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of December, 1907.

N. W. TARRANT,
[Seal] Probate Judge.
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner. d5-19

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

ESTATE OF AMELIA KORTKE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake—In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Amelia Kortke, Decedent.

Letters of administration having been granted to E. W. Chamberlain;

It Is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Wednesday, the 3rd day of June, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Red Lake Falls Gazette, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, as provided by law.

Dated December 3rd, 1807.

N. W. TARRANT,
(Probate Court Seal) Judge of Probate.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by L. L. Zenor, a single man, mortgagor, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee, bearing date the 7th day of February, A. D., 1905, and with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 3rd day of March, A. D., 1905, at 10:30 o'clock a. m., in Book 35 of mortgages on page 332 and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Forty-three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, namely: The east half of the east half of section twenty-seven (27) in township one hundred fifty (150) north of range forty-three (43) west of 5th principal meridian, containing according to the United States survey one hundred sixty (160) acres, be the same more or less in the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake and State of Minnesota, on the 14th day of December, A. D., 1907, at eleven o'clock a. m., on that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of one thousand three hundred forty three and 95-100 ($1343.95) dollars, and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and seventy five ($75.00) dollars attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated October 27th, A. D., 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheekbank—(The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank),
Wm. J. Brown, Mortgagee.
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Warren, Minnesota. o31-d12-7w

Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate Under Judgment of Foreclosure.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake. } ss.
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Citizens National Bank of Worthington, Plaintiff
vs.
George Miller, Catherine Miller and Blanche L. Matteson, Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgement and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 6th day of November, 1907, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned, sheriff of said Red Lake county, will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the 28th day of December, 1907, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the west front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, in one parcel, the premises and real estate described in said Judgment and Decree, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northwest fractional quarter of section five, (5) township one-hundred fifty-two (152), range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian.

Dated November 8th, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
J. A. Town, Sheriff of Red Lake County.
Plaintiff's Attorney. n14-d19

When ordering flour call for the "Gold Seal" brand. If your dealer tells you to get flour "just as good" don't mind him but insist on getting something better, and order Gold Seal.—Leo Steinert.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by James Sutor and Wanda Sutor, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, mortgagee, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1905, with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. in Book 12 of mortgages at page 31, and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Six Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five and no 100 Dollars ($6285.00.), and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely: The East Half of the South West Quarter (E½ SW¼), West Half of the South East quarter (W½ SE¼), the West half of the North East quarter (W½ NE¼), and the East Half of the North-West quarter (E½ NW¼) of section number twenty-three (23), and the South-East quarter (SE¼) of section number fourteen (14), all in township one hundred and fifty-two (152), north of range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridan in Minnesota, containing four hundred and eighty (480) acres according to the United States Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county, in the State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Six Thousand Two Hundred and Eighty Five and no one-hundred Dollars ($6,285.00), and interest, insurance, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated November 23, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank),
F. A. Grady, Mortgagee.
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. n28-j9

Order for Creditors to Present Claims Within Three Months.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake. } In Probate Court:

In the matter of the estate of Pehr Bengtson, deceased.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Pehr Bengtson, deceased, late of the Town of Polk Centre, in the County of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, being granted to Hjalmar Johnson.

It appearing on proper proof by affidavit of the executor, Hjalmar Johnson, made and filed herein as provided by law, that there are no debts against the estate of Pehr Bengston, deceased.

It Is Ordered, That three months be and the same is hereby allowed from and after the date on this Order, in which all persons having claims or demands against the said deceased, if any there be, are required to file the same in the Probate Court of said county, for examination and allowance, or be forever barred.

It Is Further Ordered, That Monday, the 24th day of February, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., at a Special Term of said Probate Court, to be held at the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, in said county, be and the same is hereby appointed as the time and place when and where the said Probate Court will examine and adjust said claims and demands.

And It Is Further Ordered, That notice of such hearing be given to all creditors and persons interested in said estate, by forthwith publishing this order once in each week for three successive weeks prior to said day of hearing in the Red Lake Falls Gazette, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county.

Dated at Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, the 23rd day of November, A. D. 1907.

By the Court,
N. W. TARRANT,
(Court Seal) n29-d12 Judge of Probate.

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I. O. O. F.—Clearwater Lodge No. 133, meets every Saturday evening at I. O. O. F. hall Visitors are always welcome.—Fred Zalser N. G. Dr J. E. Argue, V. G. F. A. Grady, R. S. James E. Ford, F. S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 160, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—E. G. Buse, C. C.; P. B. Gaass, K. of R. and S.

MODERN WOODMEN—Meets every Wednesday at M. W. A. hall.

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THIEF RIVER FALLS

From the News and Press.

Mrs. N. W. Tarrnat came up from Red Lake Falls for a short visit on Thursday.

A. D. Halin and Miss Anna Hanson, both of Plummer, were married in this city last Saturday.

Mrs. J. J. Padden and daughter, of Red Lake Falls, were in the city last week visiting at the home of Mrs. Kretzschmar.

Mrs. James Meehan and Mrs. Sirine, sisters of Mrs. K. M. Hansea, who have been visiting her some weeks, returned to their respective homes Monday evening.

The curfew is to be more strictly enforced in Thief River Falls, which is certainly a good thing. The council has introduced an ordinance that when enforced, will cause children under sixteen to be at home by eight o'clock in the evening unless accompanied by a person of mature years.

Elias Joringdahl was in from his farm west of town Wednesday and purchased a threshing engine of local dealers, which he will use on his farm for gringing feed and sawing wood on his farm. Mr. Joringdahl is one of this vicinity's successful farmers and considers that he is not up-to date unless he has an engine to do most of his work.

Dr. H. O. Schleben has secured a government appointment that will take both he and his family to Iliamna, Alaska, where they will make their home. The doctor is to be in charge of a reindeer station and will also look after the education of the natives of the vicinity. He will leave for his new post about January 1st, but will go from here somewhat earlier, visiting relatives in the southern part of the state before going further north. Mrs. Schaleben will join her husband some time during the spring.

BRAY.

O. P. Johnson was at Wylie Friday.

Last Friday we had some snow but not enough for sleighing.

John Scholin returned last Tuesday from a trip to Bemidji.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bessler drove to Red Lake Falls Tuesday.

Martin Anderson a former Brayite came down from Crookston Saturday to look over old friends.

Iver Johnson went down to Crookston Tuesday for a few days stay with his brother-in-law, Albin Anderson.

Chas. Englund, Alfred Olson and Richard Larson attended the auction at Landtman's in Black River Tuesday.

A. E. Anderson and Richard Larson transacted business at the "county hub" Saturday returning home via St. Hilaire.

Among the Brayites who were in St. Hilaire Saturday were Chas. Englund, P. Limblom, A E. Anderson, Richard Larson and Oscar Swanson.

Madam Rumor had it down for a wedding on Thanksgiving Day, in our peaceful little burg, but nothing of the kind happened as far as your correpondent knows.

A Real Wonderland

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

PLUMMER.

From the Pioneer.

Carl Johnson arrived here from Norway a few days ago and is making his home for the present with his uncle, Iver Twedt.

Ralph Green came in from Equality last evening and went to Wahpeton, N. D., to spend a few days visiting with his mother who resides there.

W. A. Swanson was in from Rhoda on Tuesday with a fine load of grain for sale. He says the crops were good with all the people in his neighborhood this year and everybody prosperous.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Johnson, of Mayfield township, left on Thursday evening for LaCrosse and other points in Wisconsin, where they will visit for some weeks with relatives and friends.

Peter Hedea was in from Kratka on Thursday on business. He reports that a movement is on foot to start a creamery in his neighborhood and that one will undoubtedly be started there in the near future.

Hons Holmen left for Ulen on Thursday to spend a few days visiting with his old friends. We understand the real abject of his trip is to secure a life partner but we are not yet fully informed as to who the lady is or when the wedding is to occur.

ST. HILAIRE

From the Spectator.

C. H. Martz left on Wednesday to inspect a new iron bridge being built near Plummer.

George Biscay had the good fortune to shoot a fine large black mink while on his trip Thursday.

Mrs. H. W. Bertelson and daughter, of Fergus Falls, is here this week visiting her sister. Mrs. Geo. L. Austin.

Charley Fellman is the proud possessor of a buckskin hunting jacket and next year the deer will come right in and give up when they see him.

Glenn Shannon accidently shot himself in the left leg with a 32 calibre rifle last Sunday afternoon while he was standing on the county bridge. The bullet went in just below the thigh and was taken out by Dr. Cummings just above the knee. He is doing fine and will be out again in a few days.

P. O. Eckstrom, the well known Black River farmer, had the misfortune to break his left leg just above the ankel, while in a friendly scuffle with members of his family at his residence last Monday evening. Drs. Cummings and Swanson were called and found that both bones were broken. The leg was set and the patient is doing as well as can be expected.

The new equipment for the central exchange of the new telephone is on the road but has been delayed somewhere. so there will be a delay of another week in starting the service. Nearly all the 'phones have been put in and quite a number are connected so many are now enjoying a partial service. Manager Hooper informs us that he hopes to have the system in working order some time the coming week.

A Dangerous Deadlock,

that sometimes terminates fatally, is the stoppage of liver and bowel functions. To quickly end this condition without disagreeable sensations, Dr. King's New Life Pills should always be your remedy. Guaranteed absolutely satisfactory in every case or money back, at W. A. Schreiter's drug store. 25c.

TERREBONNE.

Mrs. Chas. Kankel is improving from her severe illness.

Rev. Fr. Veilleux is spending the week at Crookston, the guest of Rev. Fr. Tapin.

Mrs. A. Wolfe has spent the last week visiting friends at Gentilly and Crookston.

Michel Quesnell and family left Monday for Washington, where they are going to reside.

A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Regis Gagnon on November 26. Mr. and Mrs. Edward St. Ives stood for the child.

Frank Kirchens left Terrebonne last Saturday to reside permanently with his father near Minneapolis. His sister went a few days previously.

Miss Rose Quesuel, daughter of Stephen Quesnel, was married last week to Seth Jones, newly converted to Catholic religion. The new couple will reside on a farm near Mentor.

Raymond Thibert met with a very severe accident some two weeks ago. His horses ran away and in his effort to hold them, he fell under a heavy load of hay. One of his legs and an arm were broken.

The basket party held on Thanksgiving day for the benefit of St. Antony's church met with great success. There were seventy-six baskets sold for the pretty sum of $136.25. The net receipts amounted to $197.00.

Winter must have slipped by some night while while we were sleeping as this weather looks more like spring weather than anything else.

John Scholin has been busy marketing grain in Wylie during the last week.

E. J. Akerlynd transacted business at St. Hilaire Thursday.

Gust Schalin made a trip to Thief River Falls the first of the week.

O. P. Johnsan drove to Wylie Thursday.

Among the Brayites who were at Wylie Saturday were Thomas Larson, Henry Limblom, Swan Scholin, Ray Lindquist and Oscar Swansan.

Ed Crown and son Willie was at Thief River Falls Friday.

Gust Swanson drove to St. Hilaire Monday.

O. A. Akerlund has received a traveling library of 25 volumes and from now on every body will be busy poring over books during the long winter evenings.

Here's Good Advise.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of LeRaysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles, apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good twenty years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions. 25c at W. A. Schreiter's drug store.

Merry Christmas

We all have reason to be imbued with the holiday spirit of good cheer and it is not out of place to remember that

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Albert Power, of Wylie. was a shopper in the city Monday.

Fred Richards was a visitor in Thief River Falls yesterday.

L. M. Rolland, of St. Hilaire, was in the city Monday on business.

M. Barber, of Crookston, spent Sunday with friends in the city.

Father Ambrose was a Thief River Falls visitor the first of the week.

Banker C. L. Hanson was down from St. Hilaire Monday on business.

Sam Hunt was in off the road the first of the week visiting the home-folks.

The winter term at the Grand Forks College opens January 7th, 1908.

For Sale—Parlor organ in good condition. Enquire of H. Hennemuth.

Mrs. M. R. Hall was a guest of Crookston friends the latter part of last week.

Mrs. N. W. Tarrant was the guest of friends at Thief River Falls last Thursday.

'Gene Smith, of St. Paul. was in the city between trains last Friday on business.

A. H. Akre, of Thief River Falls, was a business promulgator in the city Monday.

John B. Hanton, of Watertown, S. D., was calling upon friends in the city Tuesday.

Miss Bertha Stivers, of Dugdale was shopping in the city between trains Munday.

Ward Stone, of Morris, was a guest the first of the week at the Ed L. Healy home.

Swan Scholin and Sam Person, of Polk Centre, were snopping at the "hub" on Monday.

Carl Pochart, of Marshall, was a guest of Red Lake Falls friends the fore part of the week.

Dressed turkey, geese duck and chickens for the holiday feasts, at Groshong & Blake's.

Attorney Chas. E. Boughton was at the twin cities the first of the week on legal business.

J. C. Parker and W. R. Mackerige of Bemidji, were calling upon friends In the Falls last Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Michael Maher were up from Crookston over Sunday, guests of relatives.

Deputy Sheriff Robert Lee was down from Thief River Falls last Saturday on business.

Milton Converse departed Tuesday evening for Fargo, whither he went for a few days visit.

Two cars of nice soft coal just received by A. L. Roy, the drayman. Give him a call wheu in need.

Mrs. A. M. Atwood, of St. Hilaire was the guest of friends at this point over last Friday evening.

Miss Irene Caldwell visited between trains last Saturday with the home folks in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. S. M. Sivertson has been quite ill the past few days, but is improving nicely at this writing.

Mrs. C. C. Jackson, of Thief River Falls, was a guest last week at the home of Mrs. E. F. Marshall.

August Borchers. of East Grand Forks, was a guest over Sunday at the home of his brother, Fred Borchers.

Miss Anna Lundquist is assisting in J. N. Nimesgern's north side store during the holiday rush of business.

J. J. Padden, of the Red Lake Falls Milling company, transacted business in Minneapolis the first of the week.

Three Hickory mouse traps for 5c, or three rat traps for 25c, at G. A. Kankel's. These are regular 5c and 15c traps.

Chas. Bourdon, Jr., returned the first of the week from his railroad labors in Montana and will spend the winter at home.

O. Young, the Grank Forks piano dealer, was in the city the fore part of the week on a combiced business and pleasure trip.

The Royal Neighbors will meet at the Woodman hall Friday evening next, to which all members are requested to take heed.

Pieire Emard and John DeForge transacted business last week at Coleraine, the model mining town on the western Messabe.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

John E. King was up from St. Paul the first of the week assisting the Gazette force for a few days with their rush of holiday business.

Banker L. C. Simons drove over to Brooks Monday and took the Soo train to Waubon, where he is interested in a banking institution.

Miss Edith Brink, teacher of the Nelson school up near St. Hilaire, was a guest over last Friday evening at the C. W. Johnson home.

V. M. Higinbotham departed last Friday evening for his old home in Forest City, Iowa, whither he went on combined business and pleasure trip.

Rev. Fr. S. Veilleux passed through the city Monday while enroute to Crookston on a brief visit. This office has a pleasant call to acknowledge.

E. B. Heiberg, deputy inspector for the pure food department, was up from St. Paul last Saturdoy but found nothing to be confisticated around these parts.

Joseph Belair will cry a public auction for F. J. Boivin, in the town of Lewisville, this afternoon. The sale is a general cleaning one, so fail not to attended.

A Christmas cantata, entitled "Old Fashioned Santa Claus." is occupying the time and attention of a large number of the Presbyterian congregation these days. A full synopsis and program wil be given next week.

Joe Gray returned last week from his business trip Blackduck and the Koochiching country, and on Sunday in company with Dan Linihan drove a number of their logging teams over to Kelliher, where they have work for the winter.

Mrs. J. P. McKeen and daughter departed for their home in Minot, last Friday evening, after spending several days very pleasantly at the Theo. Garceau home.

The advertised letters remaining uncalled for at the postoffice for the week ending December 7th, are J. Hushey, Lewis Inwell, Natalia Olsen—2, Peter Peterson.

Mrs. John Brennen and Master Gordon arrived in the city last Friday from Bowman, N. D., for a brief visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. O. T. Tandberg.

The Washington school will give a Christmas program and an exhibit of work on Friday afternoon, December 20th, and the parents of the pupils and others interested are cordially invited to be present on this occasion.

The program for the dairy meeting to be held at this place on Saturday, the 21st, has not as yet been completed, but several men prominent in dairying will address the assemblage and the meeting gives promise of a large attendance. The program will be published next week.

Fred Bergdorf and Herald Erb returned home last Thursday from Billings, Montana, where they have been the past summer working on a railroad contract. They report the weather out that way extremely mild for this time of year and say the state in general isn't so bad as some people would have you believe.

Rock Lefebvre, a pioneer resident of Terrebonne but who for the past year has been farming up near Duck Lake, in Canada, has removed with his family to the old home place. Rock says Minnesota is good enough for him, and for the future he will be satisfied to cast his lot among the Terrebonne citizens.

Dr. N. M. Watson spent several days of this week at Minneapolis. He accompanied Mrs. C. C. Jackson of Thief River, who underwent an operation at the Abbott hospital for the removal of one of her kidneys. The operation was successful, and Mrs. Jackson is on the way to complete recovery, which will be good news to her many Red Lake county friends.

Cyrille Beudin, a wealthy farmer and pioneer resident of Terrebonne, departed last evening with his family for St. Martine, Canada, where they will take up residence and make their future home. Their absence from the county will be deeply regretted by numerous friends, with whom the Gazette joins in extending best wishes and bon voyage to the departing host.

Rev. Philip A. Schwartz, pastor of the Presbyterian church, was tendered a reception in the church parlors last Friday evening by members of the congregation. The gathering was largely attended and a most enjoyable evening was passed by all present, while the pastor was more than delighted by the friendly feeling shown in his behalf by the congregation.

The Catholic Order of Foresters held their annual election Monday evening and the following officers were the choice of the lodge body for the ensuing year: W. A. Schreitee, Chief Ranger; T. A. Crompe, vice chief ranger, E. C. Normandeau, chief secretary; J. P. Harren, financial secretary; E. Normandeau, treasurer. Installation will be held the first meeting night in January.

Miss Igna Hamry entertained a number of her "north side" friends at the pleasant Hamry home last Friday evening, and reports of a jolly good time come from all those present. Music, social games and feasting entertained the guests until a late hour, when all departed for their respective homes glad for the opportunity to have been a guest of such a delightful hostess. Those present were Misses Florence Fletcher, Rebecca Hunt, Olga and Elenor Hanson, Blanche and Carrie Alstadt, Sigrud Anderson, Viola Brady and Julia Kriel.

The officers for the year 1908 at a meeting of the local camp, M. W. A., last Wednesday evening were: Jos. Salley. V. C.; E. W. Brouillet, W. A.; Ed Trombly, Banker; D. J. Doran, Clerk; F. Brouillet, Escort; F. R. Westphal, Watchman; Peter Carl, Sentinel; Thos. A. Crompe, H. C. Hanson and H. Hennemuth, Managers, and Drs. N. M. Watson and I. Lemieux, physicians. The camp is in a flourishing condition and a large number of the members were present, who were very enthusiastic in the selection of officers.

Ending Christmas Eve

HOLIDAY SALE

Ending Christmas Eve

The shopping days for the Holiday season are here: Attendant with beautiful weather, bountiful crops, high prices for farm produce, high prices for grain, there are no reason why you should not have some of the good things of life. Christmas, now close at hand, is observed as a home and fireside holiday because the home is what people are most thankful for having, as the associations of the day is to make others happy. Don't forget that our store will contribute to that end. Having anticipated the wants of Holiday Shoppers, we will have a cut price event that will abound with rare values, on the newest, rarest novelties of the day. Among our offerings are:

Ladies' Coat Sale

Special for Chrislmas Shoppers' Day

All ladies' misses' and children's coats, for this day only .... 1-3 off

Floral Silk Ribbon

Some of the finest made from 5 and inches wide this day only. 12½c

PureFoodGroceries

Special for Chrislmas Shoppers' Day

60c sun dried Japan tea goes at	39c
Common Japan tea goes at	23c
15c coffee 8 pounds to a customer, goes at	12½c
Egg-O-See and Corn Flake, 3 packages for	25c
Lute-fisk 3 lbs for	25c
Strawberry preserves 2 cans for	25c

Eggs and Butter at Highest Market Prices

GARCEAU & ZAISER

The Busy Store Red Lake Falls

Our Holiday Advertisers

Below we give a list of our advertisers who have changes this week, with a note of the specials they have to offer:

HENRY W. ANDERSON—Christmas jewelry and specialties.

BRUNEDLE BROS.—Holiday boxes of cigars.

CHATEL'S CASH GROCERY—Holiday groceries, crockery and chinaware.

FIRST STATE BANK—Showing steady growth during the year.

F. F. FREUND—Holiday presents for everybody.

FIRST STATE BANK OF BROOKS—Report of condition.

GARCEAU & ZAISER—Holiday sale on seasonable merchandise.

HUNT HARDWARE CO.—Pre-Inventory sale and specials for Christmas shoppers.

G. A. KANKEL—Special offerings in silverware.

THEO LABISSONIERE—Big bargains for Christmas shoppers' day.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK—Comparative statements showing a splendid growth.

J. N. NIMESGERN—Columbia phonographs and Christmas toys.

RED LAKE FALLS CREAMERY—Will run all winter.

W. A. SCHREITER—Holiday headquarters for Santa Claus.

MATT SKALA—Furs, clothing, dry goods, etc.

W. T. SPILLANE—Toys and Christmas specialties.

A piano recital was given at the Ed L. Healy home last Thursday evening by pupils of Leland E. Healy. Only the parents of the pupils were present and the recital proved a great success in every particular. Mr. Healy is a fine instructor and the pupils are progressing rapidly under his tutorship.

Michel Quesnell and family departed Monday evening over the Northern Pacific road for their new home in North Yakima, Wash. Since disposing of their stock, farm implements and household goods some six weeks ago they have been spending the time very pleasantly visiting among numerous friends and they leave Red Lake Falls with no fear in making a return visit. They have the best wishes of a host of friends in their new western home, among such friends is the Gazette force.

Say! Did You Ever Think of Anything for a Christmas Present??

for your family that would please them more than an **Edison Phonograph** We sell them at

$12.50
$25.00
$35.00

Prices suitable for everybody's purse. Place your order early to avoid the rush.

ANDERSON & WANDER
Furniture and Undertaking, Red Lake Falls

A letter box has been placed at the "four corners" on J. P. Harren's shoe store for the reception of such items of news you may have for the Gazette, and hesitate in giving them to the editor. The items will be collected daily to Wednesday afternoon and any who may have an item for publication may drop it therein. Always sign your name to the article that we may know of its authenticity, and the same will be withheld from publication. Don't fail to drop your note in the Gazette news box.

Alexandria Post News: Geo. E. McConnell, of Minneapolis, formerly with the Red Lake Falls Milling company and associated with the Marcus Johnson mills for several years, has bought an interest in the Kensington Milling company and will take the management of the business. Mr. McConnell is a practical miller and fully posted in all its details. The mill will be put in A 1 condition and the patrons may look for something good in the flour line.

You know as well as anyone when you need something to regulate your system. If your bowels are sluggish, your food distresses you, your kidneys pain, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It always relieves. 35 cents. Tea or Tablets.—W. A. Schreiter.

PRODUCTIVE POWER OF WESTERN CANADA SOIL

Winnipeg Correspondence.

There has never been one who have doubted the productiveness of the soil of Western Canada, but there are sometimes found those who question the fact of its superiority. During the past season it has been shown that in grain raising qualities it possessed the very best. The late spring prevented grain being sown in many cases before the middle of May. Yet, a large percentage of that sown at that time produced excellent yields. Had it not been for the frost early in August, which visited most of the north half of the continent, there would have been a magnificent yield in every district in Western Canada. Throughout the Southern Alberta district where about 100,000 acres was sown to winter wheat the yield will be enormously large. There are vast tracts of valuable grain growing land in Western Canada that are available for homesteads, the Canadian Government giving 160 acres free, and entry may be made by proxy, by any near relative, thus saving considerable cost to the American who may have entry made in this way. Any Canadian Government Agent will give you the particulars.

Your correspondent has just received the following letter from Craik, Saskatchewan, which bears out the statement made in the first part of this letter.

"Craik, Sask., Aug. 1907.

"May 24th we planted a Dahlia root, which we brought with us from Minneapolis. Aug. 12th, 80 days later, it was in bloom. The plant is now 4½ feet high and covered with blossoms. We never got half as many flowers on it in Minneapolis, even during September and October, although we had more time to attend to it there."

I mention this only as an example of the great productive power of the soil here in Saskatchewan, Canada.

To the Best of His Knowledge.

"Johnny, what is your father's nativity?" asked the teacher.

"His what, ma'am?"

"His nativity—his nationality, you know."

"Oh, he hasn't got any yet, ma'am. We just moved here from Nebraskey last week."

TO CURE A COUGH OR COLD.

Doctor's Prescription Checks an Acute Cold in a Day and Cures Chronic Coughs.

The following formula is a never failing remedy for coughs or colds:

Two ounces of glycerine, one-half ounce of Concentrated oil of pine, one half pint of good whisky, mix and shake thoroughly each time and use in doses of a teaspoonful to a tablespoonful every four hours.

This, if followed up, will cure any cough that is curable or break up an acute cold in 24 hours. The ingredients all can be gotten at any drug store.

Concentrated oil of pine comes put up for medicinal uses only in half ounce vials sealed in air tight cases designed to protect it from heat and light. Other oils of pine are insoluble and are likely to produce nausea and cannot give the desired results.

At the Summer Hotel.

She (on their wedding trip, in the mountains)—Carlo, what's that long white streak on the ground over toward our inn?

He—My Lord! That's probably our bill!

Going Some.

Monday Aaker's Business college sent Miss C. Johnson into a position as stenographer in the office of Attorney Lasell, LaMoure; to day, Tuesday, Gudrun Lund goes into a similar position in the office of President Bogstad, Moorhead. Six A. B. C. students have gone into positions the last few days. The department of telegraphy is also proving a great success, and it should; it is the best equipped and has the only experienced teacher of telegraphy in the state. For catalogue address the school at Grand Forks or Fargo.

A Different Species.

"While abroad I met a poor but clever scalp specialist in Brussels and told him he could make big money in America if he came over with me."

"Why did you tell him that?"

"Because his specialty was raising Belgian hairs."

SHIP YOUR CREAM
to Crescent Creamery Co., St. Paul, Minn.
Write to-day for tags and prices.

A Plain Man.

"Have you a coat that would fit my monkey?"

"Can't say that I have."

"You don't seem to care particularly for my pet's custom."

"No; I don't want any monkey business."

DR. J. H. RINDLAUB, (Specialist),
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat,
Fargo, N. D.

Tender Spots.

We all have tender spots, which, touched,
Cause us to wildly rage;
A bald head's apt to be a man's,
And woman's is her age.

HIDES, PELTS AND WOOL.
To get full value, ship to the old reliable N. W. Hide & Fur Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Note the evil results of smoking as illustrated by the volcano; it constantly suffers from eruptions.

MRS. DONALD McLEAN.

The Growth of Patriotic Societies

By Mrs. Donald McLean

Order of Cincinnati Founded by Revolutionary Officers—Crop of Societies the Result of Centennial in 1876—Refusal of "Sons of Revolution" to Accept "Daughters"—"Daughters" Soon Greatly Outnumber "Sons"—Eligibility Rules for Both Are Democratic—"Colonial Dames" and Other Organizations.

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(Mrs. Donald McLean's name is known very widely not only as that of the head of the New York city chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, but as that of a writer and speaker of ability on topics of especial interest to women. Mrs. McLean is a prominent member of a number of organizations of a social and patriotic character.)

The centennial celebration of 1876 gave an impetus to patriotic impulse as directed toward organization which had lain dormant in a large measure since the years immediately succeeding the war of the revolution.

As all the world knows, the Order of the Cincinnati was formed immediately upon the cessation of that war and just before the disbanding of the continental army. It was composed of the officers who served through the struggle, Washington being the president of the society. It is the only organization in this country promoting the rights of primogeniture, and it is said that Washington hesitated ere granting his approval to such an organization or becoming its president because of the fear that an aristocratic sentiment would be unduly fostered in a democratic country.

However, Washington did consent to take the office, and the organization exists to this day, commanding the respect of all men and not conflicting with the best American spirit. Membership in this society descends from the eldest son to the eldest son (women are barred), and the insignia, which is a golden eagle, cut clear, descends with the membership. In lieu of direct descendants the title and insignia pass to the eldest son of the nearest branch of the family. The portraits and miniatures of many of the revolutionary officers display this badge of the Order of the Cincinnati as their proudest decoration.

This, of course, was the father, so to speak, of all patriotic organizations. It is not, perhaps, widely known that a society was formed directly after the formation of the Cincinnati purporting to represent the very principles of which Washington was such a warm supporter—that is, the democratic as opposed to the aristocratic spirit in the country. This second society was known as the "Veteran Corps of Artillery." It, too, was composed largely of officers of the revolution and men who had made good records in that struggle.

It never grew to such proportions or prominence as the Order of the Cincinnati, though always highly regarded by those who understood it. It now lives in combination with the society formed of the descendants of the heroes of 1812, the title being the Veteran Corps of Artillery and War of 1812. Therefore, this dual-named organization has a membership composed of men descended from ancestors who fought in the two wars of 1776 and 1812. In a few instances the same ancestors fought in both. This was possible if the patriot engaged in the revolutionary war in extreme youth and lived to hardy manhood to fight in 1812.

With the exception, however, of these two societies, formed in the early period of the country's history, all desire for such patriotic organizations seemed to die, until, as has been said, the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the Declaration of Independence animated the seed of patriotic growth which has since flowered at this end of the new century into full and luxuriant bloom. Within the last few years well-nigh a countless number of organizations, bearing titles significant of historic association, have sprung into being.

Of these "The Sons" and "Daughters of the American Revolution" are the most prominent and numerous in membership. In connecting the title "Sons and Daughters" the writer does that which the "Sons" themselves declined to do, the latter thus exhibiting a lack of that "seeing vision" which Du Maurier proclaims a priceless gift. In other words, the "Sons" did not foresee that a declination to receive the feminine descendants of revolutionary sires would deprive the society Sons of the American Revolution of an able, ardent and achieving element. Therefore it came about that the society Sons of the American Revolution, organized in 1889, exists as one organization and the Daughters of the American Revolution as another.

With the true, clinging nature of women's hearts, the feminine descendants of the revolutionary patriots appealed to the Sons of the American Revolution to be taken within the protecting fold of the masculine society! The latter, however, displayed no embracive inclination and threw the women back upon their own pride and their own resources.

The result was that in October, 1890, there was organized the national society of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The growth and activity of the latter body would seem almost incomprehensible were it not to be remembered that the spirits of the men who "made and preserved us a nation" inspire the souls of their descendants; and woman's enthusiasm, when awakened, outstrips all other and reaches, on flying feet, the goal of high endeavor. The Sons of the American Revolution number several thousand—probably under 10,000. The Daughters of the American Revolution over 30,000.

These revolutionary daughters, having made clear to erring man his mistake in refusing their gentle companionship, now entertain the most amiable feeling toward their brother society. The latter apparently reciprocates, and the two organizations being in perfect harmony, although under separate governments, have become a leaven of patriotism for the entire country. They are represented in every state, city and hamlet. All institutions of learning know them, from the public schools to the universities. All rostrums have welcomed them, from the old-time town meeting to the great assemblages in fashionable halls. Historic spots no longer lie neglected, but are crowned with lasting granite and immutable bronze. The heroes who spilled their blood upon the soil, then consecrated by that red libation, no longer sleep in unknown or forgotten graves. "Their children rise up and call them blessed," and their country is rejuvenated by the proud memories of their marvelous prowess.

Eligibility in either of the above-mentioned organizations rests upon lineal descent from one who served his or her country during the revolution, whether in the army or on the high seas or in giving "material aid" to the infant government. Descent from an officer does not necessarily figure in either society. Descent from a private, unknown save by his name and a record of unflinching service to his country, entitles one to the same regard as though descended from captain, colonel or brigadier general. Thus a truly American spirit is conserved.

Besides the Sons of the American Revolution and the Daughters of the American Revolution, there is a society of the Sons of the Revolution and one of the Daughters of the Revolution. The former claim to have been formed prior to the Sons of the American Revolution. It is a mooted question. It is a fact, however, that the Daughters of the Revolution are an offshoot from the parent society, the Daughters of the American Revolution.

In addition to the societies already named there exist a multitude of organizations of a patriotic nature, each having as an incentive the same loyal purposes toward its native land. Those best known are the masculine society Founders and Patriots and a feminine society of the same name. To be eligible to membership in either of these one must be descended from ancestors who assisted in founding the country during its colonial period and were indubitably loyal to our own government during the revolution.

The two well-known organizations of colonial dames—one the Colonial Dames of America, the other the National Society of Colonial Dames—differ from the organizations just mentioned in that eligibility to membership consists in a descent from one who was prominent in the colonial period, but who was not of necessity, though it is presumed preferably, a patriot during the revolution.

A society closely akin to this, whose membership consists entirely of men, is known as the Society of Colonial Wars. Eligibility consists in descent from one who served in the wars during the colonial period of the country, such as the French and Indian war.

The United States Daughters of 1812 is a society founded upon descent from ancestors, prominent in the country from 1783 and from those who served in the war of 1812.

This brief account of the birth and growth of patriotic societies barely touches upon their excellent achievement; but this is manifestly true: The spirit of devotion to the nation, developed by such organizations, is the "outward, visible sign" which undoubtedly follows such "inward spiritual grace" and causes the existence of such organizations to be a matter of felicitation to the entire country, and the United States is surely proud of its sons and daughters and they in turn are ready to lay their best abilities, whether in peace or war, upon the altar of their country's liberty.

THE WAY OF LOVE.

And Nothing Mattered So Long as They Were United.

Once upon a time there was a man who fell in love with a woman.

And they were married.

After a while the bills came in and the man sat around and thought about them. Then he went to his wife and said: "Dearie, can't you go a little slow?"

And his wife replied: "Alas! I never learned how. I fear that I am naturally extravagant. I don't mean to be, but I am. Tell me that you love me."

"I love you," replied the man.

After a while the stork paid a friendly visit. When the excitement was over and things quieted down, the man took note of certain things that were happening. The servants wouldn't stay. The baby was either overfed or underfed. The spirit of Harmony had slipped out. And the man sat around and thought about it some more. Then he went to his wife and said: "Dearie, there's something wrong with our domestic economy. Things ought to be different. The house isn't run right. Things are not done calmly or systematically. Can't you—"

His wife shook her head.

"I don't know how," she replied. "I never had much order. I can't help it, but—do you love me?"

"I love you more and more," replied the man.

And after another while the woman grew to be an invalid. She refused to take care of herself, and became morose, irritable and incapable of doing much of anything.

And one day, as the man sat and thought, she came to him and said:

"Dearest, I have been a failure. I'm thoroughly incompetent. I haven't done what I should have done. I have been lamentably weak. Aren't you, honestly now, sorry that you married me?"

"No," said the man.

"But I am a failure. You ought to be sorry. Why aren't you sorry?"

And the man smiled as he replied: "Because, sweetheart, if I hadn't married you I never could have loved you as much as I do now."—The Reader.

Revolution in China.

It is reported that the revolutionary movement in China is gaining strength and that secret organizations are increasing in number, especially in the Yangtse valley. Chinese officials say that thousands of revolutionists are concealed in the foreign quarters of the cities, thus placing themselves outside the jurisdiction of the Chinese courts. The revolutionary agitation recently was carried into the army. Murderous plots against the Manchus continue to be discovered in Pekin.

Her Vaulting Ambition.

"The height of my ambition," said the woman who hasn't always had to work but has to now, "is to make so much money that I won't have to recognize every piece of lingerie I possess. I want to have so many pieces of everything that I can take up, say, a skirt to put it on and won't know it is mine because I have had to wear it over and over about a hundred times."

HAVE QUEER JOBS

ODD OCCUPATIONS OF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYES.

"Chief Poisoner" Has Important Work in the National Museum—Millions of Dollars' Worth of Old Money Destroyed.

While the ordinary work of a government clerk at Washington is that of "shoving the pen," yet there are, nevertheless, many peculiar occupations carried on there under the direction of Uncle Sam.

Thus, for instance, how many have ever heard that the government has in its employ a "chief poisoner." Startling as it may seem, such, however, is the fact. And what does this poisoner poison? Persons guilty of lese majeste? Not yet. This genial poisoner is attached to the staff of the National museum. In this building there are valuable exhibits. Because of their character it is necessary that they should be preserved from vermin, rust and decay. For every class of exhibit the chief poisoner has a different preparation of poison. The books, the stuffed birds and animals, the historical exhibits, and, in fact, everything is deadly poisoned. Even the show cases are treated with some sort of preparation, and woe be it to the hold cockroach or inquisitive ant or mouse that should wander into the National museum. If they should happen to run over the cases they would certainly think they were crossing the hot sands. Besides being a preventive the poison is so adapted that it also acts as a preservative for the articles poisoned.

One would hardly think that money would be willfully destroyed. Yet such is the case in Washington, and the government even pays to have it done. They may have money to burn in many of the cities of the United States, but at the national capital they do not believe in this crematory fad, and so simply tear it up. Thus, more fully, there are several men in the treasury department whose exclusive duty it is to see that all old, canceled and condemned money is destroyed in the immense macerator, which is located in the cellar of the building. Thousands and even millions of dollars are thus destroyed by these men who make it their duty to deliberately destroy money and get paid for it, too. The pulp of the destroyed money is sold and from it is made souvenirs of Washington. Many of these souvenirs contain thousands and thousands of destroyed money. How would you like to be the money smasher?

Have you any idea what the "Imitator" does? His name really tells the story. It is his duty to make an exact imitation of anything the National museum may need. Thus fruit of every description, fishes, models of Indians, etc., are made to order in such a manner as to deceive experts after the closest examination. A story is told of the marvelous skill of an old imitator connected with the museum, but now dead. It appears that this artist invited all of the museum officials to his birthday party. There a bountiful repast awaited them. There was the finest beefsteak, vegetables of all kinds, delicious fruits, wine, cigars, etc. But what was the dismay and astonishment of the guests when they discovered that this entire repast throughout was all artificial—imitated. They were made out of clay, plaster, wax, etc., but copied so lifelike that even the museum officials, accustomed as they were to such imitations, were themselves fooled. Although a real repast was afterwards served, they nevertheless felt chary about eating, not knowing whether this modern wizard might not have played pranks even with the food they ate.

MARRIED AT THE CAPITAL.

International Romance Has Its Proper Culmination.

Miss Mathilde Hannegan and Capt. Goland Clarke, D. S. O., Eighteenth hussars, British army, were married in St. John's church, Washington, recently, by the Rev. Roland Cotton Smith. Following a wedding breakfast at the Shoreham hotel, Capt. Clarke and his bride started for a tour of the world which will last 18 months.

Miss Hannegan, who has been living in London for about 15 years, crossed the ocean in order that her marriage might be celebrated in Washington. She crossed with her cousin, Mrs. E. H. Abbe, and Capt. Clarke followed on the next ship. Meanwhile Duncan Hannegan was on his way across the continent to Washington to give his sister in marriage.

The wedding is the culmination of a romance which began just after the Boer war. Capt. Clarke fought with distinction at Ladysmith and Spion Kop and was rewarded by King Edward with a decoration of the Distinguished Service Order. When he returned to London he met Miss Hannegan.

Miss Hannegan is the daughter of the late Col. and Mrs. Seliman Key Hannegan, who were prominent in the social life of the capital some years ago. Mrs. Hannegan, as Miss Nelson, daughter of the late Gen. Thomas H. Nelson of Indiana, was a noted beauty. Following the death of her parents Miss Hannegan went to London, where she has since lived, except for a short visit to this country several years ago.

Him that trusts his wife is deceived. Him that mistrusts [illegible] is deceived just the same.

NIGHT SWEATS, NO APPETITE, USED PE-RU-NA.

MRS. LIZZIE LOHR, 1155 W. 13th St., Chicago, Ill., writes:

"I take pleasure in writing you these few lines, thinking there may be other women suffering the same as I did.

"I had my complaints for over a year, *night sweats* all winter and *no appetite.* I was *run-down* so far that I had to sit down to do my cooking, I was so weak.

"I tried many different medicines and doctors also. Nothing seemed to do me any good. The doctors wanted to operate on me.

"At last I wrote to Dr. Hartman. I told him just exactly how I was, and he told me what ailed me and how I should take Peruna.

"I did as he told me for four months, and *now I am all cured.*

"No one can tell how thankful I am to him, as I had given up all hopes of ever getting well again.

"I am a widow and the mother of six small children who depend on my support. I work all day and seldom get tired.

"I took five bottles of Peruna in all.

"Any woman wishing to know more about my case may write to me and I will gladly tell all about it.

"I thank Dr. Hartman for what he has done for me."

Like a Farm.

"You can get a seat in the New York stock exchange for $50,000."

"I dunno as I keer to invest at such figgers. Ain't there no abandoned seats to be picked up for the back taxes, hey?"

Her Views.

Principal of Public School—What are your views on the subject of corporal punishment? Do you approve it?

New Boy's Mother—No, indeed, sir. I thinks when they're bad ye should just give 'em a good thrashing.

"FALL IN THE NORTH WOODS."

The Returned Vacation Goer Discusses the Beauty of Snow.

"That rainy day you had here the other day, Tuesday, wasn't it—or Wednesday?" said a man just back from the Adirondacks, "it snowed all day where we were. First time I'd ever been up there in the fall and I don't know but it looked more beautiful all in white than it does in summer when everything's green. Ice there, too, you know, now. Shallow places in the lake where it was frozen over now so that you couldn't get around in 'em any more in a boat. Not such an everlasting sight further north than New York, but away from the salt water and higher elevation, winter there's a good deal earlier than here, of course. The hotel where I stayed closed the day I came away. What? No, not for grief over my departure but because I was the last guest.

"You say the hotels in New York are still keeping open? I see they are, and New York never looked better to me, but do you know I think next year I shall take my vacation in the fall again and go up around where I've just come from, hunting for bear. Yes, sir, they get bear up there as well as deer; don't have to go to Louisiana for bear. But here's my train, I mean street; so long, old man; just now I'm hunting business."

BEGAN YOUNG.

Had "Coffee Nerves" from Youth.

"When very young I began using coffee and continued up to the past six months," writes a Texas girl. "I had been exceedingly nervous, thin and very sallow. After quitting coffee and drinking Postum Food Coffee about a month my nervousness disappeared and has never returned. This is the more remarkable as I am a Primary teacher and have kept right on with my work.

"My complexion now is clear and rosy, my skin soft and smooth. As a good complexion was something I had greatly desired, I feel amply repaid even this were the only benefit derived from drinking Postum.

"Before beginning its use I had suffered greatly from indigestion and headache; these troubles are now unknown.

"Best of all, I changed from coffee to Postum without the slightest inconvenience, did not even have a headache. Have known coffee drinkers who were visiting me, to use Postum a week without being aware that they were not drinking coffee.

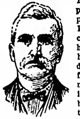
"I have known several to begin the use of Postum and drop it because they did not boil it properly. After explaining how it should be prepared they have tried it again and pronounced it delicious."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the booklet, [illegible] Reason."

PROOF FOR TWO CENTS.

If You Suffer with Your Kidneys and Back Write to This Man.

G. W. Winney, Medina, N. Y., invites kidney sufferers to write to him.



To all who enclose postage he will reply telling how Doan's Kidney Pills cured him after he had doctored and had been in two different hospitals for eighteen months, suffering intense pain in the back, lameness, twinges when stooping or lifting, languor, dizzy spells and rheumatism. "Before I used Doan's Kidney Pills," says Mr. Winney, "I weighed 143. After taking 10 or 12 boxes I weighed 162 and was completely cured."

Sold by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

An Innocent Victim.

"Biggins is always telling something smart that his baby said."

"Yes," answered the crusty bachelor. "If that baby knew how its father is acting it would be sorry it ever learned to talk."

Lucky Girl.

"How did that marriage of the Millyuns girl to the count turn out?"

"Fine. She got a divorce for cruelty before he had spent half her fortune."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Axel B. Arctander, St. Paul, Minn., window screen; Edward Thompson, Minneapolis, Minn., wheat separator; Harry B. Cornish, Minneapolis, Minn., carbureter; Fred Gehner, Garrison, N. D., wrench; Isaac W. Hodgson, Minneapolis, Minn., resilient wire; Christoph Schaffer, Melville, N. D., gate; Oscar L. Sole, Sioux Falls, S. D., filing cabinet.

Domestic Amenities.

"John, if you didn't smoke, I could have a fall hat."

"And if you would live on stewed peanuts, I could have a steam yacht. They're very nourishing, I understand. Johnny, who won the football game to-day?"

HIDES TANNED FOR ROBES, COATS etc. Oldest tanners in N. W. Send for prices. Foster Robe & Tanning Co., Minneapolis.

More Than Likely.

"They call this spring lamb, but it's mutton, all right."

"Perhaps the bill of fare is written in the past tense."

VENUS DE MILO A FRUMP.

That Is What the Modern Woman Would Call Her.

It is questionable whether the real Greek woman, of that immortal epoch when sculpture meant something more than a decorative end to an architectural means, possessed the chaste loveliness accredited to her in the chiseled remnants left to us. It has ever been the whim of artists to work away from the physical facts of their models toward the ideals of their fancy. The sculptor is usually a proudly careless historian and but a poor reporter. All Greek sculpture doubtless is a highly glorified record of true Greek ethnology. But, granting such a woman as, say, the Venus de Milo did exist in all her bodily and facial perfection, she would meet with but cold reception at the hands of our critics of femininity to-day. Her modern women associates would, I am certain, adjudge the classic lady a frump. Ideals change with the centuries if nature does not.

The General Demand

of the Well-Informed of the World has always been for a simple, pleasant and efficient liquid laxative remedy of known value; a laxative which physicians could sanction for family use because its component parts are known to them to be wholesome and truly beneficial in effect, acceptable to the system and gentle, yet prompt, in action.

In supplying that demand with its excellent combination of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, the California Fig Syrup Co. proceeds along ethical lines and relies on the merits of the laxative for its remarkable success.

That is one of many reasons why Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna is given the preference by the Well-Informed. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine—manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all leading druggists. Price fifty cents per bottle.

Room for One More.

He was on trial for bigamy.

"What," queried the judge, "ever induced you to marry fourteen wives?"

"Superstition, your honor," replied the prisoner. "I consider thirteen an unlucky number."

SAVE 40 PER CENT OF YOUR FUEL Write for price list and testimonials. Economy Fuel Saver Co., Minneapolis.

Rivalry.

"You belong to the Forty club, do you?"

"No, it's full, and won't take any more. But we're starting a 'For Tea' club, and it's going to be every bit as exclusive."

RHEUMATISM
is most painful.
What's good?
ST. JACOBS OIL
Gives instant relief.
Removes the twinges.
USE IT, THEN YOU'LL KNOW
25c.—ALL DRUGGISTS—50c.

After a man has been married a week he begins to unlearn a lot of the things he knew about women.

The slow-going dray horse lands more coin than the average race horse.

SICK HEADACHE
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
Positively cured by these Little Pills.
They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A perfect remedy for Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Coated Tongue, Pain in the Side, TORPID LIVER. They regulate the Bowels. Purely Vegetable.
SMALL PILL. SMALL DOSE. SMALL PRICE.
CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
Genuine Must Bear Fac-Simile Signature
Brent Good
REFUSE SUBSTITUTES.

SPOT CASH
FOR SOLDIERS AND HEIRS
All federal soldiers and sailors who served 90 days between [illegible] and [illegible] and who homesteaded less than [illegible] acres before June 22, 1874, are entitled to additional homestead rights which I buy. If soldier is dead, his heirs can sell. Talk to old soldiers, widows and heirs. Find some soldier so alive who went West or South after the war and homesteaded government land. Get busy and make some easy money. Write HENRY N. COPP, Washington, D. C., for further particulars.

FARMERS WANTED in Virginia to buy, rent or work on shares. Good land cheap; good water; plenty of timber; no extremes of heat or cold. Inquire of—
J. B. McLAUGHLIN, - Morrisville, Va.

OLD VIRGINIA LANDS We have bargains in lands from $10.00 an acre up. For further information address the SOUTHSIDE REALTY CO., Inc., Petersburg, Va.

PATENTS Watson E. Coleman, Patent Attorney, Washington, D.C. Advice free. Terms low. Highest ref.

A Quick Way.

"Our old friend Gille has retired from business."

"Voluntarily?"

"I suppose so. He stopped advertising."

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN,
Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

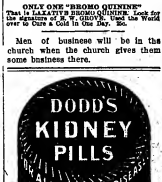
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

More Wisdom.

"If people had to pay a tax on what they think they know," remarked old man Wiseowlski, "the government would not need no other source of revenue."

ONLY ONE "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Men of business will be in the church when the church gives them some business there.



TO WED GERMAN DIPLOMAT.

Washington Belle Has Captured Heart of Kaiser's Representative.

A German-American romance which promises to lead to an early and happy consummation is that of Count Hermann von Hatzfeldt-Wildenburg, counselor of the kaiser's embassy, and Miss Isabel May, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry May of Washington.

Miss May is a handsome brunette of many accomplishments, and admirably fitted for life in the diplomatic circle. She made her debut in London five years ago, and has been under the chaperonage of her cousin, Lady Bagot. An aunt of Miss May's is Countess Luis d'Andigne of France, in which country she has also seen much social life. At home she shared in the first season of Miss Alice Roosevelt, served as bridesmaid for Miss Kathleen Neilson, now Mrs. Reginald Vanderbilt; also for Miss Alice Thaw, now the countess of Yarmouth, and has always been in the front rank of fashionable life. Through her mother, who was a Miss Coleman of San Francisco, she will inherit a comfortable fortune, although Mrs. May's income is suffering a temporary shrinkage by reason of the San Francisco earthquake and its attendant troubles.

Count Hartzfeldt is the second son of the former ambassador from Germany to Great Britain, and although possessing comparatively small means, has an assured future in diplomacy and is a very interesting and attractive young man. In the event of Baron von Sternburg's early retirement from diplomacy, which seems probable, Count Hartzfeldt would likely remain as charge d'affaires through the coming season. The announcement of the engagement has not yet been made. Mr. May, who is a cousin, not a brother, of the late Mrs. William C. Whitney, is now on a business trip to California. On his return it is expected the arrangements for the match will be concluded.

HAD FUN WITH BRIDEGROOM.

Whispering Stone Did Not Work According to Promise.

Everybody remembers the "whispering stones" in the rotunda of the capitol at Washington, those classic institutions that even Noah and Julius Caesar must have delighted in. "Ladies and gentlemen," reeled off a burly guide the other day just here, to the creatures he had in captivity, "so remarkable are the accoustical properties of this section of this great apartment, that if one person stands right here, and the other just opposite, near the column, upon the exact spot that I indicate, even so widely separated, they may whisper to each other across the distance in the lowest tones, with perfect audibility to each other, while bystanders will be unable to hear a word. Would anybody like to put it to the test?"

A couple, unmistakably bridal, stepped forth. They planted themselves in position—at least they thought they did. But "somebody blundered," likely the groom, women are foxier. The man holding down his supposed "whispering stone" at long range from his bride, in blind confidence in tradition, enunciated sibilantly: "You're the prettiest and sweetest proposition that ever came down the pike!" The blank, unresponsiveness of his coadjutor emboldened him to a repetition, and a louder one: "I say, Skeesicks, you're the sweetest thing that ever came down the pike, and there ain't a woman in this bloomin' bunch of tabbies that can hold a candle to you." The wife never caught a word of the innocent declaration, but the rest of the crowd had their fun. The whispering stone didn't work—especially as the man wasn't standing on it.

Useful "Money Sharps."

The comic papers are constantly parading the money sharps of New York, but it may be news to them that the treasury department has in its employ several of these "money sharps." This seems at first blush impossible and it would seem that the secret service department, which is located in the same building, would not allow it, but the fact remains that they are pleased and greatly indebted to these selfsame sharps because of the assistance they give it in running down of counterfeit coin. From this it will be seen that the sharps referred to are expert counterfeit money detectors, and a simple glance is sufficient to enable them to ascertain its genuineness. And the ladies will no doubt be proud to hear that a woman holds the distinction of being the most rapid and most accurate detector of bad money in the United States. Money that has passed through numerous banks and has been accepted as genuine by expert cashiers and bank tellers is here thrown out as counterfeit at a single glance.

Mrs. Leiter Coming Home.

The Leiter mansion at Washington is being put into order for the homecoming of its mistress in the latter part of this month. To judge from the many cases of goods received, she has been spending much time in the Paris shops. Mrs. Leiter has increased her portrait gallery. Lady Curzon's portrait by Cabanel, which adorns the main drawing room, will be flanked by a group of her three little daughters, painted by Sargent.

Mrs. Leiter intends to regain her reputation of being Washington's most successful hostess. She is bringing a full complement of English servants to aid in carrying out the ambitious programme.

SORES AS BIG AS PENNIES.

Whole Head and Neck Covered—Hair All Came Out—Cured in Three Weeks by Cuticura.

"After having the measles my whole head and neck were covered with scaly sores about as large as a penny. They were just as thick as they could be. My hair all came out. I let the trouble run along, taking the doctor's blood remedies and rubbing on salve, but it did not seem to get any better. It stayed that way for about six months; then I got a set of the Cuticura Remedies, and in about a week I noticed a big difference, and in three weeks it was well entirely and I have not had the trouble any more, and as this was seven years ago, I consider myself cured. Mrs. Henry Porter, Albion, Neb., Aug. 25, 1906."

Even With His Way.

"Our baby gives us lots of trouble. Yells unless he has his own way."

"Ours yells anyhow. You don't know what trouble is."

WE PAY TOP PRICES FOR CREAM. Cash every day. Write for prices and tags. MILLER & HOLMES, St. Paul, Minn.

The Politician.

A boomlet by Salt river's brim
A busted boomlet was to him,
And nothing more.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS. PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50c.

Many a man mistakes a stock of pious quotations for riches of religious character.

HIGHER CREAM PRICES. Write us to-day for particulars and tags. MILTON DAIRY CO., St. Paul, Minn.

You can always get fine feathers with money, but a fine face you cannot buy.

ALL KINDS OF STOVE REPAIRS. Send name and number of your stove to American Stove Repair Works, St. Paul.

When a man aims at nothing he seldom misses his target.

TUMORS CONQUERED

Overwhelming Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds.

One of the greatest triumphs of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the conquering of woman's dread enemy Tumor.

The growth of a tumor is so insidious that frequently its presence is wholly unsuspected until it is well advanced.

So called "wandering pains" may come from its early stages or the presence of danger may be made manifest by excessive monthly periods accompanied by unusual pain, from the abdomen through the groin and thigh.

If you have mysterious pains, if there are indications of inflammation or displacements, secure a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, right away and begin its use.

The following letters should convince every suffering women of its virtue, and that it actually does conquer tumors.

Mrs. May Fry, of 836 W. Colfax Ave., South Bend, Ind., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I take great pleasure in writing to thank you for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I also took the Blood Purifier in alternate doses with the Compound. Your medicine removed a cyst tumor of four years' growth, which three of the best physicians declared I had. They had said that only an operation could help me. I am very thankful that I followed a friend's advice and took your medicine. It has made me a strong and well woman and I shall recommend it as long as I live."

Mrs. E. F. Hayes, of 26 Ruggles St., Boston, Mass., writes:

"I have been under different doctors' treatment for a long time without relief. They told me I had a fibroid tumor, my abdomen was swollen and I suffered with great pain. I wrote to you for advice, you replied and I followed your directions carefully and to-day I am a well woman. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound expelled the tumor and strengthened my whole system."

Mrs. S. J. Barber, of Scott, N. Y., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"Sometime ago I wrote you for advice about a tumor which the doctors thought would have to be removed. Instead I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and to-day am a well women."

Mrs. M. M. Funk, Vandergrift, Pa., writes:

Deer Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I had a tumor and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound removed it for me after two doctors had given me up. I was sick four years before I began to take the Compound. I now recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound far and near."

Such testimony as above is convincing evidence that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound stands without a peer as a remedy for Tumor Growths as well as other distressing ills of women, and such symptoms as Bearing-down Sensations, Displacements, Irregularities and Backache, etc. Women should remember that it is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound that is curing so many women. Don't forget to insist upon it when some druggist asks you to accept something else which he calls "just as good."

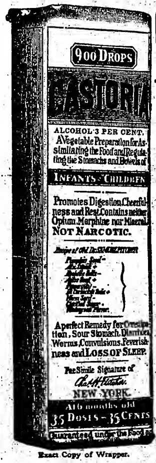
Successful in One Way.

"What success did you have hunting?"

"Splendid."

"What did you get?"

"Nothing. I was lost hunting."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ALCOHOL 3 PER CENT.
A Vegetable Preparation for Assimilating the Food and Regulating the Stomachs and Bowels of
INFANTS CHILDREN
Promotes Digestion, Cheerfulness and Rest. Contains neither Opium, Morphine nor Mineral. NOT NARCOTIC.
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At 6 months old
35 DOSES - 35 CENTS
Guaranteed under the Food

Exact Copy of Wrapper.
CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of
Chas. H. Fletcher.
In Use For Over Thirty Years
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THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

"WEAR LIKE IRON"

Mayer "Special Merit" School Shoes are expressly made for the hard knocks and severe wear of healthy, romping school children.

They are made of thoroughly seasoned upper leather and tough, old-process and time-seasoned soles, the strongest and most durable material obtainable—that's why they "wear like iron."

Plenty of room for growing feet, sensibly shaped shoes, strong enough for the hardest everyday use, dressy enough for Sundays.

Your dealer will supply you; if not, write to us. Look for the name and trade-mark on the sole.

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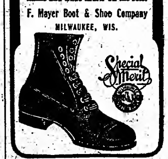

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$3.00 $3.50
SHOES AT ALL PRICES, FOR EVERY MEMBER OF THE FAMILY, MEN, BOYS, WOMEN, MISSES AND CHILDREN.
W. L. Douglas makes and sells more men's $2.50, $3.00 and $3.50 shoes than any other manufacturer in the world, because they hold their shape, fit better, wear longer, and are of greater value than any other shoes in the world to-day.
W. L. Douglas $4 and $5 Gilt Edge Shoes cannot be equalled at any price.
CAUTION.—W. L. Douglas name and price is stamped on bottom. Take No Substitute. Sold by the best shoe dealers everywhere. Shoes mailed from factory to any part of the world. Illustrated catalog free. W. L. DOUGLAS, Brockton, Mass.

Fast Color Eyelets Used Exclusively.

COLT DISTEMPER
Can be handled very easily. The sick are cured, and all others in same stable, no matter how "exposed," kept from having the disease, by using SPOHN'S LIQUID DISTEMPER CURE. Give on the tongue, or in feed. Acts on the blood and expels germs of all forms of distemper. Best remedy ever known for mares in foal. One bottle guaranteed to cure one case. 50c and $1 a bottle; $5 and $10 the dozen of druggists and harness dealers, or sent express paid by manufacturers. Cut shows how to poultice throats. Our free Booklet gives everything. Local agents wanted. Largest selling horse remedy in existence—twelve years.
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160 Acre FARMS IN Western Canada FREE

Typical Farm Scene, Showing Stock Raising in
WESTERN CANADA
Some of the choicest lands for grain growing, stock raising and mixed farming in the new districts of Saskatchewan and Alberta have recently been Opened for Settlement under the
Revised Homestead Regulations
Entry may now be made by proxy (on certain conditions), by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader. Thousands of homesteads of 160 acres each are thus now easily available in these great grain-growing, stock-raising and mixed farming sections.
There you will find healthful climate, good neighbors, churches for family worship, schools for your children, good laws, splendid crops, and railroads convenient to market.
Entry fee in each case is $10.00. For pamphlet, "Last Best West," particulars as to rates, routes, best time to go and where to locate, apply to
CHAS. PILLING,
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$30 AN HOUR Has Been Taken In With Our
MERRY GO ROUNDS
We also manufacture Razzle Dazzles, Strikers, etc.
HERSCHELL-SPILLMAN CO., General Amusement Outfitters, Dept. M, NORTH TONOWANDA, N. Y.

MASCOT STILL LEADS.

Arthur Zaiser Resigns and New Miller takes Charge.

William Lang, an expert miller from Minneapolis, has been secured to fill the vacancy at the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.'s mill in this city caused by the resignation of Arthur Zaiser, who has been head miller for this institution for a number of years. Mr. Lang has had many years experience in milling fancy patent flour, and it is hoped he may be able to keep the products of the mill up to their high standard. The mill has been doing a splendid business the past few years, with this season a record breaker, and their "Mascot" flour is the pride of every bread-maker in the northwest, and is fast creeping into the territory of the once famous Minneapolis brands. The best of wheat, good milling and guaranteed satisfaction, backed by a reliable institution, has made "Mascot" flour the house-wife's order list whenever good flour is needed. Arthur Zaiser retires from the service of the mill on account of his health, believing a brief vacation and a little free air will do him much good. During the holidays his family will visit under the parental roof at Crookston, after which time Arthur will decide as to his future vocation.

Dairying in Lambert.

Fosston Thirteen Towns: George Charest of Lambert, passed through Fosston on Tuesday's local freight bound for Big Falls with a quantity of dressed meat, it being his intention to use this first shipment to open a meat market within that promising new town in the timber country.

Mr. Charest has been a progressive and successful farmer in Lambert for a number of years and is an enthusiastic believer in the advantages of dairying in northern Minnesota. He talked enthusiastically of the success of the Lambert cheese factory, of which he is the treasurer. For the month of October and the first fifteen days of November he paid out to the patrons of the factory a few days ago over $1,500, making the total amount paid out this season for milk used in the factory about $12,000.

14 cents a pound was realized from the sale of the last shipment of cheese from the Lambert factory, the highest price on record upon its books, and the patrons received $1.42 per 100 pounds for their milk, likewise the record price paid out.

Mr. Charest fully appreciates the great benefit the factory and the different creameries have been to this section of the country, especially for reason of the land being to a large extent flat and low in that locality and not adopted to grain raising.

He has no notion of disposing of his farm and only undertakes his new venture in the butcher business as something of an experiment and as what might be called a "side line," realizing the superior stability of the dairy farm as a dependence.

The Philosopher of the Bigfork

A. M. Greeley in Big Falls Compass: Prosperity has not quit—it is only hesitating.

Root for your own town but uproot the knockers.

Industry is a poor customer for dyspepsia tablets.

The big battles of life are won by small skirmishes.

That life is a failure which leaves no inspiration behind.

Do your own thinking, but get your worrying done by proxy.

He who is not willing to take a chance will later complain that he never had a chance.

A thirsty throat and a slot machine have equal swallowing capacities for prosperity.

Made Stove His Bank.

An Iowan who distrusted the other kind loses $4,000 by fire, says a Webster City special to the Minneapolis Journal. Four thousand dollars, which had been hidden in an old stove upstairs, was burned to ashes when the J. J. Moore farmhouse, three miles west of Stratford, went up in smoke. The money belonged to George Cunning of Boone, a son-in-law of Moore. Cunningham went to the Moore home three weeks ago to spend the winter, drawing out $4,000 he had in a Boone bank. While the families were away visiting the house caught fire.

Church Services.

Services in the Presbyterian church next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Philip A. Schwartz will preach. Morning subject, "What is true worship." Evening subject: "The Character of Aaron" Sunday-school at 10 a. m. Subject of lesson: "The Boy Samuel."—Sam. 3:1-21. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 Subject: "Confident Testimony for Christ." Meeting led by Ignn Hamry and Alice Zaiser. All are cordially invited to these services.

Markets Car of Meats.

Matt Skala returned home the first of the week from Ely, over on the iron range, where he marketed a car load of dressed meat. The car contained fifty-five head of hogs and thirteen beef, for which he received top-notch prites. Mr. Skala believes in looking up a market for all lines and then purchasing from the farmers everything marketable, and this bespeaks his success as a general merchant.

Bids For Wood.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for 3000 cords of green wood to be delivered on or before April 1st, 1907, on the school grounds in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Bids will be occupied on lots of 25 cords or more, and will be received untill December 21st 1707, at 6 o'clock p. m.

By Order of the School Board
Dated Dec. 11th 1907.
A. P. Toupin, Clerk.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., will be held in its banking rooms, on Tuesday, January 14th, 1908, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year.

Theo. Garceau, Cashier.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Wylie Farmers Elevator and Mercantile Co. will be held at Wylie on Tuesday, January 14th, 1908, at 1 o'clock p. m. sharp. All stockholders are requestek to be present.

C. B. Cruzen, Sec'y.

'B. B.' & 'I LEAD' CIGARS

in fancy boxes of 25 for the Holiday trade.

These cigars are as fine as any in the market, and made by experienced and skilled workmen. We use nothing but the best grade of tobacco in the manufacture of our cigars. Patronize home industry. Use home goods, and that means smoke home cigars

BRUNELLE BROS.

SILVERWARE SPECIALS

For Christmas Shopper's Day
Saturday, November 21, '07

TO give our customers the benefit of Christmas shopping we will put on sale one gross of Silver Knives and Forks, warranted 12 cwt. pure at less than factory prices.

Silver knives and forks, per set of 6 each, worth $5.50 Xmas shoppers... $2.75

NUMEROUS other bargains for Christmas shoppers in Silverware and Graniteware are shown daily and you will find it to your interest to buy everything in the hardware line at

G. A. KANKEL
THE RELIABLE HARDWARE STORE

Visitors From Space.

Whatever be their origin, it would seem that these solid bodies (meteorites) are hurling through space at velocities which may be anything between ten and forty miles a second. If they come near enough to this earth to be attracted by it, their course is changed and presently they enter our atmosphere. The result is a sudden check to their speed, owing to the intense resistance and friction engendered by contact with the air particles. What happens may be likened to the sudden application of the wooden brake block to the rapidly moving wheel of an express train. Heat is generated in exchange for motion, and the trail of sparks from the checked wheel is represented in the checked meteorite by a luminous trail. We commonly call it a shooting star, and if its mass be small it is possibly altogether dissipated in heat and gas or it may ultimately find its way to our earth as dust. Such "meteoric dust" has been found on the eternal snow of mountains where dust of the ordinary type would be impossible. If, on the other hand, the mass of matter be large, its surface only will be affected by the sudden heat generated, and it may fall to the ground entire or possibly explode and be scattered in fragments over a wide area.—Chambers' Journal.

A Wise Answer.

It takes but an ordinary man to return an angry answer to an insult. The extraordinary man is he who, under such circumstances, holds himself so well under control that he controls his adversary also. Persia once possessed such a man and was clear sighted enough to make him a judge. He was the chief judge of Bagdad in the reign of Caliph Hadee, and his name was Aboo Yusuph. He was a very wise man, for he knew his own deficiencies and was actually sometimes in doubt as to whether he possessed sufficient wisdom to give a just decision in cases peculiarly shrouded in mystery. It is related of him that on one occasion, after patient investigation of facts, he decided that he had not sufficient knowledge to pronounce on the case before him. There was in his presence a pert courtier, one of those men who take long to learn that wisdom and impudence are not closely related.

"Pray, do you expect that the caliph is to pay you for ignorance?" he asked, hoping to place the judge at a disadvantage.

"I do not," was the mild reply. "The caliph pays me, and pays me well, for what I do know. Were he to attempt to pay me for what I do not know, the treasures of his empire would not suffice."

The skull of a human being grows rapidly up to the age of seven years and then very slowly up to the age of twenty. After that its growth ceases.

Blunders of the Types.

An author who has a scrapbook devoted to typographical errors was showing the articles to a friend.

One item concerned a dance. The word "bonnier" was misprinted, with this deplorable result: "There were no bonier ladies present than the mayor's own daughters, and this fact was further emphasized by the perfect fit of the shepherdess costumes they wore."

A country paper, after telling how a cow got in front of a train, said, "As the safest course under the circumstances the engineer put on full steam, dashed into the cow and literally cut it into two calves."

A New York society editor, misprinting the word "chill," published this statement: "Mrs. Astor was unavoidably absent from the reception, being kept at home by a bad child."

Helping the Minister.

A young minister unexpectedly called upon to address a Sunday school asked, to gain time:

"Children, what shall I speak about?"

A little girl on the front seat, who was in the habit of reciting at entertainments, had committed to memory several declamations so that she was always prepared for any occasion. Sympathy and interest shone in her face as she held up her hand and in a shrill voice inquired:

"What do you know best?"—Ladies' Home Journal.

MAKES WORK EASY

Red Lake Falls People Are Pleased to Learn How it is Done.

It's pretty hard to attend to duties
With a constantly aching back;
With annoying urinary disorders.
Doan's Kidney Pills make work easier.
They cure backache.
They cure every kidney ill.

Mrs. Jacob Palham, living in Red Lake Falls, Minn., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills and received great relief from them. I was suffering from a very lame back and at times sharp pains across my kidneys were so severe that I could hardly do my work. I felt bad all over and did not know what to do to find relief. I finally sent to W. A. Schreiter's drug store, and procured a box. The pain in my back disappeared and I have had no return of it since. I am still using Doan's Kidney pills and am confident that they will cure me. I hope that others suffering from kidney complaint will give them a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

When winds shreik high in fiendish glee,
And enters winter with his key,
Protect yourself from disease be free;
Take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea.—W. A. Schreiter.

SAVE THIS ANYWAY.

Put It In Some Place, for it May Come in Handy Some Day.

Here is a simple home-made mixture as given by an eminent authority on Kidney diseases, who makes the statement in a New York daily newspaper, that it will relieve almost any case of Kidney trouble if taken before the stage of Bright's disease. He states that such symptoms as lame back, pain in the side, frequent desire to urinate, especially at night; painful and discolored urination, are readily overcome. Here is the receipe; try it:

Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Take a tespoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

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Washington Notes.

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A bill to establisb poetal saviogs banks for depositiog savings at interest has been introduced by Seneton Carter of Montana.

Senator Proctor has introduced a bill to promote military education in the various civil institutions of learning, iocludiog agriculturel collegee.

The value of the coins executed st the mints of tho United States during November, 1907, was $35,963,260, of which $33,840,060 was gold, $2,002,000 silver and $121,200 minor coins.

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The senato has received from tba White House the treaty negotiated between the representatives of tbe United States and certain European eountries as tho result of the conference on wireless telegraphy beld in Berlin.

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Personal.

Maj. W. T. Seward, a doorkeeper of tho Uoited States senate, dropped dead whilo entering a revolving door of the capitol.

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Gen. Allen Thomas, United States minister to Venezuela during tha second adminietration of President Cleveland, died at bis bome at Waveland, Miss.

Morris F. Tyler, president of ths Southern New England Telephons eompany, former treasurer of Yals university and a millionaire, died suddenly in New Haven.

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Foreign.

Gen. Lnis Saenz Pena, ex-presidsnt of tbo Argentins republic, is dead. He was born in 1830.

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Tha newspaper Derniera Henre of Brussels bas opened a subscription for the purposo of buylog in the jewels of tho late Queen Henrietta of Balgium, wbicb were left by her will to her daugbter, Princess Louisa, and later seized for debt.

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Crimes.

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While insane, Miss Adelia M. Johnston, daughter of a farmer of Marshalltown, Iowa, attempted to set fire to her father's house. She then drank a quantity of concentrated lye. Heroic efforts saved her. She was adjudged insane and taken to the state hospital.

Philip J. Hanswirth, secretary of the Society of American Florists, committed suicide in Chicago by shooting himself through the heart.

While suffering intense pain, John Ziegler, a pioneer of Iowa City, Iowa, aged fifty-eight, drank carbolic acid, and died aftsr sixteen hours of torture.

Anthony F. Hatch, a ranchman, pieaded guilty in the United States court at Omaha to the charge of conspiracy to defraud the government of public lands and wae fined $300.

Cherles Heath, a prominent farmer of McDonald county, Missouri, wae convicted of the murder of Clarsnce Moeler, a echool teecher. Hie punishment was fixed at forty years in the state prison.

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Accidental Haooenings.

An eutomobile driven hy A. C. Honore, brother of Mre. Potter Palmer, ran into a wegon in Cbicago, killing Jobn Kaish, a peddler.

Tbree men were seriously injured in an explosion wbich destroyed a emall building of the Vesuvius Dynemite worke at Hempton Leka, N. J.

Fire swept the Northport Camp Grounds, a summer resort near Belfast, Me., destroying a hotel and several cottegee. Lose about $25,000.

Ephraim Banning, senior partner in tha law firm of Banning & Banning and one of Chicago's leeding attorneys, died from injuries euffered in a fall from a etreet car.

A fira at Leavenworth, Kan., wbich ie eupposed to heve originated from defective electric wiring, destroyed the weet wing of the barrecke occupied by Company L, Tbirteentb infantry, entailing a loss of about $15,000.

More then a ecore of persone, mostly women from Xenia, were mora or less sariously injured when a Dayton & Xenia traction car got beyond control of ths motorman on a eteep hill near Dayton, Ohio, and overturned, tnrning a curve. The injuriee of five may prove fatal.

Firs broke out in tha Seventh regimant armory at Chicago, in a portion of which the annual antomohila exhibition was in progress. Thousands of dollars worth of automobiles wera for a time in jeopardy, but were removed in time to eecape demege. The fire was eoon under control.

Herman Steigert, an employe of a bakery, was kilied; Lient. W. A. Kelley, a fireman, was serionsly injured by falling down a flight of stairs and three other firemen were overcome by beck drafts in a fire which ceused a loee of $45,000 to a building in Bleecker street, in New York.

H. McLaugblin has arrived at Vancouver, B. C., after a tbrilling experience in the upper falle of the Frezer river, where with a number of men he was at work on the Grand Trunk Pacific raliway. A party of eight left with him to come down tbe etream. Their boat upset at one of the falls, end six men wera drowned. Their names are not known.

Gensrai News items.

Tba Germen Steel aseociation has voted to reduce on Jen. 1 the price of structural forme of steel by $2.50 the ton.

The annual etate convention of tbe Iowa Congress of Motbers will be held in Des Moines from Dec. 31 to Jan. 3.

After exieting five days on cactus diet, Dr. Leon Elbert Lendome of Los Angeies, who began a two-week test of that plant ee food, hes iost 11-4 pounde.

After living in the county bome at Pittsburg for threa yeers a helpless cripple, due to a broken beck eustained in a mina eccident, John Leskzietcb hestened slowly approacbing death hy opening a vein in hie ieg with a eafety pin.

A new aeronautical eociety has been formed in Berlin for tbe purpose of arranging pleasure trips in the air, both by steereble and epherical belloons. It is etated that the society has pleced an order for dirigible balloons in tha United States.

Yeast germs at work in tha blood is tba strange affliction of Leo Konnel of Cbicego, for whose recovery tbere is eaid to be no hope. It ie eupposed that the infection entered his system through some lesion in the skin of his hands or face. There are said to be only three cases of yeast infection in the blood in all the history of medicine.

An entire village built by the French during their occupation of the isthmus of Panama and completely buried by the dense jungle growth of twenty years, has been discovered at Calmito Mulato by the engineering force that is locating the center line of the canal in the Chagres division.

Fighting over a bale of hey, Roger, a twenty-year-old elephant, seized Lil, his feminine opponent, and hurled her from the stage at Atlanta, Ga. Lil struck a sharp corner of the platform and received an injury from which she died. The victor trumpeted loudly for a long time.

MANKATO METHODISTS DEDICATE NEW CHURCH

The Centenary M. E. Church of Mankato was formally dedicated Sunday evening, bnt almost en entire wesk will ba bevoted to tha dedication services, which will continne until Fridey evening.

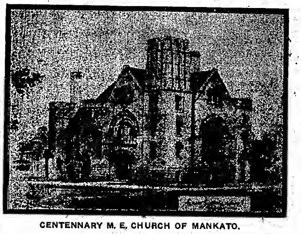
Sunday morning and evaning Rev. H. C. Jennings, D. D., of Cincinnati, of the Methodiet Book Concern, preached, and Preeiding Elder S. F. Kerfoot, D. D., of Mankato, preached in the afternoon.

Monday avening Rev. Andrew Gillies, D. D., of Minneapolie, lectured on "The New America;" Tueeday evening Rev. J. F. Stout, D. D., St. paul, presiding eider of the St. Paul dietrict, prsached; Wedneeday evening, Rev. F. B. Cowgill, D. D., of Redwood Falls, presiding elder of tha Marshall district, will preach; Thursday evening, Rev. J. M. Brown, D. D., of Sioux Falle, S. D., will preach. Theea three ara former pastors of the church.

Friday evening a reception and reunion of former pastors and members of the church will take place, followed by an addreee by Rev. F. M. Rule, D. D., preeiding alder of the Winona district, a former pastor, and Rev. S. F. Kerfoot.

The church has just been completed at a cost of $25,000, and it is handsome architecturally, conveniently arranged, and beautifully finishad. Brick and etono wers used in its construction. It will eeat about 600.

REV. PETER CLARE,
Pastor of Centenary M. E. Church of Mankato.



CENTENNARY M. E. CHURCH OF MANKATO.

MUCH BUTTER IS SOLD SHORT.

Inspectors Say Weights Are Not as Marked.

Owing to the fect that the iawe on the eubject are not eufficiently etringent, the etate dairy and food department at its next eession will probably ask the legislature to enact such regulations as will prevent the giving of short weights in the eale of buttar. Frequent casee of ehort weight are found, but under tha present lawe oonsidershia difficulty is experienced in proeecuting the offendere.

During the past few daye Inspector J. G. Fowler of the dairy and food department has found a number of casee in which ehort weights bave been given in the sale of butter. This is true of jar butter ae well as prints. In fact it has been found that in a majority of casee the pound prints are leee than ona pound in weight. Tbe greatest impoeition upon tha public ie found in butter sold in jars, in many casee the purchaeer buying what ie represented to be a five-pound jer finding himeelf ebort haif a pound.

Ont of a few reports of inspectors picked out at random it was found that the weight of the butter eold in jars es five pounds ranged from four pounde and eix ounces to four pounde and fifteen ouncas. Many of tha reports showed tha jars to be ehort six, eeven and eight ouncee.

It ie probabla that tha legielatura will be aeked to pass a law requiring the marking of the weight on all packeges of butter, whether in jars or printa, eo that when a shortsge is discovered the proeecution of the seller will be an casy matter. If the dealers are required to mark the weight on eech package it is believed the difficultiee in the prosecution of dealars giving ehort weight in bntter ealee will be overcoma and tha prsvalence of this form of frand quickly etamped ont.

WOULD REACH SKYWARD.

Some idsa of the importance of the dairy intereets of this etate may be gained from soma intereeting figures compiled by Secretary W. W. Wall of tha atata dairy and food department with reference to the production of hntter by the banner bntter county of tha atate dnring the past seven yars.

Thie county hea produced in that period more then 28,000,000 pounds of butter. If thia wara all packed in the ordinary bntter tub, containing twenty pounds of hutter, aach haing twalva inches high, and the tubs were placed in a column, they would reach 255 miles in the air.

In the making of this butter 100,567,957 gallons of milk were used, a liquid volume which, if flooded into a vessel large enough to hold it, would float the battleship Maine.

WOMAN IS WEIGHMASTER.

Brainerd is probably the only city of 10,000 population in Minnesota, if not in the United States, which has a woman weighmaster. The city council has elected Miss Winifred Smith to fill the vacancy caused by the death of her father, D. D. Smith. Since his death the daughter has been conducting the agricultural implement and harness business owned by him and has been discharging the duties of weighmaster.

STATE GETS MONEY BACK.

Norman County Repays State for Ssed Loans.

The firet payment of eeed grain loans made by the state under authority of act passed last winter wae made last week by Norman county. The pament wae $4,951.50, being the first payment on ioans aggregating $7,780.80. Similar ioane wera made in the counties of Cley and Wilkin, but nona of thie monay has been repaid ae yet.

The act authorizing these loans appropriated $25,000, or eo much thereof as migbt be necaseary, for the purpose of purchasing seed grain for farmers whoee crope were deetroyed in whole or in part by exceseive rainfall in the years 1905 and 1905. The applications for the loane were made to the county auditors and after being eanctioned by tha county commieeionars as to the amount of each loan and the total to be loaned by the county for this purpoee, the county auditors certified these figures to the etate auditor. The ioane were mada by the etate to the countiee, which promised to repay the amonnts with 4 per cent interest.

The law mada it a misdemeanor for any farmer to diepoee of any of tha crop raieed from tha eeed grain eo procured without firat repaying his loen to the county. It also provided that in case tha crop this year ahould be a faliure, the amount of the ioan should be levied as a personal tax in the next aeeeeement of taxes after Nov. 15, 1907, and ba collected the eame ae other personal taxea, axcept that thera ehould be no exemption from thie tax.

Tbe ioane mede to Clay county aggregated $5,584.75 and to Wilkin conn ty $420.

UNDERTAKERS WILL MEET.

Annual Stats Convsntion to Bs Hsld Feb. 1.

A post-graduate course in embalming will be conducted at the etate university Feb. 4 to 14, incluelve, by W. P. Hohenscuh of Iowa City, Iowa, one of tha recognized exparts of the United States in this line of work. The couree will terminate in the annual convention of the Minneeota Funeral Directors' aseociation, to ba held in Minneapolie Feb. 14. The study conrse and the convention will bring to Minneapolle about 200 undertakers from all parts of tha state. The work at the university will ba of a practical charscter.

Immediately after the funsral directors adjourn the Minnesota Retail Furniture Dealers will convene in annual session, their meetings being timed for Feb. 14 and 15. The membership of the two organizations practically are the same and the latter convention will be a continuation of the former.

MANY COWS DISEASED.

Twenty-seven cows that have failed to pass the tuberculosis test under the new milk inspection ordinance at Mankato were shipped to South St. Paul to be slaughtered at the stock yards. Sixteen were found in one dairy herd and five in another. With thirty-seven previously slaughtered there is a total of sixty-four tuberculous cows out of about 300 tested, or one in five. Not half of the cows as yet have been tested, but the work is going on as rapidly as possible.

The State Day by Day

FINE SHOWING BY MARKSMEN.

Capt. Les Announces Scores of Militiamsn.

During the past year 55 members of the Minneeota national guard qualified as expert riflemen, 61 ae eharpehooters, 490 as mnrksmen, 139 ae first-claes men, 149 as second-clase men, 452 ee third-claee men and 559 ae fourth-clees men, according to tho report of Capt. H. E. Lee of Stillwater, inspector of emall nrms prectice of the Minnesota militie.

The report ie very eatisfactory to tha militiamen, ae tha rifla shooting showe a coneiderabla improvement and each of the companiee made a good showing.

In the pistol practice for commissioned officers twenty-two qualified as pistol markemen, six ae pistol sharpshooters and twenty-one ae pietol experts. Tha three medals given by the state for the three best etreight scoree were awarded as followe: Gold medal, Capt. Albert F. Pray, Battery B, Minnaapolie; eilver medel, Mej. Fred E. Resche of Duluth, and bronza medal, Lieut. Carl Heglund of Red Wing.

The National Rifle aesociation medaie were awerded as followe: First infantry, to Capt. E. G. Falk, Minneapolie; Second infantry, to Sergeant O. F. Lang of Faribault; Tbird infantry, to Sergeent G. Patereon of Duluth. Compeny B, First infantry, wins the governor's etaff $250 prize cup in the company team match, while the Third infantry gets the adjutant general and regular team badge. Dietinguished riflemen's badgee were awarded to Sergeant Major George R. Egbert, Firet infantry; Sargeant Major E. H. Juni, Second infantry, and First Sergeant O. F. Lang, Company B, Second infantry.

The table of percentagee made by the varioue companiee in rifle practica for the eeason, which opene on May 1 and cloeee of Oct. 31, ehows a wide difference, which ie accounted for by the fact that some of the copaniee have ranges at home, while others bava none and receive only credit for their work on the ranga at tha annuel encampment. Tha figuree for the varioue companiee follow:

First Regiment—Company A, 25.44; Company B, 76.25; Company C, 81.43; Company D, 43.31; Company E, 45.55; Compeny F, 50.76; Company G, 35.59; Compeny I, 69.01; Company K, 25.36.

Second Regiment — Company A, 76.71; Company B, 43.48; Company C, 40; Company D, 28.79; Company E, 40.52; Company G, 25.20; Company H, 45.34; Company I, 27.63.

Third Regiment—Company A, 93.32; Company B, 52.45; Company C, 97.77; Company D, 21.05; Company E, 25.03; Company F, 48.46; Company G, 69.91; Company H, 31.70; Company 1, 55.19.

Field Staff and Band—First, 61.85; second, 46.94; third, 59.58; regimental, 52.89; engineering corpe, 19.21.

WARNS AGAINST PESTS.

State Entomologist Washburn Issues a Bulistin.

F. L. Washburn, etate entomologiet, has isened a bulletin warning fruit growers, park boarde and others interested in tha healthy growth of treee and plants againet tha fall web worm and tha etalk borer that works in flower gardens.

Mr. Washbnrn says that the number of the fell web worms was greatly increased this fall and its work of destruction eerioue, particularly in the southweetarn part of Hannapin connty, along the line of the Great Northern road, near Minnetonka. To eradicate this pest he suggests spraying the laavee of the trees with a solution of eix pounds of arsenate of lead in 100 gallons of water. He also advieee deetruction of the web and the worms whenevar thay may be found.

Of the stalk borer Mr. Washbnrn saye that it has been found extensively on food plants and on dahlia, hollyhock, golden glow, gallardia, phlox, delphinium, astsr, daisy, peony, rose and eunflower. His remedy ie to combat the borer in the eummer time by removal and by the use of barbon bisulphide and to destroy all weed growth near gardens.

STATE OVERDRAFT SMALL.

Rsvenus Fund Overdraft Amounts to Only $51,877.94.

The report of State Treasnrer C. C. Dinehart of tha condition of the funds in the state treesury at the end of November shows an overdraft of $51,877.94 in the revenue fund. There is nothing unnsnal about this overdraft, however, as it is expected at thia time of the year and the law anthorizea an overdraft of $600,000. The overdraft will be adjusted when the receipts begin to come into the treasury in large amounts in a few months. The total amount on hand is $743,067.49, and the total of the amounts in the various funds was $794,935.43.

To Dedicate New Church.

Dedicatory services which will consecrate the Centenary Methodist Episcopal church will be conducted at the new sacred edifice at Second and Cherry streets at Mankato on Sunday, Dec. 8, and the week following.

The program is completed, and the ceremonies which will be carried out on Sunday will be of an impressive character, befitting the occasion. The church is a handsome structure, reared in the service of God, and his [illegible] During the week former pastors [illegible] will come [illegible]

GAME PRESERVE IN THE NORTH.

Northsrn Part of St. Louis County Is Suggestsd.

The establishment of a forest reeerva and game preserve in the northern part of St. Louie county ie suggested by Carlos Avery, executive agent of the state game and fish commiseion. In a recent trip to the tarritory north of Vermillion and Trout lakee in that county Mr. Avery fonnd a great deal of land which he thinks could be readily used for thie purpose.

Tbe land ie rocky, and most of the timher has hean removed, aithough there are eome patehes of timber etill standing. There are too many rocks there to make the land good for agricultural purposes, he saye, and in fact it ie just euch iands as have been selected in many caees for forestry purposee. Game is plentiful in that vicinity, and if tha state would acouire, eay a township, in that pert of the etate it would be an excellent location for a game preeerve and at the same time could be reforested.

Thie land ie north of the district into which the eettlere have been coming in recent yeare, and, he saye, is such ae will not attract eettiers at any time. It ie near the Canadian houndary and a long dietance away from railroad communication. In view of its location and the unfavorable nature of the soil from an agricultural point of view the iand ie believed to be eepecially adapted to use ae a game preserve and a forest reserve in which a naw growth of trees might be started now, which would in time prove a paying investment to tha etate. The presence of the game in the growing forests would not, Mr. Avery eaid, injure the growing pina treee, ae the game do not relieh such plante ae food.

WOMAN TELLS OF HER CRIME.

Slew Father With an Ax—Tried to Kill Herself, but "It Hurt."

Frances Muchenhirn, who killed her 85-year-old father at Delano during a fit of ineanity, wae interviewed at tha village jeil. She spoke quita freely and did not omit any of tha horrible details of the crime.

She said ehe awoke about midnight with a feeling that her father and herself ought to die, after which ehe proceeded to the woodshed, got an ax and crept stealthily to her father's bed and deelt him aeveral blows on tha head and then proeured a hutcher knife and cut his throat from ear to ear and pulled the body to the edge of the bed so thet the blood was caught in a pail which she had placed there, ehe remarking that ehe did not want to have the floor dirty. She also dealt herself eeveral blowe on the head with the intention of killing herself, but deeieted becauee ehe eaid it hurt. After which ehe went to bed and claims to have never elept better in her life. Although her insanity wee of a mild form, she had been an inmete of the insane hoepital on two different occaeions for ehort periode.

She doee not comprehend the enormity of the crime. Coroner A. G. Moffit viewed the remains and decided an inquest was unneceesary. Mr. Mnchenhirn was one of tha old eettlera and an old eoldier, aettling at Deiano in the early '50e. He leavea three sons and two danghters, and was quite wall to do.

DAILY TRAINS ON NEW ROAD

Minnesota & International Promises Good Service to Boundary.

Daily paesenger train eervice between Minneapolis and International Falls, the metropolis of the Rainy river country, began Monday. This ie a branch of the Northern Pacific road penetrating the almost unbroken wildernees of Northern Minnesota. The trains will leave Minneapolis at 8:50 a. m. and will reach International Felie at 11:05 p. m. The time for leaving International Falls is 3:45 a. m., and the train is dne in Minneapolis at 5:40.

The new road opene to Minneapolis a vast territory which is rich in natural resonrces, and in time will be one of the most productive sections of the state. For many years it will be the lumber center of Minnesota, and the farmer will follow the lumberman, for the soil cannot be excelled anywhere in the state. At International Falls, where a constant energy of 300,000 horse power will be available, will be erected one of the biggest pulp and paper mills in the world. Homesteaders are flocking into the new county of Koochiching in large numbers, and are making good from the start.

MOONEY IS INDICTED.

Man Whose Wife Died Last June Must Submit to Murder Trial.

Buffalo, Minn., Dec. 5.—John J. Mooney of Waverly, who has been held since last June on a charge of murdering his wife, was indicted by the grand jury yesterday for murder in the first degree. He will be arraigned Saturday afternoon. After his arrest he was taken to the Hennepin county jail [illegible]

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told

Dr. Otto [illegible]ultmeyer of Parkers Prairie died [illegible] age of thirty-one years.

Burglars attempted to blow the safe in the bank of Scandia, but it resisted their efforts and they left after taking 60 cents from the counter.

Fire destroyed the barn and contents belonging to John Lampert of Breckenridge, entailing a loss of $1,000, with insurance of $500.

The large machinery warehouse of P. N. Tannehill of Brown's Valley was destroyed by fire. The loss is $5,000; partly covered by insurance.

Robert Rochileu, the twelve-year-old son of Lester Rochileu, was drowned in Prairie lake, near Lakeville, while skating with several companions.

Mr. Darling, a young man teaching school in Aitkin county, was drowned in Lone lake. He was out hunting and is supposed to have attempted crossing the lake after dark.

John J. Mooney of Waverly, who has been held since last June on a charge of murdering his wife, has been indicted by the grand jury at Sauk Center for murder in the first degree.

R. P. Knobel of Fergus Falls, who was injured in the explosion of a cream separator a short time ago, died from the effects of his injuries. His skull was broken, but he was supposed to be improving.

Herman Prigge was killed on his farm, four miles from Mazeppa, Goodhue county, as a result of his wagon's being upset. The edge of the wagon box struck the man above the ear, breaking his neck.

F. H. Toersing, a farmer living about three miles northeast of Atwater, was accidentally gored by a bull while leading a cow in his yard. The bull rushed between the cow and Mr. Toersing and struck the man in the face with its horns, inflicting a serious wound.

A disastrous fire occurred at Faribault when the dwelling house owned by Mrs. Barron was completely destroyed. The loss is estimated at $10,000; partly covered by insurance. The building was an old landmark, having been built in the early days by Bishop Whipple.

Frank D. Myers, formerly a railroad traveling passenger agent, was found dead in his room at the Nicollet hotel in Minneapolis by the clerk. Coroner Kistler was unable to ascertain the cause of death and could not determine whether it was from suicide or natural causes.

A fire from an unknown source started in the grocery store of P. Germain at Little Falls, and the building and entire stock were burned completely to the ground. The stock was valued at about $500 and the building at about $300. Only a small part of the goods was saved.

Crazed with excitement over the fire which was blazing in her kitchen, Mrs. Grimshaw of Duluth shut her six-year-old boy in an upstairs room, and grabbing her baby, fled down stairs. She was so excited she could not tell the firemen where the child was, and it was suffocated when found.

Swan Swanson, a farmer living two miles north of West Concord, saved the lives of his family from his burning home only by the use of a ladder, which he raised to the second-story window, enabling the persons in the house to escape. Not even the clothes of the family were saved.

Mrs. Maude Ulmer Jones, known throughout the Northwest and in the principal operatic centers for her singing, died at her residence in Minneapolis from cancer. To her friends in musical circles her death came most unexpectedly, as she was supposed to have recovered entirely from an attack last spring.

Carl Holm, the son of a Clay county farmer living twenty miles west of Barnesville, met with a peculiar accident that cost him the sight of an eye. The boy had bought a new rifle and was shooting at marks when one of the bullets struck an object, rebounded and hit the lad in the eye, destroying it entirely. The boy was taken to a hospital in Fargo.

Henry Keller of Sauk Center, former state senator, died at Omaha of Bright's disease. He was sixty-two years of age and was president of the Keller Manufacturing company. Mr. Keller served ten years in the Minnesota senate, from 1887 to 1897, and was well known throughout the state. His wealth is estimated at $800,000. The remains were taken to Sauk Center for burial.

David Hickman pleaded guilty before Justice Ireland at Moose Lake to the charge of stealing $208 from the home of J. E. Carlson, who lives four miles west of Moose Lake. Mr. Carlson had deposited his money in a bureau drawer, thinking it safer there than in the bank, and was, with his family, attending the funeral of Mrs. Soderberg when the theft was committed.

August Bachman, aged forty years, was fatally injured at St. Cloud in falling from a brewery wagon. His back and several ribs are broken and he cannot survive. It is thought that he fell from the wagon after turning the horses too short.

Edith Armstrong of Akeley appeared before Judge Spooner in Memidji and pleaded guilty to having sold intoxicating liquors without a license at Akeley. The court imposed a penalty on the defendant of a $100 fine and thirty days in jail. The fine was paid.

FRUIT MEN HONOR OFFICERS.

Re-elect Them Because of Successful Year Just Closed.

Minnesota's interest in horticulture was shown by the annual report of the secretary of the Minnesota State Horticultural society, read at the meeting in Minneapolis. It showed a membership of 2,230 in the society, 212 of whom have joined during the past year.

A. W. Latham, who has been secretary of the society for sixteen years, gave his annual report. He stated that the work of the society had been most successful during the past year. In speaking of the contest for the $1,000 prize for the propogation of a winter apple he said that three entries had been made during the year, but none had come quite up to the requirements and no prize was awarded. He urged a further trial by all interested in the subject.

According to Mr. Latham, one of the most important events of the year was the purchase of a fruit breeding farm by the university regents. This will be operated by the horticultural department of the experiment station. The society has also purchased a tract of ground near Zumbrota to be used as a trial station, according to the report of Wyman Elliott, chairman of the executive board.

George W. Strand of Taylors Falls, treasurer of the society, read the financial report. The society has a balance on hand of $3,130 and is in a flourishing monetary condition.

The society voted to invite the National Peony society to meet with it in 1909.

The Minnesota State Forestry association held a meeting in conjunction with the horticultural society. S. M. Owen presided, and papers were read by S. B. Detwiler, state experiment station; J. E. Rhodes, Minneapolis, secretary of the Pine Manufacturers' association; Prof. S. B. Green, Platt S. Walker and S. M. Owen. P. V. Collins gave an illustrated lecture on "Picturesque Mexico."

The horticultural society elected officers at the afternoon session. All the former officers were re-elected as a mark of appreciation for the successful year just closed, with the exception of the nine vice presidents. The vice presidents were elected, one for each congressional district, as follows: First congressional district, S. H. Drum, Waseca; Second district, John Bisbee, Medelia; Third district, C. H. Andrews, Faribault; Fourth district, T. F. Forror, White Bear; Fifth district, Thomas Redpath, Wayzayta; Sixth district, Anton Wilwerding; Seventh district, C. C. Selvig, Willmar; Eighth district, S. P. Crosby, Brahem; Ninth district, Prof. William Roberts, Crookston.

"Fruit Breeding at the State Experiment Station" was the subject of the paper given by Prof. S. B. Green before the Minnesota State Horticultural society, and proved one of the most valuable papers of the present meeting.

Prof. Green explained in detail the work being done at the state station. A series of experiments has been going on for the purpose of producing an apple adapted to the climate and possessing essentials not found in other apples in the state. The experiments are not yet completed, but give promise of producing an ideal apple as yet wholly unknown to apple growers.

Other interesting papers were given on "A Year's Experience in Plant Breeding," Clarence Wedge, Albert Lea; "How Members of the Society May Assist the Fruit Breeding Farm," Charles Haralson, Excelsior; "Breeding New Roses," John Monson, Minneapolis; "Growing Seedling Strawberries," H. G. Great, Anoka; "Promising Material for Cross-breeding Plums and Cherries," Prof. N. E. Hanson; "Lines of Experimentation in Horticultura and Their Practical Application," Prof. C. B. Waldron.

The annual report of the seedling committee and the awarding of prizes for seedlings followed. Le Roy Cady gave a demonstration of cross-fertilization and was followed by an orchard symposium in the afternoon.

OPEN STATE FAIR AUG. 31.

The American Association of Fairs and Expositions held its annual meeting at Chicago. The following officers were elected: President, T. J. Wornell of Liberty, Mo.; secretary, Charles Downing of Indianapolis; treasurer, George H. Madden of Mendota, Ill.

Opening dates for the various state fairs were fixed as follows:

Aug. 24, Iowa; Aug. 31, Nebraska, Minnesota, Ohio; Sept. 7, Wisconsin, South Dakota, Michigan and the interstate live stock fair at Sioux City, Iowa; Sept. 14, New York, Kansas, Indiana; Sept. 21, Tennessee and interstate live stock fair at St. Joseph, Mo.; Sept. 25, Illinois, interstate fair at Spokane, Wash., and tri-state fair at Memphis, Tenn.; Oct. 5, Missouri, Montana; Oct. 12, American Royal fair, Kansas City.

BIG CHRISTMAS DINNER.

Inmates of the state institutions will be given a good Christmas dinner as usual. The state board of control is now securing bids on various delectables. Christmas trees will also be furnished and every effort will be made to give the inmates a real Christmas day.

Bids will be asked for this week on oranges, bananas and lemons, 3,350 pounds of nuts, 3,545 pounds of candy, 8,375 pounds of poultry, 223 gallons of oysters and 20 barrels of cranberries.

Clerk of Court Jason T. Kidder of Fergus Falls was struck in the head by a number of stray shot while hunting. The force of the shot was nearly spent, but one pierced his eye-lid and lodged in the eyeball, endangering the sight of one eye.

IN THE SCANDINAVIAN NORTH

Gleanings of Important News of Norway, Sweden and Denmark, with Occasional Comments.

By MARTIN W. ODLAND.

SWEDEN.

The financial crisis about which I briefly wrote before is a more serious matter than was at first anticipated. The flush times that have lately prevailed in Sweden have had the same effect there as in the United States—the people have become reckless speculators, pursuing the phantom of wealth altogether too fast. As a consequence, when the shrinkage came, they were unable to extricate themselves and went to the wall. Hugo Valentin, a Swedish correspondent of Stockholm, speaks as follows of the stringency:

"Some time ago a stockbroking firm, Arthur Mattson, failed for a large amount, having extended its dealings in land too far to be able to extricate itself when the scarcity of money began to be felt. It cannot be said, so far as I know, that this firm had done any gambling business, but without doubt it had gone beyond what the capital at its disposal warranted. It is possible that the difficulties of this firm might have been tided over under more fortunate circumstances, but the working of the money screw beginning in Wall street was already felt here. It is possible that the losses in this concern will not be great, but losses there will be.

"But when the cyclone from America came sweeping over Europe, many tottering houses here began to shake on their foundations and some fell with a crash. Among the most sensational failures here in the last days is the one of Karl A. Malmberg, limited, an importing house which deals in colonial goods and American bacon on an extensive scale and which had branches in several provincial towns. It is a business of comparatively recent birth, but has had enormous dealings in these articles and declared good dividends to its shareholders. Now, however, it seems that these dividends had no foundation in any real profit and that the whole concern was a big gamble and last night the managing director and founder of the firm, Mr. Malmberg, was arrested.

"It is scarcely to be believed that he had been able to persuade one of our leading private banks to give his firm a credit of nearly $3,000,000. This shows the size of the business and the credulity of human nature. Luckily for the depositors of the bank in question, the bank itself is a very sound concern, with very large reserve funds, so that the result will only be that the shareholders will have to satisfy themselves with the diminished dividend for some years to come. The bank is Hernosands Enskilda bank and has funds of over $7,000,000. Moreover, the shareholders have unlimited liability, so that the depositors can sleep without bad dreams.

"Our banking situation is generally, I may say, altogether very sound, and even a much worse crisis will not have a disastrous effect on it. For a long time we have seen the storm coming and prepared for it, so one may surely predict that if more failures are to come they would have come sooner or later in any circumstances, but may have been hastened by the present circumstances. In the wake of the Malmberg firm will follow perhaps thirty other firms, mostly in the provinces, but there is no reason to suppose that any sound and solid concerns will be touched. Of course, stocks have fallen a good deal in the last two days and even very good securities have gone down a good deal, but in my opinion not below their real worth, as values have been inflated all round. Now it is only necessary to remain calm and collected and we shall get over the worst with as little damage as possible."

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Three hundred delegates, representing the Liberals of Sweden, some of them being former ministers, recently met in Stockholm to consider the question of accepting or rejecting the Lindman proposal, establishing a system of proportional representation in Sweden, which passed the last riksdag, but which must be again ratified by the legislative body to become a law. After a heated debate it was decided by a large majority to bow to the inevitable and accept the Lindman proposal, with the understanding, however, that an effort is to be made to incorporate woman's suffrage in the measure before it becomes law. I have already told of the earnest desire of a large percentage of the people, of both sexes, to bring about equal suffrage, and this action on the part of the Liberal convention is a further evidence of this fact.

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As will be remembered, I have already stated in these columns that Sweden was guaranteed her integrity as a nation, the same as was Norway, by the four great European powers, but she declined to enter into such a treaty. Dagbladet of Stockholm endorsed this action and severely censured Norway for making such a treaty with the powers, which, it held, was equivalent to a slap at Sweden.

DENMARK.

Denmark feels more and more the effects of the financial disturbances in the large money centers of the world.

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Rev. Bjarre and wife will make a journey to the South of Europe, instead of to Norway, if they can get away.

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Julio Carria, consul for Argentine, was a recent visitor in Copenhagen, at which time he proposed to the Danish government that Denmark remove the tariff on Argentine beef, in consideration of the removal by Argentina of the duty on Danish cattle. The experiment of importing beef from Argentina has already been successfully tried in Denmark, and in case the Danish government should make a reciprocity treaty with Argentine, such as Mr. Carria proposed, the United Steamship company would greatly extend its service between the two countries, and establish refrigerator compartments in their ships. The voyage from Argentine to Denmark lasts twenty days.

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Alberti, the Danish minister of justice, has begun suit against Simon Koch, the author, for libel. Koch was the minister's opponent in the last parliamentary or "folketing" elections, and in the Social Democrat accused Alberti of lying, when the latter denied the charge that he had sold brick from his factory to Mr. Adolfsen, who, on that account, had been granted a very unusual dispensation from the building law of Denmark.

Alberti has also begun suit against the editor-in-chief of Politiken, Henrik Cavling, because of the publication of some articles in which the minister was accused of giving false information to the folketing in regard to his connection with Maddagspostan, a scandalous paper of Copenhagen.

If these two cases are pushed by the minister, the country will see a couple of the most important libel suits it has witnessed in many years.

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NORWAY.

Norway's grand old man, Bjornstjerne Bjornson, has raised a lively "row" at Copenhagen, where he recently delivered a lecture. The incident is related as follows in a dispatch from the Danish capital:

"Bjornstjerne Bjornson's insinuation in a lecture before a Danish student society that the Danish ambassadors in the different countries had secretly worked for the separation of Sweden and Norway has caused anger in political circles here. Only a short time ago the Swedish papers were finally compelled to acknowledge that Denmark's attitude had been one of strict neutrality in the matter and the poet-author's remarks are looked upon as tending to reawaken the resentment of the Swedes against the Danes.

"One prominent politician says that Denmark will not tolerate Bjornson's meddling with the relations of friendly countries. The Copenhagen papers criticise him severely."

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A new political party, to be known as the "Church party," was organized at Christiania by representative men from nearly all of the various districts of Norway. Rev. Hartvig Halvorsen of Christiania was elected president of the organization and a full set of minor officials, including men of prominence in various walks of life, were also chosen.

As stated in the constitution adopted, the purpose of the new party is to take an active part in the election of members of the storthing and in local elections for the promotion of the welfare of the Christian church. The movement is evidently a protest against well defined tendencies of the present day in Norway—tendencies antagonistic to the Evangelical Lutheran church.

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I said last week that the Grand hotel of Christiania had been destroyed by fire. This was an error. A Grand hotel was burned, indeed, but it was the one at Christiansund—not the celebrated Grand at the capital. The building destroyed was a costly one, however, being one of the finest hotels in Norway. Hotel Norge at Haugesund was also burned to the ground recently.

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Ole Flonaes of Salbu celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of the beginning of his work as a teacher in the public schools of Norway. He was born near Flonaes, Feb. 22, 1836, and was graduated from Klabu seminary in 1857, beginning his services as teacher immediately afterward.

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Two young Norwegians, Rubenson, aged 24 and Monard Aas, aged 24, both of Christiania, have broken the world's record in climbing the Himalaya mountains, having reached a point on Mount Kabru 23,000 feet above the sea level. The highest point attained before was 21,000 feet above sea level and was reached by an English expedition. Rubenson and Aas planted the Norwegian flag at the zenith of their climb, which means that old Norway's standard is waving higher up than that of any other nation.

All the air with love is laden,
Where the Yule logs glow and flame,
Hopeful youth and trustful maiden
Softly chant the Master's name,
Now, if there be any sad ones,
Bid their tearful eyes be dried.
Now, if there be thoughtless glad ones,
Be that gladness purified;
For the bells of peace are ringing,
Chiming anthems of the free,
Earth and heaven join in singing
Of the glories yet to be.

Seek the boughs, so green and fragrant,
Let the waxen tapers dance,
Here is hope for prince, for vagrant,
Christ of every circumstance!
Pile the leaping fagots higher,
Let the wide-mouthed chimney roar,
Clash the cymbals, twang the lyre,
Angels wait at every door.
Soft the Day of Peace is breaking;
Gladdest day of all the year;
And sweet Plenty, want o'ertaking,
Spreads a feast of love and cheer.

A BIRD'S CHRISTMAS TREE.

Set It Up Outside the Window and Hang Suet in the Branches.

Why not have a Christmas tree for the birds this winter? We put up such a tree every year, says a writer in Suburban Life. We made a broad shelf outside the window and fastened a small pine tree firmly upon it.

As winter draws near, we fasten some pieces of suet to trees about the house and scatter chaff and hayseed in the yard to bring the birds about. They soon gather to the feast.

Then when it is almost Christmas time we put up our birds' tree and supply it liberally with suet. We cover the shelf with burlap, which helps to hold the chaff we scatter there.

The birds soon find this food, and as the supply is constantly renewed, the window becomes their favorite resort, particularly in snowy weather, when their usual fare is hard to obtain. Jays, chickadees, nuthatches, woodpeckers, snowbirds, song sparrows, tree sparrows and myrtle warblers come to the Christmas tree.

If they are shy at first we use a lace sash curtain, for they cannot see through this, while they are plainly visible from within. It can be removed when they have become accustomed to window feeding.

SMASH MORE NEXT YEAR.

"There are Christmas gifts and Christmas gifts," said Bishop Foss, a few days before his departure for Japan; "but the only acceptable ones are those given with a pure motive.

"In a crockery shop, during the holidays, I once saw the proprietor hand a plainly dressed young woman a $2 bill.

"She looked at the bill and said bitterly:

"'Is that all? And durin' the past year ain't I broken thirty-five tumblers, twenty-six cups, nine meat platters, four saucers, seventy-two plates and thirteen of the mistress' best tureens?'

"'There, there,' said the shopman, soothingly, 'here's another dollar for you. And don't forget me, you know,' he ended with a wink."

Still to Let.

"That house that you finished a few weeks ago is the biggest of the lot," said the real estate agent. "Perhaps that's why it's so hard to find a tenant."

"[illegible]," answered the builder, "[illegible] last, but not leased."

It Was Too Risky

"You keep harmonicas here?" she half-queried as she entered a music store and a clerk came forward to wait on her.

"Certainly, ma'am—a full line of them. Is it a Christmas present for one of the children?"

"No; it's for the old man. He's been playing on the last one for fifteen years and there's only one note left."

"So he plays, does he?" queried the clerk as he handed out the goods.

"From morning till night. He don't have to work, and so he just sits and plays."

"Then he must have a thousand different tunes?"

"No, he hain't got but one. He just keeps playing 'The Old Oaken Bucket' over and over again."

Been Playing on the Last One for Fifteen Years.

"And you must be pretty well acquainted with it by this time?"

"I am. How much is this one?"

"Fifty cents."

"Too high. How much for this?"

"A quarter."

"Well," she said after passing it across her lips half a dozen times. "I think I will take this for his Santa Claus present. It seems all right."

"It is all right. Perhaps he will now learn some other air and substitute it once in a while."

"Mercy, but if I thought so I wouldn't buy this!"

"But why?"

"Because he's got his wind worked up to just the pitch for 'The Old Oaken Bucket,' and if he should switch off onto 'Old Black Joe' he might bust and scatter himself all over the kitchen. I'm not risking any new tunes around my house until after Joseph has made a will leaving everything to me."

SANTA WILL STAY.

There are a lost of people
Who love to wag their jaws
And tell the children plainly
There is no Santa Claus.

No Santa Claus—what nonsense
Down childish throats to ram,
You might as well inform them
There is no Uncle Sam!

ECONOMY.

"What's the matter with that man?" asked the dealer, after the customer had gone out. "He got mad when I tried to sell him a Christmas tree."

"That's Hppem," said one of his neighbors. "He's rich and proud, but stingy. He hangs all his Christmas presents on his family tree."

A Sad Jolt.

"Ah," said the press humorist, "I see you have cut out one of my jokes."

"Ha, ha! [illegible] found it funny, did you?"

"Excuse me for laughing, old man. What I cut out was an ad on the other side of the page."

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GOOD KING OSCAR.

The beloved King of Sweden is dead. King Oscar II breathed his last at the royal apartments in Stockholm shortly after nine o'clock Sunday morning, surrounded by the members of his family, including aged queen, Sophia, the Crown Prince Oscar Gustavus, and high ministers of State. His age was 78 years, 9 months. and 17 days. Not only in Sweden, but everywhere Scandinavians live, is his death deeply mourned. King Oscar was a noble-hearted, pure-minded ruler, and under his beneficent reign the people have prospered and even the separation of the two countries was accomplished without recourse to arms. He is succeeded by his son Gustavus Oscar Adolphus, who is nearly 50 years old. He took the oath of allegiance last Sunday, under the title, Gustave V, and adopted the motto, "With the People for the Fatherland."

AFFINITY THEORY BOSH.

The following morsels of wisdom recently appeared in the Pioneer Press, and are the product of the mind of Rev. S. G. Smith. one of the big men in mind and soul in the church life of St. Paul.

"Pick out a girl that is healthy and that you like. That is all that is necessary. This affinity theory is bosh," was the advice given to the male students in one of the classes of Dr. S. G. Smith of St. Paul, at the university yesterday morning. Dr. Smith gave his class in sociology some words of wisdom regarding marriage and the rearing of children.

"One of the tragedies of the world," he said, "is that of spoiled babies. The selection of a nurse for the baby is much more important than the selection of a minister for the soul. Every child born into the world is a new hope. It does not seem to be the custom of society to regard them as such."

He then advised the boys of the class not to look for their affinity. A good healthy girl who the boy likes is the right one for his wife and the minister and professor does not believe in the silly talk about soul affinities that has been circulated throughout the country lately.

In speaking of the developments of the child, Dr. Smith said, "it is as impossible to be born with a perfect character, as it is to be born with a dress suit."

A NEW YORK paper explains that lightning never strikes in the same place because it is never there after the first time.

BOND issue in time of peace! The Little Falls Herald is trying to remember when and where this cry was raised before.

A PARAGRAPHER declares that when a young man asks a girl for her photograph she immediately classifies him as a possibility.

A NAME doesn't count for much. Even Jeff Davis the second can be excused for not selecting a more acceptable cognomen, and should be given credit for telling a few eye-opener truths to the Platts and Depews, and Guggenheims, though he didn't wait until he had wasted ten years of his senatorial career.

AN exchange tells of a well-known editor who dislikes nothing more than superfluous questions. On one occasion the telegraph editor approached him with this query: "Here's a story of a big landslide in the west. Under what head shall I put it?" "You might throw it in with the real estate transfers," caustically suggested the "old man."

JOHN GOODNOW, former consul general to China and a well-known Minnesota politician, died in Spain last week. He was not a great man—but cool and daring and not overly scrupulous in political maneuvers belonging to the old regime of gangsters who ruled the Republican party of Minnesota for twenty years by high-handed effrontery and trickery. It is to the credit of the state and the republican party that the Goodnow type of politicians is fast becoming extinct.

THE presidential race is on. The starters have decreed that the republicans meet at Chicago June 16, and the democrats at Denver July 7. From now until election night we can expect to hear a good deal of national politics, and there is every promise of a red-hot campaign—as warm as the conflict of 1892. The two great parties enter the race under fairly even conditions, with the odds favoring the democrats, owing to the financial situation and uncertainty as to tariff revision. The American people held party ties lightly, and there is always an element of independent voters to swing the pendulum either way.

THE newspapers can easily create a hero of a trust-buster. For instance Frank Kellogg has never really busted any trusts nor is his reputation or training along that line. He is best known as the attorney and apologist of the steel trust—the greatest and most rapacious corporation operating in Minnesota. Kellogg's selection by President Roosevelt is as mysterious and unaccountable as the selection of Elihu Root, another trust lawyer, for secretary of state.

EXCERPT from a statement made by Supt. S. L. Heeter of the St. Paul public schools: "The report is the result of a systematic investigation and the figures given are actual, not in any way estimated. These two thousand boys, all under sixteen years, confessed to their teachers that they smoke cigarettes or a pipe regularly. The boys that smoke stand lowest in their studies and the majority of the troublesome pupils are cigarette victims. The report also enumerates the sources from which the children get their tobacco, and scores the parents who provide their children with smoking materials. The evil effects from this pernicious practise on the part of the school boys is so marked and the work of the teachers so retarded, that it becomes my duty to call the attention of the board of education and the patrons of the schools to the far-reaching consequences of the cigarette. From careful reports already tabulated it can be shown that scores of young boys in the St. Paul schools have lost their self control thru this insidious habit and have become 'cigarette fiends,' with impaired physical developments, premature maturity, weakened intellect and moral and social tendencies."

MAKE IT YOURSELF.

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There is so much Rheumatism here in our neighborhood now that the following advice by an eminent authority, who writes for readers of a large Eastern daily paper, will be highly appreciated by those who suffer:

Get from any good pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Dandelion, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces of Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Shake these well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime; also drink plenty of good water.

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The simple recipe is said to strengthen and cleanse the eliminative tissues of the Kidneys so that they can filter and strain from the blood and system the poisons, acids and waste matter, which cause not only Rheumatism, but numerous other diseases. Every man or woman here who feels that their kidneys are not healthy and active, or who suffers any urinary trouble whatever, should not hesitate to make up this mixture, as it is certain to do much good, and may save you from much misery and suffering after while.

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PROCEEDINGS

Of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Red Lake Falls. Minn.
December 14, 1907.

Pursuant to law the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county met in the office of the county auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, at ten o'clock a. m.

Members present—Lindquist, Auhol. Shaw, Demann and Pigeon.

Members absent—None.

On motion duly carried an auctioneer's license was granted to G. C. Gulrud.

Motion made by Commissioner Demann, seconded by Commissioner Auhol, that the final estimate on County Ditch No. 28 of three hundred forty-four and 92-100 dollars be accepted and the engineer discharged. Motion carried unanimously.

On motion duly carried the County Auditor was instructed to advertise for fifty cords of green poplar wood to be delivered at the court house.

Call for special meeting of the county board, November 18th, 1907.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss
County of Red Lake.

The undersigned, who are a majority of the members of the County Board, certify that we deem it necessary, for the best interest of the county, that a special meeting of said board be held for the transaction of the following business, to-wit:

Any business that may come before the board.

Therefore, we do hereby call a special meeting of said board to be held at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, of Saturday, the 14th day of December, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, and the County Auditor is requested to notify each member of said board of the time and place of such meeting at least ten days prior to the day of such meeting.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1907.

Wm. C. L. Demann,
Commissioner 2nd District
Daniel Shaw,
Commissioner 4th District
Ed. A. Auhol,
Commissioner 3rd District
C. A. Lindquist,
Chairman of County Bo'rd
....
Commissioner 1st District

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR.
Red Lake County, Minn.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota,
December 2, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the County Board of the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, has been called by a majority of the members of said board, to be held at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 14th day of December, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the transaction of the following business:—Any business that may come before the board.

Witness my hand and official seal at Red Lake Falls, this 2nd day of December, 1907.

(Seal)
JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
County Auditor and
Ex-officio Clerk of Board

BOND RESOLUTION.

Red Lake Falls, minn.
December 14 1907.

Commissioner Daniel Shaw offered the following preamble and resolutions and moved their adoption:

[illegible] pursuance of and in full compliance with the provisions of chapter 258 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1901, and the several acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, such steps have been duly and legally taken that a public drainage ditch has been duly located and established, partly in the county of Red Lake and partly in the county of Polk, and State of Minnesota, and known as Judicial Ditch No. 4, and such proceedings have been duly and legally taken in the District Court of the Fourteenth Judicial District, duly locating and establishing said ditch, and it has been definitely ascertained and established in accordance with the provisions of the law applicable thereto, that the expense incurred and to be incurred in the locating, establishing and construction of such of said Judicial Ditch as is located within this county of Red Lake, and in such relation to said county of Red Lake as to affect lands therein, within the terms of said legislative acts, will be at least the sum of $16,700; and

WHEREAS: This Board has heretofore duly determined to issue the bonds of this county, for the purpose of paying the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, establishing and constructing so much of said Judicial Ditch as is located within this county, and in such relation thereto, as to affect lands therein within the terms of said laws, and said bonds have been duly sold: Now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By this Board of County Commissioners that the sum of $16,700 is necessary to defray the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, constructing and establishing so much of such Judicial Ditch as is located within this county of Red Lake, and in such relation to this county as to affect lands therein, within the terms of said chapter 258 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1901 and the several acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto;

RESOLVED, FURTHER, That the negotiable coupon bonds of said county of Red Lake be issued for said purpose in the aggregate amount of $16,700, said bonds to be seventeen in number, sixteen thereof of the denomination of $1,000 each and one of the denomination of $700, all bearing date the first day of October, 1907, and due in ten years from their date, with interest at the rate of six per cent (6) per annum, payable semi annually, on the first day of April and October of each year, both principal and interest payable at the banking house of A. B. Leach & Co., in Chicago, Illinois.

(Continued Next Week.)

Hourglasses in a London Church.

Nearly everybody is aware that at one time it was the custom in many churches to regulate the length of the sermon by an hourglass, which stood on the pulpit immediately fronting the preacher. Quite a number of these curious relics are preserved in various ecclesiastical edifices throughout the land, but the British and Foreign Sailors' church, situated in what was formerly Ratcliff highway, is the only one possessing four. They are in perfect preservation and are fixed all together in a framework of solid brass.—London Standard.

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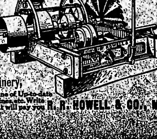

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The Marabou and the Hyena of Central Africa.

BOTH VULTURES IN NATURE.

Each Gorges Itself on Carrion, and the Bird and Beast Often Battle For Their Food—Fairylike Plumes That Are as Light as Air.

The ugliest storks in the world are found in southern Asia and central Africa. Their flesh colored heads are only partially covered with stiff, wiry feathers, and hanging on the breast they bear a disgusting pouch, which answers the purpose of a crop. One of the largest of these storks is the marabou. It stalks about the great sandy plains of central Africa with composure and a lordly grandeur, as if it were the most beautiful bird in the world. Its body feathers are of a dull metallic green color, and its wings and tail are dingy black. Looking at the awkward creature, no one would suspect that under its ungainly wings it carried the most exquisite and fairylike little plumes, so airy that it takes basketfuls of them to weigh an ounce. They are pure white and so much desired for trimming that the bird is vigorously hunted by the natives, who sell these dainty feathers to traders for a very large price.

The marabou feeds on carrion, like the vulture. Its throat is very large, and it will greedily eat everything that comes in its way. In the swamps and plains around Khartum, on the Nile, are immense flocks of marabous, and they are so daring as to come to the slaughter houses on the outskirts of the city in search of food, and whole ox ears and shin bones with hoof attached have been found in the crops of specimens which have been killed.

These birds are skillful fishers. They haunt the low marshy islands in the rivers and lakes of central Africa, with elephants, monkeys, flamingoes and many varieties of birds for companions, and gain their principal food from the water. They often go in companies of ten or twelve to fish. Wading in the water, the birds form a circle, which they gradually draw together, gathering the frightened fish in the center of the net, when with their long bills and quick movements they speedily provide themselves with a hearty meal.

Although marabou mammas have been seen proudly parading around with a brood of diminutive downy young ones, so shy and retiring is this bird in its domestic habits that naturalists have been unable to determine when and how it builds its nest. The natives assert that it nests in high trees, but their statement is not confirmed.

In captivity the marabou is lord of the inclosure, and in zoological gardens, where specimens have been confined, no other birds or even small beasts dare approach the feeding trough until the hunger of this impudent bird is satisfied and it has retired to the warmest corner for a nap. The immense strength of its bill makes it a formidable enemy, and when fighting for food it will often overcome the largest vultures and wage successful battles with beasts of prey.

The hyena inhabits the same portions of Asia and Africa as the marabou, and travelers give accounts of terrible contests between these two singular members of the animal kingdom. The hyena is called the vulture among beasts, as it prefers carrion for its food, and as long as it can find dead animals to devour it leaves the flocks and herds in peace. Cowardly by nature, it rarely attacks man or beast unless driven to desperation by hunger.

The striped hyena inhabits the northern latitudes of Africa, Persia and Syria, while the spotted species, which is easily tamed and is sometimes called hyena dog, is found in large numbers in the vast plains of South Africa.

The hyena is a strange looking beast. It has a big head and a heavy, shaggy mane. The hind part of its body is much lower than its shoulders, and its hind legs are short. This odd formation gives it an awkward, shambling manner of walking, which is both ludicrous and hideous.

This creature rarely shows itself by day, but when the shadows of night fall on the plains and forests it comes out from its home among the rocks and caverns in search of food. African travelers are much annoyed by it. When the camp is silent and all are sleeping the hyena comes prowling round, uttering hoarse human cries, and should it fail to find sufficient camp refuse to satisfy its hunger some poor donkey is sure to be torn in pieces by its terribly strong jaws.

Few animals have been the subject of so much superstition. In ancient times it was believed that a dog went mad if a hyena turned its evil eye upon it, and the beast was believed by many to be a wicked sorcerer, who went about in human form by day and at night assumed the shape of a hyena. The poor and ignorant peasantry of Arabia even at the present day believe in the evil eye of this beast and are afraid to shoot it lest they should incur the wrath of the wicked spirit which they imagine walks the earth in this ugly form.

The poor hyena, however, far from being an evil spirit, is a real blessing to the regions it inhabits, as it is a natural scavenger, provided by the kind wisdom of nature to clear the ground of much loathsome and decaying matter, thereby rendering the air sweeter and purer and more healthful.

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"The first game of football I witnessed upon my arrival in China," one of our consular representatives at home for a visit remarked recently, "I mistook for a very serious riot, and you wouldn't have blamed me either.

"In the first place, I was not aware that the Chinese had any such game, but later found that it is very popular in north China. It is not played as is the American game, and instead of eleven players to the side there are fifty. These northern Chinese are almost giants, and every man on the team will be six feet or over in height and weigh on the average 200 pounds. There are no goals, side lines or halves. The game lasts until one side is the winner, and frequently this is not accomplished before two or three days.

"The idea of the game is to force a small wicker basket, which takes the place of our ball, into the territory of the other side—this territory being one-half of the town—and up and down the streets the fight rages. Each man is equipped with a whistle with which to summon assistance when too hard pressed.

"Stealth as well as main force may be used in getting the 'ball' into the enemy's country, and I know of one clever player who did so by passing over the roofs of the houses. As you may imagine, a hundred giants yelling and fighting in the streets create some excitement."—Harper's Weekly.

SOUL HOUSES.

One of the Queer Customs of the Ancient Egyptians.

Egyptian "soul" houses were curious edifices made probably between the tenth and twelfth dynasties—that is, about 3600 and 3300 B. C. The same principle that caused the warrior's steed to be slain on his grave seems to have actuated the early Egyptians when they built a house for the dead man's soul.

The beginning of the custom was that a mat was laid on the grave, with a pan of food upon it. Afterward this offering was carved in stone as a table of offerings to give permanent satisfaction for the soul. Then to the table was added a shelter copied from an Arab tent. And this gradually was elaborated. The shelter was placed on columns, a hut was put into this portico, chambers were copied, and finally appeared complete two story houses furnished with pottery models of couch, chair, stool, fireplace and the figure of a woman making bread.

The soul was conceived of as ascending from the grave through the ground and requiring shelter while feeding on its everlasting provision, and [illegible] through the earth [illegible] needed [illegible] to go up to the upper floor, and the soul had [illegible] for which a [illegible] was required—

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Music by the Orchestra	
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Discussion	
Silo	Prof. Robertson, Crookston
Clover Raising	August Anderson, Red Lake Falls
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RAISED HIS WAGES.

The Way an Employer Got Square With a Faithless Assistant.

A story is told in Milwaukee concerning an elderly German who conducted a good sized manufacturing plant on the south side. He had an engineer at his factory who had been with him for fifteen years and the old gentleman had implicit confidence in him. It was with a profound shock that he discovered finally that the trusted engineer was "grafting" most shamefully.

The proprietor thought it all over for a long while and then sent for the engineer. When that functionary arrived the following dialogue took place:

"Ah, John! Good morning, John. How long haf you been vorking by this place?"

"Fifteen years."

"Ach, so. And vot are your wages?"

"Twenty-five dollars a week."

"M-m-m. Vell, after today it vill be $5 a veek more."

The engineer thanked his employer profusely and withdrew. A week later the old gentleman sent for him again and the same conversation ensued, ending with another $5 a week raise. The third Saturday he sent for the engineer again, and after the same questions and answers he raised his salary another $5 a week.

On the fourth Saturday the engineer was again summoned before the boss.

"How long have you been vorking here, John?" asked the proprietor.

"Fifteen years," replied the engineer, who by this time had grown to expect the weekly question and salary raise as a regular thing.

"And how much vages are you getting?"

"Forty dollars a week."

"Ach, so? Vell, you are fired."

"Fired!" exclaimed the engineer, almost fainting. "Why, you have been raising my salary $5 at a clip for the last three weeks."

"Sure I have," roared the Teutonic boss, all his indignation flaring out at once. "And the reason that I did it vas that it shall make it harder for you for vhen I fire you, you loafer!"—Milwaukee Wisconsin.

SILVER KING OF THE SEA.

The Feats That a Tarpon Will Perform When Hooked.

If you have never seen a tarpon imagine the Mediterranean sardine that you take from the box for lunch lengthened out to six or seven feet. Give it two enormous staring black eyes, a supercilious lip of the most grotesque shape coming down and twisting up again, a mouth that can be thrown so wide open that thirty feet distant when the fish is in the air you can see blue sky down its throat and out through the arched gills. Give the fish a greenish back and a long spine at the dorsal, a powerful sardine-like tail and equip its belly and sides with scales which look more like newly minted trade dollars than anything else, dollars often twice their natural size, into which the purest molten silver has been dropped, scales that flash thousands of rays in every direction, scales that gleam, corruscate and in the full glare of the sun form so many sunbursts to dazzle the eye and confuse the excited angler.

I have taken the "sabalo" under various circumstances and have seen it leap along the outer Florida reef and down by the Rio Grande, where it forms in gigantic schools and moves south in winter, and everywhere it is the same sensational equilibrist, the same air climber and sky scraper when hooked or snared. What the sensations of the tarpon are when hooked it would be difficult to say, but I fancy it is frightened and leaps in the direction away from the pain center, and no two leaps are alike.

It may go directly up into the air, carrying a big wave with it and lash the air, or it may go out of the water head first, rising like a ray of light ten or fifteen or more feet, then fall gracefully. Every possible position I have seen the frightened tarpon take, from standing on its tail as upright as a soldier to exactly the opposite direction, and an old angler informed me that he had seen a tarpon make a lateral leap of thirty feet.—Charles F. Holden in Recreation.

A Little Too Original.

"You New Yorkers are wonders," said the man from the west here for a brief stay and seeing everything from the Bronx to the Bowery. "Nothing is impossible here—at least I saw vines twined across the sky last night. It was in a restaurant in Forty-second street," he continued. "The ceiling is painted sky blue, and there are little electric lights set to look like stars. Also there are the clouds floating about, but then there are the vines that kill the otherwise very neat illusion. Originality is all right, but vines hitched to a sky is too much for a man from the west."—New York Globe.

The Main Point.

Mrs. Scrapleigh—They say, my dear, that the new rubber plant, the Ficus pandurata, is extremely beautiful. It has a glossy veined leaf— Mr. Scrapleigh (who has strained his back lugging the house plants around)—I don't care anything about its glossy veined leaves. What does the dum thing weigh?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A Great Financier.

Cholly—Harry is a great financier. Chappie—Yaas? Cholly—He borrowed sixpence from me yesterday to take him to the city to see a man that he knew he could borrow a pound from, and with that pound he flew off to stand a dinner to another man whom he borrowed a hundred from.—London Telegraph.

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Banking house and real estate	8,276.17
Cash on hand and in banks	34,436.67
TOTAL	$158,723.31
LIABILITIES.	
Capital and surplus	$ 18,000.00
Undivided profits	270.79
Dividends unpaid	2,250.00
DEPOSITS	138,202.52
TOTAL	$158,723.31

Statement Dec. 3, 1907:

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	$133,875.83
Banking house and real estate	9,694.79
Cash on hand and in banks	32,974.34
TOTAL	$176,544.96
LIABILITIES.	
Capital and surplus	$ 18,000.00
Undivided profits	3,149.85
Dividends unpaid	750.00
DEPOSITS	154,645.11
TOTAL	$176,544.96

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The Class Struggle.

The class struggle began with the prehistoric tribal wars and can end only when the laborers can be delivered from the inheritance of industrial disaster handed down to them from the fortunes of barbarian warfare. This class struggle was shown in the servile rebellions when slavery had been made the status of the workingman. This class struggle was shown in the labor unions and the strikes when the wage system had been fastened on the toiler, when he had been robbed of any opportunity to use the resources of the earth in his own right, had been refused the right to live without a master and had not been guaranteed even the right to have a master. This class struggle is shown now in the struggle for Socialism, which is no new thing in the world. It is the same old warfare, at last informed as to the nature of the rights of the toilers and equipped with the power of the ballot in the struggle to secure these rights.—John Stuart Mill.

What a Priest Says.

Advancing the cause of Socialism is not the work of factions and giddy heads, as some think who see a scarecrow in every new movement, but is the progress of humanity. I call Socialism the doctrine of love and justice which was taught by Christ. Socialism does not mean tumult and ruin, but food and work for all, a home and clothing for all, a living assured to all, happiness and justice for all.—Father Mario [illegible], Italy.

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Socialism the Only Means by Which to Attain Real Democracy.

The condemnation of the existing industrial system is that it brutalizes manhood. Success is measured in dollars. Dividends are of more importance than manhood and character.

Profit sharing has been tried, but with somewhat disappointing results.

The workingmen distrust the large salaried employers and feel that profits are eaten up in salaries.

Trades unions have sprung up, and their existence is justified, for if capital can unite, labor may and perhaps must.

But labor unions are not the final solution. The next natural forward step in social evolution will be the transfer of great consolidated industries from trusts and private capital to public ownership.

Some day the people will own the railroads and coal mines and all the largest necessary businesses of the land—not necessarily the smaller ones—just as today we have public ownership of streets, schools, libraries, postal system, etc.

And if the business is run for the people, not the profit that can be made out of the people, larger wages can be paid, commodities can be purchased more cheaply and the whole standard of living, physical, intellectual, moral, will be raised thereby.

This is Socialism, pure and simple. It is not anarchism. Instead of privileged classes we should have a real democracy, democracy consummated.

FOR THE INDIVIDUAL.

Socialism Insures the Fullest Freedom to Every Human Being.

Let no one be astonished that we bring forward the idea of a national community now, whereas at first we set ourselves to establish the liberty of the individual. The nation, and the nation alone, can enfranchise all citizens. Only the nation can furnish the means of free development to all. Private associations, temporary and limited in character, can protect limited groups of individuals only for a time. But there is only one universal association that can guarantee the rights of all individuals without exception not only the rights of living, but of those who are yet unborn and who will take their places in the generations to come.

If, then, we invoke the nation we do so in order to insure the rights of the individual in the fullest and most universal sense. Not a single human being for a single moment of time should be excluded from the sphere of rights. Not one should be in danger of becoming the party or instrument of another individual. Not one should be deprived of the sure means of laboring freely without servile dependence on any other individual.

Social ownership of property is merely opportunity of action brought within the reach of all.

Socialism will exalt and ennoble humanity. It will level up all men and give new meaning and dignity to life. —Jaures.

Industrial Depressions.

Those who believe that there are indications that a severe industrial depression is due will find by an inspection of the monthly issuance of building permits that in the month of August the building operations in Chicago were $1,000,000 less than in the corresponding month in 1906 and that for the past eight months of the present year there was an aggregate decrease of $7,000,000 in the building permits issued by the city.

This is but one of the many industries in which there is a like indication that one of those industrial panics, which the Socialists alone are able to explain, is approaching.

These periodic convulsions which society is forced to suffer through the operations of capitalism can only be abolished when the industry of the country is freed from the anarchistic organization that now prevails and is systematically run by the workers.—Chicago Daily Socialist.

A Notable Book.

The New York Sun announces that 'Dr. Lewis H. Morgan, well known to American readers as the author of 'The League of the Iroquois' and 'System of Consanguinity and Affinity of the Human Family,' has lately published a comprehensive and suggestive study of 'Ancient Society.'" The joke is on the Sun. Morgan's great book was published a generation ago. The author has been dead for many years. We heartily wish that his books, especially the "Ancient Society," were "well known to American readers." Unfortunately his own countrymen as well as the English have neglected one of the greatest of sociological scientists and have left it to Germans and Russians to appreciate his work. However, it is pleasing to note the fact that at last a reprint has been demanded and that even the Sun has found it worthy of a rather careful review.—New York Worker.

How We Are Drifting.

While the people of the United States have a quasi-republican form of government, the tendency, not only in capitalistic circles, but also in the well to do middle class, is decidedly anti-republican.

While we are supposed to have a democracy, we are hampered by having an uncrowned king and a senatorial oligarchy, and the well to do middle class applauds both.

While we have no hereditary nobility, we have a moneyed aristocracy which has now become hereditary. And it is the most oppressive and contemptible the world has ever seen.—Victor L. Berger.

THE GRASS FENCE.

Thrilling Incident of the Battle of Bunker Hill.

The battle of Bunker Hill gave the occasion for many deeds of valor, and since that day we hold a list of names illuminated in our memory. One of these names belongs to the Knight of Derryfield. Do you remember who he was, and can you recall the song of his bravery? Read of it once more and have impressed again on your heart the implicit obedience and perfect courage of the New Hampshire farmers and their captain, John Moor.

When the forty-five men of the little town of Derryfield, N. H., left their homes to fight for the great cause each knew that no men were ever led by a braver man than their beloved Captain Moor. His courage had inspired many of them in the French and Indian war. So, eagerly, when the alarm came in 1795 they marched with him and his drummer boy son to Cambridge, where he was entered a captain in Stark's regiment.

And now comes the battle of Bunker Hill. Behind a fence, piled thick with grass, Captain Moor's company lay as still as death. An order had come from Colonel Stark that not a shot was to be fired until the British passed a stake that was driven a short distance away. With perfect confidence in themselves and their captain, the farmers waited—waited motionless while that beautiful, death dealing pageant of British warriors swept grandly toward them. With the coolness and wonderful precision of a dress parade the old world came to meet the new, the grenadiers and light infantry marching in single file twelve feet apart, the artillery advancing more slowly and thundering out an insolent defiance to the conceited little rebels, while on each side five battalions formed an oblique line to the fence breastworks. The very flower of the English army, full blossomed in learned maneuvers, resplendent in shining arms and waving banners, advanced to meet a little group of men untrained in tactics of warfare, only half armed, clad in homespun, hiding behind a breastwork of grass.

The dead line was crossed. Bang! Bang! Bang! The little rebels were awake at last. Now, not the stake, but a line of fallen bodies marked the dead line. Thunder and lightning belched forth from that breastwork. A fire, intense, steady, killing, and the brave march of the Britishers was checked. A slight recoil, and the officers, dashing up, again urged the line forward. Not for one moment did the grass fence cease its voice of fire and shot. One by one the brave grenadiers and their dashing, gallant officers fell to the earth. The ranks broke and the proud host fled before the meager handful of New Hampshire men. Ah, if we could only have had grass breastworks and Captain John Moor all along the American line!—C. F. Harrison, in Atlanta Constitution.

A Philanthropist.

An earnest east side worker says that not long ago she was approached by an old gentleman who has the reputation of being something of a philanthropist with the request that he be permitted to accompany her on one of her rounds of visits. Much pleased, the worker consented. The destitute condition in which many families were found elicited expressions of deep sympathy from the old gentleman, but to his companion's surprise and regret nothing more material. Presently they came upon a small girl weeping bitterly.

"What is it, my dear?" the old gentleman inquired.

The child raised a tear stained face and pointed into a dark alleyway. "Me mudder sent me to buy some bread, an' I lost my dime in there, an' I'll git licked awful!" she sobbed.

"Poor dear!" he remarked in a tender voice, at the same time putting his hand into his vest pocket. "Don't cry. Here is a match. Perhaps you will be able to find it!"—Harper's.

Misled by Stationery.

"I wrote a note to my washerwoman about a week or two ago asking her please to bring my clothes home," said the woman. "I needed them. I happened to be in a religious concern at the time and used its paper to write the note on. Bertha came yesterday.

"'I've a great notion to discharge you, Bertha,' I told her. 'Why didn't you bring me my clothes? Must I get enough things to wear a year without having them washed on your account?'

"'To tell you the truth,' Bertha apologized meekly, 'you wrote on that theah religious paypah, and I didn't pay no 'tenshan to it. I jes' thought it was some o' them peepul writin' to ask me to come to prayah meetin'. I didn't know it was youah lettah, miss, till yesterday mewnin', when I got tiahd of seein' it around and opened it, so that was why I didn't git heah no soonah with youah clo'es.'"—New York Press.

Moody on the Cards.

One evening in San Francisco Evangelist Moody sat in his room at the hotel playing a game of cards with Mrs. Moody and two friends when a messenger came in with a dispatch. As the boy stood waiting for a reply Mr. Moody suddenly asked, "Won't you sit down, my lad, and have a game of authors with us?"

The boy declined and soon left the room. Hardly had the door closed when Mrs. Moody said, "Why, Dwight, what made you think of inviting that boy to sit down and play with us?"

"My dear," replied Moody, "don't you see, if I had not called the boy's attention to the fact that we were playing authors all the morning papers would certainly have announced under big headlines that D. L. Moody had been discovered in a San Francisco hotel engaged in a game of cards."

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The Men Who Skim Grease Off the Sea at Launching Time.

One of the most anxious moments for battleship builders arrives when a new vessel is launched. And, by the way of compensation, this is the time when the tallow salvors are joyous.

The day fixed for the ceremony of launching is reached, and, as usually happens when a battleship is to be launched, a big crowd assembles. The battleship rests on "slipways," down which she will glide from the dock yard into the water. The only thing that prevents the ship from sliding into the water before the proper time is the "dog shores"—large pieces of wood that keep in position the cradle upon which the battleship rests. When the cord that releases the dog shores is cut the battleship glides down the slipways into the water amid the cheers of the spectators and the playing of the band.

The slipways have to be made as smooth and as slippery as it is possible to make them, so that nothing shall prevent the battleship from gliding into the water safely. It is the greasy substance with which these slipways are covered that calls forth the joy of the tallow salvors.

Since the slightest mishap at the launching would almost certainly prove to be a very costly matter, no pains are spared to insure that everything, including the ship, goes smoothly, and the greasing of the slipways is properly regarded as an important task.

The material used in the process is generally tallow mixed with linseed oil or soft soap, and this is smeared on to the ways to a thickness of about two inches. Every inch of the ways must be covered carefully, and a host of men are employed in the work. First of all the tallow is spread on with trowels, so as to give a smooth and flat surface, and then the soft soap or linseed oil is poured on top. Between one and one and a half tons of the mixture is used in the case of a battleship, and the cost of launching amounts to a good sum, something like £800 or £1,000.

The tallow salvors get ready to reap the harvest.

Crowding the water just where the ship is to be launched will be seen a number of small rowing boats belonging to the tallow salvors. As the vessel glides into the water the tallow which has clung to the keel and bottom plates from the ways becomes loosened and floats to the water's surface in great masses.

Then the tallow salvors swarm around. Bared to the shoulder, they reach over the sides of their boats and proceed to gather in as much of the floating tallow as they can. Some of them even have small hand nets to help them, but in any case it is only a question of a few minutes before the boats are covered, both inside and out, with the slippery, oily mixture, while in the center small heaps of fat gradually arise. No ordinary person could remain in the boats, but the tallow salvors are not at all particular. They row off with their loads and dispose of them to the local soapmakers. Sometimes as much as £2 or £3 can be made by a very agile tallow salvor.—London Answers.

Poe's Devotion to His Wife.

No picture of Poe in Philadelphia would be complete, writes E. P. Oberholtzer in Book News, if we do not remember his poetic attachment for his girl wife and his love for high literary ideals, so faithfully evidenced in his own writing and in his criticism of the work of other men. "His love for his wife was a sort of rapturous worship of the spirit of beauty which he felt was fading before his eyes," Mr. Graham wrote after the poet's death: "I have seen him hovering around her when she was ill, with all the fond fear and tender anxiety of a mother for her firstborn, her slightest cough causing in him a shudder, a heart chill that was visible. I rode out one summer evening with them, and the remembrance of his watchful eyes eagerly bent upon the slightest change of hue in that loved face haunts me yet as the memory of a sad strain." Recollecting that when she was gone honest sorrow mingled with the poverty that hung about him like a thick cloud through which no sun shone, we can afford to forgive much in those last misspent days.

"Hear! Hear!"

The parliamentary "Hear, hear!" was not always an expression of approval. So one learns from Dr. Murray's dictionary. The phrase was originally "Hear him, hear him!" used as an exclamation to call attention to a speaker's words. We have a record of its use in 1689 and as late as 1763. A member of the house of commons in 1768, being interrupted in a speech by a "Hear!" retorted, "That very word, 'Hear!' I dread of all others," and a member in 1770 referred to its use as "disorderly." The unabridged form, "Hear him!" was in use so late as the beginning of the century. Lord Stanhope tells us, in his "Life of Pitt," that when that statesman reappeared in the house of commons in May, 1803, after a long absence in opposition, he was hailed as he passed up the gangway with cries of "Hear him!" Francis Horner, who was in the strangers' gallery, noted as a remarkable thing that when Pitt rose to deliver his memorable speech on that occasion he was cheered—met with cries of "Hear him!"—before he had uttered a word. We have warmer blood nowadays.—London Chronicle.

The plant known as vervain, which is not distinguished for beauty and which grows nowadays utterly disregarded, was so sacred to the Druids that they only gathered it for their divinations when the great dog star arose, in order that neither sun nor moon should see the deed.

CATARRH BLOOD DISEASED AND SYSTEM DISORDERED

Catarrh is not merely an inflammation of the tissues of the head and throat, as the symptoms of ringing noises in the ears, mucous dropping back into the throat, continual hawking and spitting, etc., would seem to indicate; it is a blood disease in which the entire circulation and the greater part of the system are involved. Catarrh is due to the presence of an excess of uric acid in the blood. The Liver, Kidneys and Bowels frequently become torpid and dull in their action and instead of carrying off the refuse and waste of the body, leave it to sour and form uric acid in the system. This is taken up by the blood and through its circulation distributed to all parts of the system. These impurities in the blood irritate and inflame the different membranes and tissues of the body, and the contracting of a cold will start the secretions and other disgusting and disagreeable symptoms of Catarrh. As the blood goes to all parts of the body the catarrhal poison affects all parts of the system. The head has a tight, full feeling, nose continually stopped up, pains above the eyes, slight fever comes and goes, the stomach is upset and the entire system disordered and affected by this disease. It is a waste of time to try to cure Catarrh with sprays, washes, inhalations, etc. Such treatment does not reach the blood, and can, therefore, do nothing more than temporarily relieve the discomfort of the trouble. To cure Catarrh permanently the blood must be thoroughly purified and the system cleansed of all poisons, and at the same time strengthened and built up. Nothing equals S. S. S. for this purpose. It attacks the disease at its head, goes down to the very bottom of the trouble and makes a complete and lasting cure. S. S. S. removes every particle of the catarrhal poison from the blood, making this vital stream pure, fresh and healthy. Then the inflamed membranes begin to heal, the head is loosened and cleared, the hawking and spitting cease, every symptom disappears, the constitution is built up and vigorous health restored. S. S. S. also tones up the stomach and digestion and acts as a fine tonic to the entire system. If you are suffering with Catarrh begin the use of S. S. S. and write us a statement of your case and our physicians will send you literature about Catarrh, and give you special medical advice without charge. S. S. S. is for sale at all first class drug stores.

I had Catarrh for about fifteen years, and no man could have been worse. I tried everything I could hear of, but no good resulted. I then began S. S. S., and could see a little improvement from the first bottle, and after taking it a short while was cured. This was six years ago, and I am as well today as any man. I think Catarrh is a blood disease, and know there is nothing on earth better for the blood than S. S. S. Nobody thinks more of S. S. S. than I do. M. MATSON, Lapeer, Mich.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the second day of November, 1903, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 29th day of March A. D., 1904, at five o'clock p. m., in book twenty-nine (29) of Mortgages on page three hundred fifty-five (355), whereby John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, who were the mortgagors therein, mortgaged and conveyed to L. S. Hackney, who was the mortgagee therein, the following described property, situate in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south half of the ne¼ of section number five (5) in township number one hundred fifty-three (153), north of range number forty-four (44), west of the fifth principal meridian containing eighty (80) acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof,

to secure the payment of the sum of four hundred ($400) dollars and interest thereon, at the rate of seven (7 p. c.) per cent per annum, according to the terms of their certain promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage and payable five years after date, with interest at the rate of seven (7 p. c.) per cent per annum, payable annually.

Said mortgage contained a provision, that should any default be made in the payment of any annual installment of interest due thereon or in the payment of any taxes thereafter to be assessed thereon, previous to the day appointed for the sale of lands for state taxes in the state of Minnesota, then and thereupon the whole sum, for the security of which said mortgage was given, shall become immediately due and payable at the election of the said mortgagee.

Said mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of the sum of four and 81-100 ($4.81) dollars of the annual interest due thereon, on the second day of November, 1906, and in the payment of the sum of twenty-eight ($28) dollars, being the entire installment of interest due thereon, on the second day of November, 1907, and in the payment of the taxes assessed thereon for the year 1905, and are still in default therein.

There is claimed to be and is actually due on said note and mortgage, at the date of this notice, the sum of four hundred ($400) dollars, principal; thirty four and 35-100 ($34.35) dollars interest; nine and 45-100 ($9.45) dollars paid by said mortgagee for the taxes of 1905 after said premises had been sold for taxes, with sixty five cents interest thereon; twenty-five ($25) dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, in all, amounting to the sum of four hundred sixty-nine and 45-100 ($469.45) dollars, due thereon at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale, in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the property above and therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, and state of Minnesota, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 18th day of January, 1908, to satisfy and pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees and the costs and expenses of said sale.

Dated November 25th, 1907.

L. S. HACKNEY,
Mortgagee.

BRYAN & COFFMAN,
Attorneys for Mortgagee
1003 Pioneer Press Bldg.
St. Paul, Minnesota.
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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

ESTATE OF FRED SCHONECKER.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake —In Probate Court.

The State of Minnesota to Marie Schonecker and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, You, and Each of You, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court rooms in the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, in the county of Red Lake, and State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of December, 1907, at 2 o'clock p. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, the Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of December, 1907.

N. W. TARRANT,
[Seal] Probate Judge.

Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Petitioner.
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Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon.

ESTATE OF AMELIA KORTKE.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake —In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Amelia Kortke, Decedent.

Letters of administration having been granted to E. W. Chamberlain;

It Is Ordered, that the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Wednesday, the 3rd day of June, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at the City of Red Lake Falls in said county, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the Red Lake Falls Gazette, a weekly newspaper printed and published in said county, as provided by law.

Dated December 3rd, 1907.

N. W. TARRANT,
(Probate Court Seal) Judge of Probate.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by James Sutor and Wanda Sutor, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch Amerikaansche Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Ulthuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1905, with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. in Book 12 of mortgages at page 31, and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Six Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five and no 100 Dollars ($6285.00), and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely: The East Half of the South West Quarter (E½ SW¼), West Half of the South East quarter (W½ SE¼), the West half of the North East quarter (W½ NE¼), and the East Half of the North West quarter (E½ NW¼) of section number twenty-three (23), and the South East quarter (SE¼) of section number fourteen (14), all in township one hundred and fifty-two (152), north of range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing four hundred and eighty (480) acres according to the United States Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county, in the State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Six Thousand Two Hundred and Eighty Five and no one-hundred Dollars ($6,285.00), and interest, insurance, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated November 23, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank),
Mortgagee.

F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota.
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Sheriff's Sale of Real Estate Under Judgment of Foreclosure.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Red Lake. } ss.
District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Citizens National Bank of Worthington,
Plaintiff
vs.
George Miller, Catherine Miller and Blanche L. Matteson,
Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Judgement and Decree entered in the above entitled action on the 6th day of November, 1907, a certified transcript of which has been delivered to me; I, the undersigned, sheriff of said Red Lake county, will sell, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on the 28th day of December, 1907, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon at the west front door of the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county, in one parcel, the premises and real estate described in said judgment and Decree, to-wit: "All that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit: The northwest fractional quarter of section five (5) township one hundred fifty-two (152), range forty five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridian."

Dated November 8th, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON,
Sheriff of Red Lake County.

J. A. Town,
Plaintiff's Attorney.
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A Real Wonderland

South Dakota, with its rich silver mines, bonanza farms, wide ranges and strange natural formations, is a veritable wonderland. At Mound City, in the home of Mrs. E. D. Clapp, a wonderful case of healing has lately occurred. Her son seemed near death with lung and throat trouble. "Exhausting coughing spells occurred every five minutes," writes Mrs. Clapp, "when I began giving Dr. King's New Discovery, the great medicine that saved his life and completely cured him." Guaranteed for coughs and colds, throat and lung troubles, by [illegible] druggist. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS—Red Lake Falls Lodge No. 169, meets every Monday evening K. of P. hall.—E. G. Buse, C. C.; P. B. Gaass, K. of R. and S.

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A MINE THAT WAS HAUNTED.

The Ghost of Tom Bowers, an Elusive, Luminous Warning and a Race Between Life and Death—The Building of Lofty Mount Shasta.

A haunted house in the family sends delicious shivers down the spinal cord of the ancestral tree, but even more delightfully spooky is the possession of a haunted mine, and such a boast California can make on the authority of early legend.

Once upon a time in the days of old and the days of gold a miner of the name of Thomas Bowers lived and delved in the vicinity of Pike City.

A shy, silent man was Thomas, doing his prospecting without a partner and even holding aloof from the jolly company of the other miners after the day's work was done. And in the same shy, silent way that he had lived he died—noiseless footsteps across the snow to the brink of the slope where he had been prospecting and at the foot of a landslide his speechless body—alone in death.

After his remains were buried decently and in order there were excited whispers about strange noises at the mouth of the old shaft, and soon, quite incidentally, of course, the mine was abandoned.

The greed of gold, however, taps impatiently at closed doors, and after some little time a thriftless miner hoping for a short cut to wealth undertook to work the old mine again and suddenly surprised his creditors by paying his bills. But things flowed not so smoothly as they seemed. There was many a slip of nerve between nugget and pick. Every morning the miner found that his sluice had been tampered with, that during the night the water had been turned on by unknown hands. Yet the most diligent search led to no discovery, and as a last hope of untangling the clammy mystery the miner one evening inaugurated a watch, well armed with a rifle.

The shadows deepened into darkness, into an absolute blackness. Suddenly while reconnoitering a phosphorescent light attracted his attention, and as he boldly advanced toward it he discovered a placard hung from a tree—a sort of spectral transparency, it seems—bearing the following words: "Notice! I, Thomas Bowers, claim this ground for placer mining."

When the reader's mind had recovered from its earthquake of astonishment the miner made a snatch at the placard. A pricking thrill went through his fingers, as though they had taken liberties with an electric battery. The luminous writing was gone, but in his ears roared the flowing water of the sluice and through the roar the sharp, clear cat tap, tap, of a pick. Again the flash of warning light—and before him stood Tom Bowers.

The California miner is no coward. The rifle was lifted, fired. With a yell of rage the ghost, brandishing pick and shovel in excited arms, pursued the trespasser.

A race between life and death in a new sense was the one that followed—all the way to Pike City. There the other miners, celebrating a new find by a dance in a saloon, were suddenly alarmed by terrified screams. Running out, they found neither man nor ghost, but tossed upon the ground a rifle and a pick and a shovel with the initials T. B. cut in the handle.

A legend of an entirely different type is connected with the same period of California history.

During the rush for gold in the fifties a party came west by the Gila river route. The heat was intense. The supply of water gave out. On the hot, barren sands just below Yuma the dying cavalcade pitched their desperate camp.

In the silence of the early night from one of the wagons came the prattling voice of a little child lifted in prayer:

"Do, dear God, give us water, and I never will be naughty again."

And scarcely had the petition gone up to the stars when the sound of running water was heard, and up from the dry, hot sands bubbled a pure, life giving spring.

The water of this New river, as it was called, swept north for twenty miles, at one place spreading into a deep lake two miles wide, but when migration went by the northern route, the pretty tradition naively ends, no longer needed, the New river's spring dried up.

Perhaps no more desolate spot can be pictured than Death valley, with its terrific heat, its lack of water, the soda dust of its plains strewn with mummified animals and the bleached bones of lost prospectors. But fair and fertile once lay the valley, a flourishing pueblo ruled over by a beautiful queen.

Alas, the beauty was only skin deep, and ambition alone ruled a cold, cruel heart. A palace to surpass the houses of the neighboring Aztecs was her dream, and she cared not how many lives might be sacrificed in speeding the labor.

For miles the tribe carried stone and timber, and when they faltered by the wayside she lashed their naked backs. So sacred was royalty regarded that her people dared not protest, but in her zeal to have the palace erected before accident or possible death she had forced her daughter even to join the throng of workers. [illegible] her own flesh and blood [illegible] turned before sinking down in death from exhaustion and cursed both her mother and the kingdom.

The gods answered quickly. The sun sent down a heat so fierce that the streams dried up, vegetation became scorched, the animals sought new abodes, while queen and people died as though by plague.

But in the midst of the desolation the palace half completed may be seen to this day—if fortune favors the traveler with a mirage.

An amusing ghost story haunts the early history of Santa Barbara island. Such were the awful noises heard by ships in passing that every sailor on board devoutly crossed himself, convinced that it was the headquarters of swimming and flying monsters. Unfortunately for the sailors' yarns, it was latterly discovered that some shipwrecked cats had landed on the island, their numerous progeny living sumptuously on dead fish and the eggs and the young sea fowl.

Long before the first white man entered Kern county that locality was inhabited by a superior race far advanced in arts and devout worshipers of the Great Spirit. In fact, one of their number so excelled in wisdom that the others fell down and worshiped him, and in jealous anger the Great Spirit caused the earth to shake and swallow up the entire population, afterward wiping out every vestige of their idolatry by pouring water into the valley until it became an inland sea.

Later repenting him of the ev . and in impatience over his own vengeance, the Great Spirit threw up the earth smoking with heat into the Sierra Nevada mountains, broke away the hills damming up the lake at its foot and drained off the water into the sea at the Golden Gate. Then he opened the mouth of the earth and released the Jonahs from their long captivity.

Little took they the lesson to heart. No sooner had the place blossomed into beauty again than they fell into idolatry once more, the worshiped chief going so far as to challenge the Great Spirit to single combat. The answer was a thrust of the gage in their very faces. The race was exterminated forever by a horde of savages from the Mojave desert, while a whirlwind swept away all vegetation.

But if we are tracing back to the origin of things we must dig deeper till we reach the legend of Mount Shasta, the very first part of the earth to be created.

The Great Spirit broke a hole in the floor of heaven with a huge rock and went on throwing down more rocks until he could step from the sky upon the top of the pile.

Then caressingly he touched the sides of the heap with his hands, and forests sprang into being. Leaves from the trees he plucked and breathed upon until they fluttered into the air, fleet winged birds. Beasts and fishes he also formed from his staff.

And so in love he became with the mountain of his creation that he hollowed it out into a wigwam, "where he dwelt for centuries, the smoke of his lodge fire being often seen pouring from the cone before the white man came."—May C. Ringwalt in Los Angeles Times.

"The Oaks."

"The Oaks," which gave the name to the popular race, has representation in British drama in the play "The Maid of the Oaks," which was written by General Burgoyne, and after being performed at the author's residence on the Downs was produced by Garrick at Drury Lane in 1775. Burgoyne sold "The Oaks" estate to the sport loving twelfth Earl of Derby, who instituted the Oaks stakes in 1779 and was also the winner. The "Derby" was instituted in the year following. Out of consideration of the fillies taking part in both races the "Derby," which used to be run on the Thursday, was altered in later times to Wednesday to allow a day between the two great events.—Westminster Gazette.

A Helping Hand.

When the foreign missionary had concluded his talk he made the usual appeal for contributions, however small. Coming up to the platform with several others, a small boy mounted to the level of the lecturer and, hastening toward him, said:

"Please, sir, I was very much interested in your lecture, and—and"—

"Go on, my little man," said the missionary encouragingly. "You want to help in the good work?"

"Not exactly, sir," said the boy. "What I want to know is, have you any foreign stamps you don't want?"—Success Magazine.

An Easy Mark.

Theodore—It's all right, darling; I have met your father and we took to one another at once. He even went so far as to borrow £10 of me. Surely he can't refuse me your hand after that. Edith—Dory, I'm afraid you've made a mess of it. Pa told me about the £10 and said I'd better give you up; that you were too easy going.—London Scraps.

Her Opportunity.

"I've come to give notice, ma'am."

"Indeed?"

"And would you'se give me a good reference, ma'am? I'm going to Mrs. Jones, across the way."

"The best in the world, Maggie. I hate that woman."—Life.

Courage, like cowardice, is undoubtedly contagious, but some persons are not liable to catch it.—George D. Prentice.

Merry Christmas

We all have reason to be imbued with the holiday spirit of good cheer and it is not out of place to remember that

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Matt Skala's North Side Store

is headquarters for everything you need in the line of General Merchandise. Why not give your friends and dear ones something useful as well as ornamental? We handle everything in the line of

Clothing, Dry Goods, Shoes,
Fur Coats, Ladies' Furs, Overcoats, &c

We bought our big stock of goods at the lowest cash figures, and our customers will be given the benefit of low prices.

Our Clothing Department is in charge of Mr. H. O. Gjerberg, the well known tailor, and he will guarantee good goods and a perfect fit.

Come in and let us figure on your holiday wants.

PRODUCE TAKEN IN EXCHANGE

MATT SKALA

North Side **Red Lake Falls**

.. THE ..

Christmas Store

There are others just as good. There are others just as cheap—but the just as good are not as cheap, and the just as cheap are not as good as at

Special Prices for Saturday, Dec. 21 & Monday, the 23d

Paper Shelled English Walnuts No. 1, per pound	20c
No. 1 Mixed Cream Candy per pound	10c
Toys, Fancy Dishes, Case Pipes and Carry-over Xmas Goods .	10 per cent off

Dolls—Big and Little
Games of All Kinds
Candy, Fruits & Nuts
Toys of Every Description
Xmas and New Year Cards
Christmas Tree Ornaments
Fancy Pipes and Smokers' Sets
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TOYS IN ENDLESS VARIETY AT SPILLANE'S

We have everything to gladden the hearts of the little-ones as well as make happy the older ones.

Candies and Nuts in large assortments for Christmas stockings. Fancy box cigars. Pipes and Smoker's Sets for Chrismas presents. Fine line of Groceries, Teas and Coffee for Table Use.

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Do your Shopping now--today
Or you'll Help to cause delay.
Now you Ought to presents buy.
Time is Precious—time does fly.
Do not 'Till tomorrow wait,
Even One day is too late.
Let us Duties never shirk,
Acquire All, and to the clerk
You will Yule-tide pleasures work.

Peter Beaulcau was a caller at Plummer Sunday.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

Best line of confectionery, nuts, notions, etc., at Freund's.

Father Fayolle was a Crookston visitor over Monday evening.

Miss Etta Hennemuth spent Sunday with friends in Grand Forks.

Kankel's hardware, the sign of bargains for Christmas shoppers.

Don't fail to inspect the bargains on G. A. Kankel's ten cent counter.

K. F. Landberg, of near Wylie, was shopping in the city last Saturday.

The winter term at the Grand Forks College opens January 7th, 1908.

Geo. L. Austin was down from St. Hilaire last Saturday on business.

Special bargains in all lines for Christmas shupper's day at Kankel's.

Marcus Johnson was up from St. Paul the first of the week on business.

Miss Stella Hennemuth arrived home Monday morning from Moorhead.

For Sale—Parlor organ in good condition. Enquire of H. Hennemuth.

Banker C. L. Hansen was down from St. Hilaire Monday on business.

C. H. Martz, of St. Hilaire, was a business caller in the city last Saturday.

Hans J. Peters, of Sanders township, was shopping in the city last Friday.

N. Larson, of Grand Forks, transacted business in the city last Thursday.

Arthur Zaiser and V. L. Knight transacted business in Grand Forks on Tuesday.

Miss Lulu Fletcher will spend her holiday vacation from school duties at Ely under the parental roof in this city, and is expected home next Monday.

Do You Know That

The Gazette Stationery Department.......

Is the place to visit when in search of Fancy Stationery for a Christmas present or for private use. Your name or initials neatly printed theron at a trifle extra.

Call and See Our Line

THE GAZETTE PRINTERY

Edw. L. West, of Hallock, was a business promulgator in the city last Thursday.

It will pay you to look over our speciels on sale Saturday.—Hunt Herdware Co.

Mrs. Chas. Chapman was up from Crookston over Sunday visiting among friends.

Hjalmar Johnson, of Polk Centre, was a business promulgator in the city last Thursdey.

Dressed turkey, geese, duck and chickens for the holidey feests, at Groshong & Blake's.

Silver knives and forks at special prices for Christmas shopper's day at G. A. Kankel's.

Chas. Bourdon came up from Waubon Saturday and spent the Sabbath with his family.

WANTED—Teams to haul cord-wood Inquire at the First State Benk of Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Dr. Fletcher, dentist, will be at Dr. Wilkinson's office Friday and Saturday, December 27-28.

Saturday special—4 dozen Blue Oak at 10c each. Cheep enough to hurn.—Hunt Hardware Co.

Two cars of nice soft coal just received by A. L. Roy, the drayman. Give him a call when in need.

A brother of Chas. Gornahl from Machinoc county, Wisconsin, is visiting at the Peter Mathews home.

Watch for special bargeins in silverware and granitewere on Shopper's Day at Kankel's hardwere.

Mrs. Anna Kretzschmer, of Thief River Fells, was en over-Sunday guest at the W. A. Schreiter home.

WANTED—Twenty men to chop cord-wood. Inquire at the First State Bank, of Red Lake Fells, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Harlow spent Sunday with friends et Thief River Falls, driving up Friday evening.

Cashier J. A. Duffy, of the Merchant State Bank, transected business in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Osakis Review: Mrs. Carrie Gray and daughter from Red Lake Falls are visiting with Osekis relatives.

Miss Amanda Johnson, of near Wylie, was a guest last Thursday at the home of her brother, C. W. Johnson.

The Royel Neighbors will meet at the Woodman hell tomorrow evening to which all members are requested to attend.

Mrs. M. R. Hall hes closed the doors to her restaurant and taken up residence in the J. P. Harren property.

Misses Emily Lindquist and Anna Peterson, of St. Hilaire, were guests over Mondey evening at the O. T. Tandberg home.

To Exchange—Furnished Hotel in one of Iowa's best towns to trade for Red Lake county farm. Enquire of H3, care Gazette office.

Miss Gertie Hennemuth entertained the young ladies sewing club at her home last Friday evening end proved en affable hostess.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

Attorney Chas. Boughton and Justice of the Peace S. A. Rwenson were business promulgators in Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

A rare treat in the way of window decoration awaits the Christmas shoppers in town Saturday at Kankel's hardware. Watch for it.

Notice—Anyone receiving inquiries about the SW¼ 28-152-44 of Red Lake county will do well to notify G. M. Emery, Northwood, Iowa.

H. H. Zaiser has been "boiling over" the past few days because he has a number of pets to nurse. Boils are a most uncomfortable thing to humor and we blame not Helmuth for being out of sorts at times.

K. M. Hansen, of Thief River is assisting with the rush of work in the county auditor's office this week.

Otto Loeschen, of Carroll, Iowa, arrived in the city last Saturday morning for a visit at the home of John Loeschen, north of town.

Notice—Anyone receiving inquiries about the SW¼ 28-152 44 of Red Lake county will do well to notify G. M. Emery, Northwood, Iowa.

Victor L. Knight, of Big Fork, returned home Monday morning with Arthur Zeiser, who had been up in that country on a brief visit.

Theo. Zaiser was confined to his home the greater part of last week with a lame back, but is again able to be on duty at the First State Bank.

R. D. LeRock, of Zumbrota, was in the Falls last Thursday calling upon the tonsorial artists in the interests of the Berbers Supply House of St. Paul.

Miss Mey Ericson, teacher in the public schools at Cloquet, is expected home Saturday to spend her holiday vacation under the parental L. E. Ericson home.

G. A. Kankel, the geniel hardware deeler, has been putting out some neat well pocket celendars the past week which prove pleasent seesonable reminders.

Mrs. Henry Patnode and little daughter, Amelta, eccompanied by Misses Lillien and Tillie Porter, spent lest week in Grenk Fork visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Adolphson, proprietress ef the Wylie shoe store, accompanied by Miss Anderson, teacher in the schools at that place, were in the city on a shopping expedition.

Mrs. Jas. G. Brady returned last Thursday evening to her home at Olmstad, N. D., after spending several days very pleasantly at the Jos. Brady home on the north side.

One hundred rods hogs fence, heavy wires, worth 30c per rod, Christmas Shopper's Dey to introduce Pittsburg Perfect Fencing only 25½c per rod.—Hunt Hardware Co.

For Sele:—SE¼ and E½ SW¼ Sec. 9-151-43; 6 miles from Red Lake Falls and 7 miles from Plummer. Price, $10.00 per acre, eesy terms. Enquire of S4, care Gazette office. 12 3t

After you have looked all around in search of a suitable Christmas gift for father, mother, sister or sweetheart, go to Kenkel's before buying elsewhere and he'll supply your wants.

A basket social and dence will be given at District No. 27, in Terrebonne, next Thursday evening, December 26th. Music will be furnished by Freund's orchestra and a good time is promised all who attend.

Clerk of Courts C. W. Johnson hes issued marriege licenses the week as follows: John Nelson of Columbus, N. D., to Ella Arneta Erickson; Andrew Ferguson, of Rainy River, Ontario, to Mrs. Carrie Sandmoen, of St. Hileire.

Don't forget that next Saturday is Christmes Shoppers' Dey in Red Lake Falls and come prepered to participate in the numerous bargeins as offered by our merchants. It will be your opportunity to buy Christmas articles at cost prices.

Cheirmen Chas. A. Lindquist, of the board of county commissioners, County Auditor J. B. O'Brein and Clerk of Courts C. W. Johnson have been busy the past few days checking over the judiciel ditch bonds and going over the treasurers' tax books.

G. A. Kankel is remodeling his herdwere store and making extensive improvements thereabouts. A large room hes been erected in the rear of the store for a tin shop and the space now being used for such will be filled with other stock. Mr. Kankel's extensive end rapidly growing business necessitates these new improvements and we are pleased to note his prosperity.

In another column may be found the program for the dairy meeting to be held at this place next Saturday, the 21st, and among the speakers will be O. A. Storvick, the newly appointed inspector who succeeds Joel C. Winkjer. He will also be accompanied by J. C. Joslin, a creamery expert from the state dairy and food department, who will also make the meeting a success. Don't fail to attend the meeting and help build in our midst a dairy industry that will bring to our country more rural citizens and thus make this the most prosperous county in the state. Look up the program in another column.

Ending Christmas Eve

HOLIDAY SALE

Ending Christmas Eve

The shopping days for the Holiday season are here. Attendant with beautiful weather, bountiful crops, high prices for farm produce, high prices for grain, there are no reason why you should not have some of the good things of life. Christmas, now close at hand, is observed as a home and fireside holiday because the home is what people are most thankful for having, as the associations of the day is to make others happy. Don't forget that our store will contribute to that end. Having anticipated the wants of Holiday Shoppers, we will have a cut price event that will abound with rare values, on the newest, rarest novelties of the day. Among our offerings are:

Ladies' Coat Sale

Special for Christmas Shoppers' Day

All ladies' misses' and children's coats, for this day only .... 1-3 off

Floral Silk Ribbon

Some of the finest made from 5 to 6 inches wide this day only. 12½c

PureFoodGroceries

Special for Christmas Shoppers' Day

60c sun dried Japan tea goes at.......................... 39c
Common Japan tea goes at......................... 23c
15c coffee 8 pounds to a customer, goes at 12½c
Egg-O-See and Corn Flake, 3 packeges for 25c
Lute-fisk 3 lbs for... .... 25c
Strawberry preserves 2 cans for.... .... 25c

Eggs and Butter at Highest Market Prices

GARCEAU & ZAISER

The Busy Store Red Lake Falls

Rev. Phillip A. Schwartz has been on the sick list the past few days, and was so indisposed Sunday that services et the Presbyterian church were abandoned However he is much improved at this writing and announces that the usual services will be held next Sundey.

Conred Lejembe is now buying cream and covers the territory between Alex C. Bergeron's place, over near Lambert, and Terrebonne every Monday. He pays one cent per pound more for butter fat then any other buyer in Red Lake county and gives one point better on the test.

Osakis Review: Mr. L. M. Healy returned home Thursday from Red Lake Falls where he has been visiting several weeks with his sons. Mr. Healy says crops are good in the valley this year and with the prevailing prices for grain that section is enjoying a full shere of prosperity.

J. F. Mathews, a prosperous farmer of near Dorothy, will hold a public sale of all his live stock, grain, and farming utensils next Monday, the 23rd. The sale will commence at ten o'clock and a free lunch will be served at noon, at which time Joe Belair, the auctioneer will preside.

J. Drew Marshall arrived in the city Tuesday noon and will spend Christmas at the home of his mother Mrs. E. F. Marshall. Drew, as he is more familiarly known among our people, has a lucrative position with the Northwestern Electric Equipment company of St. Paul, and at the opening of the new year will go to Denver, Colorado, where he will superintend the wiring and other electric appurtenances for the new auditorium to be constructed for the democratic national convention to be held in July next. This will be quite an undertaking for a person so young as Drew, but by giving the work his undivided attention and with his years of experience, the firm has confidence in his ability and we hope for his success.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

Of all kinds at Anderson & Wander

We will give a special discount of 20 per cent on our Book Cases, China Closets, Buffets, Cupboards, Rockers, Bed, Spring and Mattresses, Rugs, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Come and line over before you buy.

An Edison Phonograph

would make an ideal Xmas present, it will please everybody, old and young. There isn't a phonograph on the market today that can be compared with the Edison. It has a clear, sweet tone.

We sell them at

$12.50

$25.00

$35.00

Prices suitable for everybody's purse. Place your order early to avoid the rush. We carry a stock of 300 gold moulded records, you can find any record you are looking for

ANDERSON & WANDER

Furniture and Undertaking, Red Lake Falls

EDISON'S THOUSAND-DOLLAR HOUSE

The Great Inventor Says the House of the Future Will Be of Concrete and May Be Built in a Day.

Had certain recent statements ascribed to Thomas A. Edison come from any other quarter they would have been regarded as the babbling of an irresponsible dreamer. From such a source, however, they carry with them an air of authority that demands consideration.

For Edison is a man who has been making such statements now these many years. When he began to say things about electric possibilities that were not even hinted at in the text books the world was not startled out of its habitual calm. When he began to convert these possibilities into realities the same world accepted them wonderingly and called him "wizard."

So it has come to pass that when he gives utterance to some new thought conceived in the secret recesses of his wonderful thinking apparatus we do not scoff at him or refuse to listen. No matter how unsparingly he draws on our credulity—it cannot be denied that we have been subjected to some trying tests—we do not protest. Although our breath may be coming in fitful gasps, we "wait and see."

It certainly makes a fearful drain on our capacity for believing to be confronted with Mr. Edison's latest marvel—the indestructible three-story cement dwelling built in twelve hours at a cost of $1,000.

When we have recovered a little from the shock of such a proposition, made apparently in good faith, we turn expectantly to the facts as they stand now.

On the second floor of Thomas A. Edison's laboratory at West Orange, N. J., there may be seen the model of a very attractive Queen Anne cottage. Apropos of this model, Mr. Edison has recently delivered himself as follows:

"Some time next spring I intend to build a house after that model. By means of a system of molds which I have patented it will be possible for any one who understands the business to erect a house of solid cement twenty-five feet in width and forty-five feet in depth, three stories in height and roomy enough to house comfortably three families. The building will cost not to exceed $1,000.

"The all important feature of the patent lies in the molds. They are of iron and the inside facings are nickel plated and are fashioned exactly like the outside of the model. The material for the house is composed almost entirely of a composition of my own devising, consisting of one part cement, three parts sand and five parts of quarter-inch crushed stone.

"At 6 in the morning we take the movable steel castings to a vacant lot. These are clamped together with bolts, and you have before you a house of iron, with hollow walls. Meantime we are mixing our concrete. The machinery to raise this soft concrete to the top of the iron framework—a big mold, you understand—is ready on the spot.

"By 6 o'clock at night there is your house inside your ironwork. Everything, except the doors and windows, is in place. In six days the iron frame is unbolted and removed. In another eight days the concrete is completely hardened and the house ready to live in—fifteen days from start to finish.

"The only wood used is the strips around the edges of the floors on which to tack down a carpet and those around the wall for the picture molding. All this is put in place in the ironwork before the concrete has been poured in. The tiling around the fireplaces and in the chimneys, the gas and water pipes, are also cast in the same way in the concrete walls. The furnaces, the heating pipes, the bathtubs and closets are all cast with the walls."

All this without so much as the twinkle of an eye to suggest that you are being victimized. Do not flinch; there are further wonders to be told:

"I have built the model of this house on the basis of a laborer owner getting $1.50 per day. The molding forms are of cast iron, and for $1,000 the entire house can be built, this to include heating pipes, staircases of cement, floors and mantels of cement and a cement roof that won't leak. plumbing and even bathtubs will be of cement.

"The durability of the house is unquestionable. It will last forever. Even children may go around with axes and chop as long as they like without doing any material harm.

"Therefore there will be no necessity for repairs. Even the window sashes will be of cement. Aside from the narrow strip of wood intended for the holding of carpet tacks the only wooden thing about the house is the front stoop. I have given it a wooden stoop to make it more beautiful. I have been in consultation with New York architects on the subject of the wooden stoop, and I think it possible to omit that material in the stoop construction. It will cost a contractor $30,000 to get the molds with which to build the house, but then he will be able to build over 30,000 houses with the one set of molds.

The molds can be taken down in a few hours after the house has been finished, and they may be carted to any part of the world in less space than is required for shipping an ordinary derrick. That's what will appeal strongly to commercial economy. In selling contractors the iron castings I shall restrict them in the use of cement that will have no air bulbs. The cement will be poured into the molds until it flows over the top. Then the house is practically finished. I won't sell the molds to any one who does not satisfy me of the quality of his concrete formula. In the great San Francisco disaster the houses which withstood the earthquake were built of cement."

Mr. Edison now makes the announcement that his storage battery proposition has been brought to a condition in which it is of economic value. For years he has been working on this great feature. The Edison works are turning out the new storage batteries at the rate of 300 a week.

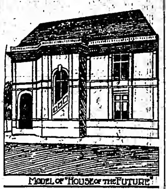
This effort to obtain a storage battery that will do more than the work of a horse at less expense has been a long and sometimes discouraging one. After three years of almost constant labor and experiment Edison made a battery which would propel a truck 12,000 miles before a new plate became necessary. This result was gratifying, but it was not enough to drive the horse from the field. The inventor found that in order to run the truck animal out of business it would be necessary to construct a battery that would accomplish 50,000 miles without a new plate.

He has succeeded, he says, in doing this. He has perfected a 50,000-mile battery, and in a few weeks it will be on the market and cheap enough for common use. If half that is claimed for it is realized it will be one of the greatest labor saving devices ever invented. It will be able to carry twice the load of the ordinary truck, will [illegible]

Although Mr. Edison has patented his wonderful concrete house he purposes to let any one who wishes to build it have the right without charge, stipulating only that every person who builds shall use the proper kind of concrete, enforce it with twisted iron rods and turn out an artistic product. He declares that the laboring man is going to get a "square deal" on this improvement. He disclaims all idea of personal gain from the invention and says that he will make a gift of it to the working people of America.

All of which is in line with the declaration made on his last birthday to the effect that all of his efforts hereafter would be exerted solely for the benefit of his fellow men.

—W. E. Emery.



MODEL OF "HOUSE OF THE FUTURE"

CORNER IN EDISON LABORATORY

HOME OF THE EDISONS IN WEST ORANGE N.J.

SOME FREAK SOCIETIES.

The Pointed Beards in Paris—To Defend Cause of Fat Man.

"Pointed beards only need apply."

This is the law of the latest Parisian society of freaks—the "Sphenopogenes," as they call themselves.

Its members, who are compelled by the rules of the society to wear pointed beards and mustaches, have banded themselves together for the avowed purpose of promoting perennial joviality.

It is a secret society. Its deliberations are secret; its dinners are secret; its happy evenings are secret, and the names of its members can be seen only in the society's secret books.

The Sphenopogones comprise leading politicians, literary men and artists living in various parts of France. Each member must be elected unanimously, and must, under pain of severe penalties, promise to wear a beard which tapers symmetrically to a point and a mustache also pointed at each end.

Once a month the members dine together. The date and place of meeting are arranged by the "gonfalonier," as the treasurer is called, and the proceedings are kept strictly private, no one being admitted except duly enrolled members.

If any member has between one dinner and another distinguished himself by writing a successful play or a book, or by painting a picture of exceptional merit, or by doing anything to earn public praise, he is greeted with uproarious applause.

After dinner the possessors of the pointed beards give themselves up to conviviality in accordance with the terms of their secret charter.

England, too, can boast of her freak societies. There is, for instance, the Appendicitis society, a fashionable and select circle, the members of which must give proof that they have undergone an operation for appendicitis.

The Society for Putting Woman in Her Proper Place was formed in London a few months ago with the object of combating the movement for womans' suffrage.

There is also a society of bald heads and two or three societies of bachelors, and a few run in the interests of old maids.

In Germany not long ago was formed a Society for the Encouragement of Adipose Tissue, an organization which stoutly defended the cause of fat men.

Every man is said to have his price—but the trouble is nobody but himself knows the private mark.

A Sound Sleeper.

"Della," began Mrs. Newlywed, timidly. "I don't suppose—er—that you would—er—object to my getting an alarm clock?"

"Not at all, ma'am," replied the sleepy cook; "them things never disturb me at all."

A Well Known Instance.

"We are getting up a society for the suppression of useless noise."

"Does noise really hurt a town?"

"Well, it killed Jericho."

Aftermath.

Visitor—How are conditions here? Has confidence returned?

Resident—Conditions are slowly settling down to their former basis, but confidence has not returned. Most of the people still believe it was the children of their next door neighbors that carried away their gates last Thursday night.

What a grand thing the phonograph would have been in the days of the Inquisition!

Orthodox Explanation.

A mother was giving her little girl a bath when she said: "I wonder where this dust on the water came from?"

Small Girl—Perhaps I leak somewhere, mamma. You know, I'm made of dust.

Reams of Testimony.

The leaves in Fall are all aflame,
Likewise aglow.
So many poets make this claim
It must be so.

FROST-PROOF WATERING SYSTEM OF CONCRETE

One Which Will Practically Run Itself in the Winter Time

—By Joseph E. Wing.

Let the central storage tank be a good-sized one, round or square, and in building it a section of cast-iron pipe about ten inches in diameter can be secured and passed through it and at one end connected with a vertical flue or pipe it will be wise. A little fire can be built in this pipe and the chill taken off the water, besides the warmer the tank water is kept the less danger of the watering places freezing.

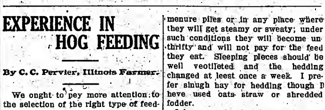
Beside the storage tank, or at some convenient spot, must be a small tank to have float valve and be connected with all the watering places. These of course must all be on the same level. This small tank may be protected by a heap of straw or manure so that frost will not affect it at all. Whenever an animal takes a mouthful of water from a drinking place the water is lowered in this secondary tank and at once a fresh supply comes in from the main tank.

Now for the main problem, the individual drinking places. Perhaps it is impossible to construct them so that they will not sometimes freeze a little at night when not in use. They may be protected with hinged wooden covers that will help greatly.

Lay the pipes supplying them very deep; that will greatly help. Something may be done to prevent frost reaching far down the pipes by providing a return to make the water circulate; the idea is that one or the other of the vertical pipes will have in it a colder column of water, and there will immediately set up a circulation, which will continue steadily as long as there is cooling going on, or heating either. Thus the water will never freeze lower down than the cross pipe in the loop. It would be well, if the digging is not too hard, to put these loops down at least eight feet in the earth.

Then if there is at the bottom a bit of large cast pipe, say four inches, into which the vertical pipes are screwed, all the better, since the circulation will be better. This arrangement will not freeze lower than the cross in the pipe till the whole earth freezes up. If litter is packed around the drinking bowl, and it is covered at night, it will be well-nigh frost-proof.

Care must be observed in these drinking fountains that sediment does not enter the pipes; the bowl may be deep, with chance for sediment to collect below the orifices of the pipes. The illustration shows the coil or return pipes both reaching to the bowl, one higher than the other, and with also a connecting cross below. This lower cross should be of smaller pipe than the vertical, perhaps one and one-fourth inches for the main pipes and one inch for the cross. Then there will always be water circulating, even though the fountain should freeze, which it will not be apt to do. And keep the bowl cleaned out. A brass screen at the end of each pipe would be good. If the bowl is a foot deeper than the pipes all the safer.—Breeders' Gazette.



Design of the System.

EXPERIENCE IN HOG FEEDING

By C. C. Pervier, Illinois Farmer.

We ought to pay more attention to the selection of the right type of feeders, regardless of breed. It took me five years to bring up the average gain per hog to 30 pounds per month from birth to time of sale. If we have 40 young brood sows we would select for breeding stock the 30 which have made the greatest growth and development.

It is very important to have hogs that will grow rapidly and mature easily. Select those that are long in the body, broad across the back, with good hams and shoulders and that stand squarely upon their feet (not those whose hind feet come close together or extend forward under the body.) They should be straight on the top, side lines and under lines. Do not keep breeding stock that will not produce pigs that can be made to weigh 300 pounds at 12 months of age.

There should be a variety of other foods besides corn. Soy bean hay makes a good feed and contains sufficient protein for brood sows. Clover hay is also much relished, and alfalfa is even better; every hog feeder should have some alfalfa hay for winter use.

I have obtained the best results by feeding grain but twice a day, and only what the hogs will eat up clean at each meal. Every basket or shovel of corn is counted and if there is any left uneaten in an hour or two, the amount is cut down at the next meal. In feeding too heavy there is a very large waste of grain.

With soy beans, clover and rape it is easily possible to have a succession of green feed until December. I have used rye and vetch in a successful experiment as a winter food. These may furnish green food almost the year around in central and southeastern Illinois.

Neither a hog nor a steer can stand out in zero weather and shiver while eating without loss of flesh and loss of profit. The feeding floor should, if possible, be on the south side of the building. If necessary, put up a protection six feet high on the west and north to make the hogs comfortable while eating.

Keep the floor perfectly clean or otherwise you might just as well feed upon the ground. This will be easily accomplished if the feeding floor is 75 or 100 feet from the sleeping quarters. Never feed in the shade.

Hogs drink often but little at a time and it is absolutely essential that they have all the water they want and whenever they want it, day and night. I have arranged cement barrels in the ground with cement troughs on either side so the dirt cannot get into the barrels, and a tank heater in one barrel keeps the water constantly open in the coldest weather.

Under no circumstances should pigs be allowed to sleep in straw stacks or manure piles or in any place where they will get steamy or sweaty; under such conditions they will become unthrifty and will not pay for the feed they eat. Sleeping places should be well ventilated and the bedding changed at least once a week. I prefer slough hay for bedding though I have used oats straw or shredded fodder.

I keep wood ashes before the pigs all the time and consider them essential to the development of and strength of bone. We have often made mistakes in thinking we can breed for bone. To make a self feeder for wood ashes, take a drygoods box and put a sloping bottom on the inside of it and and then build a trough next to the ground, leaving enough space for the ashes to work down into it. Put a hinged cover on the box and fill with ashes and salt (four quarts of salt to a bushel of ashes); let the pigs have free access to it all the time. I believe coal ashes are constipating.

I think it necessary to retain flesh on the brood sow by heavy feeding during the suckling period, but the feed must be gradually increased for two or three weeks after farrowing to reach this full feeding.

The feeding of very nutritious slops too soon after the pigs are farrowed creates a flow of milk too fast for the young pigs, causing them to scour. One reason why I defer the farrowing season until May is that the brood sows may run in the grass two or three weeks before farrowing time; nothing will put them in better condition.

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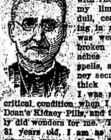

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THE TREE OF ILLUSIONS

A WIDOW WORDALOGUE

BY ELLEN ROWLAND

"There!" said the widow, balancing herself precariously on the top step of the ladder with the tips of her fingers on the bachelor's shoulder, while she surveyed a pink and gold angel at the very apex of the charity Christmas tree. "It looks stunning, doesn't it?"

The bachelor folded his arms and gazed up at the widow critically.

"Stunning!" he agreed. "But why are the nicest things all at the top—where we can't reach them?"

The widow withdrew her fingers from his shoulder and leaned hurriedly over to transfix a tinsel heart on a side branch.

"They aren't," she said, squinting one eye to ascertain that the heart hung straight. "They only seem the nicest—because we can't reach them. From here," she went on, returning to her scrutiny of the pink and gold angel, "he looks like a real angel, but if we should take him down he'd turn to paper and wax and paint again."

"I wonder," said the bachelor, studying the widow thoughtfully, from the sprig of holly berries in her ruffled hair to the bottom of her ruffled lace frock, "if I should take you down—what you'd turn to."

"Is that butterfly on straight?" asked the widow anxiously, bending to readjust a gilt clothespin with green tarletan wings.

"From here," went on the bachelor, ignoring the deflection, "you look like a reel——"

"It's the illusion," broke in the widow, "which makes anything seem nice. And it's distance that lends enchantment to the illusion."

"I'd rather put up with less enchantment," complained the bachelor, "and less distance, if——"

"Of course you would." The widow jabbed a pin into a paper kitten and fastened it firmly to the tree by one eye. "That's the trouble with a man. He always wants to tear down his illusions, and see what they are made of. From the time when a boy insists on seeing the wheels go round in his father's watch, or on taking his patent mill to pieces to find out how it works, to the time when he insists on knowing what his wife pays for her hats and how she gets the blush on her cheeks and the curve in her waist line, he is forever trying to get behind the scenes of life instead of being satisfied to sit out in the orchestra chair and take things—for what they seem to be. If a woman can possibly idealize a husband or a lover, she will shut her eyes and cling to that ideal, like grim death, even if she may know she is being fooled; but a man is not happy unless he has the facts; and facts about anything aren't—very pleasant."

"Oh, I don't know," the bachelor squinted up at the widow; "there are facts about your pompadour and the tilt of your nose——"

"It was the same way in the Garden of Eden," went on the widow, twisting a string of popcorn about a refractory branch without noticing the bachelor.

"Were you there, too?" The bachelor looked impressed.

"I've always believed," pursued the widow, undauntedly, "that the tree of knowledge was just a Christmas tree, and that all Adam and Eve did was to take down their illusions and find out——"

"That they were paper and paint and wax?"

The widow nodded.

"Yes," she agreed; "and that's what always happens at the end of the honeymoon. The moment the holiday of love is over married people begin tearing down the trimmings off the tree of illusions one by one; or sometimes one of them just kicks the whole thing over and brings it crashing to the ground and there is nothing left but burnt-out candles of hope and broken beads of sentiment and tattered remnants of faith—the paste and paper happiness."

"Stop—That's—That's a Ridiculous Illusion."

"And an awful mess," concluded the bachelor. "Oh, well," he went on tying a tarlatan bagful of bonbons to a high branch, "it's just as wise to clear away all the rubbish at the beginning of the game and get down to realities, isn't it?"

"The turkey dinner and the cranberry sauce, and the boiled onions and —the sawdust?" inquired the widow cynically.

"Yes," agreed the bachelor cheerfully, "they're the substantialities. I can't see," he added, trying in vain to stick a cold candle on a refractory twig, "what people want to string a charity Christmas tree with illusions for, anyway. Orphans, at least, need the realities like——"

"Shoes and stockings and beefsteak and potatoes?" finished the widow scornfully, turning so quickly on the ladder that she almost tilted over. "Of course, you can't see. A man never does see the use of anything he can't eat or wear or—or—understand. Even orphans get enough of the sordid realities of this life. It's the illusions we're all striving for, like ideals and happiness, and love and Santa Claus and things."

"Love and Santa Claus?" repeated the bachelor, staring at the widow blankly.

"Well, aren't they alike?" asked the widow, turning to the tree again and twisting a string of glass beads more effectively.

"Is That Butterfly on Straight?"

"If you mean they're both myths," agreed the bachelor.

"Yes," returned the widow promptly, "and you can never tell what either one of them is going to leave by your fireside."

"But you can be almost certain it isn't what you expected," declared the bachelor cheerfully. "The man who is longing for a real wife generally gets a wax doll or a mechanical toy," he added sadly.

"And the woman who wants a real husband," retorted the widow, "nearly always gets a manikin that never speaks except to say 'Umph' when you prod it, or a tin soldier with a stiff back and a hollow head, or a lot of taffy or paste sentiment——"

"Or nothing at all," interposed the bachelor.

"And then Santa Claus and Love disappear up the chimney or through the window," concluded the widow, "and you've got nothing left but—but——"

"Sawdust and memories," sighed the bachelor.

"And neither one of them is a bit fair," pursued the widow, sitting down on the top step of the ladder and leaning her chin in her hands, "because it's never the most deserving person, the good little boy or good little girl, who fares best, but the one who has the most luck."

"And the most money," added the bachelor, crossing his arms on the ladder and looking up at the widow, "and who can't half appreciate what he's getting."

"Yes," mused the widow, staring thoughtfully up at the pink and gold angel, "I've always believed that Love carried a pack like Kris Kringle, instead of a quiver of arrows—a pack full of husbands and wives that he just deals out at random. That's why tall men get short women and girls with their souls in the clouds marry men with their souls in the kitchen, and poets marry cooks and saints marry sinners and fools marry intellects and widows marry—at all. What are you staring at, Mr. Travers?"

"I—I've got an illusion," stammered the bachelor, coming back to earth again, "that I'd like to take down and——"

The widow got up quickly and began tying things on the tree at random.

"Is it a woman?" she asked, studying a tinsel ball with deep interest.

"I don't know," said the bachelor, "but it's at the very top and it's got on a lace dress and a bunch of holly and——"

"Because if it is," interrupted the widow hurriedly, "and it's still illusive——"

"Oh, very illusive!" broke in the bachelor.

"Then don't try to know all about her," pleaded the widow, "nor get near enough to find out what she's made of, nor to discover the seamy side of her, nor the patches and sawdust and paint."

"There are some women," sighed the bachelor, as he stooped to fasten a red worsted ball to the very lowest branch of the tree, "that you never can get near enough to to find out anything about. They are so intangible. They beckon you with one hand and hold you at a distance with the other and they seem to carry round with them the magic invisible veil. Just as you are about to snatch them in your arms they disappear and elude you. Loving them is like being 'IT' in a game of hide and seek all your life; as for knowing what they're made of——"

"Well," quoth the widow, warmly, "what DO you want to know what they are made of for? The moment you find out they'll be as uninteresting as a Chinese puzzle that has been solved or a game that has been finished. It's the illusive, elusive women who make the game of life fascinating and keep up your interest."

"Oh, I don't know." The bachelor stood off to admire the worsted ball. "I've known chaps who were married to Chinese puzzles for years and they weren't any happier than if they had been tied up to sawdust dolls. You get tired of even working at a Chinese puzzle after you have discovered that you are never going to solve it, and then you go off in search of some nice, easy little thing that is as simple and comfortable as a game of checkers or a sofa pillow. Illusions are all very delightful at a distance, but they are, like ghosts, uncomfortable to have around the house. A man likes something he can understand, and——"

"Feel superior to," interjected the widow.

"Something," proceeded the bachelor, "that doesn't keep him strung up to the guessing point all the time and that he can always be sure of finding in the same place."

"Like an old pipe," suggested the widow.

"Yes, or his razor or his Bible," agreed the bachelor. "The best wives aren't ornaments or mental exercises; they're comforts."

"That you put on in the evening," remarked the widow scornfully, "like your smoking jacket or your carpet slippers, and fling aside after breakfast and forget all about—until you need them again."

"They don't grow at the top of the tree," proceeded the bachelor, "where you have to strain to reach them, but right down on the earth beside you, where you can tuck them under your arm."

"Or in your buttonhole or on the kitchen shelf," added the widow, scathingly.

"Elusive women," pursued the bachelor calmly, "generally manage to elude matrimony. They're good to dream about——"

"And to call on once in a while," interpolated the widow, "when you get tired of your game of checkers or your sofa pillow or your old pipe."

"Yes," cried the bachelor enthusiastically, "they're like the holidays, awfully jolly and distracting—once in a while. I know one of them for instance——"

"If you've quite finished admiring that worsted ball, Mr. Travers," interrupted the widow coldly, "I wish you'd come and help me——"

"She's a delightful person," continued the bachelor dreamily, "when you feel keyed up to the height of her ideals."

"What!"

"And equal to the strain of her conversation."

"Billy Travers!" The widow was balancing dangerously with one foot on the top step of the ladder and one hand gripping a swaying branch.

"But as for marrying her——"

Crash!

The bachelor sprang forward and caught widow, ladder and all with one sweep of his arm.

"How dare you," cried the widow, extricating herself a moment later, "after saying such horrid things about me?"

"About YOU?" The bachelor looked at her in amazement. "I wasn't talking about you. I was talking about Miss Gunning, the plain one with the high forehead and the high ideals. There's nothing about you elusive, nor straining, nor——"

"Tiresome?" asked the widow suspiciously.

"No, nor uncomfortable, nor un-get-at-able, nor anything that a man couldn't tuck right under his arm—like this——"

"Stop!" cried the widow. "That's—that's a ridiculous illusion."

"But this," declared the bachelor, stooping over and touching her lips, "is a perfect reality."

MILLIONS RENOUNCE CHRISTMAS

There are millions upon millions of people in the world who will not celebrate Christmas, and there are other millions to whom Christmas is objectionable.

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Then there are the Druses, who profess to have knowledge that God has visited the world 234 times, but they do not believe in Christ. For them Christmas has no significance.

It is equally disregarded by Buddhists, Japanese, Chinese, Brahmins and Mohammedans. "There is no God but Allah," say the Mohammedans, "and Mohammed is his prophet." Mohammed's followers also have curious notions in regard to the fate of unbelievers' children. Some believe that these children act as the servants of the faithful in paradise, and Mohammed is recorded as saying on one occasion to his wife:

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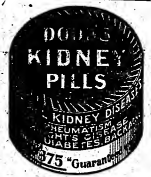

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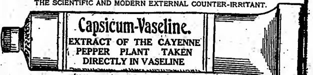
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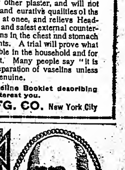
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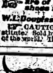

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LOCAL MARKET REPORT

CORRECTED TO DATE

Wheat, No. 1 Hard.	$ 96
" No. 1 Northern.	95½
" No. 2 Northern	92½
" No. 3 Northern	87½
" No. 4 Northern	77½
" Rejected	69½
Flax, No. 1	99
" No. 2	96
N. G. Flax	91
Barley, No. 4	67
" No. 5	61
" Seed	57
Oats, No. 3 White	41
" No. 4 White	38
" No. 3	36
Flour, Patent	3 30
" Straight	2 90
Shorts	24 00
Bran	23 00
Butter	25
Creamery Butter	33
Eggs	25

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Among the items taken from our news box at the corner of J. P. Harren's store was a programm of the recital given last Saturday evening at St. Joseph's church by Sister Cecilian's pupils. The musicale was a pronounced success and the program was a fine one but time prevents our putting it into type for publication.

The Nimesgern brothers, J. N. and Pete, received the sad news last Saturday announcing the death of Andrew Lilfrig, a brother-in-law. Pete departed that evening to be in attendance at the funeral which was held on Tuesday, while "J. N." was detained at home to look after business during the holiday rush of trade.

F. E. Hunt received a telegram from Little Compton, Rhode Island, last week announcing the death on Thursday of Mrs. Deborah Otis, a sister to his mother. The dispatch announced that the funeral would be held on Sunday, while Mr. Hunt informed us the aged lady was bordering on seventy-five years and was quite wealthy.

Next Band Concert.

The concert to be given by the band during the holidays promises to be the crowning event in the history of this organization. An elaborate program is being prepared and will be ready for distribution Christmas Shoppers' Day, and none can afford to miss this rare treat. The concert is to be held at the opera house Friday evening, the 27th, and the program and a more extended announcement will be published next week.

Bad Eggs are Barred.

Cottonwood Current: Many merchants throughout the state have been caught in the meshes of the pure food law and fined for selling rotten eggs. In a measure the merchant is an innocent party and in many cases the law seems to work injustice. However, there is chance for redress and some of the merchants are availing themselves of the oportunity. At Litchfield the other day a merchant was fined $50 for selling bad eggs. Knowing of whom he had purchased the eggs, he in turn brought suit against the farmer for $100 damages and recovered that amount. Whenever a person—merchant or farmer—sells spoiled eggs, he takes great chances of paying dear for his venture.

Durum Wheat a Benefit.

The annual report of Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture opitomizes the benefits thus far brought to the country from the introduction of durum-wheat. After speaking of the introduction of this wheat by the department of 1899 and 1902, at a cost to the government of $10,000, and referring to the rapidly increasing annual yields since that time, the report says:

"With an average production of about fifteen bushels an acre, durum wheat this year covered an area of over 8,000,000 acres, many of them valueless for agricultural purposes before the advent of this new crop. Its value to the farmer is over twice the entire cost of the department of of agriculture during the current fiscal year, including the weather bureau, the costly meat inspection and the forest service.

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Frank Grenier, President.
Geo. F. Hennings, Secretary.

Bids For Wood.

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned for 300 cords of green wood to be delivered on or before April 1st, 1908, on the school grounds in the city of Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Bids will be accepted on lots of 25 cords or more, and will be received until December 21st, 1907, at 6 o'clock p. m.

By Order of the School Board
A. P. Toupin, Clerk.
Dated Dec. 11th 1907.

You know as well as anyone when you need something to regulate your system. If your bowels are sluggish, your food distresses you, your kidneys pain, take Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. It always relieves. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets.—W. A. Schreiter.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

ESTATE OF MARGARETTA WALTER.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Margaretta Walter, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to John Walter, Andrew Walter, Philip Walter, Maggie Adler, Annie Skaila, Mary Kaos, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of January, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the honorable, N. W. Tarrant, judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 18th day of December, 1907.

(Court Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Probate Judge.
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Petitioner. d19-j2

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PLUMMER.

From the Pioneer.

Helmer Halverson and bride left last Wednesday for Lengby to make their future home.

Peter Borstad returned on Saturday last from Ulen where he has been working during the summer and fall.

Andrew Oldoren returned on Tuesday from Clay county where he has been visiting with old friends for the past couple of weeks.

Cyril Beaudin, of Terrebone, has disposed of his interests here and left on Wednesday with his family for St. Martin, Quebec, where they intend to make their future home.

Mrs. John G. Anderson, who has been at Thief River Falls receiving a special course of treatment for her eyes, returned home last Saturday morning very much improved.

K. K. Sannes was here from Grit the first of the week to take home a threshing rig that he purchased recently. He intends to use the engine for running a feed mill this winter.

Erick Craft was in Thursday from his home west of town and was wearing a regular Sunday smile. His happiness was caused by the arrival of a new baby girl at his home on Wednesday night, All concerned are doing nicely.

THIEF RIVER FALLS

From the News and Press.

Mrs. Hughes was up from St. Hilaire Wednesday for a short visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Yeske of the town of Rocksbury are the parents of a daughter born last Friday.

Mrs. Carl Kretzschmar returned from Red Lake Falls on Monday, having spent a few days there visiting friends.

Joseph Duchcamp left Monday for the Red Lake Indian Agency with three teams of horses and he expects to sell them to the Indians up there.

C. J. Winton, who has been in the city for a few days on business connected with his interests in the lumber company, returned to Wausau, Wis., Tuesday.

Judge of Probate Tarrant came up from Red Lake Falls Monday and spent a day here visiting with friends. He was accompanied by Mrs. Tarrant on his return.

The Elks have been dalayed in various minor ways about the organization of a lodge at this place, but it is now believed that the installation will occur shortly after the holidays.

Michael Kjos, a farm hand employed by P. Engelstad of Rocksbury, has caught three female wolves during the past four weeks in traps he had set. As the bounty on these wolves is $7.50 each, he is making a nice amount of money on the side.

Ellef Gravli, one of the best farmers west of the city, was in town Saturday. He says that during his 25 years residence in Red Lake county he has never seen a fall and early winter that could compare with the past few months for fine weather.

Former residents of this city who recently went west to work in the saw mill and lumber camps of the Pacific coast country are writing to old acquaintances here that they expect to return soon: Owing to the raise in the freight rate on lumber from the west, most of the mills upon the Pacific coast are closed down and there is not much prospects that they will start operations again for a good many months. A job is hard to get out west just at the present time.

Badly Mixed Up.

Abraham Brown, of Winterton, N. Y., had a very remarkable experience; he says: "Doctors got badly mixed up over me; one said heart disease; two called it kidney trouble; the fourth, blood poison, and the fifth stomach and liver trouble; but none of them helped me, so my wife advised trying Electric Bitters, which are restoring me to perfect health. One bottle did me more good than all the five doctors prescribed." Guaranteed for blood poison, weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints, by W. A. Schreiter, druggist, 50c.

ST. HILAIRE

From the Spectator.

M. L. Hanson was a business visitor at Crookston last Wednesday evening.

Afton Jackson who has been operating for the Great Northern at Ebro has been transferred to Shevlin.

Daniel Patterson and Dr. J. C. Cummings were up to Thief River Falls on Monday evening to attend a meeting of the Masonic lodge.

[illegible] and Mrs. Jens Nelson and Miss Clara Hoff drove up to Thief River Falls last Wednesday evening to attend a social entertainment.

Gust Nelson, Sever Hoff, Andrew Erickson left on Tuesday evening for Yale, Montana where they have obtained work on railroad construction work.

The creamery is paying the farmers thirty two cents a pound for butter fat for November. It sure must feel good to be a farmer when such prices prevail.

A well known farmer who lives but a short distance from this village had occasion to pay a small bill in a neighboring town recently with a check on the local bank. Realizing the scarcity of currency he took the pains to send the information by letter that the check would draw cash at St. Hilaire. It was not altogether a joke either.

A Dangerous Deadlock,

that sometimes terminates fatally, is the stoppage of liver and bowel functions. To quickly end this condition without disagreeable sensations, Dr. King's New Life Pills should always be your remedy. Guaranteed absolutely satisfactory in every case or money back, at W. A. Schreiter's drug store. 25c.

BRAY.

Halvor Hansson and Alfred Olson transacted business at the county hub Wednesday.

John Scholin drove to St. Hilaire Saturday.

O. P. Johnson was at Wylie Thursday.

A large crowd of young people gathered Saturday evening and proceeded to the home of John Scholin, who was pleasantly surprised. Mr. Scholin was presented with a razor, and the crowd stayed till the wee hours of morning enjoying themselves as only young people can enjoy themselves.

Gust Swanson drove to Wylie Wednesda.

Paul Olson and Charlie Nelson of St. Hilaire were here Saturday and Sunday.

Enough snow fell last Sunday for light sleighing but the way the weather has been lately, Old Sol might make it disappear any moment.

Here's Good Advise.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of LeRaysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good twenty years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions. 25c at W. A. Schreiter's drug store.

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PRE-INVENTORY SALE

We want to reduce our stock of hardware before Inventory Jan'y 1st. and for the balance of this year we will give 5 per cent cash discount on all cash sales excepting only: Barbed wire, Nails in Keg lots, and a few items where selling prices are arbitrarily made by the manufacturers and goods on which special sale prices have been made

From now on until Inventory, the 1st. of January, we shall put on sale:

Lot 1—2 doz No. 9, 14 oz nickel plated copper tea kettles, usually sold for 1.50, this sale price only.... .... 99c

Lot 2—1 doz Mrs. Potts pattern, nickel plated sad irons, this sale only.... .... 93c

Lot 3—6 doz 3 coat enameled wash basins, 1st quality, large size, 45c value, this sale only 23c

Lot 4—1 doz Extra hollow ground razors everyone fully warranted by us, this sale only.............. $1.23

Look at our mark down prices on wall paper--we must make room for spring stock, Examine our fine line of Rockester nickel plated ware—you get 5 per cent discount on this line to cash buyers

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RED LAKE FALLS

BIG CROWD ATTEND

The Dairy Meet Was a Big Success and Those in Attendance Highly Pleased.

The meeting last Saturday of the dairymen of this vicinity drew forth a much larger crowd than has ever before assembled in this section of the state upon such an occasion, and every person present was enthusiastic upon the subject of dairying, and reaped much benefit from the experience of others through the discussion of the various topics pertaining to dairying and stock raising. Some two hundred people were present to imbibe to the fullest extent the many rare treats offered, and the program proved most interesting. Meyor J. A. Duffy delivered the address of welcome and turned over to the dairymen the keys to our portals in a most touching manner, while the response by Attorney F. A. Grady was in keeping with the occasion and gave good cheer to the assemblage. Father Fayolle was booked for "feeding cows for profit," and in order to lead up to his point went back into history and gave a brief synopsis of the advance of prosperity, and wound up by saying that to the cow we owe our all, and great care must be exercised in feeding this noble creature for profit. Prof. Robertson, of Crookston, gave some splendid hints on the "silo," its construction and maintainance, while the subject of "clover raising" was ably handled by August Anderson, of this place. Geo. L. Austin, of St. Hilaire, treated upon the "test association," with J. O. Joslin, of St. Paul, taking up the subject of "varying of test." O. A. Storvick, the newly appointed dairy inspector for this district, gave a most interesting talk on "proper feed for the dairy cow." E. J. Cort, of Minneapolis, was unable to attend and his time was ably occupied by the other speakers. The orchestra rendered a number of appropriate selections during the day and won much favor with the audience. The speakers all handled their subjects very creditably and the meeting proved one of great profit to the dairymen and stock raisers. Much credit is due Buttermaker P. L. Malvin, of this place, through whose untiring efforts the success of the meeting was made possible, and it is hoped more such meetings may be held througbout the Red River Valley that our country may become better known to the outside world, thus inducing others to locate among us and share in the profit distribution of the creameries and cheese factories of our land.

Council Proceedings.

Regular meeting of the city council, held at the city hall, December 12, 1907.

Meeting called to order by President Borchers.

Roll called.

Alderman all present except Brady.

Minutes of the previous meeting was read and approved.

On motion duly carried the following bills were allowed:

G A Kankel, for hardware acct...	$38 22
Herman Lindner, for cement crossing............	27 00
W A Schreiter, for Mdse	1 85
Red Lake Falls Gazette, for city printing	21 50
Joseph Salley, for coal	3 88
" for dravage........	3 85
Wm Findeisen, for mdse........	8 00
B Puschinsky, for blacksmith acct	2 00
Thief River Falls Lbr. Co., for lumber............	64 50
Ernest Buse, witness fees........	2 12
A P Tonpin, "	2 12
John Deforge, for street work	13 20
Simon Paul, Jr, for hauling lumber	3 75
Simon Paul, for bridge work......	4 50
Wm McIntosh, judge of election 2nd ward	3 05
John C. Mathews, judge of election..........	5 05
Peter Beaulieu, for clerk of election 1st ward..........	3 35
Eus Normandeau, judge of election 3rd ward..........	2 00
P F Pouliot, for rent of building for election	8 00

The application of Joseph Benoit for correction and reduction of his personal property taxes to the amount of $95.00 was on motion duly recommended.

On motion meeting adjourned.

—Fred Borchers, president.

Approved this 18th day of December, A. D., 1907. —J. A. Duffy, Mayor.

Attest: A. P. Tonpin,
City Clerk.

Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Wylie Farmers Elevator and Mercantile Co. will be held at Wylie on Tuesday, January 14th, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. sharp. All stockholders are requested to be present.

C. B. [illegible]

A STATE REVENUE

The Source of State Revenue Comes in Real and Personal Property.

Neither the railroads nor the iron properties of St. Louis county constitute the principal revenues according to figures contained in the first annual report of the state tax commission, filed yesterday afternoon with the governor.

In its report the total revenue received by the state during the past year is given at $11, 250, 342, of which $6.692,054 was derived from taxation.

The burden of taxation is distributed as follows, according to the report:

Real and personal property, 81.45 percent.

Railroads, 11,93 percent.

Iron properties, 4.19 percent.

Special interests, 2.43 percent.

The total taxes assessed in Minnesota during the year, state and local, amounted to $27, 408,686.

During the year the board received and gave attention to over eleven hundred application for abatement.

In reviewing its work, the board refers at some length to its valuation of the iron properties of the state and says this work will be continued. Reference is also made to the wide-open tax amendment law which, in the opinion of the board will permit of much hidden property being made accessible to the assessore.

Minnesota Historical Society

THE BAND CONCERT

The Program for Next Friday Evening Promises to be a Fine Number.

The concert to be given at the opera house tomorrow (Friday) evening promises to be the best number ever given by the Red Lake Falls Concert band. The program is composed mostly of solos and duets, and all who attend will participate in musical festivities in keeping with the occasion. Nothing has been spared to make the concert a success, and H. G. Maxwell is working daily with his musicians to guarantee a complete success all along the line. Following is the program as it will be given:

PART I

Overture...... .... Bouillon
"Merry Christmas"

Violin Solo ....Saenger
Airs from "Carmen"
Mr. J. L. Tracy

Christmas Reverie .... Wilson
"The Wayside Chapel"

Trombone Solo..... ....Synder
Air Varie "Annie Laurie"
Mr. Harry B. Healy

Reading........................ Anon
"The Little Outcast's Plea"
Miss Laura Cyr

Brass Quartet......... ....Round
"Return of Spring"
Messrs. Brunelle, Garceau, V. Healy and Harren

PART II

Vocal Duet...... .... Vese
"Autumn Leaves"
Misses Brady and Zeh

Selection.............. ....Verdi
"Il Trovatore"

Saxophone Solo..... ....Round
Air Varie "Long Ago"
Mr. Leland E. Healy

Mazurka................. ... Franz
"Aurora"
Junior Band

THE BIG STORE

GOOD BYE

Fur Coats

We will close out our line of Men's Fur Coats and do not expect to handle any more of them. Fur Coats now cost so much to buy that people are not willing to pay the prices. Our coats were bought before the advance and we can't buy them at the prices you can buy them for:

$22.00 Wombat for........	$18.00
$38.00 Wombat for........	$30.00
$25.00 Dogshire for........	$18.00
$75.00 Coons, otter trimmed, for........	$80.00
Ladies' $25.00 Nearseal for........	$1.900
Ladies' $60.00 Nearseal for........	$48.50

Great Cut in Ladies' Coats:

$15.00 Coats for........	$12.00
$12.00 Coats for........	$8.75

Last call. You can make money at our expense.

We wish you a Happy and Prosperous New Year and wish to thank you all for the excellent patronage you have given us during the past year.

Theo. LaBissoniere

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TAXABLE VALUATION.

Red Lake County $200,000 More Than Last Year.

The total valuation of the real and personal property of Red Lake county for the year 1907, as equalized by the state board of equalization (exclusive of exempted property) is $3,263,705, which is about $200,000 more than last year. Since no reassessment was made this year of the real estate, the figures extended being the same as last year, the raise is therefore entirely on personal property. We expect to see a still larger gain next year upon the assessment of real estate, all of which goes to show Red Lake county is now being permanently settled and will continue to raise in value with each successive year.

The Telephone Girl.

When you are incined to speak harshly to the telephone girl because she can't answer twenty calls at once and always give you first chance, just glance at the following toast given her by an Illinois man: 'Here's to the telephone girl—an employe who does the most work and suffers the most abuse for the money she receives, who does the most favors that are unappreciated by those upon whom they are conferred; and who knows more about men than the sociologist does, more about women than the officer of the federation of clubs; more about the manners of children than the teacher does, and who can tell where every lady and gentleman lives. She is seen in all lands and all climes, and speaks all tongues. God bless her."

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Still Going Down.

Wadena Pioneer Journal: Last Friday the section men on both the Northern Pacific and Great Northern roads got another wage reduction, the second since the money stringency came to be felt.

Not long ago the roadmasters were instucted to lay off as many section men as possible. The crews were cut down twice, until now the Great Northern sections here have but a foreman and one man each, while on the Northern Pacific the foreman has two men in his crew.

Last week the order was given that the working hours be reduced from 10 to 9 hours a day. This means that the section men will draw only $1.35 a day. The nine hour day on the section is something new and never before, according to the workers, were they ever reduced in hours.

All over time is cut out. The section men are not paid the old time price for Sunday work in attending to the switch lights. Neither are they given more than common time for night work in case of emergency.

Dairy Statistics.

During 1906 Minnesota produced 1,000,000,000 pounds of milk, and manufactured from it 85,000,000 pounds of butter. These figures have been compiled by the state dairy and food department and will be a part of the bi-annual report shortly to be issued.

The amount of milk was 10 per cent in excess of 1905. As to the butter there was an increase of about 6,000,000 pounds over 1905.

Bids For Wood.

Sealed bids will be received by the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county in the office of the county auditor up to three o'clock p. m., January 8, 1908, for fifty cords of green poplar body wood to be delivered at the county building before April 1, 1908.

The board reserves the right to reject any all bids.

—John B. O'Brien,
County Auditor.

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Sutor Successful.

James Sutor, a former resident and county commissioner of Red Lake county is now well located at N. Yakima, Wash. and is one of the fortunate investors who struck a valuable piece of land that is now on the electric line about two miles from the city limits. The land across the way from him has been sold for $1200 an acre and plotted into acre lots. It is a great deal of satisfaction to us of the Red River valley that the foundations of all these western fortunes were laid in the valley.

Does This Catch You?

The Pine County Pioneer has the following to say on gossip: "Don't criticise others until you know the motive that prompts their action. Many of the best of us would hate to have our lives judged by any one act. If people stop to think twice before speaking there would be mighty little gossip, and the average sewing society would be a dull affair. If men and women were as honest in dealing with others' reputation as they are in dealing with their property, there would be fewer saddened lives than there are now."

Worry Worse Than Fatigue

More people worry themselves out than wear out by work and then when they begin to grow thin from worrying over other things, they worry because they are growing thin. The best thing for nervousness is the regular use of a good malt and tonic at meal time. Take a glass of golden grain belt beer with your meals and at bedtime. It builds up overworked nervous tissues and insures renewed health to body and brain. Order of your nearest dealer or be supplied by Alex Thompson, Crookston.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn., will be held in its banking rooms on Tuesday, January 14th, 1908, from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year.

Theo. Garceau, [illegible]

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JOHN E. KING, Publisher.

RED LAKE FALLS, MINNESOTA

NEWS OF THE WEEK IN EPITOME

IMPORTANT EVENTS AT HOME AND ON FOREIGN SHORES BRIEFLY TOLD.

Washington Notes.

The official call for the Republican national convention, to be held in Chicago on June 16 next, has been issued.

President Roosevelt entertained at dinner at the White House a number of bear hunters from the Louisiana canebrakes.

Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota proposes an increase in the maximum salary allowed rural free delivery carriers from $900 to $1,200.

The department of agriculture has issued a report estimating that the total production of cotton in the United States for the year 1907-08 will amount to 5,581,968,000 pounds.

The Japanese government has chosen Kozoro Takahira to succeed Viscount Aoki as ambassador at Washington, as it desires to send its best man. The Hochi states that the government recalled Aoki for pledging Japan to restrictive legislation as to emigration.

The senate committee on public lands ordered a favorable report on the Hansbrough bill providing for leaves of absence for homesteaders during winter months. The report also ordered a favorable report on the Gamble bill for adjustment of the 5 per cent account of public land states.

Col. George W. Goethals, chairman and engineer-in-chief of the isthmian canal commission, has notified the authorities of his intention to come to Washington soon. Probably the most important matter which will come up for consideration will be that of increasing the width of the canal locks to 120 feet.

Personal.

Harold D. Haddock, for thirty years a prominent resident of Hancock, Mich., is dead of pneumonia.

John Philip Sousa has fully recovered from an attack of ptomaine poisoning and has rejoined his band.

Judge George Baldwin, one of the wealthiest land owners of Wisconsin, died at Appleton, aged sixty-nine years.

J. Marshall Williams, for two years soloist with Sousa's band in New York, died at Chillicothe, Mo., after a long illness.

Maj. William L. Geary, U. S. A., died at the army general hospital at San Francisco, where he has been ill with Bright's disease.

John Broadhead, a pioneer jeweler of Marshalltown, Iowa, and one of the earliest settlers of the town, died suddenly of asthma and disease of the heart.

W. B. Thomas has been elected acting president of the American Sugar Refining company to fill the vacancy caused by the death of H. O. Havemeyer.

Joseph Armstrong, manager of the Christian Science publications and one of the most prominent leaders of the faith in this country, is dead at his home in Boston.

Gen. Alexander Hamilton, grandson of Alexander Hamilton, secretary of the treasury under George Washington, died at his home in Tarrytown, N. Y. He had been ill from la grippe since Thanksgiving.

George Olley, aged 110 years, lacking eighteen days, believed to be the oldest person in New York state, died at his home in Great Bend. Olley was born in Stanton, England, Dec. 25, 1797.

Accidental Happenings.

Three persons were burned to death and another injured during a fire in Boston.

New Berlin, a town situated eighteen miles east of Jacksonville, Ill., was visited by fire. The loss is $75,000.

James Siegeling, aged ten, of Sharon Center, Iowa, was thrown by a skittish pony last night, and his neck was broken. He died instantly.

Six buildings occupied by as many retail firms, comprising the most of the business district of Zearing, Story county, Iowa, was completely destroyed by fire.

Three boys, Joseph and Floyd Randall and Ernest Doutella, ranging in age from eight to twelve years, were drowned while crossing the Flint river on the ice at Flint, Mich.

William Moless, a farmer, was killed while felling trees near Bessemer, Mich. A large elm lodged against a hemlock which Moless proceeded to cut down also. When partly cut the hemlock split and let the big elm fall upon him.

The White Pigeon carbonite and gas plant at White Pigeon, Mich., was totally wrecked by an explosion last evening. Several persons were severely injured, and every window in town was cracked. The shock was felt for twelve miles. The explosion is attributed to a leak in the gas tank.

August Vickstrom was killed by falling ground in the Mesnard shaft of the Quincy Mining company at Houghton, Mich. Other workmen escaped, but Vickstrom, who was the last of the [illegible] was caught by [illegible]

While playing with a loaded revolver at New Britain, Conn., Edwin Walker, ten years old, shot and killed Svea Eugena Anderson, eight years old, the bullet entering the girl's heart.

Asleep on the track with his head across the rail, Victor Scott was struck and instantly killed at Marquette, Mich., by a Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railroad train. He was decapitated.

Three brothers were drowned at Tama, Iowa, while skating. The brothers were Bud, Kenneth and Kenneth and Gerald Carnal, sons of N. E. Carnal, a member of the city council of Tama.

Crimes.

John Martnick of Fort Atkinson, Iowa, committed suicide by taking two ounces of carbolic acid.

Because he and his wife of two months quarreled over his desire to spend his evening at his bowling club, Jacob Victor killed himself in New York.

Detective Charles C. Jackson of Des Moines, Iowa, was slugged and severely beaten with a blackjack as he was returning from the police station to his home.

For love of a neighbor's wife who did not return the affection, D. H. Broese, a wealthy farmer of Jefferson, Iowa, forty-seven years old, sent a bullet through his brain.

Frank Glick, a machinist of Nashville, twenty-five years old, shot his wife, Mrs. Ruth Glick, killing her instantly. He then shot himself through the head and is dying at the city hospital.

T. Otwey Saldier, manager of the West End branch of the California Safe Deposit and Trust company at San Francisco, committed suicide in the office of the branch bank by blowing off the top of his head with a shotgun.

In an effort to drive from Pittsburg the concerns that advance money on furniture and other articles of the household, charging usurious rates, city detectives raided the offices of nineteen of these money lenders and have warrants for eleven others.

Mrs. Mary Stell was murdered by a burglar at Altoona, Pa. She tried to stop her husband from attacking the marauder, whom they had discovered in their home and had thrown her arms about her husband, when the thief's bullet struck her in the head. The murderer escaped.

Chief of Police John A. Snggs and Night Policeman Lewis Wood of Fort Gibson, Okla., are under arrest, charged with robbing the postoffice at Fort Gibson on the night of Nov. 22, obtaining $400 in cash. The arrest was made by Mayor Rend Lee, after an investigation of the crime.

William Stewert, proprietor of a restaurant in East Iola, Kan., was brutally murdered near his place of business. The body, which was found at daylight, bore evidence of several wounds, any one of which would have produced death. Stewert's partner, W. D. Cresison, confessed to the murder.

Foreign.

Dinizulu, the Zulu king who has been held responsible for the threatening situation in Natal, has surrendered.

Insurgents from Yunchow have penetrated into the province of Kwang Si and have captured three strongholds between Lungchau and Langson. Martial law has been proclaimed in the disturbed locality.

The Brazilian coasting steamer Guasca, 55,000 tons, Capt. Ramos, has gone down off Panagua, Brazil, as a result of a collision with an unknown vessel. Thirty persons on board the Guesca were drowned.

Gen. Lieutey, commanding the French flying column in Algeria, reported that he had destroyed the camp of the Metrsbont Bonthick, one of the leaders of the revolt and who proclaimed a holy war on the frontier.

The condition of Dowager Queen Sophie of Sweden is occasioning anxiety. The strain upon the queen incident to the illness and death of King Oscar was very severe, and since his death she has been almost constantly confined to her bed.

One of Vandyke's masterpieces, "The Erection of the Cross," has been stolen from the Church of Notre Dame at Courtral, Belgium. The thieves carefully cut the canvas from the frame and carried it away. They are believed to have been experts, as special watchmen employed in guarding the treasures of the church observed nothing.

General News Items.

Joseph Hensley, aged 102 years, a prominent farmer of Helena, Mo., near St. Joseph, died suddenly of heart disease.

With the opening of navigation of 1908 the Northern Navigation company will put into commission a new passenger vessel of the same type and dimensions as the Huronic. The announcement was made at Port Arthur, Ont., by C. H. Nicholson, the general traffic manager of Sarnia.

With all the records in the history of the Great Lakes broken, traffic on the Soo canal practically came to a close last week. Complete figures are not obtainable from the government, but in round numbers the total freight tonnage will be 58,000,000, about 7,000,000 greater than last year.

All but one of the twelve troops of cavalry sent to the Cheyenne river reservation have been ordered back to their former post, Fort Des Moines. The two companies of the Sixteenth infantry, which has been guarding the issue of supplies at [illegible]

THE STATE DAY BY DAY

News of Interest.

COURSE IN ENGINEERING.

University Regents Add One Year to Former Term.

Five years must be spent by the students in the engineering department of the state university before a degree is granted them. The regents at their annual meeting voted to change the course from four to five years at the recommendation of Prof. F. S. Jones, dean of the engineering department.

The standard of entrance requirements to the pharmaceutical department was raised, and the resignation of Dean Downey of the college of science, literature and the arts not accepted.

President Northrop's annual report was omitted this year. Cashier J. D. Breen gave his annual report to the close of the fiscal year in August. The summary showed total receipts of $612,334.80, against disbursements of $537,771.54, leaving a balance of $74,553.26. Of the receipts $105,895.60 came from the United States government, $265,051.09 from the state and $169,206.88 from students' fees and dues in the various departments.

The major part of the expenditure was for salaries. Instructors get an aggregate of $400,244.62 annually, while the expense incident to running of the university is $104,584.95.

The most sweeping change effected by the regents was the extension of the regular engineering course to five years. In his recommendation for the change Dean Jones said that Minnesota stood alone in the United States in its policy of granting a degree at the end of four years, and the additional year was added in compliance with his request.

In the department of pharmacy the standard was raised to require a complete high school course for entrance.

The matter of a swimming pool for the armory was broached, but the regents thought the innovation too expensive. The matter was referred to the president of the board with instructions to investigate.

The board spent much time in discussion of the proposition to change the location of the heating and lighting plant, bringing it nearer the railroad tracks.

The department of botany was authorized to employ Carl P. Hertley of the University of West Virginia as an expert in ecology.

President Northrop was instructed to confer with the proper authorities looking to the establishment of a weather bureau at the university.

CHURCH FREE OF DEBT.

Organ Fund Also Quickly Is Raised by Subscription.

At the dedication of the new Centenary Methodist Episcopal church at Mankato the congregation raised $10,000 to pay the last installment on the church and to start a pipe organ fund. The pastor, Rev. Peter Clare, stated that the church thus far had cost $26,000 and that $18,000 had been raised to pay for it, leaving a deficiency of $8,000. A subscription was started and $8,500 raised. In the evening Rev. Clare explained that if the congregation would raise $1,500 for a pipe organ he thought that an equal amount could be secured from Andrew Carnegie, as negotiations were pending along that line, and a $3,000 organ could be installed. The congregation immediately raised $1,511.

PLANS EXTENSION OF ROAD.

Shortest Line in State May Be Lengthened Twenty-five Miles.

Plans are on foot for the extension of the Chicago & Lake Superior railroad, running between Cambridge and London, a distance of four miles, to Janesville, passing through Rockdele, Albion and Edgerton and making the total length of the road twenty-nine miles. It is expected that the construction of the extension will begin in the spring. The road is now the shortest one in the state. It does not earn enough to put it within the scope of the 2-cent rate law, and a trip from London to Cambridge via the railroad costs 25 cents. It was built in 1887.

WILL DISCUSS CROPS.

Meeting of Breeders' State Association Next Month.

The Minnesota Field Crop Breeders' association will hold its annual meeting Jan. 15 at the new state capitol, in connection with the meeting of the state agricultural society.

There will be an exhibition of field crop seeds, and the papers will be: "The Production of Grain," by Prof. J. H. Shepperd, Fargo; "Corn Culture," C. P. Harley, Washington, D. C.; "Onion Culture," F. H. Gibbs, Ross Town, discussion led by Arthur Roberer; "Potatoes for Market," Libby, Robbinsdale, discussion led by V. Bailey.

Now that June 16 has been fixed as the date of the Republican national convention, some Republicans are [illegible] that the delegates to the national convention and the state ticket be selected at one convention instead of holding two as usual. Dr. A. B. Cole, chairman of the Republican state central committee, is at San Benito, Tex., with his brother A. L. Cole, and the convention question will not be taken up definitely until his return [illegible]

HASN'T THE MONEY.

State Treasurer Tells Why He Is Not Forwarding State Aid Payments.

State Treasurer Dinehart has caused to be sent to every school treasurer in the state a letter explaining his inability to forward them the district's proportion of the state aid to schools, which should have been in their possession a month ago.

The letter was sent out because of some criticism on the part of a number of districts because of the failure of the money to arrive. In all $830,000 is due the counties, but it cannot be paid because of the inability of the state to borrow the money.

As explained by Mr. Dinehart, the fixing of October as the time of distribution of the aid has annually compelled anticipation of the regular revenues which do not begin to come in until March. This necessitates a short-time loan from the banks, and they were being arranged for this time when the negotiations were summarily cut off by the banks, following the suspension of currency payments and their refusal to make any more loans. This refusal is still in effect and consequently nothing can be done until the regular revenues begin to come in. Because of the failure to distribute the money no suffering has resulted, but many are complaining because of the delay. Mr. Dinehart suggests that the next legislature be induced to pass a law changing the date of distribution so as to eliminate the necessity of annual short time loans from the banks.

MIND BECOMES A BLANK.

Good Thunder Man Unable to Explain Mysterious Disappearance.

A strange disappearance and reappearance unexplained, with lapse of memory, has created a sensation at Good Thunder. J. M. McCarthy, who has been the Milwaukee station agent for nearly two years mysteriously disappeared one evening recently and search was made for him for several hours, but without success. About 2 a. m. he appeared at the mill, where he remained for several hours before going home. His condition appearing to be serious, medical assistance was summoned, and it was found that his right arm was broken.

McCarthy is unable to account for his whereabouts the early part of the night or how the injury occurred, his mind apparently being a blank during that time.

His heavy work is thought to have proven too much for endurance. He has resigned and been succeeded by Mr. Gilson of Kimberlee.

BENEFIT LABORING MEN.

Red Wing Business Men to Erect Cottages for Low Rental.

The Red Wing Manufacturers' association has organized the Red Wing Realty company for the purpose of erecting houses at a low rental or sale at cost on easy payments to laboring people. The capitalization is $50,000. Work begins next spring, and the Manufacturers' association has engaged Mrs. Lloyd Wooders on an annual salary to organize and maintain an association of charities for Red Wing and made a liberal donation to begin work. All societies and churches are invited to participate. Money was never lacking in the past, but system was wanting.

Red Wing commercial bodies appointed strong committees and made appropriations to care for the state retail merchants' convention and the editorial association meeting next June.

NEW DITCH LAW VOID.

Is Held Unconstitutional to Take Private Property for Private Purposes.

The ditch law passed by the last legislature was laid away on the shelf in an opinion handed down by the supreme court, in which Justice E. A. Jaggard declares chapter 191 of the Laws of 1907, the new ditch law, to be unconstitutional and void.

The new law gave the owner of wet lands the right to drain them across a neighbor's land. If the man whose land was affected by the drain offered an objection it was up to the town supervisors to appraise the damage.

William Pautzke of Rockford attempted to dig a ditch across the land of Charles Schubert, who entered a protest, on the ground that the law permitted the taking of private property for private purposes.

WANTS A BUILDING.

The State Historical society wants a building of its own. Action was taken at the monthly meeting in St. Paul, and a building committee appointed, consisting of W. G. Le Duc, Hastings; J. J. Hill, D. L. Kingsbury and W. O. O'Brien of St. Paul, and W. C. Williston of Hastings. The matter will be presented to the next legislature. Warren Upham, secretary of the society, explained that [illegible] present quarters [illegible] should have a separate fire proof building. Wisconsin has one costing $550,000 and Iowa a historical building that cost $440,000. [illegible]

MINNESOTA IS THE STANDARD.

Superior Elevators Ask for Grain Inspection.

Superior, Wis., grain and elevator men are desirous of securing Minnesota grain inspection now that the Wisconsin inspection has become established and have taken up the matter with the state railroad and warehouse commission. A. D. Searles and J. H. McMillen of the Globe and the Belt Line Elevator companies respectively held a conference with the commission last week, trying to arrange for the inspection of wheat and flax of their elevators by the Minnesota inspectors.

The inspection of grain at Superior has been the subject of an extended controversy, the Wisconsin authorities insisting that the grain shipped into and out of Superior should be inspected by Wisconsin inspectors. This matter has finally been adjusted by an agreement providing for Wisconsin inspection, but the elevator men still want the Minnesota inspection, particularly of wheat.

They now desire to effect an agreement with the Minnesota commission whereby the West Superior inspectors are to inspect all coarse grains in and out, and to weigh all grains in and out, including wheat. They are to be allowed to inspect, in addition, all such wheat and flax as they are requested to inspect.

The reason the elevator men are so desirous of having the M[illegible] inspection is that this has become so well established as a standard throughout the country that there is some difficulty in marketing the grain without its having been graded by an established authority. As by far the largest commodity in volume of business is wheat, if the Minnesota inspection of this grain can be secured the elevator men will be reasonably satisfied.

SCHOOLS FOR TEACHERS.

Supt. Olsen Sends Out Instruction About Training Schools.

Notices are being sent out by Superintendent of Public Instruction J. W. Olsen to the county superintendents of schools of the holding of the winter examinations for first and second grade teachers' certificates, to be held at the county seats on Jan. 30, 31 and Feb. 1. Plans are also being made for the teachers' training schools to be held next summer, the letter relating to which, in part, follows:

"Schools will be for four weeks, except where it is clearly apparent that a six weeks school is demanded by local and other conditions. As each of the five normal schools will hold a twelve weeks' session, beginning the early part of June, county superintendents desirous of having their teachers in attendance at these may perhaps conclude that a summer school in their own county would be superfluous. Six weeks schools begin Monday, June 22; four weeks schools Monday, July 6; all close Saturday, Aug. 1.

"If a training school cannot be assigned, or is not desired for your county, we will, at your request, arrange for a week's institute for almost any week between April 1 and Dec. 1, save that of the summer examinations for common school certificates, the dates for which are Aug. 3, 4 and 5. It will be understood that the claims of counties to which a summer school was not assigned for 1907 will have precedence when the next assignment is made."

Hot Grease Starts Fire.

A disastrous fire was narrowly averted at Albert Lea in the department store of Skinner, Chamberlain & Co., the largest retail establishment in the southern part of the state. The tailor in the clothing department had left the current turned on an electric "goose" and about midnight the hot iron set the wood on fire and quite a blaze was in progress when it was discovered by the janitor and promptly extinguished. While the big room was filled with smoke the damage was not large, and the insurance companies will not be called upon to make good. The first floor room is 100x120 feet.

Relatives Want Farm.

The farm left by the late Isaac Wheeler is to be the stake over which a contest is to be fought in the district court. John Williams of Staples and Charles Williams of Verndale, nephews of the old man, have commenced suit to annul the contract whereby the farm was deeded to H. F. Cotton, who had agreed to take care of Wheeler as long as he lived. Cotton had not commenced to care for him at the time of his death, but was fixing up the house to take possession of it. The Cottons now have possession of the house and are occupying it, but many traces of the tragedy are still to be seen about the premises.

Will Elect Colonel.

A notice has been sent out from the brigade headquarters of the Minnesota [illegible]

In Minnesota

State News of the Week Briefly Told.

Mrs. Harry Down, living in the northwestern part of Rice county, was killed by falling off a load of wood.

Charles Bergstrom was struck by a Chicago Great Western passenger train at St. Paul and instantly killed.

A man named Callen, thirty-eight years old, was run over by a Northern Pacific switch engine and killed at St. Paul.

The jury in the Leon Nadeen arson case at Stillwater returned after being out eight hours with a verdict of not guilty.

Samuel Reynolds, vice president of the Northern Cooperage Company of St. Paul, died suddenly at his home in Richville.

Inglehart Hansen, the nine-year-old son of Julius Hansen, was drowned in Gem lake, near Alden. The ice was partly broken up by the recent warm weather.

E. T. Barnard, a prominent furniture dealer of Fergus Falls, was severely injured by falling from a vehicle in a runaway. His arm was broken and his hip crushed.

Xavier de Marre, a pioneer settler of Ramsey county, aged 102, died at Mahnomen. It is reported that he once owned the land where the union station in St. Paul is now located.

Daniel Wall, living at Wheetland, tried to commit suicide three times in one day. He was taken to Faribault and adjudged insane by the judge of probate and taken to Rochester.

Fire completely destroyed the Ballard-Trimble Lumber company's shed and stock at Twin Valley. Loss, $12,000; Twin Valley Implement company's stock, $3,500; C. L. Dahl's warehouse, $1,500.

The postoffice safe at International Falls was blown and the contents taken. There was a small amount of cash, stamps and registered mail, estimated at $650, but few valuables. The postoffice inspector is investigating.

According to the analysis of a competent assayer a good grade of lignite coal has been discovered on the Guhl farm, two miles east of Collegeville. As it is not yet known how far the vein extends, further explorations are being continued.

Louis Bentue, believed to have been a lumberjack, was cut in two by the wheels of a freight train on the Minnesota & International road at Big Falls. It is said that he was intoxicated and fell under the wheels when attempting to board the train.

Fire made a clean sweep of the farm home of D. D. Kronkhite, two miles northeast of Anoka. The residence, barn and all small buildings were destroyed. The loss is $5,000. Kronkhite recently purchased the place. The fire started back of the barn. Incendiaries are blamed, but no one knows their motive.

George Vosberg has been arrested charged with setting fire to a barn belonging to the Faribault Furniture company in June last. He is being held to the district court, which convenes next May. Vosberg denies that he committed the crime, but claims that he saw a certain woman strike the match and fire the building.

In the case of The State of Minnesota vs. Joseph Pachi a verdict of not guilty was returned in the district court in Owatonna. Pachi was charged with assault, and this case was the result of another in which he was concerned. Pachi was formerly convicted of assault, but an appeal was taken to that court, where this verdict was secured and the prisoner given his liberty.

T. J. Moonan, representing the state labor bureau, is closing his inspection of the fourteen counties in Southeastern Minnesota included in his district. He says he finds much child labor employed, especially in Winona, but conditions are becoming better because of the assistance given by the school authorities, and also because employers generally are trying to live up to the law.

A loaded revolver in the hands of the eight-year-old son of Charles Stillwell of Appleton nearly resulted fatally for the two-year-old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Sallers. The children were playing in the parlor of the Stillwell home when the gun was discovered, and pointing at his playmate the older boy pulled the trigger. The bullet passed directly into the baby's mouth, coming out through the fleshy part of the cheek.

While Frank Gerow was roaming through the woods near Roosevelt he was shot in the leg by [illegible] who fired a load of buckshot at a deer, killing it and also wounding Gerow, who was in range. Gerow was taken to a hospital in Winnipeg.

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The Girl Who Represented Love

By WILLIAM WALLACE COOK

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I shall be 60 years old to-morrow, my boy, and I'm a hale and hearty old man, as you can see. When I was a youngster, there were few better at rough-and-tumble end having taken good care of myself, I have still much of my strength. What's that? Love, you say? I'm a bachelor and have never felt the "tender passion"—as you young men are pleased to term it. But hold! I'll qualify that statement. Some two years ago, at the age of 58—think of it!—my old heart wermed up with something of a passionate fire, burning for a fitful period, and now—well, all that is left is e heap of cold, white ashes. Shall I tell you of it? Very well; but I warn you there is nothing startling in the story, and it means much, very much to me.

Two years ago, I attended a certain theater in this city, where was being played a strange melange of mirth, music and nonsense called by this modern world an extravagaaza. Well named, because everything about the piece—costumes, play end players—was most extravagant end the very antipodes of realism.

I was with a party of friends, and we occupied a front box. The house was full to overflowing, when the curtain finally rang up on a scene of glitter and a maze of melody. Leening back in my chair I took in the play, making no attempt to keep track of the plot (if there was any), but amply content with the show, the dancing and the singing.

At last I was awekeded out of my dreamy stare with something like a shock. It was as if a beautiful mask had dropped suddenly from a woman's face and showed the grinning skeleton behind. I leaned over to my young friend Granville, and whispered:

"Do you not see the little girl et this end of the stage?—I mean the one in the wings, and dressed in white?"

Granville laughed. "What of it?"

"Nothing," I answered, for that laugh hurt me—went to my heart like a dagger-thrust.

Drawing farther back, I followed the girl with my eyes. She represented Love. A tiny bow was in her hand and a quiver of arrows swung at her back. She sang a song, and I shall never forget one verse of it. It echoed and reechoed in my very soul:

> Love, all hopes and fears above,
> Love that guards its own alway,
> Love that lives and dies for love
> Is the love that lives for aye.

But the face of Love was a pinched, wan little face, and her eyes so large and lustrous, I could not look into them without a feeling almost of dread. Her tiny hands were thin and the blue veins could be traced under the white skin. And then there was something about her face, vague, distant, unfathomable, that told of suffering and deep-seated sorrow.

During all that entertainment, I kept my eyes upon the delicate, slender form of Love with her large, shining eyes and yellow curls, and I sew, distinctly as I see you now, my boy, a dance of death amid the showy settings of that stege.

I felt strangely drawn to this little girl. There are times—perhaps once or twice in a man's life—when all barriers of common-sense and worldly wisdom seem to be broken down and passed over by a woman.

I went to the theater the next night, and the night following, always sitting in the same place, and I was pleased to see that Love, her attention drawn by my earnest gaze, came to notice me.

I was old enough to be the child's grandfather, and such attention as she deigned me went to my desolate old heart with a thrill of happiness and a throb of vague anxiety.

I sent her some flowers, one night. White flowers—a sprey of waxen hyacinths and some lilies, as they best seemed to suit her innocence. That was on the third night; on the fourth night I missed her from the stage and another wore the wings and mantle of Love.

"Where is she?" I asked myself anxiously, and sought an answer to the question from the stage manager after the play was over.

"Oh," said he with a shrug of his shoulders, "you refer to Miss Garston, I presume. She refused to play Sunday night and I discharged her."

I smothered the indignation I felt, obtained the address of Miss Garston and went to her home.

Ah, there was nothing gorgeous there! A shabby tenement, two flights of rickety stairs and a bare, uncarpeted room. A bed stood in one corner and beside it sat an old woman. In a broken glass on a table by the bedside were my hyacinths and lilies.

The old woman's head was buried in her hands. She looked up as I entered.

"Does Miss Garston live here?" I asked.

She looked at me searchingly for a moment and then, dropping her eyes, she pointed without a word to the bed.

I approached end looked down at the fair face of Love. Her eyelids were closed and the long lashes were wet with tears. Her face was deathly white, and a mass of yellow ringlets spread out around it, set it off, with unearthly beauty and sweetness.

"What is the matter?" I queried, turning to the old woman.

She merely laid a finger on her lips. My voice had awakened the girl. The eyelids opened slowly, and she looked at me a moment in childlike wonder. Then she smiled faintly.

"Do you know me?" I asked.

"You are the gentleman that sent me the flowers," she said slowly. "I am glad you came, because I wish to thank you for them. Aunty, this is the gentleman I spoke to you about."

"What is the matter, my little girl?" I said, stroking back the soft, curling hair. "Are you ill?"

She gave a strange look.

"Yes," she whispered, at last, "very, very ill. I have hed a hemorrhage and—"

Her voice choked; I bent nearer her lips.

"Your face is the only kind one I heve seen in many a day. I love you so much!"

God bless her! Impulsively she threw her arms about my neck and kissed me, holding me close, as she whispered: "I cannot get well. Don't tell aunty—but won't you promise to take care of her after—after it is all over? She has no one but me, and then she will be ell alone."

"I Am Glad You Came."

"There, there, my dear child," I said starting up, "of course, I will do anything for you. But where is your physician?"

There was no answer to this question. I understood the metter instantly. They were too poor.

"I'll be back in a few moments," I said, and hastily left.

When I finally returned with a doctor, a low moan wes borne to us at the foot of the rickety stairs. Hastening up, we found the old woman on her knees by the bed. The white pillow was covered with an ensanguined flood—the life-torrent of the little sufferer who lay white and still with the lilies and hyacinths at her breast.

"I can be of no service," said the doctor, and he went awey, leaving the heart-broken old woman and her dead alone with me.

Ah, my boy, my boy! Can you—can anyone—understand the grief I felt for that little, dead child? No, no—it is impossible; but my tears fell fast then, and have fallen many a time since at the thought of her untimely fate, and my heart, which clings so passionately to an awakened love—a love that slumbered so long—holds, also, the ashes of its sainted dead; and the one verse of her song comes back to me like an angelic echo:

> Love, all hopes and fears above,
> Love that guards its own alway,
> Love that lives and dies for love
> Is the love that lives for aye.

Porter Makes Good Tips.

"I would rather be head porter in a good New York hotel than a railroad president," said Robert J. Beills, of Baltimore. "I would be making plenty of money and would not be a mark for the muck rakers. I once went on as clerk in a leading hotel there at a salary of $125 a month, which made me feel quite contented at first.

"But at the same time I started an Irishman not long over also began duty as head porter at a salary of $30 a month. In a few months and while I was still plugging away at my one-and-a-quarter job that Irishman was cleaning up several hundred. I know one month it amounted to $600. Among his tips was a check from George Gould for $50 and one from Mayor Tom L. Johnson, of Cleveland, also for that amount. That fellow is there still and is still laying away a neat little sum monthly. And if you tried to get him for anything else you would have to come up with a salary something like that paid a life insurance company's president."

Statue Was Too Clean.

Prof. Brutt's recently completed equestrian statue of Karl Alexander, at Weimar, looked too new to suit the sculptor, after it had been unveiled, and, in order to give the work dignity, it was subjected to a patina process. When this was completed the statue was, according to a Berlin paper, a light frog green, and its appearance caused much merriment. The sculptor set men to work taking off what they had put on, and at the end of the day the statue became a bright, metallic rider on a grass green horse. Then the town authorities had a placard fastened on the statue, stating that the municipal government was blameless for what had been done to the work of art. The horse and its rider will be restored to their original bronze condition, and in time will probably assume the tint which it was intended to produce, but for years the memorial will be pointed out as the green one.

OTHER POWERS LEAVE US BEHIND IN AERONAUTICS

Where Will Aerial Navy of the United States Rank in Days When Other Powers Go to War in Skies?

Where will the aerial navy of the United States rank in the days to come when the great powers go to war in the skies?

This question appears to have aroused Uncle Sam from a nap which he has fallen.

A congress of aeronauts met in New York only the other day and heard speeches from a number of men who know something of diplomacy, who read the signs of the times and who, above all, are patriots. These men—Rear Admiral C. N. Chester, U. S. N., and General Allen, U. S. A., among the number—sounded a note of warning which found immediate answer in a recommendation to congress and which has echoed through the country.

In a word the speakers at the congress showed just how America had failed to realize the significance of what her rivals were doing with the airship as an auxiliary to their naval and military establishments. They showed that Uncle Sam had dozed for a moment, and that while his head drooped on his bosom, a toy of yesterday had become a powerful engine which was destined to play an important part in the history of the future.

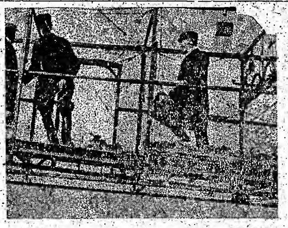
And they showed, too, that the brains and hands which brought about this development were English, French and German, but not American.

America is used to leading, and Americans are not comfortable in the rear rank of any procession, so it did not take the convention of aeronauts long to pass a resolution urging upon congress the importance of providing funds for an aerial fleet. They cheered loudly at a statement of Gen. Allen, who said that he thought Secretary Taft would ask for $200,000 at the next session to maintain an aeronaut branch of the army.

So the matter will come right before congress, and while every effort to increase the strength of the naval or military establishment of the country raises more or less opposition, it is believed that the national lawmakers will not hesitate over a matter which, advocates of the plan argue, involves the prestige of the nation. Senators and representatives are to be appealed to upon patriotic grounds, and the scream of the eagle will doubtless echo through the halls at Washington next month.

Over in France there are a couple of dirigible airships which have been tested officially and found to operate nearly perfectly. "La Patrie" and "Ville de Paris," two steerable balloons, have been maneuvering successfully for some time, and only recently Premier Clemenceau and Gen. Picquart took a voyage in "La Patrie," which served to indicate how seriously official France viewed the airship as a military aid. With Santos Dumont, M. Deutsch, Count de la Vaulx and other enthusiasts working and encouraging work on the aerial problem, and aided by the government, the development of the airship has moved more swiftly in France than in any other European power.

Germany, too, has been very busy. The kaiser, himself, is an enthusiast on the subject of aeronautics and he has lent his aid to every move which had for its object the development of a practical dirigible balloon. As a result Count Zeppelin has produced an airship which recently made the remarkable record of remaining aloft seven hours, during which it wes under complete control.



ON BOARD THE VILLE DE PARIS,
One of France's successful army airships.

Another army airship is making daily flights over Berlin, and recently it circled about the kaiser's palace in the face of a heavy wind, fully 1,800 feet above the ground. This balloon is fitted with a screw and vanes which drive the ship forward at the rate of 45 feet a second. The motor is run by gasoline, which is kept in a receptacle in the framework above the car. There are two small balloons holding compressed air inside the great envelope, and by filling or emptying these the airship is raised or lowered without affecting the main gas bag.

England has been the latest power to join the aerial fleet movement. A few days ago she launched her first war airship at Farnborough, and the flight was a complete success. The British balloon is a cigar-shaped affair, 100 feet long, and is fitted with a more complicated set of sails and vanes than the French and German machines. It was made at the Aldershot balloon factory, but the details of its construction have been very carefully guarded.

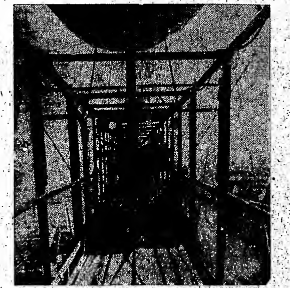
Meanwhile war experts, artists and seers have view with one another in depicting the battle of the future, a terrible struggle in the air between the winged fleets of contending powers. The war balloon has been designated as an instrument for dropping high explosives from the clouds upon cities and camps of an enemy, and for serving a belligerent as a means of scouting and observation. The "heavier-than-air" aeroplane — the cloud ship which depends upon its forward velocity to maintain it [illegible] been depicted as the armored cruiser of the sky on which the great guns will be mounted and from which torpedoes and shells will be hurled.

But through it all, Uncle Sam seems to have slumbered until the congress of aeronauts woke him up by calling for federal aid. American inventors have experimented with both kinds of airships, most notably the Wright brothers, whose aeroplane has performed some remarkable feats, but up to date the government has declined to recognize the importance of federal encouragement. Indeed it is reported from time to time that the Wrights are negotiating with a foreign power for the sale of their invention.

nautics is needed far more than a construction department, inasmuch as the

An experimental department of aero-present day airship, with all its startling feats, is far from perfection. While it will undoubtedly play a most important part in the battles of the future, its operation will entail a tremendous risk to the lives of the men who sail it, unless some safety device now unknown, is developed. With this thought in mind, the powers across the sea are straining every nerve in aerial experiments.

Will America ignore a sign of the times so vital in its bearing upon the country's future prestige?



PICTURE TAKEN ON DECK OF FRENCH WAR AIRSHIP,
Looking forward while vessel was soaring high above Paris.

JOHNSON GOT SCRAP BOOK.

Washington's Great Slab Artist Did Not Need That Kind.

When young Johnson, Washington's crackerjack slab artist, began to get his name in the papers day after day, and with such fine write-ups, he was advised by the older members of the club to get himself a scrapbook, so that he could treasure up the words of praise that were being handed to him in bunches.

"It will make swell reading for the folks at home during the off-season also," spoke up Case Patten.

"Yes," said Joe Cantillon, "it's not a bad idea, by any means, Walter, for reading the scrapbook during the winter will no doubt inspire you with a greater desire to be the real goods when we open up at this stand for the season of 1908, when we take the pennant, if you remember."

So, acting upon the suggestions of his comrades and his manager, Walter dug down in his clothes and produced the necessary coin to purchase a book wherein he could paste the press clippings that were so boisterous in his favor.

Not being himself familiar with the stores in the locality of the park, Walter pressed little Dan, the custodian of the clubhouse, into service, and sent him to buy the book for him.

"Here is the best scrap book I could get you, Mr. Johnson," said the lad on his return.

While the clever young pitcher was unwrapping the packet, the other players crowded about and expressed mild surprise at the smallness of the package. When Johnson had finally got all the paper from around his purchase there on the front cover of the book, in great, flaring red letters, were the words:

"Points on Pugilism."

IN HANDS OF RING

ARTIFICIAL VALUE GIVEN WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE.

Government as Well as Residents Is Compelled to Submit to the Extortions of the Owners of Property.

There is no doubt that a real estate ring holds Washington by the throat. Houses have been known to stand idle in Washington for two years at a stretch because the owners would not reduce the rent to a fair price. In the end it is probable that the price will be got by the owner. Homeseekers are not the only sufferers in this respect. The people of the whole country are pouring thousands of dollars into the pockets of the real estate ring in Washington every year in payment of rents for government offices. Shell-like buildings, such as the census office, are frequently made to pay for themselves in the course of four or five years, after which the profit to the owner is simply enormous. The government now, despite the growing number of its buildings, is paying annual rentals which net 4 per cent. income on a total valuation of $28,000,000. The total value of every building in Washington now occupied by a government office, including the ground upon which it stands, is not worth one-third of this amount. If it were not for the government it is more than probable that the owners of many of these buildings would have to scrape the town for tenants at a much reduced rental and in some instances the buildings would never have been erected at all and the ground upon which they stand would be vacant lots.

There is still another angle to the real estate ring in Washington. A bridge and its approaches cost in exneighborhood of the zoological park, which connected a wide break in Connecticut avenue, a fashionable residence street, due to a ravine. The bridge and its approaches cost in excess of $1,000,000. On the city end of the bridge, previous to its construction, the piece of property conformed to the usual high prices which prevail all over Washington. On the suburban end, where, up to that time, no houses stood, the prices were comparatively moderate. Since the building of the bridge large tracts of property lying on the further end of the bridge and along Connecticut avenue for several miles out have been found in well-known hands in Washington, and the prices asked are so far in advance of what this land could have been bought for two years ago as to suggest the question, "What was the bridge built for, anyway?"

There are other ways of gouging money out of householders in Washington, but it would be a long story to recount them. There are associations among practically all the trades, which meet frequently and fix prices, each a sort of local trust in itself. This is not a situation peculiar to Washington by any means, but it is a system carried to a higher degree of perfection, without interference, than in any other city. It has been said jocularly, but there is a really serious side to the story, that when a child is born in Washington the associations meet, give him a local financial rating, which is changed from time to time, and before the youngster is able to talk his prospective earnings from the cradle to the grave have been divided up among the trades of Washington. Experience would seem to indicate that the story is not all fiction.—Exchange.

Must "Tip" or Be Ostracized.

Washington servants may not be acquainted with the term "backsheesh" and they may never stoop to use the term "tip," but they are star specimens of all those two institutions imply. There are more than 100,000 negroes in Washington, a large majority of whom are employed as household servants and in other menial capacities. No one knows the state of a pocketbook better than they do. A poor man may be assured of service given grudgingly as though he were the cause of a loss of time and money to the servant. Let him undergo a change in financial condition for the better, however, and the exasperating manner in which the servants of Washington will hang on his heels would almost drive an ordinary man to drink. Failure to comply with the "unwritten law" on tipping in Washington will result in the victim's being made to feel his position uncomfortably. He will at once become conspicuous by the splendid isolation he enjoys. Nowhere is the ruinous practice of tipping carried to such an extent as in Washington, and to the casual visitor of moderate means, of whom thousands come to Washington every year, it has become almost unendurable.

Unavoidable Delay.

"You can prove an alibi on this charge, can't you?" asked his lawyer.

"Yes'r," said the captured crook; "but we'll have to wait a week or two. The fellies I'm goin' to prove it by ain't out o' jail yit."

Of Course.

He—I wonder why a man in proposing to a woman always asks her for her hand?

She—But doesn't she usually carry [illegible]

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WHEN we get used to the "lid" maybe we'll wonder how we ever get along without it.

THE rapid increase of time deposits in Red River Valley banks during the past year is an encouraging sign.

THE Fairmont Sentinel issued a most creditable special edition last week in honor of the dedication of Martin county's new court house.

COMPTROLLER RIDGELY comes out openly for the establishment of a government bank. But Mr. Ridgley will find that the ghost of Andrew Jackson will rise again.

THE Hutchinson Leader takes it for granted that Tom Shevlin has an asbestos scrap book in which he preserves clippings from the country regarding his glorious self.

THE vertical writing fad is about dead, and the St. Cloud Times asserts that "no one defends it except those who teach it and are responsible for its infliction upon suffering humanity.

THE Windom Reporter suggests that you will feel better if you try to find the good in your neighbor instead of the bad. He is just as good as you are, and you will find it out if you try.

ANENT the Dr. Mayo announcement of Governor Johnson's presidential candidacy a St. Paul newswag thinks that inasmuch as the Doctor has cut the Governor open three or four times he ought to have "inside information."

HOPE springs eternal. It was the illustrious Goethe who said: "When fortune lifts me up then I am glad and sing in sweet exaultstion; when she sinks down and lays me prostrate, then I begin to think now it will rise again."

IN view of the reports coming from Washington those days, the Duluth Herald thinks it is about time to institute an inquiry whether this is a government of, by and for the people, by Speaker Cannon and Senator Aldrich, for the large interests.

TAFT is the only Republican mentioned for the presidency who has declared in favor of the revision and reduction of the tariff. We are for tariff revision—and Taft.—St. Hilaire Spectator.

And Taft has dared only to go far enough to use the thread-bare argument—revise the tariff after the presidential election. Taft is for revision for political purposes.

FOR the first time in the history of the state, a woman plead a case before the Supreme Court on Wednesday, and acquitted herself very creditably. She was Miss Essie Winning Williams, teacher of history in the St. Paul Central High school, who graduated from the St. Paul College of Law in 1906. She appeared for R. C. Holbert in proceedings for contempt instituted against him in the Ramsey county court.

SOME people imagine that Minnesota is a Taft state, but we question it. Many of the leading country papers are strongly opposed to him. The Windom Reporter says:

"Trying to make Taft the republican candidate for president by Roosevelt is not unlike Dave Clough trying to nominate his own successor when governor of Minnesota. The result was a democratic governor in Minnesota and it may result in a democratic president. If Taft is nominated the labor vote will rise up and curse him."

THE Fairmont Sentinel expresses the sentiments of the country press in saying:—"The flunkies who run the St. Paul Commercial club invited old skin-flint Rockefeller to come out and be fed and feted by that organization. Rockefeller is the man whom Senator LaFollette denounced as the "greatest criminal of the age," and Ida M. Tarbell furnished the documents to prove the charge. The St. Paul Commercial club has earned the contempt of every citizen of the State."

YOUR banker may seem like a cold blooded proposition at times, remarks an exchange. He may seem to be all interest, discount and exchange. You may get the notion that he is a Shylock and would grind you for your last cent. Such is not the case, but that is all in the manner and surface looks. Your banker, like your family physician, is the man who pulls you out of trouble. He has a heart in him as big as an ox, and when he finds you are honest and deserving, he will go to the limit and take great chances to help you over rough places. He gets that bank look fighting off crooks and people who try to work him for a sucker. Be good to your banker and you will not regret it.

EXCHANGE ECHOES.

Mankato Free Press: St. Peter, not content with furnishing Minnesota with the majority of its governors, now aspires to give the United States a president.

Hibbing Tribune: Roosevelt keeps declaring that he will not serve if elected—but that's what he did about the vice-presidency, too.

Zumbrota News: A Chicago woman found a baby in a newspaper on the front steps the other morning, but no woman who has lived in Chicago very long is surprised at anything she may see in the newspapers nowadays.

Minnesota Mascot: The Independent Press of Madison thinks that Frank M. Eddy should be kept on probation for a year or two before he is groomed for the office of governor. The Press wants to make sure that Eddy is a sticker in the cold camp before it ties to him. But the question presents itself: Is the Republican party ready to adopt as its standard bearer a man who advocates the principles which Mr. Eddy now stands for? If that question can be answered in the affirmative then verily "the world do move."

Pine City Pine Poker: That was a fine speech of Governor Johnson to the rivers and harbors congress at Washington. It showed a commastery of the subject of water routes as a dominating factor in the development of internal commerce. A comprehensive grasp of public question, however does not wholly explain why staid and conservative editors of the East are indulging in rhapsodies over the new man from the West. There must be something intensely fetching about the personality of this man Johnson of Minnesota.

Hendrum Review: Those who who make the laws are not mind readers. They need and desire expressions from their constituents. If you are in favor of preference will will not help the cause any unless you let it be known—the more emphatically the better.

Eveleth News: With all due respect to President Roosevelt we think he might have cracked that tariff revision oyster before completing his term of office. It would have made more bad trusts wince than all the appeals to the Sherman anti-trusts law.

Hibbing Mesaba Ore: It is pleasing to Minnesota Republicans and all to see the way Governor Johnson is forging ahead.

Hallock Enterprise: A bill has been introduced in congress to limit and give publicity to campaign contributions. In [illegible]

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PROCEEDINGS

Of the Board of County Commissioners of Red Lake County, Minnesota.

Red Lake Falls, Minn.
December 14, 1907.

Pursuant to law the board of county commissioners of Red Lake county met in the office of the county auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, at ten o'clock a. m.

Members present—Lindquist, Aubol, Shaw, Demann and Pigeon.

Members absent—None.

On motion duly carried an auctioneer's license was granted to G. C. Gulrud.

Motion made by Commissioner Demann, seconded by Commissioner Aubol, that the final estimate on County Ditch No. 28 of three hundred forty-four and 92-100 dollars be accepted and the engineer discharged. Motion carried unanimously.

On motion duly carried the County Auditor was instructed to advertise for fifty cords of green poplar wood to be delivered at the court house.

Call for special meeting of the county board, November 18th, 1907.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake,

The undersigned, who are a majority of the members of the County Board, certify that we deem it necessary for the best interest of the county, that a special meeting of said board be held for the transaction of the following business, to-wit;

Any business that may come before the board.

Therefore, we do hereby call a special meeting of said board to be held at the office of the County Auditor in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 14th day of December, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, and the County Auditor is requested to notify each member of said board of the time and place of such meeting at least ten days prior to the day of such meeting.

Dated this 18th day of November, 1907.

Wm. C. L. Demann,
Commissioner 2nd District
Daniel Shaw,
Commissioner 4th District
Ed. A. Aubol,
Commissioner 3rd District
C. A. Lindquist,
Chairman of County Bo'rd
....
Commissioner 1st District

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR.
Red Lake County, Minn.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, }
December 2, 1907. }

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the County Board of the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, has been called by a majority of the members of said board, to be held at the office of the County Auditor, in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county, on Saturday, the 14th day of December, A. D. 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the transaction of the following business:—Any business that may come before the board.

Witness my hand and official seal at Red Lake Falls, this 2nd day of December, 1907.

JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
(Seal) County Auditor and
Ex-officio Clerk of Board

BOND RESOLUTION.

Red Lake Falls, minn. }
December 14, 1907. }

Commissioner Daniel Shaw offered the following preamble and resolutions and moved their adoption,

WHEREAS: In pursuance of and in full compliance with the provisions of chapter 258 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1901, and the several acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, such steps have been duly and legally taken that a public drainage ditch has been duly located and established, partly in the county of Red Lake and partly in the county of Polk, and State of Minnesota, and known as Judicial Ditch No. 4, and such proceedings have been duly and legally taken in the District Court of the Fourteenth Judicial District, duly located and establishing said ditch, and it has been definitely ascertained and established in accordance with the provisions of the law applicable thereto, that the expense incurred and to be incurred in the locating, establishing and construction of such of said Judicial Ditch as is located within this county of Red Lake, and in such relation to said county of Red Lake as to affect lands therein, within the terms of said legislative acts, will be at least the sum of $16,700; and

WHEREAS: This Board has heretofore duly determined to issue the bonds of this county, for the purpose of paying the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, establishing and constructing so much of said Judicial Ditch as is located within this county, and in such resolution thereto, as to affect lands therein within the terms of said laws, and said bonds have been duly sold; Now, therefore be it

RESOLVED, By this Board of County Commissioners that the sum of $16,700 is necessary to defray the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, constructing and establishing so much of such Judicial Ditch as is located within this county of Red Lake, and in such relation to this county as to affect lands therein, within the terms of said chapter 258 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota for the year 1901 and the several acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto;

RESOLVED, FURTHER, That the negotiable coupon bonds of said county of Red Lake be issued for said purpose in the aggregate amount of $16,700, said bonds to be seventeen in number, sixteen thereof of the denomination of $1,000 each and one of the denomination of $700, all bearing date the first day of October, 1907, and due in ten years from their date, with interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable semi annually, on the first day of April and October of each year, both principal and interest payable at the banking house of A. B. Leach & Co., in Chicago, Illinois.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, That said bonds and the coupons attached thereto shall be substantially in the following form, with the necessary variations as to number and amounts thereof, to-wit;

No.......... $..........

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF MINNESOTA,
County of Red Lake.

PUBLIC DRAINAGE DITCH BOND.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That Red Lake county, in the State of Minnesota, acknowledges itself indebted and for value received promises to pay to bearer .... Dollars lawful money of the United States of America, on the first day of October, 1917, with interest from date until paid at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of April and October of each year, both principal and interest payable at the banking house of A. B. Leach & Company, in Chicago, Illinois. For the prompt payment of this bond, both principal and interest at maturity, the full faith, credit and resources of the county of Red Lake are hereby irrevocably pledged.

This bond is issued by said county, for the purpose of defraying, and is for the amount necessary to defray, in part, the expense incurred and to be incurred in locating, constructing and establishing so much of a certain public drainage ditch, known as a Judicial Ditch, as is located within said county, or in such relation to said county, as to affect lands therein, within the terms of chapter 258 of the General Laws of the State of Minnesota of 1901, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto and is issued by authority of, and in strict accordance with the provisions of said chapter 258 as amended by chapter 315 of the General Laws of said State for the year 1903.

It is hereby certified and recited that the issuance of this bond has been duly authorized by resolutions of this Board of County Commissioners of said county, duly passed and recorded, and that the total indebtedness of said county, including this bond, does not exceed any constitutional or statutory limitations.

It is further certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required by laws of the State of Minnesota to be done precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, have been properly done, have happened and been performed in regular and due form and time as required by law.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Board of County Commissioners of said Red Lake county, Minnesota, has caused this bond to be signed by the Chairman of said Board and countersigned, sealed and recorded by its County Auditor, this first day of October, A. D. 1907.

C. A. LINDQUIST, Chairman
Board of County Com'rs.

Countersigned:
JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
(Seal) County Auditor.

(FORM OF COUPON)

No.......... Red Lake Falls, Minn., $..........

On the first day of .... 19...., the County of Red Lake, Minnesota, will pay to bearer the sum of .... Dollars, at the banking house of A. B. Leach & Company, in Chicago, Illinois, for the semi-annual installment of interest upon its Public Drainage Ditch Bond, dated October 1st, 1907, No..........

C. A. LINDQUIST, Chairman.

Countersigned:
JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
County Auditor.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That each of said bonds and each of said coupons thereto attached shall be signed by the Chairman of this Board and countersigned by the County Auditor, who shall record the same, and when so executed and recorded said bonds shall be delivered to the Minnesota Loan and Trust Company, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, the purchaser thereof, upon its paying into the County Treasury the amount of its bid therefor, which is [illegible]

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the full faith, credit and resources of Red Lake county, and of its Board of County Commissioners, such, be and the same are hereby pledged to provide money for the payment of the principal and interest of said bond, when and as the same shall become due.

RESOLVED, FURTHER, That the resolutions of this Board, heretofore adopted, providing for the issuance and sale of $18,000, for the purpose aforesaid, be and the same are hereby modified, in accordance with the terms of these resolutions.

Commissioner Wm. C. L. Demann, one of the members of said board, seconded the motion to adopt said preamble and resolutions, whereupon the following vote was taken and recorded:

Those voting in the affirmative—Commissioners Lindquist, Aubol, Shaw, Demann and Pigeon.

Those voting in the negative—None.

Whereupon, said preamble and resolutions were duly declared adopted.

On motion duly carried a recess was taken until one o'clock, p. m.

Meeting called to order by the Chairman at one o'clock p. m. All members present.

Commissioner Shaw offered the following resolution, and moved it adoption:

Be It Resolved, by the board of county commissioners of said county, that the sum of Six Thousand Dollars is hereby ordered to be transferred from the general ditch fund into the general revenue fund of said county. Said resolution was seconded by Commissioner Demann and carried by the following votes: Aye—Commissioner Lindquist, Aubol, Shaw, Demann and Pigeon. Motion carried unanimously.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Aubol, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Shaw:

Resolved, That the sum of Five Thousand Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated from the county road and bridge fund, three thousand dollars payable in the year 1908, and two thousand payable in the year 1909, to aid the City of Thief River Falls to construct a combination steel and concrete bridge from the foot of First Street in the Original Townsite to the foot of Bridge Street in Red Lake Rapids, now a part of said city, provided said bridge is completed before July 1st, 1908. Resolution carried unanimously.

On motion duly carried John A. Duffy was allowed $1,600 on county ditch No. 24 and county ditch No. 25.

Motion made by Commissioner Shaw, seconded by Commissioner Demann, that the county road and bridge committee be authorized to look after the expenditure of State aid for the Thief River Falls steel bridge. Motion carried.

Motion made by Commissioner Shaw, seconded by Commissioner Demann, that the board rescind the motion made at the meeting held November 18, 1907, about the division of property between school district No. 147 and school district No. 64. Motion carried.

The following resolution was offered by Commissioner Shaw, who moved its adoption, duly seconded by Commissioner Demann.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Red Lake,

WHEREAS: At a special meeting of this board held on September 16, 1907, School District No. 147, of the Town of Numedal, in said county, was divided into two districts, and designated as school districts Nos. 147 and 64; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the moneys, funds and credits belonging to said school district No. 147, at the time of the said division be and the same is hereby divided in pro rata shares between the said districts, and that such division is to include all the moneys in the treasurer's hands on July 31st, 1907, and all moneys paid into the treasury of District No. 147 up to January 1st, 1907.

Resolution prevailed.

Motion made by Commissioner Shaw, seconded by Commissioner Pigeon, that the county take up the account of Sheriff Lewis A. Nelson of $98 16 for conveying Harvey LaChance to the State Reformatory at St. Cloud. Motion carried.

Motion made by Commissioner Demann, seconded by Commissioner Shaw, that the County Treasurer be allowed one hundred fifty dollars for clerk hire for remainder of year 1907.

On motion duly carried the board adjourned sine die.

C. A. LINDQUIST, Chairman
Board of County Com'rs.
Attest: JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
County Auditor and
[Seal] Ex-Officio Clerk of Board.

Here's Good Advise.

O. S. Woolever, one of the best known merchants of LeRaysville, N. Y., says: "If you are ever troubled with piles apply Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It cured me of them for good twenty years ago." Guaranteed for sores, wounds, burns or abrasions. 25c at W. A. Schreiter's drug store.

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Red Lake Falls, Minnesota

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Our last published statement of Dec 3rd, '07, shows we are the largest bank in this county.

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Every young person needs a business education [illegible]

TOYS IN ENDLESS VARIETY AT SPILLANE'S

We have everything to gladden the hearts of the little ones as well as make happy the older ones.

Candies and Nuts in large assortments for Holiday stockings.
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Main Street **W. T. SPILLANE** Red Lake Falls

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EYE, EAR,
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Glasses Carefully Fitted

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CROOKSTON, - MINNESOTA

In the Local Line

Miss Doretta Matthies is at home for the holidays.

Go to the Merchants State Bank for real estate loans.

Large amount of money to loan on farms.—L. C. Simons.

F. E. Hunt transacted business at Dorothy on Tuesday.

Chas. Brady is home from the "U" for the holidays.

Abner Fletcher is spending a few days with the home folks.

Miss Lulu Fletcher is home from Ely to spend the holidays.

Ernest Buse was an over-Sunday guest of friends at Cass Lake.

Miss Amelia Burget spent Christmas with the home folks at Crookston.

The winter term at the Grand Forks College opens January 7th, 1908.

Mrs. G. H. Tibbetts is visiting among relatives at Detroit for a few days.

Register of Deeds E. L. Quist was a visitor at Thief River Falls over Sunday.

Miss Mayme Ericson arrived home Saturday from school duties at Cloquet.

Miss Bertha Malmin has returned to her home in Northwood, N. D for the holidays.

Sam Hunt came in off the road Monday to spend Christmas with the home folks.

Claude Duffy, of Aitkin, is in the city visiting at the home of his aunt, Mrs. L. A. Kaufer.

Joseph Sally and family partook of Christmas favorites with friends at Thief River Falls.

Miss Pauline Neiland, teacher in the East Grand Forks schools is at home for the holidays.

WANTED—Teams to haul cord wood. Inquire at the First State Bank of Red Lake Falls, Minn,

O. G. Nelson, of Hatton, N. D., was a guest the latter part of last week at the O. T. Tandberg home.

Father Ambrose was a guest between trains last Friday of Father Adolph in Thief River Falls.

Ralph Healy and Joseph Toupin came up from the "U" to spend the holidays with the home folks.

Whether your elementary education is poor or good; whether you wish to prepare for a good business position or university, Grand Forks College can supply your needs.

Two cars of nice soft coal just received by A. L. Roy, the drayman. Give him a call when in need.

Miss Anna Jackson, teacher in the schools at McIntosh is spending the holiday vacation with home folks.

WANTED—Twenty men to chop cord-wood. Inquire at the First State Bank, of Red Lake Falls, Minn.

The H. E. Ives family were down from St. Hilaire and partook of Xmas turkey at the parental P. E. Pirath home.

Miss Emily LaFreniere arrived home yesterday morning from Grand Rapids to spend the holidays with relatives.

D. Patnode was at Coleraine last week, whither he went to witness an operation upon his son Ezeb, for appendicitis.

The Arthur Zaiser family departed Saturday evening for Crookston to spend Christmas at the parental Eickhoff home.

Miss Martha Altstadt, teacher of the schools at Blackduck arrived home Tuesday noon to spend the holiday vacation.

Lost: Black and white pointer dog; answers to name of "Morgan" Finder please notify M. J. LaBree, Thief River Falls. 3w.

Will and Frank Brady, who have been working at Kelliher for some time past, arrived home Tuesday for the big turkey feast.

To Exchange—Furnished Hotel in one of Iowa's best towns to trade for Red Lake county farm. Enquire of H3, care Gazette office.

Miss Clara Marchand arrived Monday from Fosston where she is teaching, and will spend the holidays with the home folks.

Misses Maude Findeisen and Margaret Kaus, of the Warren schools are enjoying their holiday vacation as guest of the home folks.

Services will be held in the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday morning at 10:30, by Rev. I. T. Aastad of Thief River Falls.

Dr. Spofford is at the Grand View hotel Red Lake Falls the 7th day of every month. See him if your eyes trouble you.

Notice—Anyone receiving inquiries about the SW¼ 28-152-44 of Red Lake county will do well to notify G. M. Emery, Northwood, Iowa.

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Mrs. D. Quesnell, who has been visiting for some time past at the "Nick" Helm home, returned Saturday to her home in Minneapolis.

J. F. Gray, the railroad contractor, returned home last Friday from a business trip into St. Paul. During the past season he had a large contract with the Soo road down near Little Falls and has prospered nicely, but is pleased to be able to return home and spend the winter with his family.

John Helm, a student at St. John's college at Collegeville arrived home Saturday to eat Christmas dinner under the parental Joseph Helm roof.

Geo. Fink, of Crookston, passed through the Falls last Saturday enroute home from Wylie, near which point he had been looking after his landed interests.

A New Year's ball will be given in the Woodman hall next Tuesday evening, December 31st. The band orchestra will furnish the music and all are cordially invited.

Miss Anna Lasha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Lasha, departed last Wednesday for Two Harbors, where she will spend the holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Severe Gervais.

For Sale:—SE¼ and E½ SW¼ Sec. 9-151-43; 6 miles from Red Lake Falls and 7 miles from Plummer. Price, $10.00 per acre, easy terms. Enquire of S4, care Gazette office. 12-31

Misses Ella Krueger, Mayme Linnihan and Stella Hennemuth are taking a vacation from school studies at the State Normal at Moorhead, and will spend the holidays among the home folks.

Lost—Between J. P. Harrens' store and the G. N. depot, a package containing a white silk muffler, belt, grey stocking cap, and a few other small articles. Finder please leave same at GAZETTE office.

The local M. B. A. lodge will give a reception party in honor of of the marriage of Romeo Ducharme one of their members, on Monday evening, Dec. 30, 1907. The party is given for members and their invited guests only.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Busch were the recipients on Christmas eve of a fine present from Santa Claus in the way of a bouncing boy baby. The mother and babe are doing nicely, while the father is rejoicing over his Christmas present.

Mrs. J. F. Brennan and little son departed last Thursday evening for a brief visit among relatives and friends at Minneapolis before returning to their home in Stewartville. They had been guests the past fortnight at the O. T. Tandberg home.

Last week in reporting the return of Theo. Garceau to his duties as cashier in the First State Bank after a brief illness, the type made us say Theo. Zaiser. The latter has never been employed in this popular banking institution and we readily offer these lines as a correction of the error.

Conrad Lejambe is now buying cream and covers the territory between Alex C. Bergeron's place, over near Lambert, and Terrebonne every Monday. He pays one cent per pound more for butter fat than any other buery in Red Lake county and gives one point better on the test.

Every young person needs a business education. The demand for competent bookkeepers and stenographers far exceeds the supply. Why not prepare yourself for these positions by taking a business course at the Grand Forks College. Competent teachers are in charge; every student receives individual instruction. Christian influences and congenial surrounding. Board $2.25 per week. Send for catalogue to-day. The winter term opens January 7, 1908,

It was a happy wedding consummated last Friday evening by Judge N. W. Tarrant, in the Probate Court room, when he pronounced as man and wife H. O. Folkedal and Miss Gurina Swanson. The new benedict and bride were both from Hilda, and the Gazette joins with numerous friends in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Father Corbian, of Moorhead, was a guest of Father Ambrose the latter part of last week, and while here purchased of the rector of St. Mary's church the spirited steed which he has been using the past season as a "family horse," and for which a fancy price was paid. Father Ambrose is a good judge of horse flesh and suffice to say will not be without a steed many days.

A letter has been received by the Gazette from R. E. Wyer, formerly assistant cashier of the First State Bank, but later connected with the International Food Co. of Toronto. Mr. Wyer states that after January 1, he expects to be back to Minnesota — God's country. [illegible]

Ernest Fletcher arrived in the city Tuesday from Langdon, N. Dak. for a few days visit among relatives and friends. "Swede" will return to Langdon tomorrow.

Last Wednesday evening, at his rooms in the Geo. F. Henning residence, Rev. Philip A. Schwarz pronounced the words that united in the holy bonds of wedlock Mrs. Gunhaldah Kriel, of this city and Manfred Kress, of Dairyville, Illinois. The bride is well and favorably known here, while the groom has been serving Uncle Sam as a regular in the army for a number of years. The Gazette joins with numerous friends in extending congratulations and best wishes.

A family reunion is being held at the C. Guerin home this week and every member of the family partook of Christmas turkey together for the first time in over eleven years. Those of the family from abroad are Napoleon Guerin, who is here with his family from Maxbass, N. D., and Mrs. Geo. Ewing and daughter, Miss Nora, of Okanagan, from British Columbia. Mrs. Ewing and child were accompanied upon their journey as far as Winnipeg by the father who continued his trip across the waters to Glascow, Scotland, where he will visit with his parents and among numerous boyhood friends for a few weeks.

L. A. Kaufer received a letter the first of the week from his brother Henry, who is located at Calgary, Canada, in which he stated that Northern Minnesota is a garden of Eden compared with the Alberta country. He advises all friends to remain where they are for starvation and famine exists on every hand. Those among the farmers who are able to return to civilization are leaving the country, while the others will exist the best they can. He says most of the Red Lake county people have done fairly well, but thinks all should let well enough alone.

One of the neatest calendars sent out by any firm in the northwest is the one issued by the First State Bank of this city. The design is that of the king of the forests and is befitting the institution from which it goes forth. That the First State Bank is the peer of all banking institutions goes without saying, and one has only to look over the statements of the conditions of the various banks in the shire to verify this statement. The resources are almost double that of any other bank in the great northwest, which bespeaks volumes for the careful attention given to the business by its trustworthy officials.

Bids for Wood!

Bids will be received up to January 15th, 1908, for 25 cords of [illegible] poplar body wood [illegible]

Girlhood and *Scott's Emulsion* are linked together.

The girl who takes *Scott's Emulsion* has plenty of rich, red blood; she is plump, active and energetic.

The reason is that at a period when a girl's digestion is weak, *Scott's Emulsion* provides her with powerful nourishment in easily digested form.

It is a food that builds and keeps up a girl's strength.

ALL DRUGGISTS; 50c. AND $1.00.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

Thanking our many friends and patrons for past favors and wishing for all a Happy and Prosperous New Year, we are

Yours for 1908 patronage,

GARCEAU & ZAISER

Your Patronage Appreciated

With Best Wishes
for A Happy and Prosperous New Year

To those who have favored us with their banking business in the past we are under many obligations, and we trust others will profit by their experience and give us their future business. Wishing one and all a Happy and Prosperous New Year for 1908, we are,

Very Respectfully,
Merchants State Bank

MASCOT

Sweet, Pure and Wholesome

"IT'S ALL THE WHEAT That's fit to Eat"

"A PURE FLOUR"

Always Uniform
Absolutely Pure

A Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year to All

Franz Freund is Here Yet.

THE WOMAN'S CORNER

PRETTY IN CROCHET

WORK FOR THE AFTERNOON AT HOME.

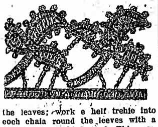
Lace Leaves and Spray a Pretty Decoration for Table or Chair —Easy to Make by Following Directions.

First Leaf—Fifteen chain stitches, turn and work a half treble in the eighth from hook, one chain one treble in next, one chain one double treble in next, one chain one double treble in next, one chain one treble in next, one chain one half treble in next, one chain, and catch to the end stitch with single crochet.

Second Leaf—Eighteen chain, a half treble in eighth from hook, one chain one treble in next, one chain one double treble in each of the next five, working the third double treble a little longer than the others; one chain one treble in next, one chain one-half treble in next, one chain one single crochet in end stitch.

Third Leaf—Twenty chain, a half treble in eighth from hook, pass one, one treble in next, pass one, one double treble in next, pass one, one double treble in next, pass one, one treble in next, pass one, one-half treble in next, pass one, one single in end stitch. Fix the leaves in position—see illustration—with a stitch in center.

Stem—Eighteen chain, turn and work a treble in each stitch back to



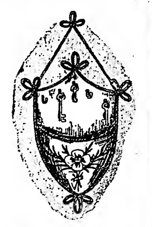
the leaves; work a half treble into each chain round the leaves with a picot at every third stitch. This completes one spray; the others are worked in the same way, and the illustration will show where the leaves are connected

For the Heading—Work chain stitches from point to point, joining with longer or shorter stitches as required to make the work level, and finish with a row of trebles.

HERE'S USEFUL TOILET TIDY.

Place for Small Articles That Should Be Ready to Hand.

Our sketch shows a rather novel form of toilet tidy fitted with five hooks at the back for keys, buttonhooks, scissors, etc. It is simple in construction, and can be made of plain or figured silk, linen or sateen. It will look very pretty in pale blue art linen, edged with a cord of a darker



shade of the same color. A piece of stout cardboard cut out in the shield shape shown in the sketch, should be used for a foundation, and this should be covered evenly with linen, and large dress hooks sewn on in the positions indicated. The front of the pocket is embroidered with a pretty little floral design, and there is a loop of cord at the top by which it may be hung upon the wall, or suspended at the side of a looking-glass. A key-rack of some kind in a bedroom is always a useful article, for on it may find a place the keys of those doors, etc., that for safety's sake should be locked up each night before going to bed.

Blouses for Growing Girls.

A wise mother will never lose sight of the fact that the best designs for growing girls of the so-called awkward age are those which are the simplest. Those which allow the freest possible movement are advisable. One little dress which would be pretty made of any woolen goods, which is plaid checked or striped, is made with the skirt in one piece, straight. It may either be gathered or pleated as preferred. The waist is a blouse waist, which is made without tucks or trimming of any kind, except for a little pocket of the material, which may be stitched to the left of the waist.

The sleeves are medium full and are full length. The bottom of the waist is hemmed and has a draw string in it to tie around the waist. A little collar of linen made in the Buster Brown style freshens and brightens the dress, though this may be made of white serge, flannel or cashmere, and be attached to the waist. A little bow tie is worn with it.

Vogue of Filet.

Filet is destined to be the favorite where laces are concerned, and will appear on every garment in some form or other during the coming winter. For evening dress, the long tunic of filet net, cut into sharp points back and front, and weighted with tassels, is one of the most fashionable accessories.

Draping for Blouses.

Many handsome blouses of soft silk are draped with rare old fichus. A stunning one of gorgeous length over a nile green liberty satin blouse, arranged so that it falls down over the shoulders and tops of the sleeves, is held at the waist line by the girdle under which it passes. The ends reach nearly to the hem of the skirt. One of the recent fancies is to dye the lace scarf to match the blouse with which it is to be worn. These are also frequently seen worn over fine white lace or lingerie blouses. It is these little accessories that make the house blouses attractive. For an informal afternoon tea there is nothing that quite equals a pretty little separate blouse. As much elaboration as one desires may be lavished on the fancy blouse; this is why the average woman is loath to see it pass out of existence.

Making Skirts.

The walking skirt of this date is a roomy one, though noticeably short, and many are made of heavy coating, unlined, and trimmed with bands of lighter material. The stitched hem is again in favor and the walking skirt will be seen with as many as 11 stitched rows around the lower portion of the dress. One new model shows a shaped skirt with a seam down the center front, though not to the bottom of the skirt. This seam is slightly hollowed and gives part of the features of a new Parisian skirt in draped effect, only the sides of the front panel are straight and not gathered. The skirts are wide and full, though close fitting over the hips.

A Serviceable Veil.

Veils are one of the most important accessories of the well-dressed woman, and it is well to know that those of English, cross-barred, horsehair, with diamond-shaped single mesh, will outwear any number of ordinary tulle and are far less trying to the eye.

Outre Cloths.

There never fail to be a few examples of bizarre cloths that are dubbed stunning by many, loud and vulgar by others. This year's output on such lines runs into black cloths plaided by different widths of white in lines that are truly gigantesque, the square of 18 inches being prominently defined by a quarter of an inch line of white and another an eighth of an inch intersected through the middle of the square. They resemble in style the large plaidings seen in traveling rugs, and if to be reserved only for traveling coats, wraps, or for two-piece suits they will seem better fitted surely than for any other purpose.

But few tailors would think of using such cloth except as an introduction into parts of a suit, and no doubt they will manage to evolve no little chic out of it, in contrast with a solid black or some very dark color.

Vogue of the Waistcoat.

The woman who is dressing upon moderate means is keenly alive to the dressy responsibilities of the small things of her attire, and to her the waistcoat appeals strongly. She has one made to wear with each coat, and it is only a matter of choice with her whether she puts it on or not. The prettiest of the winter gowns have separate waistcoats, which can be slipped on under the outer coat and buttoned up tightly. Then the coat is put on and secured to the waistcoat with an invisible hook or two.

Choosing a Hat.

When it comes to the choice of a hat do not get a small toque if the features are large, particularly the nose. The tendency with too small a hat will be to exaggerate the size of this feature. Be equally careful should the features be small, not to choose too heavy-looking a hat, and this no matter how tall you are. Large hats may be worn, but they must be light and graceful in [illegible]

USE OF PORTIERES

MUST HARMONIZE WITH THEIR SURROUNDINGS.

Unless in Accord with Other Furnishings of the Room Their Utility Is Destroyed—Suggestions Worth Remembering.

Portieres should beautify rooms, but if the general style, material and pattern of these hangings are not appropriate and in harmony with the surroundings, then they may mar the effect of a whole apartment.

This is particularly true when the doorways of small rooms are to be hung, for unless the draperies are in accord with other fittings abnormal proportions are made and the lines of the entire room rendered grotesque.

In choosing designs for portieres to be used in small rooms, get plain stuff, or when the ceilings are low, striped goods, for the perpendicular lines add height to the ceiling.

Never, unless the room is large, select hangings with big figured devices, for the contrast between the size of the pattern and the room space is so great as to dwarf the doorway.

The apparent weight of such draperies should be governed by the size of the room. If the apartment is small light-weight materials are in better taste than portieres made in sets.

The latter if the figures are woven in self colors or tapestries are not bad, but when crude combinations of colors are seen, or enormous and none too graceful patterns finished with deeply-knotted fringe, they should be passed by in favor of something different. The only fringe suitable now for portieres is the narrow "thumb," either in balls or tassels.

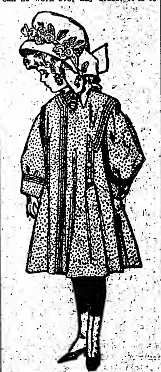
Reps in plain colors, heavy pongee silks, burlaps, denims and other thin materials having just enough weight not to blow straight with each draft are prettiest for doors in apartments. Larger rooms will take tapestries, brocades and velveteens, either figured or plain.

All portieres will wear longer if they are lined—that is, if backed with a material the same shade to give them more body.

USEFUL EVERY-DAY COAT.

Especially Adapted for Girl of from Fourteen to Sixteen Years.

This is a useful every-day coat, that can be worn over any dress; it is in



very pale grey fine cloth, lined with silk; the fronts are strapped with cloth.

The collar and cuffs are faced with figured velvet and strapped at the edge. The coat may be worn open or closed.

The hat is of coarse pink straw, trimmed with a soft silk scarf.

Materials required: Two and one-half yards 46 inches wide, four yards silk lining and three-fourths yard velvet for facing.

BETTER THAN USING RICE.

Silver Slippers and Rose Petals in Favor for Weddings.

"Silver slippers and rose petals are taking the place of rice at all fashionable weddings," said a clergyman. "It is a change for the better.

"The silver slippers—to replace the old boots—are about half an inch long. Silver paper cut in the shape of dainty slippers. The rose petals—to replace the rice—are the real thing. Thousands of petals stripped by hand from hundreds of pink roses.

"In great bowls the silver slippers and the pink petals are heaped in the hall, and when the bride and groom emerge, instead of being cannonaded with coarse rice and dirty old boots a sunset cloud, as it were, envelops them, an odorous pink and silver cloud of rose petals and little shining slippers.

"Yes, it is a change for the better, this, and day by day it gains ground."

Woman's Duty.

It is a woman's duty to be socially attractive, not statistically correct.—Home Notes.

For the Tailor-Made.

For the decoration of the tailor made braid, embroidery, buttons and tassels have lost not a whit of popularity. Many of the most becoming hats worn with morning tailor-mades are trimmed with frayed ruches of soft silk. Fur is very much used by the milliner for the present season. One of the smartest and most becoming hats in one of the millinery salons here is a wide-brim shape with high crown and the entire top covered plainly with broadtail. It is trimmed with a wide crushed band of the broadtail and with black feathers. A good many turban browns are composed of mink, and such hats are brightened often with flowers of soft pastel tones. The "dead" shades are very suitable for such hats in both flowers and ribbons.

The Separate White Skirt.

One of the most useful possessions for the girl with nothing a year is a white mohair skirt, but in choosing this it is essential to get a dead white, as cream color will destroy the [illegible]

SMART SUIT FOR WALKING.

Designed with Skirt and Coat and Silk Blouse.

Walking suits are charming and come in a number of smart guises. A French homespun is artistically designed with skirt and coat, and shown with a charming blouse of silk Toscos. The front of the skirt is made with a panel which extends in a loose fold around the bottom, and there is an extra trimming of flat bands of braid above the fold of homespun.

The coat is trimmed with panne velvet, which forms the revers, collars and cuffs. It fastens at the front with a vest of white leather of the softest, finest quality. There is a wide tuck on either side of the back and front, the tucks ending above the waist line in front under bands of the cloth, which are cut in one with the coat. The bands are ornamented with a row of velvet buttons. At the back of the skirt part of the coat is tucked from under the panel, while the shoulder extends over the upper part of the sleeve, the sleeve being attached to the armhole with a tuck. The buttons of the sleeves are finished with cuffs of velvet, as previously mentioned. The cuffs, in turn, are ornamented with crochet buttons and simulated button-holes.

Millinery Violets.

The violets that are worn this winter do not resemble the sweet-scented little purple flower of the woods. In outline they are the same, but there the likeness ends. Our newest millinery violets are very large, very dark, and in color very unnatural. At a little distance they look rather like pansies, but undoubtedly they are effective. For felt hats it is considered necessary to mix silk and velvet flowers, the touch of velvet being sometimes introduced on the leaves also. Another favorite trimming for the cloche hat is an enormous ruche of soft silk, showing fringed edges. The silk must be of the best quality, otherwise when the edges are fringed out they will not sit up properly, and it must be admitted that ruches of this kind run away with a great deal of silk.

Individuality in Styles.

The questions of individuality of style and suitability of color are very important factors of dress.

How often does one see a woman of the athletic type, who looks very smart in tailor-mades, ruin her appearance at a dinner!

She arrives in a flimsy confection of pink chiffon, with her hair elaborately waved.

Such dressing is absolutely unsuited to her strong personality.

Had she chosen a simple gown of white, if she had wound her locks around her head in a heavy plait, her appearance would have been striking.

Green and Blue.

Dark blue serge suits which are always worn have invariably been trimmed with green, but for a change the scheme is to be reversed. For instance, a dull green serge dress is extremely pretty when faced and finished off with a touch of navy blue in not too dark a shade. Many of the new green tweeds have just a suggestion of blue in the weaving in the form of a narrow stripe or a hairline check.

Stylish Gloves.

The American woman, notwithstanding she is generally understood to be the best dressed woman in the world, is being criticised by her foreign cousin for one thing or another. The latest accusation is that the American woman wears her gloves too small.

"They are so much too small at times," writes a Parisian critic, "that the glove fingers scarcely cover two-thirds of madame's finger, and the top button is near the palm of her hand instead of at the wrist line."

Whereas, it is none of this critic's business how Americans wear their gloves, it is an awkward thing to see ladies from any country who wear gloves that are too small.

Fringe to Be Fashionable.

Fringe, which is to become very fashionable, will be adopted in every way, falling over the shoulders, over the hands—in fact, in any effective whole or corner (if I may call it so) on the sleeve. There never was a time when the variety of styles was [illegible]

NEW INSURANCE PRESIDENT.

Darwin P. Kingsley, recently elected president of the New York Life Insurance company, had been a vice president of that corporation since 1898.

RYAN'S RISE TO WEALTH.

He Met Many Rebuffs, but Overcame Them All.

Describing the rise of Thomas F. Ryan in Everybody's, Charles Edward Russell says:

"Here was the poor boy facing the world alone, and none was poorer. The Ryans, an old family of the indomitable Scotch-Irish strain, had been utterly ruined by the Civil war. The old estate swamped with debt; the wolf looking in at the window; the boy, sixteen or seventeen years old, let alone with his aged grandmother; the problem of daily bread real and uncompromising before them; all this sounds like the first chapters of an old-time romance, and yet it is but a recital of biographical facts. And there is more to come; as if culled deliberately from the roseate fiction of our youth.

The poor boy, striving to battle with the depressing situation, wins his way to the great city (in this instance Baltimore) to look for work. From one place after another he is turned coldly away. Still he persists. At last, almost at evening, he enters a dry goods store. The proprietor needs an errand boy. He engages young Thomas, whose looks please him, to go to work the next morning at 7 o'clock. Young Thomas takes off his cap and hangs it on a peg. He says:

"'If you please, sir, I would rather go to work now,' and, seizing a broom, begins to sweep out.

"Does it not sound like a page from the old Fourth reader?

"'What are you doing there, little boy?' asked the good banker, looking over the counter.

"'Picking up pins, sir,' said Henry. And on the last page he is taken into partnership and marries the banker's daughter.

"Do not smile. It is all sober, earnest and part of the record of a sober, earnest life. The errand boy labors early and late at $3 a week. Presently he becomes a salesman. Then he is taken into partnership. Eventually he marries the proprietor's daughter. It is the very apotheosis of commercial romance."

SIMPLE DIAMOND TESTS.

A Needle Hole in a Card One Means of Detecting Imitation Brilliants.

"There are few persons," remarked a jeweler, "who are able to purchase a diamond on the strength of their own knowledge and observation and without placing implicit confidence in the man who sells the stone. It is a fact that even pawnbrokers have often been taken in by jewelry and precious stone fakers.

"Although it takes many years of actual observation and experience before one can become a diamond expert, there are a few simple tests which will considerably aid a buyer of diamonds. One test is to prick a needle hole through a card and look at the hole through the doubtful stone.

"If the latter is spurious two holes will be seen, but if it is a diamond only one hole will be visible. Every imitation stone which resembles a diamond gives a double reflection, while the diamond's reflection is single.

"This test is a delicate one because it is difficult to see even a sharp and defined object through a diamond. The single refraction of the diamond also allows one to determine an uncertain stone.

"If the finger be placed behind it and viewed through the stone with a watchmaker's glass the grain of the skin will be plainly seen if the stone is not a diamond. But if it is a diamond the grain of the skin will not be distinguished at all.

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A TERRIBLE CONDITION.

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Dumley—I don't understand how you could possibly laugh so heartily at that poor joke of Mutley's.

Wise—I had to, in self-defense.

Dumley—In self-defense?

Wise—If I hadn't laughed he'd have repeated it, thinking I hadn't seen the point.

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"'Tis sweet to hear the watchdog's honest bark."

"That's a queer expression. Ain't all barks honest?"

"Not all. I've heard some at the seashore that were not in the best of faith."

BLACK, ITCHING SPOTS ON FACE.

Physician Called It Eczema in Worst Form—Patient Despaired of Cure—Cuticura Remedies Cured Her.

"About four years ago I was afflicted with black splotches all over my face and a few covering my body, which produced a severe itching irritation, and which caused me a great deal of suffering, to such an extent that I was forced to call in two of the leading physicians of ——. After a thorough examination of the dreaded complaint they announced it to be skin eczema in the worst form. Their treatment did me no good. Finally I became despondent and decided to discontinue their services. My husband purchased a single set of the Cuticura Remedies, which entirely stopped the breaking out. I continued the use of the Cuticura Remedies for six months, and after that every splotch was entirely gone. I have not felt a symptom of the eczema since, which was three years ago. Mrs. Lizzie E. Sledge, 540 Jones Ave., Selma, Ala., Oct. 28, 1905."

But He's Thankful.

"Now the poet goes his way, peddling poetry day by day."

"And," adds the bar, "those of you who have trouble in disposing of gilt-edged securities can imagine what the poor poet is up against."

PATENTS.

List of Patents Issued Last Week to Northwestern Inventors.

Reported by Lothrop & Johnson, patent lawyers, 911 Pioneer Press building, St. Paul, Minn.: Albert J. Hughes, St. Anthony Park, Minn., envelope; Abner Johnson, Strandquist, Minn., animal trap; John W. Nilsson, Belfour, N. D., cultivator; Frank A. Roweckamp, Witaka, Minn., hay-baler; Knute S. Satre, Frost, Minn., shock-loader; William F. St. Clair, Owatonna, Minn., display stand; Robert R. Tichenor, Feely, Minn., grain door.

A Long Look Ahead.

A Vermont justice of the peace, in deciding an important ejectment suit, recently rendered the following judgment: "That the plaintiff have possession of the premises, and may recover rent up to the day of judgment."

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"A lady has just dropped dead at the bargain counter," gasped the floorwalker of a department store.

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only Constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials.

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He—Did I understand you to say that you and Miss Pinkleigh are closely related?

She—Yes. We are sisters to the same young man.—Judge.

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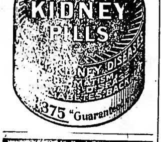
Freddy—Hey, does your mother ever whip you?

Jimmie—"Worse'n that. She washes my face."



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The Tattooed Name

By ELEANOR HODGENS

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Whoever has taken a long sea voyage aboard a great ship will remember that there is always a great deal of coupling off among the passengers. Friendships are formed which often last through life—flirtations, open or hidden, are carried on—love affairs are developed that not seldom end in marriage, and all these are observed and commented upon by those sober people always found in a large company, who are merely the onlookers, not partakers.

At the time of the journey which I am about to relate, I was not a very young person, neither was I a very old one; nor did I belong to the sober group of onlookers. It did not seem quite fair to me, therefore, in that long journey out through the eastern seas on our way to Australia via Ceylon, that I should be almost the only unmarried woman who had not formed an interesting friendship with some one aboard.

My cousin, Margaret Emmons, had plunged into a sudden and intense liking for the ship's doctor the very first day out. Her sister Louise was soon seen sitting in far-away, retired corners with a good-looking young wool merchant, on his way out to the colonies, at every opportunity she—or he—could find. Even Mrs. Matthews, the widow of 45, in whose care we three girls were traveling, had found a portly old Englishman so "interesting" that she read pages aloud to him by day, and played whist or paced the deck with him by night.

There were but three first cabin passengers who came on board the vessel at Ceylon, two of whom were plain-faced colonial women for Australia, and the third a young Englishman. I gave a start when I took my place at dinner that night, to find that his seat was next my own. We began almost at once to exchange the civil remarks with which new acquaintances fence, and before 24 hours had passed I had entered upon several interesting conversations with the new passenger, Mr. Dallas-West.

Long Hours of Idleness on Deck We Spent Together.

Days and evenings and long hours of idleness on deck we spent together, and who does not know how acquaintances ripen under such circumstances? But under any circumstances and in any place, this well-bred young Englishman would have been an agreeable companion; here on shipboard therefore, in our little, isolated floating world, he shone out like a bright star.

Though he talked very freely during the hours when we were alone together, he had told me very little about himself except that he had an appointment under the government in India, where he had lived for five years.

"Do you expect to return there?" I asked one evening, as we sat side by side on deck together.

"Oh, I suppose I must—but—but—I hate to think of going back."

"Then you do not like India?"

"Yes, I am fond of the life there. Under—under some circumstances I could find it a paradise."

"You look very good and true, Miss Elwood," he said, after a long silence.

"I—I think I am true," I answered.

"And so sympathetic," he went on, not seeming to hear me. "I liked your face from the first. I—I felt that it was a face in which one could confide."

"Confide?" I echoed.

"Yes; I am sure, for example, that you would feel for a man who had given his heart to a woman and—and—had it thrown back at him."

A cold feeling oppressed me. This was not what I had expected him to say.

"Have you had such an experience?" I asked faintly.

"I have. That is why I am traveling now," he answered in a low voice. "I felt that I must leave India for the present. Forgetfulness—oblivion—that is what I seek. Oh, it will come in time, I am sure. It must come and take this weight of memory from my heart. I do not allow myself to be alone—I do not want to think.

"And yet to think," he broke out, "that I must bear her name engraven upon me forever!"

"Is it so hopeless as that?" I asked gently. "That you must wear her name upon your heart forever?"

"Not upon my heart; no—upon my arm."

"But I do not understand," I said. "Is that girl's name tattooed upon your arm? What an absurd idea? I cannot believe it."

"Then I shall show you, just to prove my folly." He unfastened his cuff and quickly bared his arm to the elbow. There in the white flesh of the forearm, entwined in a wreath of forget-me-nots, was the name "Jessie," written in indelible blue dye.

"Jessie—so that was her name?" I murmured.

"Yes, Jessie," he answered softly, with a long, pensive gaze out over the moonlighted water.

My thoughts that night as I tossed to and fro upon my pillow were not enviable ones. The name "Jessie, Jessie," echoed and reechoed through my brain. How could she have deceived him and scorned the love of a man like that—so handsome, so amiable, so altogether attractive?

"If only her name were not written upon his body forever and forever," I reflected, "I believe—yes—I really believe I might even yet make him 'forget,'" and with this thought sleep came to calm my troubled spirit.

In the few days that followed before we landed at Melbourne, it seemed as if Mr. Dallas-West was also possessed with this belief. Never had he been so kind, so gentle, so tender even. His eyes lost that habit of straying dreamily off over the railing, and fixed themselves with entire interest upon me. He was so constantly by my side that even Margaret, who had never been quite willing to confess his devotion to me, was ready to do so now. Toward the end of the last day, as she and I went below to prepare for landing, she said with a sentimental sigh:

"Ah, me, all our shipboard friendships must now come to an end—all except yours, Elizabeth. I suppose yours will go on forever."

But alas, my shipboard friendship came to an end with the rest. I scarcely realized how this happened, for Mr. Dallas-West and I made many plans to meet again during our travels in Australia. Whether the frustration of these was owing to the miscarriage of my note to his hotel in Sydney in answer to one from him, or whether it was only that destiny took matters into her own hands, I do not know, but for three long months after landing in Australia I did not see Mr. Dallas-West.

In the diversion of rapid travel I had almost ceased to think of the expressive dark eyes of Mr. Dallas-West, when one day at our hotel in Melbourne, I ran straight against him. We stared at each other a moment in bewilderment, and then both burst into explosive expressions of pleasure.

Mrs. Matthews, Margaret and Louise, who had been just behind me, hastened forward to greet him with hurried questions:

"Where have you been? Why have we not seen you?"

I was so eagerly and delightedly scanning his features that I did not at first notice a girlish figure standing shyly behind him. When Mr. Dallas-West saw that my gaze was resting inquiringly upon her a slight color came into his face, and with a quick movement he led her forward.

"This is my wife," he said. "We are to sail in two days for India. Jessie, these are the ladies of whom I told you, who were so very kind to me during the voyage out."

"Jessie!" I gave him a quick look, but he turned his eyes away and busied himself in answering Mrs. Matthews' questions.

"How did it happen?" "When were you married?" "And so you are returning with your bride to India? How nice—like an idyll" "But you must dine with us to-night. Oh—we cannot take no; we must all drink champagne together in honor of your marriage."

They accepted Mrs. Matthews' invitation to dinner, and came again that night to our hotel. It was not, however, until dinner was almost at an end that I had an opportunity to speak alone with Mr. Dallas-West.

"Now tell me," I said in a low voice, "how has it all come about? Did she repent and follow you away from India to Australia?" He stared at me. "Jessie, I mean," I explained.

"Oh, no," he answered a little apprehensively. "Do you not understand? This is not the same Jessie—but another. I met her in Adelaide shortly after I parted from you."

"But how—how—will you explain your tattoo mark?"

"I have already done so, and—and—this leads me to what I have been wanting to ask you all evening. You are so good—so true. I want to ask you not to betray me to her. I—I have told her that I had done it for her. The name, you know, curiously enough, is the same."

"Then you chose her for her name?" I said with a little feeling of relief.

"No, not for her name—for herself," he said, fondly looking across the table at the beautiful young English girl who was his bride.

I followed his gaze to her and my mental comment was, I think, a generous one in view of all that had gone before. "Whatever the first Jessie may have been," was my reflection, "she could not have been half so sweet and lovely as this second Jessie," and I magnanimously resolved that no temptation would ever induce me to reveal to her the real history of her husband's tattooed arm.

THE VICTIM OF HIS OWN LAW.

Predicament of George P. McCabe Should Please Beef Packers.

George P. McCabe, solicitor of the department of agriculture, had an experience a few weeks ago which probably will gratify the beef packers. McCabe was the author of that provision of the meat inspection law which forbids any railroad to transport meats unless labeled "U. S. Inspected and Passed." The agriculture solicitor is a hospitable man. He likes nothing better than to gather a few congenial souls around his board, especially on Sunday afternoon. He has been passing the summer at Garrett Park, Md., a suburb of Washington, and buys all his supplies in the capital city.

During a hot spell some time ago he asked a number of men to dine with him on the Sabbath and told his wife that as the ice box was low it would be wise to replenish the meat supply. Mrs. McCabe dutifully came to Washington and purchased about 70 pounds of roast beef, bacon, lamb, etc. The butcher sent the basket to the railroad station and the baggageman promptly declined to receive it on the ground that it was not marked "U. S. Inspected and Passed."

Mrs. McCabe telephoned to her husband; he tried to turn the wheels of government, but failed—it was Saturday and work ceased at one o'clock—and in order to get the stuff out to his home McCabe had to take it into the passenger car. Upon arrival at Garrett Park there was no vehicle waiting. The solicitor was compelled to load the basket on his shoulder and march along a dusty road and then through what is called "the dreary woods" to reach his house. He toiled for half an hour before he arrived at home, and when he did his friends say he was in an unspeakable frame of mind. One thing is certain, "U. S. Inspected and Passed" is not half as popular in the agricultural department as it was before that blue Saturday.

SKATE ON CAPITAL STREETS.

Clerks Use Roller Skates to Go to Their Occupations.

Roller skating, which in other cities is practically an amusement, is used in a practical way by government employes in Washington. About 25 clerks employed in the post office department who live in the vicinity of Mount Pleasant skate to the office. The clerks formed a party for their first appearance, for the reason that up to this time roller skating has been considered the prerogative of children and not generally indulged in by grown people outside of rinks.

M. O. Chance, chief clerk, led the party, which made its way down Sixteenth street as the most desirable thoroughfare.

It is expected that the organization of this concerted movement in the direction of practical roller skating will place the sport upon a basis similar to that once enjoyed by the bicycle. The miles of smooth asphalt streets in Washington unobstructed by much heavy traffic make it an ideal city for skating. Thousands of young men and women go to work in the departments daily and need not only the exercise which roller skating to the office will give, but the price of car tickets as well.

Work for Senator's Secretary.

Every new congress brings to Washington the meanest man in Christendom. A western senator arranged last summer for the construction of a barn.

"I want the work done as economically as possible," he told the carpenter. "It will save money, won't it, to drive one nail instead of two into each board?"

"Yes," was the reply. "But the barn won't be as strong."

"That's all right," responded the thrifty senator, "you go ahead with the work, using one nail in each board."

When the carpenter finished the senator used a Western Union frank to call his secretary to his home "to do some work which had accumulated." Upon the letter's arrival he disposed of a number of letters and then said:

"Here are four pounds of nails. I want you to drive an extra nail in every plank in that barn."

As the government pays the salaries of senators' secretaries it is readily apparent that the western economist saved something in having him instead of the carpenter drive the requisite number of nails into the barn.

Economical Senator Clark.

Rich as is ex-Senator William A. Clark of Montana, he indulged in various economies while in Washington which attracted considerable attention. Late one night when it was raining cats and dogs Clark entered a car, his umbrella dripping and the bottoms of his trousers soaked. Several passengers knew Clark and began speculating about what they would do if they had his money.

"A carriage for mine on a night like this," observed one.

"A steam yacht to navigate the streets," remarked another.

"I would do exactly what Clark has done," said a third. "A cab would cost 50 cents. My trousers could be pressed in the morning for a quarter. A street car ticket costs 4 1-3 cents. There is a clear profit of 20 2-3 cents, and that to a millionaire means something. Just multiply that sum by 365 and you would appreciate the yearly saving. Little economies make little millionaires."

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"What did you think of Esperanto?"

"To be honest with you, I don't know anything about it. Did you eat it or drink it, or is it a game?"

Oratory in Virginia.

An impassioned negro orator recently declared at a gathering of his people at Richmond, Va.: "Dere has nuver ben but four great nations—de Hottentots, de Hugenots, de Assyrians and de Virginians."

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"If you don't mind, dear," said the husband, "I'll go with you."

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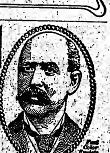

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale Under Execution.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, County of Ramsey } ss.

District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District.

Mackey J. Thompson, Plaintiff

vs.

John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, Defendants

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a judgement and decree of said court, entered in the above entitled action on the 17th day of December, 1907, a duly certified transcript of which has been delivered to me, I, the undersigned, sheriff of said Red Lake county, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, the 8th day of February, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the main entrance to the court house in the city of Red Lake Falls in said county and state, the premises and real estate described in said judgment and decree, to-wit: The Northeast Quarter of Section twenty-two, in Township one hundred fifty-three, north of range forty-four, west of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty acres of land more or less according to Government survey.

Dated December 26th, 1907.

LEWIS A. NELSON, Sheriff
d26-j30 Red Lake County, Minn.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution.

ESTATE OF MARGARETTA WALTER.

State of Minnesota, County of Red Lake, In Probate Court,

In the matter of the estate of Margaretta Walter, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to John Walter, Andrew Walter, Philip Walter, Maggie Adler, Annie Skalla, Mary Kans, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedant, having filed in this court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled; Therefore, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls in the county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of January, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m., why said petition should not be granted.

Witness the honorable, N. W. Tarrant, judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 18th day of December, 1907.

(Court Seal) N. W. TARRANT,
Probate Judge.
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Petitioner. d19-j2

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of eleven dollars which became due April 16th, 1907 and is due and claimed to be due at the date of this notice upon a certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Lena Bugge, and Christ J. Begge, her husband, mortgagors, to J. A. Duffy mortgagee bearing date the 16 day of April, A. D. 1903, and with a power of sale therein contained duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the county of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 11th day of August, 1903, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., of said day in Book 26 of mortgages on page 629,

And whereas, pursuant to the terms of said mortgage and condition of said mortgage, by reason of said default, the whole principal sum of said mortgage, to-wit: The sum of $83.00 unpaid, did on the 17th day of April, 1907, become at once due and payable and was so declared by said mortgage, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable on said mortgage, at the date of this notice, the sum of $83.00 with interest at the rate of ten per cent per annum on $50.00 thereof, since April 25th, 1905, and on $33.00 thereof, since April 16th, 1903, and the further sum of $31.20 with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum since December 16th, 1907, the latter amount being for interest paid by said J. A. Duffy, under the terms of said mortgage, upon a prior first mortgage owned by W. S. Seaverns, default having been made in the payment of the same and said amount by said mortgagors, and

Whereas, the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof:

Now, therefor, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and persuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage first described will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, towit,

West half of the northeast quarter, (W½ of NE¼) of section fourteen, (14), in township one hundred fifty four, (154) north, of range forty-five (45) West, in Red Lake County, State of Minnesota, which sale will be made by the sheriff of said Red Lake County, Minnesota, at the west front door of the Courthouse, in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said county and state, on the 8th day of February, A. D, 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at public vendue to highest bidder for cash; to pay said debt of $83.00 and $31.20, and interest on said amounts as aforesaid, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and a reasonable attorneys fee as stipulated in said mortgage, the same being hereby stated and claimed to be the sum of twenty five dollars, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 26th, 1907.

J. A. DUFFY,
Mortgagee.
Chas. E. Boughton,
Attorney for Mortgagee.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the second day of November, 1903, and recorded in the office of Register of Deeds in and for Red Lake county, Minnesota, on the 29th day of March A. D., 1904, at five o'clock p. m., in book twenty-nine (29) of Mortgages on page three hundred fifty-five (355), whereby John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, who were the mortgagors therein, mortgaged and conveyed to L. S. Hackney, who was the mortgagee therein, the following described property, situate in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, to-wit:

The south half of the ne¼ of section number five (5) in township number one hundred fifty-three (153), north of range number forty-four (44), west of the fifth principal meridian containing eighty (80) acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof,

to secure the payment of the sum of four hundred ($400) dollars and interest thereon, at the rate of seven (7 p. c.) per cent per annum, according to the terms of their certain promissory note, bearing even date with said mortgage and payable five years after date, with interest at the rate of seven (7 p. c.) per cent per annum, payable annually.

Said mortgage contained a provision, that should any default be made in the payment of any annual installment of interest due thereon or in the payment of any taxes thereafter to be assessed thereon, previous to the day appointed for the sale of lands for state taxes in the state of Minnesota, then and thereupon the whole sum for the security of which said mortgage was given shall become immediately due and payable at the election of the said mortgagee.

Said mortgagors have defaulted in the payment of the sum of four and 81-100 ($4.81) dollars of the annual interest due thereon on the second day of November, 1906, and in the payment of the sum of twenty-eight ($28) dollars, being the entire installment of interest due thereon on the second day of November, 1907, and in the payment of the taxes assessed thereon for the year 1905, and are still in default therein.

There is claimed to be actually due on said note and mortgage, at the date of this notice the sum of four hundred ($400) dollars, principal; thirty four and 35-100 ($34.35) dollars interest; nine and 45-100 ($9.45) dollars paid by said mortgagee for the taxes of 1905 after said premises had been sold for taxes, with sixty five cents interest thereon; twenty-five ($25) dollars, attorney's fees, stipulated in said mortgage, to be paid in case of a foreclosure thereof, in all, amounting to the sum of four hundred sixty-nine and 45-100 ($469.45) dollars, due thereon at the date of this notice, and no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover said debt or any part thereof.

Now, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale, in said mortgage contained and therewith recorded, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the property above and therein described will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, and state of Minnesota, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the 18th day of January, 1908, to satisfy and pay said debt, interest, attorney's fees and the costs and expenses of said sale.

Dated November 25th, 1907.

L. S. HACKNEY,
Mortgagee.
BRYAN & COFEMAN,
Attorneys for Mortgagee.
1003 Pioneer Press Bldg.,
St. Paul, Minnesota. d5-j9

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by James Sutor and Waeda Sutor, his wife, mortgagors, to De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands American Mortgage Bank) of Uithuizen, The Netherlands, Mortgagee, bearing date the 6th day of December, 1905, with the power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Red Lake, state of Minnesota, on the 7th day of December, A. D. 1905, at 2:30 o'clock p. m. in Book 12 of mortgages at page 31, and

Whereas, it is provided in and by the terms of said mortgage that if default be made in any of the terms and conditions thereof, the mortgagee or holder of the said mortgage might declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable, and

Whereas, under the terms and conditions of the said mortgage and power of sale therein contained, the said mortgagee and holder of the said mortgage has duly elected and hereby does elect to declare and does hereby declare the whole principal sum of the said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, and

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable thereon at the date of this notice the sum of Six Thousand Two Hundred Eighty-Five and no 100 Dollars ($6285.00.), and the power of sale having become operative and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statutes in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by the said mortgage, namely; The East Half of the South-West Quarter (E½ SW¼), West Half of the South East quarter (W½ SE¼), the West half of the North East quarter (W½ NE¼), and the East Half of the North-West quarter (E½ NW¼) of section number twenty-three (23), and the South-East quarter (SE¼) of section number fourteen (14), all in township one hundred and fifty-two (152), north of range forty-five (45), west of the Fifth Principal Meridan in Minnesota, containing four hundred and eighty (480) acres according to the United States Government survey thereof, be the same more or less, in Red Lake county, in the State of Minnesota, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Red Lake county, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Red Lake Falls, county of Red Lake, State of Minnesota, on the 11th day of January, A. D. 1908, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay the said debt of Six Thousand Two Hundred and Eighty Five and no one-hundred Dollars ($6,285.00), and interest, insurance, and taxes, if any, on said premises, and One Hundred Dollars ($100.00) attorney's fees stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated November 23, A. D. 1907.

De Nederlandsch-Amerikaansche
Hypotheek Bank (The Netherlands
American Mortgage Bank),
Mortgagee.
F. A. Grady,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota. n28-j9

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN. That default has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, containing a power of sale executed by John N. Miller and Lizzie K. Miller, his wife, mortgagors, to J. L. Mitchell, mortgagee, dated November 2nd, 1903, and recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Red Lake county, Minnesota, on March 15th, 1904, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, in book "29" of Mortgages, on page 331 thereof; that said Mitchell thereafter by an instrument in writing, duly assigned said mortgage to C. L. Coleman Lumber Company, which said assignment is of record in the office of the register of deeds of said Red Lake county: that thereafter said C. L. Coleman Lumber Company by an instrument in writing duly assigned said mortgage to Mackey J. Thompson, which said assignment is of record in the office of the register of deeds of said Red Lake county; that it was provided in said mortgage that in case of default in the payment of interest as it became due, the whole sum should be immediately due and payable; that default has been made in the payment of interest due November 2nd, 1907, amounting to eighty and 50-100 dollars ($80.50), no part of which has been paid, and there is due and payable at the date of this notice upon said mortgage and the debt secured thereby the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Forty-Three and 42-100 Dollars ($1,243.42); that no action or proceeding has been instituted to recover said debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, therefore, by virtue of said power of sale in said mortgage contained, and persuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the land and the premises described therein and covered thereby, situate, lying and being in the county of Red Lake and state of Minnesota, and described as follows, to-wit; Northeast quarter (NE¼) of Section Eighteen (18), in Township One Hundred Fifty-Four (154), North of Range Forty-Five (45), West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing one hundred sixty (160) acres of land more or less according to Government survey, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder therefor for cash, by the sheriff of Red Lake county, to satisfy and pay the amount which shall then be due on said debt so secured by said mortgage, and the sum of twenty-five dollars ($25) stipulated in said mortgage as attorney's fees, and the costs and expenses of these foreclosure proceedings as allowed by law, and that said sale be made at the main entrance to the court house in the City of Red Lake Falls, in said Red Lake county, Minnesota, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon on the 8th day of February, 1908.

Dated December 26th, 1907.

MACKEY J. THOMPSON,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Willis C. Otis, Attorney
for Assignee of Mortgagee,
St. Paul, Minnesota. d26-j30

Notice of Expiration of Redemption

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR, County of Red Lake. State of Minnesota }

To J. W. SCHRAMM:

You are hereby notified that the following described piece or parcel of land, situated in the County of Red Lake, State of Minnesota and known and described as follows, to-wit: The east one-half (E½) of the northwest quarter (NW¼) and Lots one (1), two (2) and three (3) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-one (151), Range Forty-three (43), is now assessed in your name; that on the ninth day of May, A. D. 1904, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment, duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Red Lake on the twenty-fourth day of March, A. D. 1904, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1902 for said County of Red Lake, the above described piece or parcel of land was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of eighteen dollars and forty-one cents; that upon the twenty-second day of March, A. D. 1905, said land still remaining unredeemed, and the amount for which the same was so bid in for the State, together with all the subsequent delinquent taxes, penalties, interest and costs, amounting in all, to twenty dollars and eight-one cents, having been paid into the treasury of said county by J. A. Duffy, said land was assigned and conveyed to him by the Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statutes in such cases made and provided; that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of Twenty-seven Dollars and Fifty-four Cents and interest on Twenty Dollars and Eighty-six Cents, at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the twenty-first day of November, A. D. 1907, to the day such redemption is made; and that the said tax certificate has been presented to me by the holder thereof, and the time of redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said sale, will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and proof thereof has been filed in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this twenty-first day of November, A. D. 1907.

JOHN B. O'BRIEN,
(Seal) County Auditor,
[illegible] Red Lake County, Minnesota.

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